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Last week guest speaker

It's all at your finger-tips. That was the message from Lorna Watt, the Club's guest speaker on Monday night.

Lorna, the editor of the annual Gordon Historical Society Journal took club members through the activities of the GHS – “Tuesday is built heritage day when the Society at their premises next to Gordon Library researches the history of houses in the Ku-ring-gai area as well as answering enquiries. There are ten computers in the research room.



And that's the secret. It's all, or almost all, on line.

To demonstrate this Lorna took members on a tour through the two most used sites – the Land and property Information (LPI) site and “Trove,” the site that contains digitalised newspaper from Australia's earliest history to the current date.

In the process Lorna showed how it was possible to access historical photographs of Sydney and overlay them on current suburbs. Club members were fascinated by the overlay of 1943 Ku-ring-gai with the present day suburb a amazed at the extent of orchards and small farms in what is now part of suburban Sydney.

Lorna also showed us how to search titles so that we could, with some practice, research the history of our own houses – a real life “Guess who's living in my house” experience.

Lorna's demonstration of the Trove site was equally fascinating and we discovered that with the aid of historic newspaper cuttings we were able to trace the history of Rotary in Australia as well as, if we chose, trace our personal histories through the old births, deaths and marriages columns.

All in all it was a fascinating evening and has no doubt prompted many internet enquiries.

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Rob Hall — Club Achievement Award 15/16



Our club has appreciated the variety and quality of speakers arranged by Rob for our weekly meetings.

Meeting attendance has increased during the year and some members think Rob's speakers may have contributed to the increase.

Did you know?

If you are reading a book on your Kindle you can highlight text, a line, paragraph or page and then send the highlighted text to yourself via email.

To highlight text, place a finger on the start point and swipe to the finish point. The first time you will need to set up your favourite email address as part of the sending process.

Lindsay & Frances Forrest

Lindsay & Frances now in Spain and found another Rotary sign - actually though this time at a dodgy hotel/restaurant between San Sebastián and Madrid!

Greetings to all and hope you had a great Change Over dinner Monday.

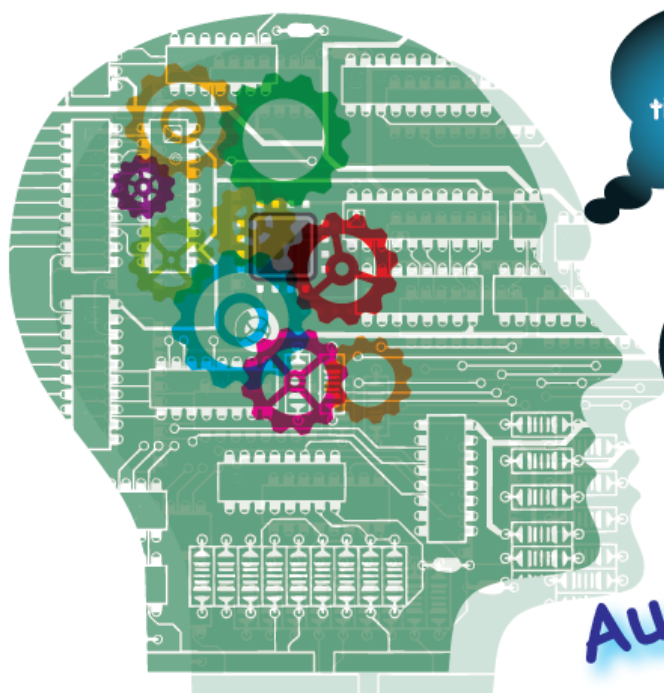


President Michael —Thai Restaurant

Thought you might like to know that the restaurant posted a thank you on the Terrey Hills Community page to Ku Ring Gai Rotary for holding a function there and even included pictures.

Trivia night

HOW SMART ARE YOU??



Hmmm,
what was
that movie?

Games!

Hey, I know
this answer!

Auctions!

Charity Trivia Night!

22 July 2016 -- 7:30pm

\$30 per head or \$250 for table of 10

Order Tickets at: www.HornsbyRotary.org

Cocktail food included!

In The Hornsby RSL Showroom

Bookings Essential



Hornsby Ku-Ring-Gai Hospital
Advancing Hornsby's Health



A combined project of Hornsby Ku-Ring-Gai Hospital and The Rotary Club of Hornsby.

Trivia night update

Update on the Hornsby Rotary/Hospital Trivia night flyer we can say we now have at least 4 starters and would like more.

Let's see if we can make up a table of 10. Only \$25.00 each including cocktail food.

Contact Joy Newling (or Greg) now to book your place.

Cheers, Greg

Best wishes, *Greg Newling* 9487 2338 [0408 116 697](tel:0408116697)

Volunteers wanted—Transplant games



Australian Transplant Games - Western Sydney 2016

Volunteer Program

Hello President Michael We need volunteers for many different positions at the Australian Transplant Games and would appreciate it if you would pass this request on to your Rotarians. We realise that timing and distance may pose a problem. You could still be part of this memorable event. Donations are sought, from Rotary Clubs to assist transplant recipients with accommodation and travel, as well as a 'Thank You' BBQ for the 200 volunteers. This event is proudly supported by District 9685.

This email was sent to you by Marilyn Mercer PDG to inform you about the following event.

Date:23/09/2016 - 1/10/2016 Time:12:00 AM

Location:Penrith,NSW,Australia

Link to the event registration form:

<https://regonline.activeglobal.com/2016transplantgamesvolunteerprogram>

Next weeks speaker—Joanne Marando

Next week our guest will be Joanne Marando who will be talking medical technology – specifically the St. Jude Medical technologies around “Cardiac Rhythm Management and Electrophysiology which is pacemaker technology to laypeople. She will also have some demo. products and handouts.

Joanne grew up in country NSW and always wanted to work in them medical profession and, in her words, “be a businesswoman and wear a suit!” And that’s now exactly what she does, having travelled the world working in her chosen profession.

She will be talking on a subject close (literally) to our hearts so we expect a big turnout.

Tom Jackson

Tom had an operation to install a pacemaker.

Polio Plus

Rotary, along with [our partners](#), has reduced polio cases by 99.9 percent worldwide since our first project to vaccinate children in the Philippines in 1979. We are close to eradicating polio, but we need your help. Whether you have a few minutes or a few hours, here are some ways to make a global impact and protect children against polio forever.

Rotarians have helped immunize more than 2.5 billion children against polio in 122 countries. For as little as \$0.60, a child can be protected against this crippling disease for life.

[GIVE NOW](#)

Your gift to the PolioPlus Fund is eligible for [Paul Harris Society](#) recognition. You can maximize support for polio eradication within your club and your community by organizing a fundraiser. [Get some ideas](#).

Calendar of events

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| Jul | 9 | (Saturday) Set up Lifeline Book Fair |
| | 11 | Finding your history: Lorna Watt |
| | 17 | (Sunday) Pack up Lifeline Book Fair |
| | 18 | Right to the heart: Jo Marano talks about pacemakers and defibrillators |
| | 18 | Shine for Kids: Dennis Van Someren puts the focus on this charity |

Board of directors

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| President | Michael Midlam |
| Vice President | John Aitken |
| Immediate Past President | Graham Timms |
| President Elect | Malcolm Braid |
| Secretary | Lindsay Forrest |
| Treasurer | Chris Lewis |
| Director - Membership | Tony McClelland |
| Director - Service Projects | Michael Midlam |
| Director - Rotary Foundation | Chris Hoch |

Service committee chairpersons and committees

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| Administration (Club Service) | Gary Keating |
| Vocational Service | Lou Coenen |
| Community Service | Roger Desmarchelier |
| International Service | Georgina Manning |
| Youth Service | Linda Lam-Rohlf's |
| Social events | Joy Newling |
| Bobbin Head Cycle Classic | Tony McClelland |
| Sergeant-at-Arms | Graham Timms |

Club committees

Administration: Gary Keating, Geoff Hungerford, Rob Hall (Program), Bob Ivey (Web and social media), Graham Maslen, Tony McClelland (Koonga)

Bobbin Head Cycle Classic: Tony McClelland, John Aitken, Ross Egan, Bob Elsworth, Peter Kipps, Michael Midlam, Gary Keating

Club History: Malcolm Braid, Tom Jackson

Community: Roger Desmarchelier, Gary Dawson, Ross Egan (Daffodil Day), Chris Hoch (Red Shield), Nick Kenyon, Ted Price, Anil Fulwaria

International: Georgina Manning, Roger Desmarchelier, Emyr Evans, Dilys Geddes, Rob Hall, Graham Maslen, Greg Newling

Membership: Tony McClelland, Ken Sackville

Public Relations: Roger Desmarchelier, Linda Lam-Rohlf's, Georgina Manning,

Rotary Foundation: Peter Tang, Lindsay Forrest, Chris Hoch, Greg Newling

Social Events: Joy Newling, Ross Egan, Dilys Geddes, Georgina Manning,

Vocational: Lindsay Forrest, Lou Coenen, David Forsythe, Peter Kipps, M Tyler

Youth: Linda Lam-Rohlf's, Anil Fulwaria, Cathy Jackson, Gary Keating, Chris Lewis, Matt Mahjoub, Andrew Marselos, Joy Newling, Don Riddell

Bank Details

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| General account | BSB: 032 089 Account no.: 253 341 | Please include your name |
| Project account | BSB: 032 089 Account no.: 253 333 | Please include your name |

| Door Team | | | |
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| July | August | September | October |
| Emyr Evans | Lou Coenen | Wally Forbes | Don Riddell |
| Gary Keating | Peter Tang | Anil Fulwaria | Mat Mahjoub |
| Market Roster | | | |
| MARKET ROSTER | 10 July | 14 August | 11 September |
| BANNERS | Frank White | Frank White | Frank White |
| SIGNS | Graham Timms | Graham Timms | Graham Timms |
| | Geoff Hungerford | Geoff Hungerford | Geoff Hungerford |
| MORNING SET UP | Frank White | Frank White | Frank White |
| PUBLIC RELATIONS | | | |
| 1ST SHIFT 8.00 to | Emyr Evans | Graham Maslen | Chris Hoch |
| 2ND SHIFT 10.30 to | Roger D | Greg Newling | Lou Coenen |
| | Anil Fulwaria | Joy Newling | Rob Hall |
| 3RD SHIFT 1.00 to 3.30 | Tony McClelland | Gary Keating | Ross Egan |
| | Michael Midlam | Nick Kenyon | Peter Tang |
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| Birthdays | | | |
| 6 | Margaret Tang | | |
| 19 | Susan White | | |
| 22 | Anil Fulwaria | | |
| 25 | Peter Kipps | | |
| 26 | Graham Timms | | |
| 27 | Gwen Ivey (Bob) | | |
| 29 | Ian Jackson (Catherine) | | |
| Anniversaries | | | |
| 8 | Peter and Christine Kipps | | |
| 14 | Robert and Kathryn Elsworth | | |
| 23 | Peter and Margaret Tang | | |