

The PORT WHEEL

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Meeting notes

- **Helen Crossley** is on life support & under sedation & is awaiting transfer to Sydney for a miracle life-saving liver shunt. Do pray for Helen & Terry & family at this time.
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- Next Wednesday will be the annual visit of our **District Governor Lorraine Coffey**. Looking forward to her inspirational visit.



Brittani's Aid to Nepal

Rotarian - Brittani Michelle (pictured left - talking to a Nepalese boy) is continuing her passion for assisting Nepalese children in very poor circumstances to get an education.

Last year Brittani visited Nepal &

through Rotary made a connection with the Rotary Club of Dhulikhel and together they set up a project to feed the students who came to school. This project concluded in August this year. Brittani & the Dhulikhel Rotary Club have come up with another project to encourage poor children who because of their poverty can't get to school as they must work. A chicken farming project supporting 73 families is to be established. Brittani needs to raise \$5800 by January to purchase chickens & build the coops & educate families on how to raise & sell the chickens. Brittani has sold 1932 Krispy Kreme Donuts (151 dozen!) (*Rotarians collect your donuts ordered on October 31st*) & is planning some other fundraisers later this year.

Anyone wanting to donate to this project contact Brittani - via email - BrittanisJourney@gmail.com

High Tea for Hat Day

Ninety people attended the High Tea at Rydges organised by Sam Openshaw to raise funds for ARH - Research into Mental Health.

Sam & Lorraine Chambers are pictured right with a silk painting of Audrey Hepburn, painted by Sue Saunders. This portrait was auctioned by David Plews for \$501. It was a fun afternoon & lots of money was raised for mental health. Sam thanked all who made the day a success including Rydges, Z Chords & Nutrimetics - Sue Roach & Sue Campbell. (More pictures over page)



President: John Sheppard; **Secretary:** Terry Crossley
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CLUB MEETINGS, EACH WEDNESDAY @ Port Panthers, 5-30pm for 6pm start.

Apologies or bookings to Elizabeth Fielding...

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President - John Sheppard; **President-elect** - ??????????????; **Treasurer** - Frank Moxon;
Vice-President - Neil Porter; **Secretary** - Terry Crossley;

Directors - Club - Stephen Kenworthy; **Community** - Elizabeth Fielding; **Vocational** - Geoff Slack;

International - Ray Hodgson; **Youth** - Gil Padarin-Innes; **Membership** - Fred O'Toole.

Club - Past District Governors - Roger Dulhunty 1969-70, Ivan Meldrum 1975-76, & Laurie Barber 2006-07.

District Governor Nominee 2020-21 - Debbie Loveday



Club program

If you are unable to fulfil your role, swap with someone & advise Lorraine Beukers & Bull- Ed-

Date	Program	Speaker	Program chair	Welcomer	3 on Me	Inter. Toast	Sergeant
Oct. 24th	DG Lorraine Coffey		VP Neil Porter	D.Loveday & A.Moss	_____	Geoff Slack	Lyn Bowen
Oct. 31st	Golf Day Presentation	At PMQ Golf Club	Elizabeth Fielding	_____	_____	_____	Neil Porter
Nov 2nd	Film night to raise funds for POLIO PLUS - Bohemian Rhapsody @ Majestic - Pre-movie canapaies 6pm - tickets - Elizabeth Fielding						
Nov. 7th	Melbourne Cup/ Rotary Derby	Neil Porter	Stephen Kenworthy	G.Barber/ J.Oxley	Fred O'Toole	_____	Neil Porter
Nov 14th	Dorothea MacKellar Poetry Night - Gil Padarin-Innes			Robert R/ Sandra A	_____	Bob Cleland	Kerry Medway

High Tea for Hat Day @ Rydges



Debbie Loveday, Valda Sturrock & daughter Kim Wall



District Governor Lorraine Coffey, made a surprise visit, much to the delight of all at the High Tea. She is pictured above with Glenda Barber & Jack Wilson.

504 friends/likes on our club facebook page

Our followers are locals, club members, district 9650 clubs & people from all over the Rotary world.

Check out our facebook page - go to - www.facebook.com/RotaryClubPoertMacquarie/ - Debbie Loveday DGN



Lee Krahe & Sam Openshaw looking radiant in their hats.

Note the Dates - in your diary

- **October 24th** - DG's Visit to our club.
- **November 2nd** - Film night for POLIO PLUS - Bohemian Rhapsody - the story of Freddie Mercury & the group Queen
- **April 5-6-7th, 2019** - Rotary Book Sale @ Panthers.
- **June 26th, 2019** - Club Changeover

Quotation of the week

"We delight in the beauty of the butterfly, but rarely admit the changes it has gone through to achieve that beauty."
- Maya Angelou



BIRTHDAYS October 2018

- nil

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES October 2018

- nil