

**Rotary**  
CLUB OF BURNIE



CLUB NUMBER - 18437

# THE BULLETIN

80<sup>TH</sup> YEAR - No 40 - MAY 9<sup>th</sup> 2022



**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 WIJESORIYA**

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

Date	Event or Speaker/Topic	Venue
MAY 16	Wing Commander Paul Wilmot	RSL
MAY 23	Nina Huang: My life	RSL
<b>Ideas for speakers? Contact George Austin</b>		

### 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				

<b>RAFFLE WINNER</b>	Paul Kearney
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<b>ATTENDANCE</b>	16 (61%)
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#### Pres. Themba:

→ One minute's silence was observed in memory of Dorothy Muir. ←

#### Secretary George:

- At last week's Board Meeting, it was agreed that: \$5,000 would be allocated (through RAWCS) to the Ukraine Appeal; \$2,000 would be allocated to the Burnie Surf Life Saving Club to assist their efforts to obtain a new IRB (Inflated Rescue Boat).
- **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 will have a special Guest Speaker as well, and I feel his address will enthral everyone. We will have a two-course meal, cost \$30 per person. Partners welcome. [There are good prospects that the *Slime Challenge* could raise about \$10,000 per annum in future years, so it is proper that we allocate our club's resources to help in running this event.]
- Nina Huang will be our Guest Speaker on May 23.
- We have a great many cans of beer left over from our Golf Day and I suggest we auction these now. [Result: Three lots (of 16, 16 and 6 cans) were auctioned and raised a total of \$72.]

**President Themba:**

- Rotary clubs are supposed to be democratic in character, but there is a risk that our Board can be perceived as 'dictatorial.' This is unfortunate and we need to ensure that this perception does not persist; we must be seen to engage *all members* in decision making.
- Right now, we also need to appoint a new Board Member. Please let me know if you are interested.

**Fine Session: PP John Pease:**

- Congratulations to Doug and Aileen, who are celebrating their 60<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary this week.
- John Glen has a **new** sports car!
- Wayne Richards is back from chasing Targa cars around the State.

Close 7:06 pm