

# Rotary Club of Howrah

Theme 2023-2024



## Bulletin

Chartered 5th June, 1976

**President:** Reg Emmett  
**Secretary:** Robyn Harrison  
**Bulletin Editor:** Rob Warren

**People Of Action In And For Our Community.**

**Thursday 17th August 2023**

**Kathryn Cranny - One Community Together.**

### **THE NEW COMMITTEE STRUCTURE UNDERWAY ....**

Despite a minor set back in the catering department there was plenty of enthusiasm and brain storming happening at our first meetings of the new committee structure initiated by President Reg for this year. The **Projects Committee** are pictured here with Reg sharing some of his ideas possible projects and potential capabilities with the group while team leader Anne records the learnings on her trusty laptop.



**Projects members from the left are Treasurer Gayle, Anne Sheehan, Helen Doherty, David Lamb, Team Leader Anne Reeves and David Harrison.**

## MORE FROM CLUB ASSEMBLY ....



The **International Service Committee** were pictured here deep in discussion, from the left are Bob Hardy ( Bob found his real home later in the Public Image Team), Team Leader Terry Evans, Ishwari Poudel, Richard Wyatt, and the ever smiling Susie Watton.. This group has two more members, Numan Rasul and Raza Islam who are both currently in Pakistan participating in a Health Camp which our Club is supporting. Worthy projects to support was their main agenda item.



The **Membership Committee** were missing members Ange Gillie and David Taylor as they met to discuss how we can continue to grow our membership. From the left are Ken Kerrison, George Toepfer and Team Leader Peter Lowery. Mentoring new members was seen as a key focus point.

The **Administration Committee** of Secretary Robyn Harrison, Shirin Pickett, Jill Wright and Karin Zwick were really busy, so much so they declined a photo opportunity. They were very keen to talk about a major focus for the group which is enhancing and growing our social engagement throughout the year. Team Leader Shirin and the team are very happy to accept bright ideas from all members of our Club.

The **Public Image Committee** is led by Vice President Ankita Pyakurel who is also our Club's talented photographer, she and the team of Peter Allanby, Bob Hardy, Rob Warren and President Reg were pumping out so many good ideas that they forgot to take a picture. The discussion's main focus was the use of social media.

**A MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT REG:** "Thanks to everyone for your participation in our committee groups. Sorry the time available was so limited. Let's sit together with your committee members at this week's meeting to complete any unfinished discussion from last Thursday. The adjourned Board meeting will continue after the meeting."

### **HERE AND THERE .....**

- The Bookshop had a great day last Thursday with over \$400 taken. Donations are now being accepted again.
- President Reg thanked Rotarian Bob Hardy for his efforts in organizing an excellent guest speaker program. Bob asked members to advise him if they have any issues or interests that would like to learn more about so he can endeavour to find appropriate people who can be added to the speakers list.
- Treasurer Gayle and Admin. Team leader Shirin advise that any Club members who would like to purchase Rotary clothing for Club events should let them know asap so an order can be placed. Our Club subsidises any uniform items by 50 per cent.
- **RAFFLE WINNERS:** Helen won her first raffle and was delighted to take the biscuits. While Reg was very happy and took the white especially for Annette. Just checked the August Birthdays! Pity, you are just a little late Reg.

### **ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY .....**

"We acknowledge and pay respect to the Tasmanian Aboriginal people as the traditional and original owners and continuing custodians of this land on which we gather and acknowledge Elders – past and present of Lutruwita".



## DIARY OF EVENTS ...

### AUGUST

Thurs. 17th Kathryn Cranny - One Community Together.

August 24, Julie Dunbabin - Tasmanian Manager, School Lunch Prog.

Fri. 25th Friday Drinks @ Bellerive Yacht Club—5.00 pm.

| Duty Roster..... | Greeter | Duty Officers  |
|------------------|---------|----------------|
| Thurs. 17th Aug. | - Gayle | Peter L & Bob  |
| Thurs. 24th Aug. | - Sue   | Anne S & Terry |
| Thurs. 31st Aug. |         |                |

### AUGUST CELEBRATIONS .....

#### BIRTHDAYS

7th Annette Emmett

22nd Shirin Pickett

#### WEDDING ANNIVERSARIE

30th Ray & Shirin Pickett



### SHE"LL COME A WALTZING .....



### ATTENDANCE PROTOCOL

Members who **are unable** to attend Thursday meetings **OR** those who **do not require** a meal should **contact SHIRIN before lunchtime on Tuesdays.**

Contact SHIRIN at [smp@internode.on.net](mailto:smp@internode.on.net) or 0466790991.