

Club President
Pam Stone

District Governor
Phil Hafey

Rotary International
President
Mark Daniel Maloney

Meetings each month
1st Sat: auction shed
8:30-9:30

2nd & 4th Mondays
6-8pm Woolgoolga C. ex

3rd Monday
Board meetings VIC

If 5th Monday,
contact Secretary

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25 NOVEMBER - Guest Speaker

Our guest speaker is Julie Jardine from CanDo. Julie is the 2019 local Woman of the Year for her work with CanDo Trust. CanDo is a Cancer charity that provides local support to cancer sufferers and their families. Cancer can put enormous financial and emotional pressures on the whole family and CanDo is all about providing family support. Our Club supports CanDo with a donation, including via the bowling event at Cex, so come along and hear about how CanDo operates.



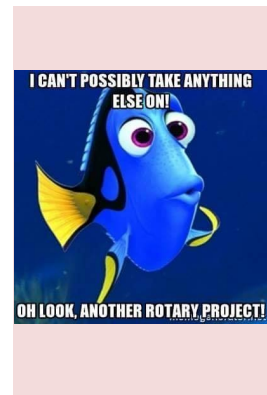
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Lyndy
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before 9am
Monday

NOVEMBER is
Rotary
Foundation
Month

11 NOVEMBER (for those who missed it)

Jennifer Dowd Community Liaison Officer from Westpac Rescue Helicopter service couldn't have visited us at a more appropriate time. The fires have made for a very busy time for the helicopter service which began life at Ballina Surf Life Saving Club in 1982. HQ are now in Newcastle. Jennifer told us about the crew (pilot, winchman, paramedic and emergency response doctor) and indicated that 50% of their responses are traffic accidents, 45% are hospital transfers of very ill patients and 5% are rescues. New night goggles enable them to operate 24/7. They get government funding but have to raise a large amount from community and sponsors (\$3.5million each year just in our area).



"FROM PRESIDENT PAM"

Well, what a torrid time with the fires so close by and evacuations and smoke affecting many in our community as well as nearby homes being lost. Thank you to Club members who have been volunteering with the SES and RFS or otherwise assisting. At our Board meeting we decided to donate any auction goods requested by locals who have lost their homes.



Also, our **Boomerang Bags Group has generously raised \$700** to donate through RAWCS to the Bushfire Appeal and our Board agreed to match that, **so \$1,400 will be on its way to RAWCS Project 41 to help those affected by bushfires** in parts of our Rotary district. We also agreed to **donate \$500 to the Westpac Rescue Helicopter Service** after Jennifer Dowd's interesting presentation.

STATS AT A GLANCE

Visiting Rotarians: na

VISITORS: Jennifer Dowd, Helen Michener

ATTENDANCE: 11 (55%)

APOLOGIES: Pam S, Julie M, Echah, Rod, David E, Leslie, Kim, Mary, Peter L, Peter A.

RAFFLE: ?

DON'T FORGET TO RSVP NOW SO LYNDEE CAN BOOK FOR THE 9 DEC XMAS PARTY

NEXT AUCTION is 7 December Our helpers are the Woolgoolga Community Gardens team.

DONATION TO William Bayldon School

For some goods donated to our Auction, an appropriate home is not likely to be found among the usual auction crowd. Our Club recently donated a tenor horn to the music program at the William Bayldon Public School, Toormina. We want donated instruments to go to people who will value and make good use of them, and where it will make a difference. Louise Wilson, Head of Music at the school, is doing wonderful work with the students, and they are most grateful for the donation. Louise accepted the instrument, appropriately, in front of a recent photo of the student band.



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Council briefing on the Multipurpose Centre at a breakfast, **7.30am at Bluebottles on 29 November.**

Buy your own coffee/brekky but let Al Milroy know if attending (ph 0439435040).

Red Cross have invited Rotary representation at their **Friday afternoon tea 2pm Friday 29 November** at the Seniors Centre (let Patty know if attending for RSVP by 26 Nov).

Christmas Lights and Christmas music concert at the Coffs Botanic Gardens is 6-9pm on Saturday 7 December, take a folding chair and a picnic (though some seating available) Orchestra plus Swingfonia.

Club Xmas party will be Monday 9 December 6pm and will be preceded as usual by our AGM at 5.30pm where we will approve financial accounts from the previous year and confirm President Elect, Secretary and Treasurer for 2020-21. After that the Club will take a break until the February auction.

Christmas Carols By the Sea are on Friday 20 Dec, Woolgoolga Beach Reserve. From 5pm.

CLUB NOTICES	2019		
	7 Dec	Auction (Woolgoolga Community Gardens)	
	9 Dec	Club Christmas Party	
		Christmas break, return in 2020 tbc	
	2020		
	1 Feb	Auction	
	7 April	Science & Engineering challenge	
DISTRICT NOTICES	2019		
	23/24 Nov	District Showcase weekend Tamworth	(cancelled due to fires)
	2020		
	20-22 Mar	District Conference SW Rocks	
	2-9 May	RYLA	

MEETING DUTY ROSTER Please swap nights if you cannot attend			
Date	25 Nov	7 Dec	9 Dec
Attendance	Geoff Royal	AUCTION	Santa Claus
Welcome/Fellowship	Norm Michener	In lieu of 2 Dec meeting	Partners invited
Introduce Guest Speaker/s	Julie Marshall	Christmas stall at auction	At Black Apple restaurant
Vote of Thanks	Lesley Casey		Moonee
Guest Speakers or Event	Julie Jardine CanDo	Helpers are Community Gardens	AGM 5.30 & XMAS party from 6pm

Your Rotary Club Needs YOU

Want to be on the BOARD?- (see Pam S)

Can you help with AUCTION work or the PICK-UPS? (See Norm or Lyndy)

WISH TO PROPOSE A NEW MEMBER? (Contact Pam F)

KNOW A FAMILY INTERESTED IN HOSTING A YEP STUDENT? (See Patty)