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Meeting Apology

Please use the club website **before 3 pm** on meeting day to apologise or add a guest, or you will be required to reimburse the club for your meal cost.

<http://www.kuringgairotary.org.au>

Volunteers BHCC

Roger Ku ring gai, Brendan ST Ives and Colin Turrumurra Rotary Clubs

We are now counting down weeks before the 2013 Bobbin Head Cycle Classic.

I have attached the first draft of our volunteer marshal plan and you will note that **we will need in excess of 220 "staff"** by the road at various locations and times.

I have yet to complete all time requirements and will divide marshals into about 10 teams of 20 with a team leader nominated for each group.

At the outset of planning this year's event **we advised and it was agreed that each club would need to supply 50+ volunteers on the day, members, family and friends will be needed.** As such I would ask that you start to really prime the members of your club for action!

Closer to the event we will be holding briefings and distributing printed notes for each marshal.

SES, RFS, Lifeline, Bo Children's Hospital Committee and we hope Scouts will also be assisting.

Tony McClelland will be coordinator of volunteers but please ensure each club has someone collecting names and contact details (phone and email) now.

Many thanks

Michael

(Please send volunteer details, members partners and friends to Tony)

Caroline Jones

Caroline became a grandmother on the night of the Christmas party!!

Congratulations Caroline

Last Week

Christmas party

Next Week

Bowls Night
Start 6 pm

District Conference Update

Dear Rotary Friends and Friends of Rotary
District Conference numbers are filing fast for the last and best Conference of 9680. Those who have booked will soon be receiving their Pre-Conference Packs through their Club meetings.

Registration bookings can still be made through the District Conference website - click here to register on the website.

Accommodation is also filling up and it is important that bookings are centralised, so there is no confusion. For accommodation inquiries, please contact the Caron Wilds at the Lido Group on 1800 817 339.

We now have Subaru on board as a major sponsor as they can see the benefits of partnering with Rotary District 9680. We have another in process which I hope to announce soon. Think about your business or your local contacts to take up the opportunity for maximum exposure to a great event.

Janelle and I are looking forward to seeing you in the Shoalhaven.

Yours in Rotary
John Dodd
District Governor 2012-13

District Conference

Final District Conference as District 9680

15-17 March 2013 at Shoalhaven

Have you thought of going? Why not join us for a weekend of inspiration and fun? Please see Joy or Greg for more details.

David Rosenberg Guest Speaker 4 Feb

David was employed as a civilian by the United States National Security Agency (NSA) for 23 years, completing his last 18 years with the Agency in Operations at the Joint Defence Facility Pine Gap in Alice Springs. When he left in 2008, he was the United States government's longest serving technical liaison officer in Australia. He became an Australian citizen in 2009.

David was trained in Electronic Intelligence (ELINT) and has over 20 years experience in the Signals Intelligence (SIGINT) community, evaluating the function, capabilities, performance, and vulnerability assessment of all types of radar, associated weapon systems such as Surface-to-Air Missiles (SAMs), ballistic missiles, and cruise missiles, and countermeasure techniques / tactics. He has 18 years experience with all aspects of satellite surveillance resources, assets, equipment, and recording techniques and over 20 years experience in the production and reporting of intelligence across the global Intelligence Community.

On 27 June, Hardie Grant Publishers released his book, *Inside Pine Gap*, the first book written about Pine Gap by an individual who held the top secret security clearance that allowed him to work inside Operations. His book details the intelligence collection mission at Pine Gap and the partnership between Australia and the United States that has made Pine Gap the most important satellite ground site in the Intelligence Community.



Meeting Schedule

<u>2012/13</u>	Calendar	
January	14	BM. Bowling Night
	21	Club Forum Night
	28	Public Holiday
February	4	Speaker David Rosenberg — BM
	11	Pride of Workmanship (vocational)
	18	Dillon Lin & Sean Dawson – our participants in the National Youth Science Forum in Jan 2013
	25	BHCC Presentation. Peter Kipps
March	4	BM
	11	Rotary Awareness Night
	18	
	24	BHCC
	25	
April	1	Easter
	8	BM
	15	
	22	Club Forum Night
	29	
May	6	BM
	13	
	20	Rotary Awareness Night
	27	
June	3	BM (Trivia Night 1 June)
	10	Queens Birthday public holiday
	17	
	24	Changeover Night

Members welfare

Guests

Apologies & Guests

Members are booked in to attend every regular meeting of the Club, if you cannot attend a meeting or wish to book in a guest / partner please access the WEB at <http://www.kuringgairotary.org.au> before **3.00 pm** on the day of the meeting. An apology for future meetings may also be entered. If you do not apologise for non-attendance the Club must pay for your meal and you will be asked to reimburse the Club.

NOTE: The door team is responsible for welcoming visitors and guests, recording payments and issuing copies of the record to the President, Secretary and Bulletin Editor. Please arrange your own replacement

Door Team 2012 2013

2013	
January	Chris Hoch
	Ross Lambert
February	Peter Tang
	Michael Tyler
March	Irene Kennedy
	Joy Newling
April	John Aitken
	David Forsythe
May	Bala Krishnan
	Geoff Hungerford
June	Bob Ivey
	Linda Lam Rohlfs

Market Roster

	13-Jan	10-Feb
BANNERS	White, Frank	White, Frank
SIGNS	Timms, Graham	Timms, Graham
MORNING SET UP	Hungerford, Geoff	Hungerford, Geoff
	White, Frank	White, Frank
1ST SHIFT 8.00 to 10.30	Jackson, Tom	Forbes, Wally
2ND SHIFT	Hoch, Chris	Coenen, Lou
10.30 to 1.00	Tyler, Michael	Lam-Rohlf, Linda
3RD SHIFT	Egan, Ross	Braid, Malcolm
1.00 to 3.30	Houghton, Judy	Tang, Peter

MARKET DUTIES: You must initiate changes & advise Geoff Hungerford. Third Shift returns signs & bins to St George Bank

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Happy Days Dec 2012

Birthdays		
Graham	Maslen	3-Jan
John	Aitken	7-Jan

Anniversaries			
Wally	Pam	Forbes	3-Jan
Ivan	Joyce	Cribb	31-Jan

Bank Details

From 1 July 2011 we have a new bank account at Westpac Turramurra.

Rotary Club of Ku ring gai **Project** account
 BSB 032089
 Account 253333

Rotary Club of Ku ring gai **General** account
 BSB 032089
 Account 253341

Claims must be presented with a completed remittance advice which you can download from the WEB.

All payments to you will be made electronically (I do not have a cheque book) so please include your BSB and account when you make a claim.

When you make a payment please ensure you include your name in the details