### Rotary Club of Dapto Inc.

**DAPTO NEWS**

**2nd August 2016**

An evening with John Adams

**Partners’ night**

**Program August**

- **10th**: Combined Illawarra Clubs Event: Ken Hunt paragliding Cho Oyu in Tibet
- **16th**: Irene Murray—tob be confirmed
- **23rd**: Emma Perrow—Author

**August celebrations**

**Member’s birthdays**

- **5th**: Jim Sheen
- **6th**: Andrew Mitchell

**Partner birthdays**

- **1st**: Chris Ryan
- **6th**: Selina Masters
- **8th**: Maureen Dowsett
- **16th**: Gretchen Vidins
- **31st**: Winifred Duley

**Wedding anniversaries**

- **9th**: David & Gretchen
- **10th**: Denis & Maureen
- **28th**: Dennis & Deborah

### Current Paul Harris Fellows

Peter Abba, David Burrows, Max Duley, Robert Dunn, Noel Field, Jeff Huisman, Peter Hurst, John Robertson, Clive Whittaker, Jim Sheen, Nelson Calder, Ian Fitzgibbon, Denis Dowsett, Anne McQueen, Karen Binsted

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### Rotary Club of Illawarra Sunrise

- **Meeting Venue**: Dapto Leagues Club
- **Time**: 6.15 for 6.15pm

**Welcome**

- **Barry Hemley**

**Chairperson**

- **Denis Dowsett**

**Invocation and toast to RI and Australia**

as nominated

**Speaker intro**: NA

**Vote of thanks**: NA

**Closing address**

- **Denis Dowsett**

**Welcomer next week**: Dennis Mcllwain

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**Can’t make it to the Meeting? Ring Nelson Calder: 42614614 before 10.00am on the day of the meeting**

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### Last Meeting

**Apologies**: per meeting records.

**Leave**: As per notification.

**Honorary member**

R. Dunn, M. Duley, J. Peace, R. Swan, R. Taylor, C. Whittaker

**Friends of Dapto Rotary**

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**ATT. Exempt members**

(over 85 Rotary years)

J. Sheen, B. Brown

**Guests and visitors**

As per attendance sheet

**Makeups**

Dons Farm, Bowelscan, BBQ

**Visiting Rotarians**

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### Illawarra makeups

**Monday**

- 6.30pm **Fairy Meadow** Masters Builders
  61 Church Street Wollongong
- 6.30pm **Wollongong South** Murphy's Bar and Grill
- 7.00pm **Kiama** Kiama Leagues Club
- 6.30pm **Bulli and North Illawarra** Thirroul Bowling club

**Tuesday**

- 6.15pm **Dapto** Dapto Leagues Club
  Bong Bong Road Dapto
- 6.15pm **Wollongong** Centro Restaurant
  Stewart Street Wollongong

**Wednesday**

- 6.30pm **Corrimal** Fraternity Club
  Bourke Street Fairy Meadow
- 7.00pm **Minnamurra** Kiama Golf Club
- 6.30pm **Shellharbour** City Warilla Bowling
  Club, 1 Jason Ave., Warilla
- 6.15pm **West Wollongong** Illawarra Leagues Club
  97 Church Street

**Friday**

- 7.00am **Illawarra Sunrise** Novotel
  Northbeach 2 Cliff Rd. Wollongong

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**The Four Way Test of the things we think, say and do:**

- Is it the TRUTH?
- Is it FAIR to all concerned?
- Will it build GOODWILL & BETTER FRIENDSHIP?
- Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

**FAIRNESS**

**TRUTH**

**FRIENDSHIP**

**GOODWILL**

**TOAST TO**: Rotary International and Australia

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**Rotary Club of Dapto Inc.**
Dapto Club Meeting 26/7/16

Scribe: Rod Young

Welcome
President Denis welcomed all members and guests to the Christmas in July special meeting which opened at 6.15pm.

President Denis asked members to introduce special guests and Barry introduced his sister and brother-in-law.

Welfare
Denis mentioned that Nelson mentioned that Nelson had gone in for surgery this afternoon and that it had been brought to light as a result of a negative result from this years bowel scan programme.

Phil mentioned that Bobby Dunn had put flowers onto his wife’s grave and he fell over and hurt his hurt and had to be taken to hospital. The ambulance nurse said to him that it was the first time that had taken a live body out of the cemetery.

Rex mentioned that Allan had mentioned that he was lacking energy.

National Tree day
Denis mentioned this in on this Sunday and they are looking for Rotary to help with a BBQ for the volunteer workers undertaking the Bushcare service. John Robinson will collect trailer and bring an esky from the farm.

Club Administration
Denis mentioned that District has moved administration to Club Runner and we are planning to do the same which allows members to maintain their own membership data.

Christmas in July Dinner
26 members indicated that they would be attending this event

Treasurers Report
Anne McQueen indicated that district dues are due and only about half the membership have paid dues for 2016/17.

Anne also mentioned that she is taking money for the combined clubs function scheduled for 10th August 2016.

ADG
David Burrows mentioned that anyone planning on attending must pay money in advance. We are expecting about 200 people plus District Governor and Past DG.

International
Denis McIlwain said Denis received a lovely letter from the POLICE thanking us for having coffee with a cop and inviting Jane to speak and as well Jane

President Denis mentioned that arrangements are being made to invite the MUNA attendees to attend and give a report.

Ladies Night
Noel Field mentioned next Tuesday is a partners night with NOEL Field and all are welcome

Don’s Farm
Denis Couley reported that one tree had been removed but following the recent high winds another two are threatening to fall and that has now been removed.

Denis also mentioned that he has been following up with schools about RYLA interest.

Night at the Dogs
President Denis said he took the opportunity after Phil announced that he had been elected Chair of the Dapto Community Garden to seek a contribution from the garden as a raffle prize for the Dogs night.

Playground Avondale Road Avondale
Peter Abba mentioned that the existing playground at Avondale had to be replaced as it was a risk and that if this club had not contributed to it would not have been upgraded.

William Beach Park Shelter
Peter also mentioned that this project had also been recognised as a Dapto project and between the Avondale playground and the William Beach Shelter the Club had contributed some $100,000.00 towards Dapto infrastructure.

Members Draw
Peter Hurst conducted the special Christmas raffles with the first won by Mary Young Second prize was won by Maureen Dowsett, third prize was won by Phil Dicesare.

Sergeant at Arms
Andrew Mitchell ably supported by Corporal Denis McIlwain seemed to find all members and guests had been guilty of some minor indiscretion leading to everyone present being fined a massive 50c for each indiscretion.

New Member Induction
President Denis announced that Mary Young had been approved by the Board for membership and welcomed Mary to the Club and presented her with a name badge and new member pack.

Denis also welcomed Karen Binstead a recent new member and asked Karen to give members some background regarding herself.

Karen joined Rotary in Maleny and has held various positions since 2007 including Secretary and regional Governor over some 18 years before moving to the Illawarra and joined Wollongong South Club before recently transferring to Dapto Club.

Denis welcomed Karen as a new member of the club and thanked her for giving everyone an outline of her Rotary history and bringing her extensive experience to the club.

Close
President Denis Dowsett closed the meeting at 8.15pm.

More photos of the evening available on our Facebook site: https://www.facebook.com/DaptoRotary