



2008 - 2009

THORNIE WESTERN AUSTRALIA

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

Apologies: **Mike Raspa** (M) 0412 426 418 by 10.00AM Monday

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30th Sept 2008

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Next Week	Guest speaker Lauren McNamara RYLA facilitator and visitors from the Rotary Club of Como Heike and Tim Davey (both also on the RYLA District Committee) were introduced.	Week After
<p>7th Oct 08</p> <p>Attendance n/a</p> <p>Property and Fellowship n/a</p> <p>Chairman Not required</p> <p>Vote of Thanks Not Required</p> <p>REPORTS Committee Meetings</p> <p>Bring-N-Buy 5th Oct 08 Andy Hopper Geoff & Lorraine Wiltshire Chris Ralph</p> <p>Bulletin Editor <i>Mike Raspa</i></p>	<p>President Ron proceeded with an extensive report covering:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • thanks to PP Doug and John Stockbridge for assistance with last Tuesday's successful evening • GSE team from Canada function at Leonda reception Centre Tumblegum farm on Wednesday 8 October, cost \$35 – 6.30pm/7pm Agreed that next Tuesday's meeting would be cancelled and in lieu GSE night attended. • Jodie Sparks is District Governor Nominee for 2010/2011. • Club's charitable collections licence had been received. • Further speakers nights aimed at ladies • Lilac Hill cricket match waiters Friday 28 November – any more starters? President Ron; PP Andy and PP Doug early nominees. • Annual Dr Ken Collins address 1 December, speakers Ron Burton and Justice Robert Nicholson. • Rotary Club of Belmont legends award night at Royal Perth Golf Club on Thursday 30 October 7/7.30pm, cost \$50. Agreed that Club pay for Rotarians attending. President Ron; PDG Frank; PP Colin and PP Doug likely starters – any more? 	<p>14th Oct 08</p> <p>Attendance Ted Evans Andy Hopper</p> <p>Property and Fellowship Frank Keays Doug Parker</p> <p>Chairman Vic Rich</p> <p>Vote of Thanks Colin Ralph</p> <p>REPORTS Nil</p> <p>Bring-N-Buy 12th Oct 08 Mike & Louise Raspa Vic & Cheryl Rich Lloyd Dungey</p> <p>Bulletin Editor <i>Mike Raspa</i></p>
<p>Next weeks meeting program</p>	<p>GSE Wed 8 October</p>	

- **President Ron** presenting year 12 sport award at Thornlie Senior high School on 30 October.
- City of Gosnells annual dinner on 6 December at Gosnells Golf Club.
- Medic alert – agreed donation of \$5 per club member
- University of WA invite – **PP Ron Bradock** to attend.
- Telethon breakfast barbecue 7 December – agreed to participate as 7 hands went up.
- Conference – a couple of attendees.
- Thanks to **PDG Ron** for makeup's at Tri District; College of Governors and Rotary Club of Dalkeith.

John Stockbridge reported a successful meeting at Thornlie Senior High School attended by State Director of Microsoft with 100 students in attendance, discussing careers in IT. Microsoft donated to school complete copies of Vista Enterprise and Office 2007.

PP Mike on behalf of **Louise** extended thanks to the Club for the flowers. Louise said yesterday she was feeling good, so ironing and washing now being done in earnest.

PP Mike also mentioned Rotary student subsidy scheme for vocational Committee to look at; any interest in planting in steam sedges for Armadale Landcare group (a hush descended over the meeting).

Ross Evans, as democratically elected Teamleader in Training, explained the highly unestimated takings of \$1560 at BNB.

Sergeant John then discharged his duty with numerous fines including:-

- Those who took their seats following the first bell
- Tim and Heike Davey – the hand of friendship
- PP Ray for lighting failure; English joke on Sergeant and a dig at the Sergeant's weight.
- PP Colin for having close relations likely to live opposite and being sympathetic to obtaining a zimmer frame.
- Ross Teamleader in Training and he is the man for acronyms.
- Community committee for letting President takeover their responsibilities with medic alert.
- PP Wayne – size does matter when broad beans are grown and for not offering the Sergeant magic beans.
- Box buys – PP Mike on Sergeant for being last to the meeting; Ross on John Stockbridge and PP Doug for poor estimation of BNB takings.

Host Chairman **PDG Ron** then introduced **Lauren McNamara** to speak on Rotary Youth Leadership Awards (RYLA). Lauren commenced by saying that RYLA is a live in training seminar held January each year which challenges individuals. Participants work in teams from the beginning and complete activities they would normally not experience, such as abseiling. RYLA builds leadership qualities, creativity, self awareness, enthusiasm and forward thinking. It is not just a camp but a learning experience.

PP Ray congratulated Lauren on her presentation and after John read the charge the meeting closed.