

Rotary Club of Fern Tree Gully Inc.

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WEEKLY BULLETIN

Date & Time:	Thursday 30th January [6.00 for 6.30]	Thursday 6th February [6.00 for 6.30]	Thursday 13th February [6.00 for 6.30]	Thursday 20th February [6.00 for 6.30]
Venue:	FTG Bowling Club	FTG Bowling Club	FTG Bowling Club	FTG Bowling Club
Program:	Knox Community Events & Festivals	Operation Toilets	Forensic Lab Testing	On-to Conference (Echuca-Moama)
Speaker:	Ellen Ramsay & Stephane Nankoo	Mark Balla	Elisa Gifford	Stephen Bode
Chair:	Allan Tierney	Allan Tierney	Allan Tierney	Allan Tierney
Rotary Toast	John Fleming	Mike Spark	Rob Hurst	Christine Anderson
Cashier:	Paul McAloney	Paul McAloney	Paul McAloney	Paul McAloney
Scribe:	Rob Hurst	Graeme Aspinall	Mike Spark	Paul Wilson
Sergeant-At-Arms:	Paul McAloney	Paul McAloney	Paul McAloney	Paul McAloney
Partners' Night	Welcome	Welcome	Yes	Welcome

Birthdays:	None
Anniversaries:	None
Induction to RC of Fern Tree Gully	None

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ROTARY CONNECTS THE WORLD

JANUARY IS VOCATIONAL MONTH

Hello everyone

Another great board meeting for the start of the New Year. A change of format so that there was more discussion on all the programmes for the coming six months.

We had the pleasure of inducting our new member Julianne Hyams to our club. Julianne will be a great asset to our club with her community and business experience.

Exciting news for our club, Sam Heydon whom we nominated from Fairhills High School was chosen as Knox Council "Young Citizen of the Year. As you know Sam was involved in our Interact group at Fair Hills High School, President of the Interact Club, participated in the Rotary RYPEN programme and went back as a leader the second year, also participated in MUNA representing the country of Jordon. Sam also spent 2 weeks in Cambodia with fellow students building a house for a family out of bamboo and participating in family life in the village. Well done everyone involved, well done Paul Wilson our Youth Chairperson.

Don't forget onto Conference bookings are open. We will be having a speaker to promote the conference shortly 20th February.

District Youth Seminar will be held on the 14th of February 2020 from 5.45pm -7.45pm at the Clarinda Community Centre, See Paul Wilson for bookings.

We have the CFA Community Bushfire Meeting information night for local residents on **Sunday afternoon 2nd Feb at 6pm to 8pm** at the Koolunga Reserve (off Daffodil Rd Ferntree Gully).

Please see Christine Thursday night as our club is hosting the free family Sausage Sizzle and we need helpers.

Change of format for this Thursday, we have speakers from the Knox Council team leaders festival and events department Ellen Ramsay and Stephane Nankoo who will be updating us on rules and regulations requirements, this will be very interesting. **Can all club members please be at the Bowling Club at 6.00 as our guest speakers will be starting at 6.30 pm sharp.**

Have a good week.

Yours in Rotary

Allan Tierney

President 2019/2020

The Bunnings Sausage Sizzle

It was on the 10th January, when the weather was hot and balmy

When the FTG Rotarians began the sizzle, all was steady and calmly.



The weather change began its course at 2.30 with gusto and rain
But the three old codgers not to be disturbed continued with the cooking all in vain.
The wind was moving tent and all but they battled on all for the cause, they were having a ball
When one mighty wind descended jack knifing bbq, tent, them, the contents and all.
Money was a rattling amongst the bread and sauce, the Bunning staff descended at alarming speedy rate
The three of them evacuated collecting all the money along with eskys tools and mess
The proceeds from the humble Rotary Sausage to give to those with less.

Author: Christine Anderson

Knox Youth Citizen of the Year

At the City of Knox Australia Day Awards, our nominee Sam Heydon, President of the Fairhills Interact Club was awarded Knox Youth Citizen of the Year. Congratulations Sam.

