

# 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 14th November 2024**

**Angela Gillie - A Daring Holiday In NZ.**

### **A JACKIE COMES TO VISIT AT GHOD .....**

It's spring and pesky insects are out and about, especially at Government House Open Day last Sunday. This rather large Jack Jumper took a real fancy to Rotarian Sue Morris, luckily he kept his big nippers to himself and probably enjoyed some raspberry jam at the Devonshire Tea tent. Rotarian Richard Wyatt doesn't look too keen to come over to be Prince Charming and rescue Sue. As always it was a particularly busy day and Treasurer Gayle advised that the Scones Team carried the day with a record profit of \$2197, while the BBQ raised \$1561 making a grand total profit for the day of \$3758. This will now be donated to the charities as chosen by Her Excellency Governor Barbara Baker.

**Well done Team Howrah.**



## **FROM THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING .....**

The evening started promptly with the Annual General Meeting. The meeting ran smoothly with President Reg (tabled) and Treasurer Gayle presenting their Annual Reports. It should be noted that the Auditor commended our Treasurer for the way she presented our financial records.

**Election of 2024 -25 Office Bearers:** There being only one nomination in each category the candidates were duly elected:

**President: Gayle Smith.**

**President Elect: Anne Reeves.**

**Secretary: Robyn Harrison.**

**Treasurer: Numan Rasul.**

It was moved and carried that our Club to retain our **Auditor:** VE Smith. There being no further business, the AGM concluded.

**Congratulations and thank you to the 2024/26 Executive.**

## **FROM CLUB ASSEMBLY .....**

- President Reg, Member Richard and Events Co-ordinator George thanked the Club for the support leading up to and on the day of the Govt. House Open Day for their great work. Special mention to Gayle, Shirin, Karin and the staff of Government House, especially, Alan and Will. Despite the wind it was a successful day and we await to hear of the Governor's selected charity so we can direct the money made on the day to them. Discussion about what we could have done better resulted in some minor things that will be resolved in the GHOD postmortem down-the-track for 2026.
- Numan outlined "the face painting proposal" for the November 18 Pakistan - Australia Cricket One Day match at "Ninja Stadium" (ex Blundstone Arena) from 5pmish to 7.30pm. Several hands went up to assist on the day but more help would be welcomed. Please contact Numan as soon as possible. Let's make it a great day as Numan has put a lot of work into the proposal so your help is vital for this PR operation.
- Treasurer Gayle informed the Club that ALL subs have been paid. Well done everyone! The Bookshop continues to do well and with no end in sight we should be grateful for what we are currently making.
- Terry informed the Club that Numan is continuing his work (albeit remotely), on another "Health Camp" in Pakistan in the very near future.

## HERE AND THERE .....

- **Our last Bunnings BBQ for the 2024** year, was on Sunday 10 November . Let's hope we have a good turn-up both volunteer-wise and lots of customers. A BIG thank you to those who put their hand up so soon after GHOD!!!
- **Christmas Breakfast** is on at 8am on Thursday 12th December at Gastown East (just along from the Waterfront Hotel. You should have already received a flyer about this ( some people got 2). As a matter of urgency, please let George know if you will be attending.
- **Christmas Lunch** at South Arm RSL is on at 12.30pm on Sunday 15th December. Please let Robyn or Gayle know if you are attending.
- **Raffle:** Suzie won the chocolates in absentia as she had to go home early. **And guess who – what a surprise!!!** Shirin also negotiated for chocolates as second prize.

## NOVEMBER CELEBRATIONS .....

3rd Tony Watton

11th Islam Raza

12th Helen Doherty



## JACK JUMPER MIRTH .....



WHY DON'T WE GET THE CORONAVIRUS? BECAUSE WE HAVE ANTY BODIES



You can tell if ant's gender by putting it in water. If it sinks, girl ant. If it floats, buoyant



## 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 ...

### NOVEMBER

Wed. 13th **Coffee Club** Local Grocer Cambridge Park 11.30 am.

Thurs. 14th **Angela Gillie** - A Daring Holiday In NZ.

Thurs. 21st **Maddi and Taylor Brooks** - Being an Olympian and Preparing for the next Olympic Games.

Thurs. 28th TBA

### DECEMBER

Thurs. 5th **Club Assembly.**

Thurs. 12th **Xmas Breakfast "Gastown East"** Cambridge Road Bellerive. then the option of BYC Xmas Musical Bingo. To be confirmed.

Sun. 15th - **Christmas Lunch** - South Arm RSL. 12.30pm.

**Rotary Club of Howrah**

**Christmas Breakfast**

**8am on 12<sup>th</sup> of December 2024**

**"Gastown East"**

**6/16 Cambridge Road Bellerive.**

**Please advise George T ASAP if you will be attending.**

	DUTY	ROSTER	
Date	Greeter/Chair	Registration	Duty Officers
14th Nov.	Terry	Ishwari & Ankita	Ken & David T
21st Nov.	Bob	Numan & Raza	David H & Peter A
28th Nov.	Richard	Karin & Ros	George & Rob

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# Thank you

To our Sponsor, Banjo's Rosny

  
**Banjo's**  
bakery cafe

Sunday 10 November 2024

## "Last Bunnings Report for this year".

The members put their hand up again a week after Government House to run another BBQ. The weather was predicted to be a bit iffy but no horrific winds of a week ago. With some newbies in the BBQ crew, it was hoped we would be well supported by the public. Supplies all sourced and ready to go . . . but we discovered it was not enough as we ran out of onion, sausages twice and Eftpos machine paper but all worked out in the end despite these hiccups. A couple of times the BBQ plate was almost empty of supply, such was the demand, but we muddled through despite the queues. The weather tried to be showery, but the sun prevailed and we had a bumper sale day and had to close and clean up at 3.10pm because we ran out of sausages. But all was good, all went home tired but knowing our last 2024 was a success. I'll leave it to Gayle to let you know how much we made, BUT it was good!!!!

With HUGE thanks to organiser Gayle and helpers Karin; Terry; Suzanne; Sandra; Riley; Rob W; Anne R; Ken and Peter A for their time for this final 2024 BBQ. See you at the BBQ ranks in January.

**Chief Sausage Turner and Gourmet Onion Stirrer George.**

## HAVE YOU SOLD YOUR BOOK OF TICKETS YET?



Super ★  
★ Huge  
Thank you

