



2008 - 2009

THORN LIE WESTERN AUSTRALIA

PO Box 84, THORN LIE WA 6988

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

Apologies: Mike Raspa (M) 0424 168 496 by 10.00AM Monday

Pres. Ron Bradborn (M) 040 021 0891 (H) 9459 3813

Pres Elect. Mike Raspa (M) 0424 168 496 (H) 9452 0158

Secretary. Doug Parker (W) 9486 2122 (M) 0419909179

28th June 2009

<http://www.thornlie-rotary.com>

Next Week

7th July 09

Attendance

Ron Bradborn
Vic Rich

Property and Fellowship

Vin Rogers
Ron Sloan

**Chairman
Committee
Meetings**

**Vote of
Thanks** of
Committee
Meetings

**Bring-N-Buy
5th July 09**

Ray & Lois
Smith
Ross &
Margaret
Evans
John Mitchell

**Bulletin
Editor**
Colin Waters

**Next weeks
meeting
programme**

Changeover this year was held at the very popular Manse Restaurant in Armadale. Whilst there may have been some initial doubts about the first change in many years from an evening to a lunchtime function, the day was hailed as a complete success and Pres Ron and Fay Bradborn are to be congratulated for organising such a terrific afternoon.

The meeting was held in the usual relaxed manner that attracts Thornlie Rotarians to our club and everyone interviewed by the bulletin editor hailed the event as a success.



Incoming President Mike Raspa promised a continuation of the friendship and community spirit that has made our club such a resounding success over many years.

Note that a photo album of the afternoon can be downloaded from the web site on the same page as this bulletin.

Following Meeting

14th July 09

Attendance

John Stockbridge
Ray Smith

Property and Fellowship

Geoff Wiltshire
Ron Bradborn

Chairman
Ron Bradock

Vote of Thanks
Wayne Brouwer

**Bring-N-Buy
12th July 09**

Andy Hopper
Doug and Anet
Parker
Chris & Colin
Ralph

Bulletin Editor
John Stockbridge

Program

TBA

Committee Meetings

THORNIE ROTARY CLUB CHANGEOVER PROGRAMME JUNE 2009

- 12:45 **Call to Order** Welcome to our happy throng
Welcome Visitors I promise there will be no song
Apologies There'll be no verses for us to murder
Grace As this is just a call to order
- Now any apologies from those who are missing
How do they fare? Are we concerned? Hell do we care?
Welcome to visitors who aren't with our club
We'll make you most welcome, ain't that just the rub
So we'll move right along but at an amazing pace
as now is the time for us to sing grace
- 01:00 Entree
- 01:20 **Toast To Rotary** There once was huge Dockers fan
Doug Parker Constantly saying "Oh yes we can"
When they played other teams he stuck by his rant
Despite the scores proving "Oh no you can't"
- Response** In Regency drive there's a screech and a yell
Frank Keays You'd think down the stairs that someone just fell
You must knock very loudly to make yourself heard
As once inside Franks house you'll get the bird
- Toast to the** A jovial fellow named Col
Ladies Whilst on an organisational roll
Colin Waters Convinced his wife whose the love of his life
That ten beers a day keeps you whole
- 01:30 Main Meal
- 02:15 **Entertainment** Bush Poets Kerry and Ron provided some excellent
entertainment for the afternoon. Their offerings ranged from
traditional bush poetry to some more modern version
providing an extremely humorous look at the evils of the
mobile phone and the terrors of the mammogram.
- The sergeant offered his own vote of thanks as follows:
- A mammogram may well be tough, I'm sure we all agree
But if you're a bloke there is a test that'll make you want to
flee.
It's where you find the doc's a friend he could be your best
mate
But as this test progresses he'll be someone that you hate
Drop your pants, up on the chair, roll on to your side
Hold your breath and don't be worried as I part your cheeks
quite wide
Oh my God, what has he done – I'm feeling so much older
I thought there was the two of us, so why are hands upon my
shoulders?
- 03:00 **Presidents Report** It's now my great pleasure to bring on the boss

A copy of
President Ron's
report is available
in the Annual
Report provided to
all members and
will shortly be
online.

Changeover
ceremony

His year's at an end it will be our loss
Ron's done very well as best he can manage
Now lets applause as he butchers our language

New President Report and introduction of the new Directors.

**Rotary Club of Thornlie WA (Inc.)
Board and Committee Members 2009-2010**

BOARD MEMBERS

President	Mike Raspa
Vice President	Ron Bradborn
President Elect	Andy Hopper
Secretary	Doug Parker
Treasurer	John Mitchell / Wayne Brouwer
International	Ron Bradock
Community	Ross Evans
New Generations	Vin Rogers
Vocational	Ron Bradborn
Fund Raising/Risk Management	Colin Waters

COMMITTEE MEMBERS

International:	John Stockbridge; Doug Parker; Vic Rich; Phil Hinwood
Community:	Lloyd Dungey; Frank Keays; Chris Ralph; Colin Ralph
New Generations:	Ray Smith; Geoff Wiltshire; Ron Sloan; Wayne Brouwer
Vocational:	Ted Evans; John Mitchell; Andy Hopper; Colin Waters
Sergeant:	Lloyd Dungey
Corporal:	Vin Rogers
Bulletin Editor:	Christine Ralph

Sgts Session

Fines were levied on:

- Friends of Rotary
- Visiting Rotarians
- Mike Raspa for swapping fat cells with Lew Pritchard
- Wayne Brouwer for taking a mobile phone call at last weeks meeting
- Beth Sloan, because the Sgt realised that in 20 years at Rotary he has never once fined Beth for anything. Beth later confirmed that is the first time she has ever been fined at a Rotary meeting and that she is way naughtier than Ron. Beth was also quick to point out that with her new found "naughty" status, she has arranged a hit on Colin Waters for getting her age

wrong in a recent bulletin.

- In a subset to the Sgts session, Colin Waters would like to humbly offer his heartfelt apologies to Beth Sloan for the 9 year error in age. He totally retracts his ageist remark.
- Ron Bradborn for the way he calculated the amount of alcohol required.
- Frank Keays in his stunning Maroon jacket for being the next Thornlie entertainment director.
- Clint Fricker for having to take buy a shirt for the DG Dinner which he is still paying off.
- Pat Dixon for organising half bottles of wine at the Thornlie Bowling club and then drinking them from a straw.

03:30 Fellowship

04:00 Rotary Charge
National Anthem