

Rotary
CLUB OF BURNIE



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SERVE TO CHANGE LIVES

President – Themba Bulle

Secretary - George Austin

Treasurer - David Bennett

Bulletin Editor – Allan Jamieson

INVOCATION

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

ROTARY MONTH: MAY – YOUTH SERVICES

Apologies: please call before 1:00 pm Monday

Dr Themba Bulle on 03 6432 2222 or George Austin on 0438 450 801

Duty Roster: Graeme MUIR & Dilani WIJESOORIYA

Club website: <http://www.burnierotary.org.au>

Date	Event or Speaker/Topic	Venue
MAY 9	??	RSL
MAY 16	Wing Commander Paul Wilmot	RSL
Ideas for speakers? Contact George Austin		

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES – MAY 2022

	Birthdays		Wedding Anniversary		Club Anniversary
		12	Douglas/Aileen FORREST	1	David BENNETT
		12	David/Glenda BENNETT		
				22	Dr Roopa Mulik
24	John GLEN				

RAFFLE WINNER	Barrie Crawford
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ATTENDANCE	14 (54%)
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Pres. Themba:

- Welcome, once more, to visiting Rot'n Leanne Cullen
- Welcome back to Ian Guest.
- There is a blonde lady at the end of the table: *Oh, it is Steph in disguise.*

Secretary George:

- I extend my thanks to the members who assisted at the Burnie Anzac Day service – Nina, Amy, Olivia Eade, David Bennett and Themba. [On behalf of Burnie RSL, Ian Jones also thanked these members.]
- Voice of Youth: We are sponsoring this event again. It would be good if more members could attend the event at Marist College on Thur. May 12 (6.15 pm for 6:30 pm).
- District Assembly: Date moved to Sat. June 4 at Deloraine.
- **NOTE:** Our meals now cost \$25, though this *includes* a raffle ticket.
- RYDA: I ask for volunteers to assist at Camp Clayton on May 10 (5 members volunteered)
- *Slime Challenge:* Our meeting on May 16 will be devoted to thanking the many people who instigated and helped arrange for the inaugural Slime Challenge to be a success. We have invited a special Guest Speaker, whose address will enthral everyone.
- Next year's Slime Challenge is set to happen on Jan. 29, a far better time of year than this year's event (March 20).

- Working with Vulnerable People: PP John Glen will soon advise the names of our members who have **valid** cards.
- Does every member receive their copies of the *Rotary Down Under* magazine or the *Rotarian* magazine? If not let George know.

PDG Ken Moore:

- The ARH (Australian Rotary Health) Research Night event will be held at the Surf Club on 14 May (6:00 for 6:30 pm). As many of our members as possible should attend. Ken took names.

Fine Session: PP John Pease:

- A special mention of David McCarthy, who led the fly-past over the town on Anzac Day.
- Also, congratulations to Ian Guest and David McCarthy for their Gold Medal performances at the Australian Surf Club Championships.

Club Assembly:

- PET's Day: Roopa and Nina attended. Of note was the introduction of a NEW Brand for Rotary clubs.
- Group 7 FORUM: a) Themba noted that Wynyard RC utilises Zoom in conjunction with their meetings, so members can participate without having to attend in person. b) Good to see there were some *non*-Rotarians as Guest Speakers at this event (Nina observed that *non*-Rotarians are usually speakers at Zone 3 (Hobart) Forums). c) A Wynyard RC member proposed that our local clubs co-operate in carrying out a service project for victims of Huntington's disease.

Important news regarding conferences in 2023

The District 9830 Conference for 2023 has been cancelled. Instead, it is hoped that as many Tasmanian Rotarians as possible will decide to attend the **2023 World Rotary Convention** in Melbourne. The event on May 27-31 (Sat ... Wed.) is expected to attract more than 20,000 Rotarians from around the world. The venues used will be the Rod Laver Arena and the Melbourne Convention & Exhibition Centre.

Close 7:30 pm