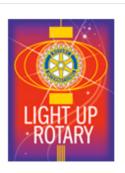


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Ring or email Megan deWitte for apologies and to include guests Imelda's Shoes phone 6558 2790 or email <a href="mailto:imeldasshoes@bigpond.com">imeldasshoes@bigpond.com</a> Before 10 am Tuesday's.

# **Coming Meetings**

29th July	Heating/Cooling Solar Energy Expo. Gloucester Bowling Club. Display from 1 pm. Garners Home Hardware, Gloucester Leading appliances and Mackie Electrics.  Time for display 1pm till 4.30 pm. Please invite locals to attend. Invitation to attend the dinner is extended to all. Please ring Brian Beesley 0419634275 if further information required.  Till 4pm for the public to visit. Then regular Rotary meeting inviting	
	the exhibitors to attend. Guest speaker will be from Mackie Electrics.	
	Ring Brian or Megan with your guest numbers by 5pm Monday.	
26th July	Gloucester Chill Out Rotary BBQ. Helpers needed. 6.30am and beyond to cook. Names taken. After event whoever tows the trailer may it be taken to Chris Pritchard's for Love Bites on the Monday. Thanks Ash.	
5th August	Rotary Partners night at St Joseph's School. 6.30pm for 7pm start. This is a fund raising event for the school. Cost is \$20 please, your friends and partners. 6.45 The students will entertain us. Guest speaker Father Malone. Yummy Dinner and a raffle.	
12 <sup>th</sup> August	Transfer meeting to Saturday 16 <sup>th</sup> at the Old Dairy Factory. DG's visit.	
16 <sup>th</sup> August Saturday	District Governors visit. Venue Old Dairy Factory. Cost \$25 per head. 6.30 For 7 pm for Partners night.	

	Entertainment the Bowden Brothers. Invite plenty of friends. Let's dance!!! BYOG & Chair. There will be heating and an auction of wine. So please bring a bottle to auction. Bees will provide the brown paper bag to cover the wine.		
19 <sup>th</sup> August	Possibly Denver or Dr. Khalid. BOARD MEETING AT 8PM.		
26 <sup>th</sup> August	ТВА		

# Previous Meeting 22<sup>nd</sup> July

### 16 Rotarians and one visiting Rotarian and 7 guests attended.

A very busy meeting with a number of guests. The Bignall Clan. David, Narelle, Laura, Maddy, Visitor from NZ Sarah Brodie and Ben Mc Intyre from the Philippines. Dana Dremelj who was our RYLA representative. Visiting Rotarian John Walton.

Welcome to you.



The Bignall's, Narelle, Maddy, Sarah Brodie, Laura, David and Ben McIntyre.

Sergeant Raja Chris called order and instead on singing Grace he read the 4 Way test which can be applied to yourself in all the deeds you do in life and work.

President Bees spoke about the wonderful meeting we had last week with Chinglish being spoken by Sandy and Li.

#### Reports

Club Service Ash spoke about coming events [see notes].

Also took numbers for the BBQ's at Chill Out and Love Bites. Numbers for St Joseph's evening.

Li Wong Chill Out Noodle box full of her delicious homemade noodles. \$4.00.

Pres. Bees spoke about the District Governors visit.

Maximum of 200 people in the Dairy Factory, Hume Street entrance.

Bring a bottle of wine to donate. Paper bag will be provided and there will be one bag with a special ticket to win a bottle of Whiskey.

Bees theme this year is HELP OUR TOWN.

Bees also handed out flyers to invite people to the afternoon and evening meeting.

Please bring a chair and BYOG. There will be lounge chairs around the room for extra comfort and gas heaters. The Bowden Brothers will perform. There will be lovely food provided. [It is Bees Birthday]

Heating and Cooling, solar energy Expo. Bees gave out flyers to hand to prospective guest for the evening dinner.

Book in with Megan.

We had a young Ben McIntyre speak about his family. Who live in the Philippines [Dad] this past 2 years? He visits Gloucester a couple of times a year. His Uncle lives in Gloucester and loves to help David Bignall on the farm.

Ben has a Brother at Uni. He was born in California. Has also been to Africa, and has lived in Australia for 14 years. He goes to an International School it is a hard program he said. Thank you Ben.

Brian Dixon Opera in the Church.

- Meet and greet Friday night. 3 names taken
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- Brian asked for hosts for Friday and Saturday night. 3 are needed. Hosts will take singers to the after performance supper on each night.



PP Sam presented Sarah with our club banner

Guest speaker Sarah Brodie was introduced by Rtn. Sam. She came to the lectern and greeted us in Spanish as she has been to Argentina.

Hi my name is Sarah how are you tonight?

Quote "Well I am here to talk about my time on the NZ exchange and a bit about myself.

So far it has been the best experiences of my life. I've seen a Kookaburra and Kangaroo. Last weekend we had a bunya Camp. We went canoeing, boogie boarding and I met some awesome girls and boys. At camp Valla Tourist Park I guess you could say we had a couple of pet possums. The first night all you could hear was the girls screaming as they saw the possums for the first time. I was one of the few not afraid these creatures got to feed and pat them.

At camp we played numerous games Basket Ball and sorry to say the Kiwis bet the Aussies.

I am a 16 year old from NZ. I live in the North Island in the Waikato. Where there are many soda guisa's. I have a dog named Cadbury and 8 cats. My school has about 400 kids, ranging from Year 9 to Year 13.

I have a huge family having 7 brothers and 3 sisters" Sarah named all the siblings.

"Mum's name is Annette and Dad Grant. Step Mum is Isobel and step Dad is Arthur and Brian is dead. You know those school projects where you have to talk about your family this is why I hate them course I have to explain so much.

My friends are Sarah, Lissa, Britt, Saph, Syud, Minimef and Jacki." End quote. Thank you for listening to me.

Sarah was thanked by President Bees.



Laura Bignall presented her speech that is to support her application to be accepted into the NYSF. National Youth Science Forum. Her topic was based on the subject Science and the Media.

If Laura gains acceptance she would like a career in Pharmacy or Ag Science.

She read her speech and afterwards Rotarians asked her questions on world current affairs, trouble spots. Science questions e.g. genetically modified plants and animals also stem cell production.

Laura answered the questions with knowledge.

The meeting concluded at 2025 with the National Anthem.

A number of Rotarians continued to help Laura with advice.

Rtn. John Walton giving some advice to Laura following her speech.

Other important dates.

Monday 28<sup>th</sup> July "Love Bites" at the High School. Helpers are Ashleigh Hickman, John Read, Denver Webb' Grahame Holstein and Chris Pritchard who will bring the BBQ trailer at 11.15 so we can cook and be prepared by 12.45. Cooking for 60 people. Ash will order onions, sausages and bread and collect on the day.

**22nd and 23rd August Opera in the Church**. Invite your friends and family to experience this yearly event. Uniting Church. Tickets on sale at Webb's or Gloucester Health Foods. 28th July. Cost \$35 per ticket. Supper during interval.

November 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> Visiting Friendship Exchange from Poland will be visiting Gloucester. Arriving from Sydney by train 4.22 pm. 6 couples. Host families needed. There will be more details as time gets closer. Ashleigh is part of District 9650 going to Poland in June 2015.

Platypus Festival 6<sup>th</sup> September we are supposed to cook in conjunction with Lions. We do the breakfast cook up of egg and bacon rolls. This project did not get a lot of support.



Welcome back Valda, Narelle and Sharee.

Rotary E-Club FAQ's. Each week I will include some facts.

What is the Rotary International naming policy for Rotary eclubs? The Board of Directors of RI has mandated that the genetic name is Rotary eclubs. This requires "e-clubs" to be in lower case letters with a hyphen included as shown. The word Rotary must always precede the word "e-club. When referring to the name of a specific Rotary e-club, as named upon its charter document, the letter e must become upper case for example Rotary E-Club of District 3310. There has been some confusion about this RI naming protocol because it is inconsistent with the international standard which is e Trade, eHealth, eBanking, eSecurity, eCommerce, eClub etc. with no hyphen separating the e.

[The above information I am transcribing from a fact sheet I picked up off a table at the RI Convention Friendship Room.]

www.rotaryeclubs.com

# Rotary meetings - Set up and Put away

1	July	Ashleigh Hickman, Simon Griffin, Bill Radford,
	August	Sharee Abeysekera, Bernie Tresidder, Ashleigh Hickman, Valda 26 <sup>th</sup> for Ash.
	September	Denver Webb, Chris Pritchard, Ash 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 9 <sup>th</sup> & 16 for Valda Barron back 23 <sup>rd</sup> & 30 <sup>th</sup> .

# Important Dates for July.

Birthdays: Megan deWitte 2nd, Terry Carson 11th & Pat Radford 14th.

Anniversaries: Denver & Cathy Webb 4th.

## Our Executive 2014.-.2015

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Community Service		John Faull	65581722
Vocational Service		John Read	6558 1064
International Service		Valda Barron	6558 2992
Public Officer	PP	Don McLeod	6558 4297

Bulletin by Vicki who is away till August and Ashleigh has stepped up and still doing it.

Sergeant: - Raja Chris Pritchard.

Public Officer: - PP Don McLeod & the holder of the Child Protection Forms [internet version with your number]

Email any messages or contributions for the bulletin to vcoombes54@gmail.com

# **Four Way Test**

Of all the things we say and do: Is it the truth? Is it fair to all concerned? Will it build goodwill and friendship? Will it be beneficial to all concerned?