

Rotary
CLUB OF BURNIE



CLUB NUMBER - 18437

THE BULLETIN

81ST YEAR - No 9 – AUGUST 29TH 2022



**IMAGINE
ROTARY**



President – ???

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: SEPTEMBER – EDUCATION & LITERACY

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
SEPTEMBER 5	Doug White – World War One remembered	RSL
SEPTEMBER 12	Ian Edwards – Burnie Kommunity Kids	RSL
Ideas for speakers? Contact George Austin		

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES – SEPTEMBER 2022

	Birthdays	Wedding Anniversary		Club Anniversary
14	Nigel MORGAN			
22	Dr Wing Sze LAU		11	John GLEN
27	Ken MOORE 1949			

RAFFLE WINNER	Ian Guest & visitor Will
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ATTENDANCE	18 (69%)
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Chairman: PP John Glen

John welcomed: DG Bob Calvert & wife Kaye, DG's Rep. Philip McKenzie, former member Stan French & partner Aileen, Excused member Bruce Clark & wife Marie. Other visitors were: Mark and Sharon, Will and Rachel.

Secretary George

- NOTE: Our first TSO concert is on Sept. 9th. PLEASE let me know BEFORE Sept. 9 if you and your friends want to attend!

DG's Rep.: Philip McKenzie

- Group 7 Forum will be held at the Ulverstone Bowls Club on 27 Sept. The Guest Speaker will be Bidy Fisk. We will also discuss how our Group's clubs can participate at the "Expo" in Hobart next March. We would like to highlight activities in which several clubs joined forces to carry out.

Fines Session: PP John Pease

- Wayne Licht is to be fined: At present, there are many Stubbs Construction signs on Mooreville Road, but *nobody* can be seen **working!**

Guest Speaker: Bob Calvert addressed us:



Bob Joined Somerset RC about 32 years ago.

He spoke first about RI President Jennifer Jones's concept for this year: **Imagine Rotary:** Imagine the possibilities; what will it be *like* in 5~10 years?; what *could* we do in our community?; What if we don't do anything?

The answer to that last question is a simple one – by 2035, NO service clubs will exist in the world.

In short: FORGET THE PAST

Are Rotarians SATISFIED?

It would seem not. We enlist many new members, but our total number of members continues to decline significantly. He said clubs must *show* they welcome new members, respect them and value them. Is this what we do?

Bob listed three new aspects of Rotary that he argues our Tasmanian clubs should be also known for:

- Diversity
- Equity
- Inclusion

A new sub-committee has formed in our District, headed by Una Hobday, to 'push' Diversity – Equity – Inclusion.



Bob would like the District to have three *new* Satellite clubs, as well as more Rotaract and Interact clubs in our state.

Bob also pointed out that the District has funds available to help club projects and the amount can *potentially* be as much as \$80,000.

Close 7:53 pm