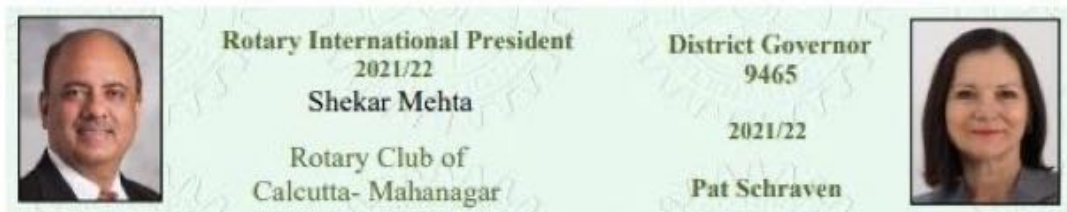




Meeting Notes & News 2021/22

Tuesday 28 Jun 2022



Club Changeover Report from Immediate Past President Phil Cordery

Tonight our MC for the evening, Lloyd Dungey, opened proceedings with the Rotary Charge and Welcome to Country. I introduced guests: our new District Governor, Ric McDonald, and his wife, Ailsa; Past District Governor, Malcolm Kerr, and Jill; Assistant Governor, Graham Sampson, and Gail; as well as Club President Elect, Patrick Bartlett, and Valerie. Other guests included Geoff Green and Steve Kerr. Murray Thorpe introduced his partner, Dalys, and Lloyd his partner, Deb.

Toasts followed:

- John Stockbridge – Toast to Rotary International
- Ric McDonald – Response to the Toast to Rotary International
- John Rechichi – Toast to the Partners
- Valerie Bartlett – Response to the Toast to Partners
- Naomi Green – Toast to absent friends and, in particular, former member Colin Waters, whose birthday is today.

This evening I had the pleasure of officially inducting Malcolm Kerr into our Club, with John Rechichi conducting formalities.



New Club Member, Past DG of District 9790, Malcolm Kerr



Ted Evans announced his retirement from Rotary

After a delicious meal, I made several presentations to Club members with 25 years or more of Rotary Service:

- 25 years – Andy Hopper
- 33 years – John Stockbridge
- 34 years – Rob Pannell
- 35 years – Grant Buxton
- 37 years – Ric McDonald
- 37 years – John Rechichi
- 39 years – Robert da Prato
- 40 years – Guenter Best
- 43 years – Ted Evans



Southern Districts' Rotarian of the Year, Andy Hopper

It was with regret that we received Ted's announcement of his intention to retire from Rotary. Ted is taking up an expanded role with the Gosnells Men's Shed.

I then presented plaques of thanks to those members who have made his year successful: Naomi Green, Michelle Kerr, Andy Hopper, John Stockbridge, Craig Howlett, Susan Howlett and Sandy Cream (who was presented with her plaque on June 24).

Nola Simpson was called upon to announce the 2021/2022 Rotarian of the Year. Andy Hopper won the award for the second time. Congratulations Andy and thanks to Nola for her donation to the Club.



President Phil presents Michelle Kerr and Naomi Green with Paul Harris Fellowship Awards

We made Paul Harris Fellow presentations to Naomi Green and Michelle Kerr, worthy recipients of this prestigious award. Since joining our club both have worked tirelessly for the Club in their various roles within the Club.

In my last duty as Club President, I gave my annual report to members which included many highlights of the Rotary Year 2021/2022 and presented all Board members with small gifts of appreciation.

It was then time for formal Club Changeover proceedings. As outgoing President, I inducted Patrick Bartlett as our Club President for 2022/2023, presenting him with his new badge, the Rotary Theme banner *Imagine Rotary*, and the Collar of Office. He was also entrusted with the Club Charter and the Club Gavel as symbols of his role for the next 12 months.

President Patrick addressed the members, looking forward to his year and introducing his team for the Rotary Year.

We finished the evening with a Raffle. Michelle Kerr and Naomi Green drew the tickets and the winners selected from the many prizes available. Thanks to all those members who donated raffle prizes. President Patrick thanked all for their attendance and John Stockbridge closed the meeting with National Anthem.



Outgoing President Phil inducts our new Club President, Patrick Bartlett



President Patrick and his team for 2022/23

Congratulations and the very best of luck in their roles for 2022/23:

President	<i>Patrick Bartlett</i>	Membership Officer	<i>John Stockbridge</i>
Immediate Past President	<i>Phil Cordery</i>	Inductions Officer	<i>John Rechichi</i>
President Elect	<i>Rob Pannell</i>	Child Protection Officer	<i>Sindy Bishop</i>
Treasurer	<i>Stephen Anthony</i>	Program Co-ordinator	<i>Craig Howlett</i>
Secretary	<i>Michelle Gibson</i>	Bulletin Editor	<i>Susan Howlett</i>
International Service Director	<i>Robert da Prato</i>		
Community Service Director	<i>Andy Hopper</i>		
Vocational Service Director	<i>John Stockbridge</i>		
Youth Service Director	<i>Murray Thorpe</i>		
Club Service Team	<i>Rob Pannell, Stephen Anthony, Michelle Gibson, Phil Cordery</i>		
Bring & Buy Committee	<i>John Rechichi, Andy Hopper, Phil Cordery</i>		

District Changeover Dinner

On Friday 24 June, our very own Ric McDonald was inducted as District Governor of District 9465 for 2022/2023. He is pictured below with outgoing District Governor, Pat Schraven, handing him his badge of honour. Congratulations to Ric from all of Southern Districts! And very best wishes to you and Ailsa as you begin what is sure to be an eventful and exciting year of service to Rotary.



Clockwise from top: (1) Outgoing and Incoming District Governors, Pat Schraven & Ric McDonald. (2) MC for the night, John Rechichi. (3) President Phil reads the Rotary Charge. (4) President Elect Patrick accepts boasting rights on behalf of Southern Districts.

**Club Service from
Patrick Bartlett**

INFORMATION

**Next Tuesday night 5 July we will hear from Jan Teasdale
about Shelterbox (including Ukraine)**

CLUB NIGHT DUTIES

Tuesday 5 July 2022

Property

Guenter Best

Murray Thorpe

Attendance

Rob Pannell

Susan Howlett

Sergeant

Anita Diep



**On Sunday 26 June,
B & B Team 3
took a handy
\$ 2 126**

BRING & BUY DUTIES

Sunday 3 July 2022

Murray Thorpe [Leader]

Sandy Cream

Lloyd Dungey

Malcolm Kerr

Upcoming Events

Tue Jul 5	Jan Teasdale – Shelterbox
Tue Jul 12	Kate O'Hara - Foodbank
Tue Jul 19	Board Meeting



There's a mouse hiding among mushrooms in this illustration. Can you spot it?

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Please forward your answer to Susan, by noon Tuesday, to be in the draw for the weekly Newsletter Puzzle Prize.

Answers to Last Week's **SPORT** Puzzle



The SPORTS that go with each of these items of sporting equipment are:

1. Quarrel: *Archery*
2. Quaffle: *Quidditch (Harry Potter's favourite)*
3. Snaffle: *Equestrian/Horse Riding*
4. Piton: *Rock climbing*
5. Popper and Wiggler: *Fishing*
6. Powerlet: *Paintball/Motorbike Racing*
7. Skyhook: *Basketball/Netball/Skateboarding*

