



Rotary Club of Corowa

"Service before self - He profits most who serves Best"

Celebrating **75** Years of Serving the Community



Weekly Bulletin Amy Brindley



This week's meeting saw Amy Brindley talk about her educational exchange to Canada. Amy is a former Corowa High School student who went on exchange to Lake Head University in Thunder Bay, Ontario in 2012/2013. Over 9 months, she attended 2 semesters and furthered her Charles Sturt University studies in Exercise Physiology (or Kinesiology in Canada).

Amy attended a full academic year (September – May) and discovered, that whilst a lot of things were the same in her course, University life overseas was different but challenging. Amy studied Musculoskeletal Injuries, Exercise Physiology, Exercise Prescription and Statistics for Physical Activity.

Amy found that everyone was very friendly, the Uni was easy to get around and the town had special deals for Uni students. She spoke of how there were less social events at the Uni than in Australia and she noticed that it was a more learning focused course.

Amy also commented on the accommodation and the University itself. She found that the tuition and costs etc. were similar to Australian Universities and that she enjoyed her exchange, saying it was the best thing she has done so far!!

Thank you Amy for your informative and interesting talk.

FYI: Rotary Club of Yarrawonga:

On behalf of the Ride 2 Conference
A fundraising **BBQ** for Australian Rotary Health
Will be held on the **24th February**.
It will be held at **6:00pm** at the home of a club member:
39 South Road, Yarrawonga.



Amy with Chairman Robyn Rhodes

Rotary Grace:

Oh Lord, the giver of all good,
We thank you for our daily food.
May Rotary friends and Rotary ways,
Help us to serve you all our days.
Amen

Rotary 4 way Test:

- 1: Is it the **TRUTH**?
- 2: Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
- 3: Will it build **GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?
- 4: Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

Corowa Rotary Club

Port ~ Muscat ~ Topaque

\$60 a pack

Order form on the Website.

ROTARY ANNOUNCEMENTS:

National Breast Cancer Fundraising Night on Friday 21st February.

(To be held at the Corowa Golf Club) members are asked to share the link from our Facebook site

<http://www.facebook.com/groups/22024084795/> on their Facebook accounts (go to the bottom of the article and hit the share link). Or they can email the link to our website <http://www.corowarotary.org.au> to family and friends.



Rotary Club of Corowa

Present NBCF Ambassador - Michael Leddin
Friday, February 21st 6:30 pm for 7:00pm,
Corowa Golf Club Auditorium



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This is a unique presentation, told from a son and mother's point of view. It may move many to tears, but it will also show the strength of the human spirit and determination to beat this horrid disease.

Tickets are \$15 each and include a light supper. They can be purchased from Miegel's Pharmacy's Sanger St, Corowa or Main St, Koolbongin.

The night is a fundraiser for the National Breast Cancer Foundation and \$5 from every ticket will go to NBCF. There will also be a raffle of a Pandora Breast Cancer Bracelet.



****Apologies are to be made to our Sergeant At Arms: Gail Law****

Please ring her by **Wednesday Afternoon** on:
A/H: (02) 6033 2838 / Mbl 0412 442 838
Or email: gailaw@dodo.com.au

❖❖ Please Note: from now on if you do not apologise your attendance at meetings and we are charged for your meal, you will be asked to pay for it! \$\$\$\$\$

UPCOMING EVENTS:

13/2/14 – Golf Club – Assembly/Committees

Feb 21 - National Breast Cancer Foundation

Night Corowa Golf Club – (Note: Tickets need to be PRE-PAID – Miegel's Pharmacy)

Feb 26 – Wed. (Proposed) Debate Evening (Rd 4)

Mar 15-16 - KVE Catering

Mar 19 – Wed. Aust Rotary Health Cyclist Meeting

Mar 20-23 – Dist. Conf. – Shepparton

Jun 1-4 - RI Int Convention - Sydney

Your Subs are Due:

\$ Please Pay \$

½ Yearly or Full Year!



Rotary Club of Corowa:

Website:

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

We are also on
FACEBOOK!

QR CODE



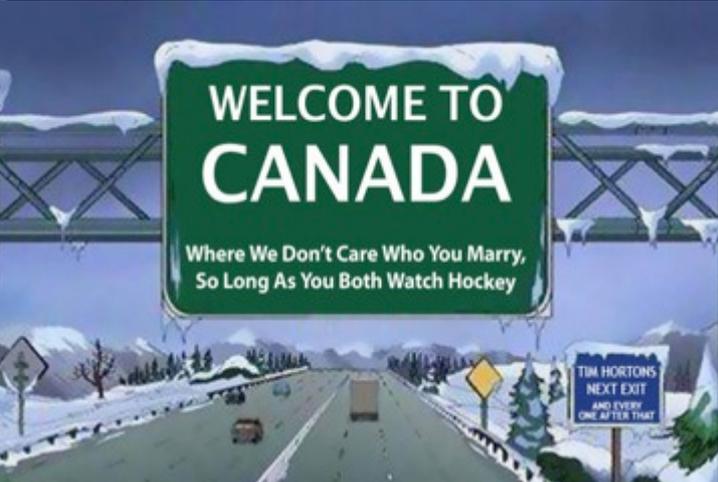
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	13/2/14 Golf	21/2/14 Golf	27/2/14
Program	Assembly/Comm Golf Club	Breast Cancer Fundraiser (Friday)	Rowers Park BBQ
Chairman	Ian Carrington	John Law	David Potts
Treasurer	Robyn Rhodes	Gail Law / Stephen Apps	Oliver R
Rotary Grace	David Talbot	~~~~~	Robyn Rhodes
Loyal Toast	Alan Wilson	~~~~~	Howard Scheetz
International Toast	Stephen Apps	~~~~~	David Talbot
Rotary Information	Ian Brooks	~~~~~	Alan Wilson
Sergeants Help	Graham Brown	~~~~~	Stephen Apps

Raffle:
Presidents Muscat:
 Rotarian Paul Mowlam
Cut the Cards:
 Rotarian Alan Wilson



On the lighter side... Canada!! ☺ **Hahahaha!!** ☺



**The Rotary Club Of Corowa meets THURSDAY Nights
 at the COROWA RSL CLUB: 6:30pm for a 7:00pm start**

**and the 2ND THURSDAY of the month at the
COROWA GOLF CLUB**




President 2013-2014: Rotarian Ian Carrington
 Secretary: Rotarian Noreen Miller
 Treasurer: Rotarian John Law
 Vice President: Rotarian Stephen Apps
 President Elect 2013-14: Rotarian Gary Poidevin
 P.O. Box 153 Corowa, NSW, 2646.

REMINDER

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THIS WILL BE OUR WEEKLY MEETING
– No Meeting on the Thursday!!



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FUNDING RESEARCH FOR PREVENTION AND CURE

And



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ROTARY INFORMATION:

Rotary International Conference Website:

<http://rotary2014.com.au>



<http://www.rotary9790.org.au/1213/news/sydneyaccom.asp>

District Conference Website:

<http://www.rotary9790.org.au/conference/>

Information regarding accommodation at the Shepparton Conference:

Addison Motor Inn
33 Wyndham Street
Shepparton Vic 3630
03 5831 8280

addison33@bigpond.com

www.addisonmotorinn.com.au

Graham and Margaret Brown have booked a few rooms in the name of the Corowa Rotary Club.

Costs are \$140 Double and \$145 executive.

Book ASAP

See the Brown's for more details

Rotary Information continued

The Imagination Library

What is the Imagination Library?

Launched by country music star Dolly Parton and The Dollywood Foundation, the Imagination Library fosters a love of reading among preschool children by providing them with a free hardcover book every month from birth to the age of five. Rotary clubs and districts are encouraged to support literacy through the Imagination Library.

Who benefits from the Imagination Library?

Over 675,000 children under the age of five receive books from the Imagination Library each month. The program supports early childhood literacy and a life long love of reading. Over 40 million books have been donated to children since the program began in 1996.

Where is the Imagination Library?

Currently, the Imagination Library has programs in over 1,700 communities across Canada, the United Kingdom, and the United States.

How does it work?

Rotary clubs and other community groups help make the Imagination Library work. Participating communities provide access to the program for all preschool children in their area. They promote the program, register children with the Imagination Library, and pay for the books and mailing. Once a child is registered, the Dollywood Foundation takes over sending the child a new book each month.

How are the books selected?

A committee composed of individuals with backgrounds in education, child development, academia, and early childhood literacy select the books for the Imagination Library. The children's classic *The Little Engine That Could*TM is the first book of each library and *Look Out Kindergarten Here I Come* by Nancy Carlson is the final book in the collection. Each book arrives in a polybag and is addressed to the child.

How much does it cost?

Local communities are billed each month based upon the number of books mailed to their children. The average cost of the books, labeling and mailing is US\$28.00; CAN\$43.00 and UK £24 per year per child. The only additional expense is the cost of registration brochures, which is based upon the size of the order.

What else can my club do to help?

Your club can design additional projects around the book donations. Once you have set up an Imagination Library project, contact rotary.service@rotary.org to share your successes.

Where can I learn more?

Visit the Imagination Library website, <http://www.imaginationlibrary.com>, or contact:



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