



The Rotary Club of Laurieton Inc

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PRESIDENT ELLI'S COLUMN

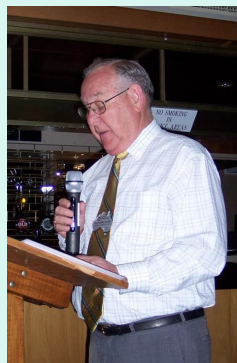
At this month's Board Meeting it was decided that we would cancel our club meeting scheduled to be held on December 28. It was also confirmed that most of the money that we raise this year will be used to improve community facilities in the Camden Haven. The proposed bus/picnic shelter and town signs would be typical examples. The exception is the purchase of Shelter Boxes with the profit from the 200 Club.

As always, volunteers to man the 200 Club table are pretty scarce. Whilst many of you have good reason for not being available, I would ask each of you to give some serious consideration to helping out. If you have not yet been involved, and have the time, please give it a go.

The 200 Club is a valuable resource for very little outlay of time. With a dozen volunteers, each person need only spend 2 hours once each quarter to make a difference. The procedure is very simple and makes for a pleasant outing.

Community Services Director, PP Alan Anderson, has now prepared the trailer and its cargo of goodies for our "Summer Trailer Raffle" so please be prepared to take part in the sale of tickets over the coming two months.

*Rotary Vision: That it might create a golden rule of business throughout the world:
Russel F Greiner 1914*



Harry Drury speaking at last weeks meeting about the Rotary Foundati

This Week's Program

This weeks meeting will be held on the Tuesday night instead of Monday. The reason for this is that we have our sports challenge with the local Lions club to be held at the Golf Club at Kew on the Tuesday night. This is one we have to win guys

Club Diary

Tues Nov 10 Lions sports challenge at Golf Club (Tuesday)

Wed Nov 11 Film night "Amelia" Don't miss this one

Monday Nov 16 The Cluster Final for the Public Speaking Competition has been scheduled for Monday November 16th at the Laurieton United Services Club

Mon Nov 23 Meeting to be held at Lakeside especially for Vince.

Mon Nov 30 Looks like a good night for our Xmas Party

Stats, Birthdays and anniversaries

Attendance:	71.43%
Toast:	Wee Waa
Visitors:	Arthur and Margaret Wooster, RC of Armidale North
Upcoming Birthdays:	Roger McCosker 10/11 Archie barr 11/11
Upcoming A'versaries:	Greg & Judi Armstrong 13/11

Rotary Four-Way Test

Of the things we think, say or do

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

When You Can't Attend

Please let Gordon Gray know on 6585 4198

For late apologies (day of meeting) please phone Wayne Poll on 0428 652 248

Rotary Service Above Self

Here are the results of the Melbourne Cup Sweep, courtesy Martin Shanny

\$2 Sweep 1st - Arthur (Armidale North); 2nd – Leslie Williams; 3rd – Greg Armstrong.

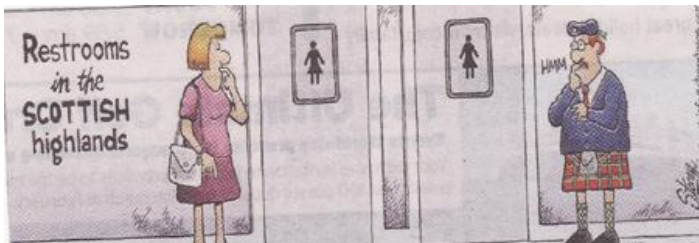
\$5 Sweep 1st - Dale Aldridge; 2nd – Jenny Peters; 3rd – Graham Blackett.

Settling will take place at the Golf club on Monday where the bookmakers clerk will be in attendance from 6pm.

Anger management?

Husband: "When I get mad at you, you never fight back. How do you control your anger?" Wife: "I clean the toilet." Husband: "How does that help?" Wife: "I use your toothbrush."

Bernie was unfortunate enough to be hit by a truck and ended up in the hospital. His best friend Morris came to visit him. Bernie struggles to tell Morris, "My wife Sadie visits me three times a day. She's so good to me. Every day, she reads to me at the bedside." "What does she read?" asks Morris. "My life insurance policy."



At my age... everything I buy comes with a lifetime guarantee!

www.pmcaregivers.com/Humor.htm

Computer tip of the week

Is it really safe to buy things on the internet??

Have you ever given your credit card details over the phone to a business? Wow! And you're worried about internet security. As long as you are buying from a reputable well known site like eBay or trading post then you are protected. PayPal is the most secure transaction system on the web but its not "uncrackable" to real experts. Like a gate with 16 padlocks, there's always someone who could pick them. The trick is to create a special use debit card account with your bank and only keep a couple hundred in it. Use this account for your PayPal registration and payments and the best hacker in the world cannot clean you out. Using PayPal means that no-one you purchase from can find out your account numbers or details. Statistically its safer than paying by card at a service station or withdrawing money from an ATM

200 CLUB ROSTER

Nov 8	Gavan
Nov 15	Jenny
Nov 22	Aub
Nov 29	Jean
Dec 6	??
Dec 13	??
Dec 20	Gavan

DUTY ROSTER AND PROGRAM

	Toast	3 Minuter	Intro & Thank Guest Speaker	Welcome & Fellowship	Cashiers	Program
Nov 10	Graham	Bob G	Gordon	Gavan	Aub & Martin	Lions Challenge at at Kew
Nov 16	Bob G	Gordon	Bob G	Mark	Aub & Martin	Zone finals - Public speaking awards
Nov 23	Gordon	Gavan	Mark	Theo	Aub & Martin	Meeting at the Lakeside Village with Vince Beecher
Nov 30	Gavan	Mark	Theo	Warren	Jenny & Leslie	Xmas Party
Dec 7	Mark	Theo	Warren	Ian	Jenny & Leslie	TBA
Dec 14	Theo	Warren	Ian	Cameron	Jenny & Leslie	TBA