

Rotary Club of Howrah Bulletin



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President Reg Emmett Secretary Glen Woolley

A switched on club working for our community

We meet every Thursday at 6. for 6.30 pm

at the Police Academy. 10 Phil Fletcher Drive, Rokeby

This week

at Reg and Annette Emmett's house

725 Acton Road

Partners most welcome BYO grog

6.00 for 6.30 pm

Please let Reg know if you cannot attend

Camping tips [from recent excursions of some of our members]

A potato baked in the coals for three hours makes an excellent hockey puck.

Shine a torch into one ear. If the beam shines out the other ear, do not go into the woods alone.

In an emergency, a drawstring from a parka hood can be used to strangle a snoring tent-mate.

The guitar of the noisy teenager at the next campsite makes excellent kindling.

You can start a fire without matches by eating Mexican food then breathing on a pile of dry sticks.

You can survive in the wilderness by shooting small game with a slingshot made from the elastic waistband of you underwear.

Courtesy of Groucho Marx

"She gets her good looks from her father, he's a plastic surgeon."

"I've had a perfectly wonderful evening, but this wasn't it."

"One morning I shot an elephant in my pyjamas. How he got in my pyjamas I'll never know."

"I haven't slept for ten days because that would be too long."

Second Bite Roster

2 Feb Suzanne and Kerry

9 Feb David

16 Feb Alan and Lindsay

23 Feb Graeme and John

1 Mar Reg and Annette

8 Mar Jacob and Richard

Chairman Roster

2 Feb Reg

9 Feb tba

Last week

Excellent fellowship was had at the barbeque in Wentworth Park despite the fact that the barby lacked gas.

12 members attended, 6, 85 rulers were absent, most on the boys trip to the East Coast, Kerry had a makeup and Annette Emmett and David Mitchell swelled the numbers.

John Drinkwater is at home and coping well with assistance from family and friends.

Here and there

The Annual Giving Day / Family of Rotary Day will be held at the Ross Recreation Ground on Sunday 26 February. A representative of our Club will have the opportunity to present a cheque to the Rotary Foundation. We propose to take a bus to Ross as er decided not to work at The Jazz Festival on the Bellerive Boardwalk.

We are providing our barbeque services this Saturday at the Rokeby Fire Station Open Day. Another chance to fly the flag in our area.

On 26 January Kangaroo Bay Rotary Club will be selling books on the Bellerive Boardwalk in conjunction with the Australia Day Big Breakfast. If any member can assist please let David Mitchell know.

Rotary Youth Driver Awareness [RYDA] will be held again this year at the Hobart Showgrounds on the following dates.

Thursday 15 and Friday 16 March , Monday 19 to Friday 23 March, Monday 26 to Friday 30 March and Tuesday 17 to Thursday 19 April

It is hoped that , with support from the Tasmanian Government, all Year 10 students will attend this highly valuable driver awareness campaign.

The organisers are calling for volunteers from Rotary Clubs to assist as guides to assist student groups to get to the appropriate venue at the right time. This is a simple task and several members of our Club have been involved. If you can help on one or more of these days please let Richard Wyatt know.

Club Activities

19 Jan	\$10 meal Emmett's Acton Road. BYO drinks Partners welcome
21 Jan Sat	Bbq at Rokeby Fire Station Open Day 11 to 2pm
26 Jan	Australia Day no meeting
28 Jan Sat	K and D Barbeque 8.00 to 2.30
2 Feb	First meeting at the Academy for 2012 Club assembly and Board Meeting
3 Feb—17 Feb	Friendship Exchange New Zealand
4 Feb Sat	Rotary BBQ day at K and D 8.00 to 2.30
5 Feb Sun	Govt House Open Day [Cheryle to co-ordinate]
13 Feb Mon	K and D Bbq 8.00 to 2.30 [Regatta Day]
19 Feb—1 Mar	Tasmanian Art Sale
26th Feb	Family Day of Rotary 12 noon Ross Recreation Ground [Team Bus ?]
11 Mar Sun	K and D Bbq 8.00 to 2.30
18 Mar	Morriss Bbq, Primrose Sands PETS Miena
22 Mar	Guest Speaker, David O'Byrne.
7 Apr Sat	K and D Bbq [Easter]
22 Apr Sun	District Assembly. Cressy
28 and 29 Apr	Sat and Sun K and D Bbq
20 May Sun	K and D Bbq
25-27 May	Rotary Conference, Hobart
11 June Mon	K and D Bbq [Queen's B'day]
24 June Sun	K and D Bbq
25 Oct Thurs	K and D Bbq [Show Day]