

Rotary 
CLUB OF BURNIE

CLUB NUMBER - 18437

THE BULLETIN

81ST YEAR - No 15– OCTOBER 10th 2022



President – Roopa Mulik
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: OCTOBER – ECONOMIC & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

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
OCTOBER 17	“Hat day” Speaker Lindsay Morgan. <i>Partner’s night</i>	RSL
OCTOBER 24	Leanne Cullen – “My story”	RSL
OCTOBER 31	??	RSL
NOVEMBER 14	Emily Dunn, Marinus project update	RSL
Ideas for speakers? Contact George Austin		

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES – OCTOBER 2022

	Birthdays		Wedding Anniversary		Club Anniversary
6	Senzeni BULLE	2	Paul/Philipa KEARNEY	18	David McCARTHY
9	Allan JAMIESON			20	Graeme MUIR 1968
				22	Nigel MORGAN

RAFFLE WINNER	George
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ATTENDANCE	12* (46%)
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* *When the cat’s away, the mice do play!* Six of our members work in PP Themba’s clinic and usually all six attend our meetings, but Themba has been overseas for the past two weeks – and will stay there for a further four weeks or so. Only one good soul from among the six has continued to attend our meetings.

Secretary: George

- Burnie 10: We need three volunteers to assist in marshalling work and a couple more to man our Marque and assist in selling jumbo tins of *Milo*. Urns are to be supplied by the race committee.
- Nigel is ‘working’ on arranging the date and location for our Xmas lunch.

PDG Ken Moore:

- The guest speaker at our “Hat Night” (**next Monday**) will be Lindsay Morgan.

David Bennett:

- Confirmed that our profit from the Burnie Show BBQ was \$1,150.

Guest Speaker: President Roopa Mulik

For reasons beyond her control, Roopa has had to spend many months residing in the Pilbara-Kimberley region of Western Australia. Recently, she took the oppor-

tunity to be a passenger on a sightseeing boat as it travelled from Broome along the Kimberley Coast. Roopa observed:

- A pearl farm
- Birdwatching
- Indigenous art
- Lacepe Island birdlife (boobies) and shovel-head sharks
- Beautiful turquoise sea water
- Kimberley Rose (a.k.a. 'Sticky Kurrajong' tree)
- Horizontal Falls
- Swimming in a billabong
- Whales surrounding the ship
- Boab trees, including the '*Mermaid Boab Tree*' located in tranquil Careening Bay on the Kimberley Coast. Two-hundred years ago, Phillip Parker King made three mapping expeditions along the Kimberley Coast aboard his 76-tonne cutter HMS *Mermaid*. Parker King decided to beach his ship to repair the hull, which took about two weeks. During this time, one of Mermaid's carpenters carved the words 'HMC Mermaid 1820' into the trunk of a boab tree.



Close 8:00 pm