

Coonabarabran Rotary Bulletin Mon 26 November 2018

Next meeting

Next Monday 3 December will be our Annual General Meeting. Hope to see you there. Saturday week (8th) will be our Christmas party at the racecourse.

Calendar

Mon 3 Dec -	AGM
Fri 7 Dec -	Cooinda evening fete - BBQ
Sat 8 Dec -	Xmas party at the Racecourse
Mon 10 Dec -	VRA BBQ proposed - an additional Monday event
Fri 14 Dec -	'Tree of Joy' project with Belrose Rotary Club (Fred Clancy)
Mon 17 Dec -	Christmas meeting
Sat 22 Dec -	Carols evening - BBQ request
Mon 24 Dec -	Christmas Eve - No meeting
Mon 31 Dec -	New Years Eve - No meeting
Mon 7 Jan -	First meeting for 2019
Mon 21 Jan -	Club Assembly - vote re club meetings (every week or 1 st , 3 rd , 5 th weeks)

Last meeting

The Vocational service visit to the Connected learning Centre was very successful, with more than a few surprises as well. Julie Mash gave us a very good introduction to the various facilities available at the centre, and demonstrated some of the technical services. Aunty Beth, a teacher of aboriginal languages and her husband gave us a talk about aspects of cultural significance, and then we were treated to an unexpected meal of sandwiches, fruit and cake.



A highlight for all of us was to experience virtual reality in the media room, with fish and sea life so real and close you were tempted to reach out and touch it. We thank Julie for her contribution to the evening, and thanks also to the 14 members and partners who took the opportunity to visit this new facility in our town.

Drought Catch Up #2

Well we succeeded in pulling off this second Drought Catch Up evening. There have been many positive comments from people who enjoyed it, and amazingly, all of the goods in the foyer disappeared at the end of the night! I never imagined that could happen.

Jen Cowley spoke well and we had plenty of food. We succeeded in giving away 67 x \$100 vouchers, a few more than last time. There were about 180 plus there. It was especially good to have the Melbourne folk, Pam and Roger Daniel from the RC of Maroondah, and dog food deliverer Tania Bohnstedt and her friend Simone Orsheg from Ipswich. Great work by Ellen Mahne and her helpers as well.



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