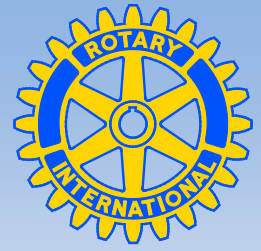




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The Rotary Club of Wauchope meets each Tuesday at 6.00 pm for 6:15 pm for a dinner meeting at the Rotary Youth Centre, Oxley Lane, Wauchope.
Wauchope is Sister City to Canisteo, New York, U.S.A

Our Club's Web Site is constantly being updated so I thought a guided tour may help members realise what information is available and where to locate it. The address of our web site is www.wauchoperotary.org.au and the top of the home page is shown above.

This week I want to concentrate on the choices available in the blue section on the left. Most are self explanatory eg **Club Projects** lists the projects Wauchope Rotary have done and those we are planning on doing for the Wauchope Community and through Rotary International and District 9650, projects helping communities throughout Australia and overseas.

Members Area has a listing of all members and their contact details, this area and the **Member Resources** are password protected. Contact me if you do not know the password. The Member Resources section has the Club Calender, Markets Roster and other information members can use or look up.

Reg is working on the Club History, look under the **History** section for a detailed account of the decades our Club has been helping communities to improve living standards and health. Reg is still developing some of this information, so check back each week to see what has been added.

All this year's Bulletins are available under the **Bulletin** section. If you want to look at one of the stories or want to cook one of the recipes, searching on the web site is much easier than searching for a printed copy in a drawer. Last year's Bulletins are also available, just follow the link at the top of the Bulletin page.

I would like all members to use the web pages to stay informed, help prospective members and be better prepared to help those in need.

President's Pen

Neville Parsons

This week being the first Tuesday of the month we have our traditional away from our normal meeting room night and on this occasion we meet at Curlys Cafe opposite Timbertown at 6:30pm for a 7:00pm dinner. I am sure that we will enjoy a very relaxed evening with little to no business and as such an opportunity to socialize with each other.



Last week we had a very successful Official Club Visit with our District Governor Barry Hacker and wife Bronwyn. We also had as our Club guests our Assistant Governor John Robson and wife Del.

Your Board of Directors met for about 50 minutes with DG Barry to review the critical matters that each Rotary Club must do to

meet its obligations to the District and Rotary international. I am pleased to report that all of our "must dos" have in fact been done.

We shared with DG Barry our Club Plan for the year as prepared and endorsed by the Club and as published in the "member only area" of our Club website.

Each of the Board members present then provided our District Governor with an overview of the key areas of focus that they are pursuing within their portfolios as per the matters identified within our Club Plan.

At the end of the meeting President –elect and Membership Director Patti presented a carefully crafted "designer" coat hanger to both Bronwyn Hacker and Del Robson in appreciation of their attendance at our meeting and we extended a vote of Thanks to DG Barry and AG John for being at our meeting.

Following the meeting formal "Thank you" were received from DG Barry and AG John as follows:

DG Barry & Bronwyn

Bronwyn and I would like to thank you and your members for the warm welcome and friendly hospitality you extended to us last Tuesday evening. To have the opportunity to meet with your Board, was very much appreciated.

We would like to wish you and your club a very successful year in Rotary service, as you serve out yet another exciting term of office.

AG John & Del:

Many thanks to you, Patti and your Club for your kind hospitality last night. It was a great night and you certainly have a happy bunch of members, and a good cook!!

SEPTEMBER IS NEW GENERATIONS MONTH

I will come back to the more traditional message for New Generations but I want to firstly align this as the month in which we

should all commit to 'The Future of Rotary' as we all know that the Future of Rotary is a responsibility that we as individual Rotarians bear.

My thinking is that this month should become the month that we individually and with the commitment of each other Rotarian in our own Club determine that we will all be part of the New Generation of Rotary.

Individually as we embark on periods of change we can actively choose to be part of the solution or possibly become part of the problem or of course we can sit back and do nothing and then in a later time ask "What happened?"

As we know the need for Rotary in our communities is far greater today than it was yesterday in terms of the things that add to the quality of life in our community. I also note that that need will be far greater in the future and that truly is the reason why we must become part of the New Generation of Rotary.

The Rotarians that will offer their time, energy and effort in 20 years time will be fundamentally different to the members that make up our clubs today. The bridging this 20 year gap is our immediate challenge and one that can only occur if we today engage with the Rotarians of tomorrow.

Thus I come to the New Generations – the youth of today who indeed will be the foundation stone of Rotary in 20 years time. How do we make Rotary responsive to their needs in terms of looking after the well being of their community and themselves?

This then becomes our key question to answer as we meet my key challenge that I have for our Club this year and that is positioning our Club for the future to ensure Rotary service continues to benefit the Wauchope community into the future.

It is indeed our responsibility to educate and encourage these young people to identify with not only the Rotary Values and Ideals as a background for life but to also educate them as to the role that Rotary plays in making our world a better place to live and work.

I refer you to the following extract from a speech by my DG Year Rotary International President John Kenny that he made in September 2009:

In Rotary, September is New Generations Month – a time to focus our attention on our programs for youth and the role they play in shaping the Rotarians of tomorrow.

Our youth programs – Interact, Rotaract, Rotary Youth Leadership Awards, and Rotary Youth Exchange – are some of the most important programs of Rotary. I say this because of the unparalleled potential they have to influence young minds and souls toward peace, goodwill, and harmony. That potential is the greatest in youth because the experiences of our early years never leave us; they shape who we later become.

I reflect on the value of growing up in Rotary in terms of my own development and I am sure that it was the observation and experience of Rotary and its programs and ideals while growing up in Wauchope that has shaped my desire and commitment to Rotary and the power of Rotary in making my community, my district, my country and my world a better place.

Indeed it is the sense of personal achievement and personal well being that I believe is the sense that we must seek to influence in those that will be tomorrow's Rotarians.

To me the way to do this may be a little different to what it was 40 years ago when I first became aware of Rotary but I am sure the outcome can and will be the same.

So as we enjoy the oncoming of Spring and Summer I encourage each and every member to accept the challenge of being part of the New Generation of Rotarians and in so doing to positively influence the members of the younger generations to warm to the ideals of Rotary and to understand the role that our Rotary Club

plays in making our community a better place to live, work and play.

Continue to position the future of Rotary in everything that we think say and do and most importantly continue to enjoy Rotary.

Have a rewarding week.

Neville Parsons

The Bean Counter Raelene Monkley

Any cash purchases on behalf of the Club will only be reimbursed by filling out the [claim form](#) on the Club's web site. The **original cash receipt** must be attached to the claim form. This process keeps us within the taxation guidelines.

Raelene

Invitation

Wauchope Hospital Auxiliary cordially invites everyone to a fundraising morning tea at the CWA Rooms, High Street, Wauchope at 10 am Tuesday, 20th September 2011.

Cost is \$6.00 per person.

RSVP by 14th September to

Monica Gemmell 6585 1718 or

Verna Wallace 6587 5135

Favourite Recipe

Spring Vegetable Quiche



So versatile and tasty is the humble quiche - try this easy version with spring vegetable goodness!

Ingredients (serves 4)

- 1 tbs olive oil
- 1 leek, pale section only, thinly sliced
- 1 bunch asparagus, ends trimmed, thinly sliced diagonally
- 1/2 cup (70g) fresh or frozen peas
- 3 eggs, lightly whisked
- 1/2 cup (125ml) thin cream
- 1/2 cup (125ml) milk
- 1 sachet (2 tsp) Campbell's Real Stock paste vegetable
- 1/2 cup (30g) finely grated gruyere cheese
- Mixed salad leaves, to serve
- **Shortcrust pastry**
- 1 1/2 cups (225g) plain flour
- 125g chilled butter, chopped
- 1 egg, lightly whisked

Method

1. To make the pastry, place the flour and butter in the bowl of a food processor and process until mixture resembles fine breadcrumbs. Add the egg and process until mixture just comes together. Turn onto a lightly floured surface and gently knead until dough just comes together. Shape into a disc and cover with plastic wrap. Place in the fridge for 30 minutes to rest.
2. Preheat oven to 200°C. Roll out dough on a lightly floured surface to a 3mm-thick disc. Line a 24cm (base measurement) fluted tart tin with removable base with the pastry. Use a small sharp knife to trim.
3. Line the pastry with baking paper and fill with dried beans or rice. Bake for 10 minutes. Remove the paper, beans or rice and bake for a further 10 minutes or until light golden. Remove from oven and reduce temperature to 150°C.

4. To make the filling, heat the oil in a large frying pan over medium heat. Add the leek and cook, stirring, for 2-3 minutes or until leek softens. Add the asparagus and cook for a further 1 minute or until tender. Remove from heat. Add the peas and stir to combine.
5. Whisk the eggs, cream, milk and vegetable paste together in a large jug. Arrange the leek mixture and cheese in the pastry case. Pour over the egg mixture. Bake in oven for 30 minutes or until filling is just set. Serve warm or at room temperature with mixed salad leaves, if desired.

A Flashback in Service

Diamond Anniversary of Wauchope Rotary.

As we begin to plan the celebration of our Diamond Jubilee, it's worth looking back on the club's origins, & what the world was like through the years.

Although Wauchope Rotary continues to contribute a great deal, not only to our local community, but the International community as well, it's safe to say the emphasis in those early years was on fellowship & fun.

In the first 50 years of the club's existence, the world was changing, & there were many outside influences of great significance. For example, the Berlin wall went up in August 1961 when Claude Griffith was our President, & came down in 1989 during Jack Parsons' Presidency. The Korean war, the "cold war" "Sputnik" & many other events were going on as the Rotary Club of Wauchope found it's feet & began to make an impact on people's lives, at home & internationally.

This is a brief social history of the world, in a year-by-year review, with a commentary of Wauchope Rotary's progress. For a more detailed account of the club's activities, go to the Club Web Page and click on the

[History](#) link & click on "Golden" or "Diamond Jubilee." The latter link will be available after August 2012.

1952 – Our Charter Year.

Our first President was Darryl Pead
 Vice President was Rex MacEwan.
 The Prime Minister of Australia was Robert Menzies
 Rotary International President was Frank E. Spain of Alabama US

Chartered on 8th. September, things were quiet as the club found its feet. The club went into recess on 16th. December till 2nd. February 1953.

King George VI died
 The UK announces it has "The Bomb"
 The treaty of San Francisco formally ends the war between US & Japan
 1st. passenger flight between London & Johannesburg
 Ann Davidson becomes the 1st. woman to single-handedly sail the Atlantic Ocean
 Helsinki Olympic Games are held
 5,800 cases of polio reported in the US.
 3,100 die
 "I Saw Mummy Kissing Santa Claus" is the top pop song
 The average annual wage was \$2,973.32 or \$57.17 per week.

The Hastings Shire Council President was Cr. C. H. Bransdon

Police Contact Number

If you see anything suspicious around town, anytime of the day, contact the NSW Police on their state wide number 131 444. If we report all occurrences of unlawful activity, we may get 24 hr Policing back in Wauchope.

Message From Kalyan Banerjee

My dear brothers and sisters in Rotary!

All of us in Rotary are looking to change the world – why else would we be Rotarians? We believe that our world can be happier, healthier, and more peaceful, and that we can create that better world through our service. In 2011-12, I will ask Rotarians to *Reach Within to Embrace Humanity*. I will ask you to search first within yourselves, to understand that all of us, everywhere, have the same dreams, the same hopes, the same aspirations, and similar dilemmas. When we understand, and truly feel, that others' needs are the same as our own, we begin to understand how important our work is. In the year ahead, we will have three emphases in our Rotary service.

Our first emphasis in this Rotary year will be the family. The family and the home are at the core of all our work – all our service begins here. And through the family, we approach all of our community and indeed, all of humanity, as an extended family, in which all members care for each other. In times of joy and in times of need, no one is ever alone.

Our second emphasis will be continuity – finding the things we do well and taking them to the next level. We must build on our successes, expand on them, and strive to do even more. Of course, our greatest obligation is to PolioPlus, where success is now so close.

And our third emphasis will be change. We must understand that true change can only begin with each of us, and start within us. We cannot share peace with others if we do not have it to give. We cannot look after the whole world without first looking after those closest to us: our families, our clubs, and our communities.

Mohandas K. Gandhi said, "You must be the change you wish to see in the world." In Rotary, we endeavour to live ethically and honestly, to share friendship and fellowship, to see equal worth in every human being. We are not interested in the lowest common denominator, for Rotary is anything but common. Instead, we work to elevate ourselves, elevate others, and thereby embrace the world.

Together, we will *Reach Within to Embrace Humanity*. And in peace, harmony, and friendship, we will bring change – and a more joyful world.

Rotary International Online Training Tools

Looking for ways to orient new members? [Rotary Basics Online](#) offers videos, audio presentations, and other materials to help new members understand what it means to be a Rotarian.

Rotary Four Way Test

Of the things we think, say or do:

Is it the truth

Is it fair to all concerned

Will it build goodwill and better friendship

Will it be beneficial to all concerned

Cluster 3 Meeting Times & Places

Port Macquarie Sunrise: Friday 7.00am
Rydges Port Macquarie

Port Macquarie: Wed 6:00pm
Port Panthers

Port Macquarie West: Tues 6:30pm
Westport Bowling Club.

Laurieton: Monday 6.30pm
Laurieton United Services Club

The Coming Weeks

This Week 6 September 2011

Social Night

Place: Curly's

Time: 6:30 pm

13 September 2011

Place: Club Rooms

Time: 6:00 pm

Guest Speaker: Narelle Stokes WDMH

20 September 2011

Place: Club Rooms

Time: 6:00 pm

Club Assembly

27 September 2011

Place: Club Rooms

Time: 6:00 pm

Guest Speaker: Neil Porter

Club Invocation

As we join together as members of the Rotary Club of Wauchope, we give thanks for good friends, for good food and the ongoing opportunity to make a difference in our community through our Rotary values & service

Duty Roster

Date	Invocation / Toast	Welcome Guests	Intro/Thank Guest Speaker	Stewards	Guest Speaker	Topic
6/9/2011	Social Night – Curly's					
13/9/2011	Laurie Edmonds	Will Jamieson	Peter Laurantus	Andy Neal & Meg Pierce	Narelle Stokes	WDMH
20/9/2011	Robyn Flannigan	Kevin Whitbread	Murrough Benson	Reg Pierce & Laurie Edmonds	Club Assembly	
27/9/2011	Phil Snow	Marg Whitbread	Chris McCarron	Ron Dures & Diana Reynolds	Neil Porter	Council Administration

Please notify Marie Winter by [email](#) or telephone 0409 156 333 if you are unable to attend or if you are bringing any guests.

A good friend of the Rotary Club of Wauchope



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