

ROTARY CLUB OF COROWA BULLETIN Wednesday 15thNov 2023 ISSUE 85 – EDITION 20

President Bill Bott AM, District Governor Neta Kirby, International President Gordon McInally

International Toast – supplied by Stephen Apps The Rotary Club of Key West

Service Above Self since 1916 Thursdays at 12:00 PM the Marriott Beachside Resort 3841 North Roosevelt Boulevard Key West, FL 33040 United States of America

Rotary Information – supplied by Kerrie
50 Things Every Rotarian Should Know About Rotary (by Steve Garret, District Governor 1994-1995)
I've picked # 16 for myself

16 - TOLERANCE OF DIFFERENCES

occasionally there is a temptation to criticize the laws, customs and traditions of another country which may seem strange or contrary to our own. In some instances illegal practices or customs of one nation are completely lawful and acceptable in another.

As members of an international organization dedicated to world understanding and peace, it behooves Rotarians to exercise restraint in judging our Rotary friends and citizens from other countries when their behaviour seems unusual to us. A Rotary policy has existed for more than half a century relating to this dilemma of international relationships. The statement, adopted in 1933, says that because it is recognized that some activities and local customs may be legal and customary in some countries and not in others, Rotarians should be guided by this admonition of tolerance: "Rotarians in all countries should recognize these facts and there should be a thoughtful avoidance of criticism of the laws and customs of one country by the Rotarians of another country." The policy also cautions against "any effort on the part of Rotarians of one country to interfere with the laws or customs of another country."

As we strive to strengthen the bonds of understanding, goodwill and friendship, these policies still provide good advice and guidance.



The man with the face for radio!

Thank you Graeme for bringing in this little treasure out of the local paper from yesteryear



Annic's last day with her 1st host family Richard & Laurell VanLeeuwen

Sergeant Stephen Marshall

Steve started his police career 30 years ago on 23rd January 1993 at Goulburn. He is the son of a Pharmacist & his mother was a home economics teacher. As a young man he was a surfy.

Steve went to uni for 4 years and studied to be a chemical engineer, but when he sat down to do his final Maths exam he shook his head and decided that this was not what he wanted to do with his life it was his dads choice!.

Steve always wanted to be a COP

Steve loved the show "A Country Practice" and the character Sergeant Frank Gilroy

"Blue Heelers" Tom Croydon (thankfully Steve was not shot in the Imperial Hotel)

July 24th 1993 Steve walked out of the academy as a policeman

Along the way Steve has met some wonderful and not so wonderful people in the police force and the communities he has served in.

!st posting was Sydney CBD for three months

12 months at Mascot Transit Police Patrol

Then he joined the Target Action Group (antitheft)

His 1st investigation was on two suspects regarding stolen motorbikes, over 50 stolen motorbikes ended up being stolen by these individuals and 157 charges for the pair.

1996 saw a lot of crime in Sydney. 2 footballers were shot dead in Five Dock NSW also a lot of knee capping all these offences were related to a crime gang operating in Kings Cross Sydney. Steve was a part of a team which helped bring down the gangs king pin "Danny Karam" who was actually murdered by his own gang before he got to court.

2000 Steve was acting Sergeant in Sydney and then with Sept 11 Steve decided he wanted out of the BIG SMOKE and put in for a posting in Pilliga which at the time had about a 150 people living there.

After that posting Steve moved to Lake Cargelligo and it was a great place to be with the family.

Grafton for a few years when is marriage ended and he was left raising his three sons. So Steve packed up his boys and went back to Goulburn to teach at the police academy.

August 2020 Steve transferred to Wagga Wagga & Albury. Due to some personal issues with his stepson who has a few personal problems (substance abuse domestic violence) it became a problem for Steve to be able to stay in Wagga and that's when he decided to take the position of Sergeant in Corowa.

So far Steve loves our community and says he is very fortunate to have a wonderful team of policeman here with him. Steve hopes to be stationed here for the next 10 years before he retires into our community.





It was a very colourful presentation from Steve & I am sure we will have him back as a guest speaker again for more tales as his time as a Coppa.

I actually think Steve may have been a sailor in his past life!





Sausage Sizzle Wahgunyah Tennis Club

18th November 2023 10.30 – 1pm Neil, Bill B, Stacey, Helen, Gary, Neil, Annic, Ray, Wally & Kerrie

Fri 24th International Meet & greet BBQ Bangerang 5pm start

Stacey, Annic, Bill B, Wally, Graeme, Gary, Dave M, Deb, Bill P, Annette, Sally, Mrs Brown & her boy!

Reports from around the room-

MY DUCKS ARE DEFINITELY NOT IN A ROW AT THIS POINT, I HAVE NO IDEA WHERE MY DUCKS EVEN ARE.

ATT- Gary after helpers on Tues 21st to move logs from Depot to Gunabedone please contact Gary ASAP if you can give a hand

AGM 6th Dec AGM please all Rotarians attend if possible

Corowa Race Meet 5th Dec & 30th December

Fri 15th Dec Chamber are putting on a family evening @ local cricket club asking if we could do a sausage sizzle while open air movie the Griswold's will be showing.

Conference April 19th 20th 21st Let Gary know ASAP if you are going

Gary has submitted application for the NYE fireworks

Gary caught up with the Airport Management Committee & is in negotiations about what we can do re fencing for Ball.

Roster of duties

- Wednesday 22nd Nov-

NO MEETING

Instead can we have all Rotarians @ Bangerang on Fri 24th BBQ for International Workers

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Wednesday 29th Nov Program- Nova (exchange) Chairman – Bill P Treasurer- Steve K Rotary Grace – Howard Loyal Toast- Gary International Toast – Wally Rotary Information – Stephen Sergeant's help- Kerrie

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Wednesday 6th Dec Program- AGM Chairman – Treasurer-Rotary Grace – Loyal Toast-International Toast – Rotary Information – Sergeant's help-

20 veriber celebrations



Wally Cann 1/11/1993 1an Kerr 20 Nov 2019 Meredith Miegel 22 Nov 2012 Paul Miegel 22 Nov 2012

Robyn Rhodes 22 Nov 2012

Birthdays

Wally Cann 5th Nov

Eleanor Barns 11th Nov

inducted

Winner - Scooter boy David Potts



Cut the cards - Me, Myself & I

Lesser Known Knights of the Round Table

- · The knight who was afraid to fight: Sir Render
- · The knight no one believed: Sir Real
- The knight too big to sit at the table: Sir Round
- · The knight who designed the table: Sir Cumference
- · The undercover knight: Sir Veillance
- · The knight who was never killed in battle: Sir Vivor
- · The knight who exceeded expectations: Sir Passed
- The knight who showed up unexpectedly: Sir Prize
- The knight who overcame obstacles: Sir Mount
- · The knight who funded the kingdom: Sir Tax • The knight who kept the maps up-to-date: Sir Veyor
- The knight who drank too much: Sir Rhosis • The knight who stood in for the king: Sir Rogate
- The knight who stood out among the rest: Sir Perb
- The knight with the fragile ego: Sir Amic
- The knight who performed in three rings: Sir Cus
- The saddest knight of all: Sir Rowful
- · The knight who wasn't needed: Sir Perfluous
- · The knight who liked to dance: Sir Prance Alot



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