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THORNIE WESTERN AUSTRALIA

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Meeting: 6.00 pm for 6.30 pm Tuesday at the Gosnells Golf Club, Warton Road Thornlie –

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<p>Next Week</p>	<p>For those that aren't already aware, Docker Doug actually bet against the Shockers last weekend. – Statement of fact.</p>	<p>Week After</p>
<p>22nd July 08</p>		<p>29th July 08</p>
<p>Attendance Lloyd Dungey Ross Evans</p> <p>Property and Fellowship Ted Evans Andy Hopper</p> <p>Chairman Frank Keays</p> <p>Vote of Thanks Bernie O'Dea</p> <p>REPORTS TBA</p> <p>Bring-N-Buy 20th July 08 Andy & Wren Hopper Doug and Anet Parker John Stockbridge</p> <p>Bulletin Editor <i>Colin Waters</i></p>	<p>Guests for the evening were our guest speaker. PGD Graham Brown who was addressing us on the Australian Rotary Health Research Foundation, and Barry Berger from the Rotary Club of Rossmoyne. Barry's Club are hosting this year's conference under the theme Inspiration. The venue is the Esplanade Hotel Fremantle. The dates are the 11th and 12th of October and the full conference price is \$235. Extra discounts are available for accommodation and parking for those attending. The speakers list is now finalised and it will have an international flavour. Application forms are available through President Ron.</p> <p>President Ron opened the meeting and advised:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We wouldn't be seeing Trish Nagle for a couple of weeks as she has had a shift change and would be entering hospital for a procedure. • Tonight was the first night of the new caterers and Ron anticipated some timing issues – this didn't phase Sergeant John would was working off Ron's notes and there were 6 changes in the first 20 seconds of the meeting opening. • Ron would appreciated members feed back on his circular relating to Carbon Trading. He is limiting attendance to 50 attendees although that is somewhat flexible • Members will receive an email this week with some proposals for social events. Outings. Early feedback would be appreciated. 	<p>Attendance Not Required</p> <p>Property and Fellowship Not Required</p> <p>Chairman Not Required</p> <p>Vote of Thanks Not Required</p> <p>REPORTS TBA</p> <p>Bring-N-Buy 3rd Aug 08 Ron & Yvonne Bradock Vin & Sylvia Rogers Ted Evans</p> <p>Bulletin Editor <i>Colin Waters</i></p>
<p>Next weeks meeting program</p>	<p>TBA</p>	

- **The club meeting for the 29th of July is cancelled and in lieu a joint meeting will be held with the Kenwick Club at their venue, the High Road Bistro, on Wednesday the 30th. Meeting time is 18.00 hrs for 18.30 hrs and PE Mike will organise to transport our Dinner plates. Cost has not yet been determined but will be advised at our next meeting.**

Community Ron reported that his Committee had met and agreed to again sponsor the printing of pamphlets for Citizen Advocacy to the cost of \$650. He also updated members on the progress of the Kanyana Wildlife project. When work is finalised with the removal of the Ceiling and roof, busy bees will be coordinated to start on the main structures.

Sergeant John continued his good work, getting

- Docker Doug for his lack of allegiance to his team
- Ted Evans for being late- again
- Those not wearing their ARHRF badges
- PE Mike for finally “obtaining” a thumb drive
- Phil for returning from holidays – apparently the new caravan had a litany of problems – not the least being that the drainage of the washing machine and the shower were interconnected – when one emptied the other filled – giving a whole new meaning to water conservation and recycling.
- Finally it cost all the Catholics who were not attending WYD in Sydney.

Guest speaker Graham Brown gave an audio visual presentation on the history and role of the Australian Rotary Health Research Foundation.

It was interesting to note that all 23 Australian Districts support the foundation and are its primary source of income. Currently they receive in excess of 100 research proposals each year and currently have 145 grants in operation – including 26 Rural Medical grants and 4 Rural Nursing grants

Following the Presentation Secretary Doug was requested to check the Bylaws in relation to the role of the sergeant, and his ability to ask questions

PE Mike read the charge and closed the meeting