

ROTARY CLUB OF BURNIE

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**ROTARY:
MAKING A
DIFFERENCE**

THEME FOR 2017-18:

ROTARY MAKING A DIFFERENCE

Invocation

**For good food, for good fellowship, may the
giver of all our blessings make us truly thankful.**

ROTARY MONTH: SEPTEMBER – Basic Education & Literacy

Duty Roster - SEPTEMBER 2017:
George Austin - David Bennett - Themba Bulle

PROGRAM: Elizabeth Kinneir-Tarte

25 – SEPT - 17	Lisa Martin	Hellyer, supporting education.	Greens
2 – OCT - 17	Wayne Richards	SES	Greens
9 – OCT - 17	Burnie Art Gallery	Tas Art Exhibition	BAFC
16 – OCT - 17	Nancy Arnold	Community Care	Greens
Any ideas for speakers then please call Elizabeth on - 0427 376 747			

Apologies - If you are unable to attend for any reason please notify Carolynne at BRL (6431 6333; or email carolyne.sullivan@alsglobal.com) by midday on Monday. Failure to do so will mean you are still responsible for the cost of the meal.

Birthdays & Anniversaries

S E P T E M B E R	Birthdays		Wedding Anniversary		Rotary Anniversary	
	5	Murray O'CONNOR 1948				
	7	Stanley FRENCH 1938	11	Robert/Kathy BENTLEY	11	John GLEN 2006
	12	Geoffrey McLEAN 1945				
	14	Nigel MORGAN 1975				
	15	Dorothy MUIR				
	27	Ken MOORE 1949				

Sausage Sizzle: Bruce Clark/Doug Forrest

DATE	#1 - PICK UP GEAR	#2 - PICK UP MEAT	
16 - SEPT	Barrie Crawford	Ian Guest	
23 - SEPT	Nigel Morgan	Paul Kearney	
30 - SEPT	David Bennett	Allen Jamison	
7 - Oct	Jim Forsyth	Graeme Wood	
14 - Oct	Doug Forrest	John Glen	
21 - Oct	Wayne Licht	David McCarthy	
28 - Oct	Nigel Morgan	Ken Moore	
4 - Nov	George Austin	Liz Kinneir- Tarte	Dr Roopa Mulik

President - Nigel Morgan

- President Nigel welcomed guest speaker Adele Britton and Nadia to the meeting
- Our "Burnie 10" ambassador, Wayne Licht needs 4 volunteers to officiate on Sunday 22nd October.
- Elizabeth is to confirm the 9th October with the "The Friends of the Gallery".
- Nigel has been in touch with soroptimist Club President, Marg Leeson about a combined meeting. George will follow up officially.

Secretary – George Austin

- We are going to have an International day at 12am on Sunday October 15 at Weller's Inn. Lois Moore will be organising a casserole from each couple.
- EVRG has invited all Rotarians to the official opening of the Gardens on Saturday 16th September at 11am.

Rotary information – John Glen

ROTARY'S CAUSES

Rotary International has six core interests in providing a better World for all. I will introduce each of these over the following weeks. These are:

- Promoting peace 14 August 2017
- Fighting disease 28 August 2017
- Providing clean water - 3 July 2017
- Saving mothers and children
- Supporting education
- Growing local economies 24 July 2017

Directors Reports

Youth Service – Stephanie Prendergast

International Service – John Glen

Community Service – Themba Bulle

Vocational Service – Wayne Licht

We will not be doing the Burnie show gates this year.

Program Director - Elizabeth Kinneir-Tarte

Attendance: Graeme Muir

- Apologies: Robert Bentley and Geoff McLean
- Make up: Nil
- Leave of Absence: Adam Coles and Kay Lord
- Guests: Dr Roopa Mulik's guest Nadia and guest speaker Adele Britton
- Present: ...20 Excused: 1 Make Ups: 0 Total: **Percentage: 72.8%**

RAFFLE WINNERS: John Pease and Graeme Muir

LAST WEEKS MEETING

Adele Britton from School of Special Education spoke to us this evening the Burnie Campus and required ground improvements.

Our special school is described as 'one school consisting of two campuses' servicing students and their families living within the Devonport, Latrobe, Penguin and Burnie localities. The campuses are approximately 50 kilometres apart. Other students who live in isolated rural communities within a 100 km. radius of the Burnie campus are also enrolled on particular days to access specialist programs.

Current enrolments are limited to students between 5 to 18 years with moderate to severe disabilities who are eligible for centralised funding support through a Severe Disabilities register.

Families whose students are identified with syndromes, severe autism, severe intellectual functioning and multiple impairments involving physical, vision and hearing are offered enrolment.

Currently, there are over 75 full enrolments along with many dual and whole day enrolled students accessing both campuses.

Our school has promoted an extensive network of sustained professional support which promotes the successful implementation and assessment of student's learning goals. The network also initiates practically based ongoing professional learning that builds capacity to meet the needs of all individual support staff members who are either employed at the special school or neighbourhood schools.

Currently, a State Government capital works project is underway at the Acton Hub located in Thorne St, Burnie. This project involves a complete refurbishment of the old Acton Primary School. The SOSE Burnie campus will relocate to this new learning environment in Term 1 2017. This initiative will provide large classrooms with breakaway individualised learning areas, therapy spaces, music and sensory rooms, large gym, spa and kitchen. Revamped playground areas will also be completed to enhance the learning and recreation opportunities for students with disabilities.



View of Burnie Campus



Resource Room

Weekly Funnies

During my physical examination, my doctor asked me about my physical activity level.

I described a typical day, "Well, yesterday afternoon, I took a five hour walk about 7 miles through some pretty rough terrain. I waded along the edge of a lake. I pushed my way through brambles. I got sand in my shoes and my eyes. I avoided standing on a snake. I climbed several rocky hills. I took a few 'leaks' behind some big trees. The mental stress of it all left me shattered. At the end of it all I drank eight beers."

Inspired by the story, the doctor said, "You must be one hell of an outdoors man!"

"No," I replied, "I'm just a poor golfer!!".