



# CLUB BULLETIN



## THE ROTARY CLUB OF SOUTHERN DISTRICTS inc

12<sup>th</sup> April 2011

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**Meeting:** 6.00 pm for 6.30 pm Tuesday at the  
Gosnells Golf Club, Warton Road  
Canning Vale

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### BIGGER – BOLDER – BETTER

#### Next Week

19<sup>th</sup> Apr 2011

The Question for today is – How many Children do you estimate are in foster care in the Corridor between Kenwick and Keysbrook??

#### Attendance

Mike Raspa  
Don Rechichi

#### Property and Fellowship

John Rechichi  
Ron Sloan

#### Rotary Information

Ray Smith

#### Chairman

Not Required

#### Vote of Thanks

Not Required

#### Bulletin Editor

Colin Waters

#### Program

Committee Meetings

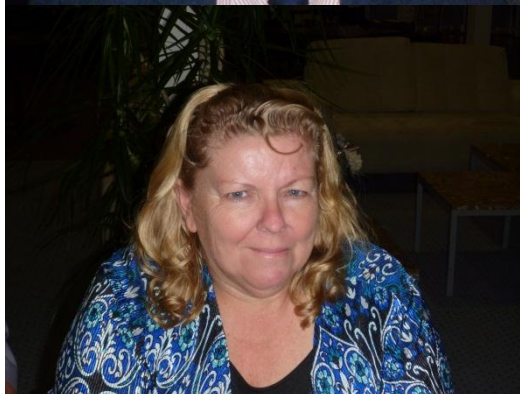
#### REMEMBER

Changeover is  
Friday the 24<sup>th</sup>  
June at the South  
Perth Yacht Club

Our guests this week were



James Wallace –Jarvis, members of the Rotary Club of Stansted Stork Valley – UK – North of London – he is seeking to migrate to WA



Cheryl Murphy is part of the Western Australian Governments child protection scheme and she is a member of the Rotary Club of Kenwick



Mike Jarvis – former member of the Rotary Club of Maddington – just looking

## BnB Roster

### 17<sup>th</sup> Apr

Don Rechichi –  
Hans Groot –  
Willy Bohmer –  
Ross Evans –  
Margaret Evans –  
Robert Da Prato –  
Nancy Hulbert –  
Guliz Ursavas

### 24<sup>th</sup> Apr

Mike Raspa –  
Louise Raspa –  
Grant Buxton –  
Dawn Gregson –  
Clive McCabe –  
John Rechichi –  
Phil Hinwood –  
Kay Hinwood –

### 1<sup>st</sup> May

Barry Tillman –  
Win Tillman –  
Don King –  
Brad Evans –  
Ann Cotter –  
Lloyd Dungy –  
Gordon Hamilton

### 8<sup>th</sup> May

Ray Smith, –  
Lois Smith –  
Guenter Best –  
John Simpson –  
Ted Evans –  
Zaneta Onasz –  
Ronnie Waters –  
Ron Thatcher

### 15<sup>th</sup> May

Andy Hopper –  
Colin Ralph –  
Chris Ralph –  
George Sharp –  
Vin Rogers –  
Sylvia Rogers –  
Tony Italiano –  
John Mitchell


### 22<sup>nd</sup> May

David Fleming –  
Ron Bradock –  
Yvonne Bradock –  
John Stockbridge –  
Wayne Brouwer –  
Chris Brouwer –  
Geoff Wiltshire –  
Lorraine Wiltshire



President Geoff's report following last night's Board meeting

- The Gosnells Rotaract club are holding a Quiz night this Friday at the high road hotel – table of six – tickets at the door – SDRC are contributing \$250 towards the night
- Meeting have been held with the Golf Club regarding the creation of the SD Rotary Challenge to be run during 2011 and 2012 – agreement has been reached – as part of that
  - A large sign will be situated on the wall on the Corner of Warton Road giving SDRC details
  - GGC will answer phone enquiries regarding SDRC
  - SDRC Board members will automatically become social members of GGC
  - SDRC will be able to advertise in the GGC news letter
  - Other SDRC members will be able to become social members of the GGC for \$15 PA and use the bar and dining room
- BnB – as a result of difficulties in getting a Driver for the van last Sunday, the board has approved recruiting a permanent driver – Alan Rogers – who previously drove for the RC of Maddington
  - When Alan is unavailable – he will contact John Harwood to fill the role
  - Alan will drive – maintain the car- fill gas bottles and assist in the food van
  - The addition of a driver and the 3 new members, will result in rosters being redrawn – but **after Easter**
  - Don Rechichi is currently getting quotes to have some external work done on the van – once started we will probably be without the van for one Sunday
- **The 3<sup>rd</sup> of May is a Partners night – Speaker is Ken Wyatt MP**
  - **Start time is 6.30 for 7.00**
  - **Numbers required next week – cost is \$25 to be paid on the night**
- Last Tuesdays meeting in Armadale with the Portuguese GSE team was a success ( ex-Rotarian Gary Smith Catered)

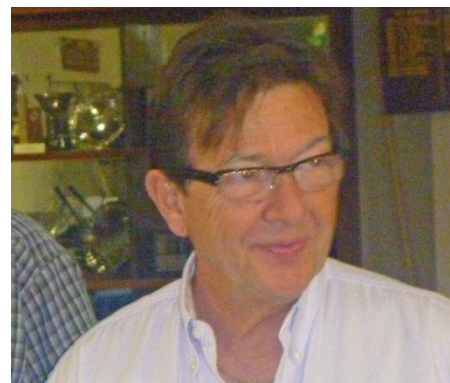
<b>DUTIES FOR</b>	
<b>2nd May 2011</b>	
<p><b>Attendance</b> Barry Tillman Guliz Ursavas</p> <p><b>Property and Fellowship</b> Guenter Best Ron Bradock</p> <p><b>Rotary Information</b> Willy Bohmer</p> <p><b>Chairman</b> Grant Buxton</p> <p><b>Vote of Thanks</b> Robert Da Prato</p> <p><b>Bulletin Editor</b> Colin Waters</p> <p><b>Program</b></p> <p>Hon Ken Wyatt MP</p>	 <p>PDG Frank Keays</p> <p>Know your Rotarian</p> <p>Born - Yes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Created in Melbourne and delivered in Feb 1933</li> <li>• One of 7 siblings- living 100km north of the city</li> <li>• Attended Strath creek primary school and high school in Seymour</li> <li>• Met Sylvia at school and married seven years later – they now have one son, two daughter and five grad daughters</li> <li>• In 1951 was called up for the first national service intake – went to Puckapunyal</li> <li>• Following national service studied surveying – eventually leading to him becoming a licenced surveyor</li> <li>• Employed – he didn't say worked - for 9 years with the Victorian electricity commission – surveying power line routes for the Snowy Hydroelectric scheme</li> <li>• I 1964 joined Hamersley Iron as chief surveyor</li> <li>• At the peak had 50 staff and did the initial surveys for the towns of Dampier, and Tom Price</li> <li>• Then went into private practice specialising in oil expiration in South East Asia</li> <li>• Sold the business in 1987 and retired</li> <li>• Joined Rotary in 1974 and was the first non charter member for the RC of Thornlie</li> <li>• Became President in 1976</li> <li>• Became District Governor in 1986</li> <li>• Since joining Rotary in 1974- he still has a 100% attendance record</li> </ul>
<p><b>FOOD VAN</b> 16<sup>th</sup> Apr Barry Tillman John Rechichi 23<sup>rd</sup> Apr Clive McCabe Vin Rogers 30<sup>th</sup> Apr Brad Evans Ron Bradock 7<sup>th</sup> May Don Rechichi Mike Raspa 14<sup>th</sup> May John Stockbridge Geoff Wiltshire Don King 21<sup>st</sup> May David Fleming – Dawn Gregson</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Then went into private practice specialising in oil expiration in South East Asia</li> <li>• Sold the business in 1987 and retired</li> <li>• Joined Rotary in 1974 and was the first non charter member for the RC of Thornlie</li> <li>• Became President in 1976</li> <li>• Became District Governor in 1986</li> <li>• Since joining Rotary in 1974- he still has a 100% attendance record</li> </ul> <p><b>Dougs Blog</b> - As I am in Paris, Doug Parket is appropriate - but sorry can't make it next week for Rotary information. -All excellent so far, snow in Swiss Alps and Paris is tres fantastique. Cheers - Monsieur Dougie</p>

**MAY - FUTURE OF ROTARY MONTH**

1<sup>st</sup>  
Ron Bradborn  
birthday  
7<sup>th</sup>  
Doug & Anet's ann  
8<sup>th</sup>  
Chris & Colin's  
Anniversary  
9<sup>th</sup>  
Board meeting  
10<sup>th</sup>  
Meeting at Ameroo  
13<sup>th</sup>  
Zaneta Onasz  
Birthday  
15<sup>th</sup>  
Colin Ralph  
24<sup>th</sup>  
Committee Meetings  
25<sup>th</sup>  
Dawn and Waynes  
anniversary  
26<sup>th</sup>  
Sylvia's K's Birthday  
28<sup>th</sup>  
Val McCabe birthday  
30<sup>th</sup>  
Gordon Hamilton's  
Birthday  
31<sup>st</sup>  
Clive McCabe Bday  
Club Assembly -  
**Year in review/  
Looking Forward**  
**JUNE -  
RECREATIONAL  
& VOCATIONAL  
FELLOWSHIP  
MONTH**  
5<sup>th</sup> ◁  
Beth's Birthday  
6<sup>th</sup>  
Dawn Gregson's birth  
7<sup>th</sup>  
Fellowship Night at  
Local Restaurant  
13<sup>th</sup>  
Board meeting  
14<sup>th</sup>  
Vin & Sylvia's  
Anniversary  
Vocational visit  
Cyrenian house – bus  
transport  
21<sup>st</sup>  
Committee Meetings -  
Hand Over  
22<sup>nd</sup>  
Lorraine's Birthday  
28<sup>th</sup>  
Colin W's Birthday  
29<sup>th</sup>  
Wayne Gregsons



**Sgt  
Grand  
and his  
“Willy”  
off  
shoot**



- We were all warned last week to wear suits and those that didn't paid – as a result this year's change over may be relocated to Bali
- Geoff for the shemozzle in the van on Sunday – a Brothel is the next challenge
- Don K for his phallic car keys hanging from his belt
- Mike – wishing for a void in his life
- Chris R for handling the sergeant below the belt
- Ron S for never being seen without a glass of red
- All those seeking Easter Sunday swaps
- Colin W for ageing Nancy by 10 years in the bulletin
- John R for winning the Tony award

Tony for being naked at 4 in the afternoon

Guest speaker for the night was Rosemary Devlin

Rosemary is the Fry pan sales person for the Department of Child protection



To Answer a couple of questions – one of the roles of the Department of Child protection is to foster out and look after children who have become wards of the State as a result of a court order

Currently there are over 300 children in foster care in the Kenwick to Keysbrook corridor.

These children are spread through 72 carers and 78 carers who are relatives of the child in question

For some year the department has funded a Christmas party for these foster children. However there was a down side as only the foster child came and this caused some resentment with other biological children in the foster home

So Rosemary made a decision that all children should be invited and hence the selling of Frying Pans and soups to raise money

She also dropped the hard work on Rotary clubs such as SDRC to become a partner and the evening was her report back to the club.

The Department is also looking for foster carers and Rosemary is also looking for continued support for her "Kids"

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The meeting closed at 8.03

**REMEMBER - NO MEETING ANZAC DAY**