



2009 - 2010

1st September 2009

THORNIE WESTERN AUSTRALIA

PO Box 84, THORNIE WA 6988

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

Apologies: **Andy Hopper** (M) 0409 099 941 by 10.00AM Monday

Pres.	Mike Raspa	(M) 0424 168 496	(H) 9452 0158
Pres Elect.	Andy Hopper	(M) 0409 099 941	(H) 9459 1627
Secretary.	Doug Parker	(M) 0419909179	

Next Week Duties

8th September 09

Attendance

Phil Hinwood
Ron Bradborn

Property and Fellowship

Wayne Brouwer
Lloyd Dungey

Chairman

Mike Raspa

Vote of Thanks

Mike Raspa

Rotary Information

District Governor

Bring-N-Buy 6th September 09

Ray & Lois Smith
Geoff and Lorraine
Wiltshire
John Mitchell

Bulletin Editor

Chris Ralph

Program

DG's Visit

Sgt Lloyd opened the meeting with much gusto and introduced **President Mike** who took centre stage and promptly wanted to know who would be joining him and Louise at the Rotary Muster on the 23rd to 25th October. This year's conference is being held in Perth at the Sheraton Perth Hotel, full registration cost is \$235. The conference will highlight issues which confront both country and city Western Australians.

The Kwinana Golf Club Charity Match on 6th November is accepting nominations and are looking for ten teams of 3 players who will then bid for a fourth player from a celebrity list along with 26 teams of 4 players. Nomination fees are \$500 payable to Rotary WA Cord Blood Bank Trust a tax deductible gift recipient.

Ron Bradock advised that the clubs chattels have been reduced to one plastic box which is now being stored in the B&B hut and **Vin** has become the proud owner of the Rotary filing cabinet.

Frank then spoke about Rotary Foundation and District 9465 and advised that the credits for the Rotary Club of Thornlie will be transferred to the new District 9465 and will include contributions made during 2009-2010 so there will be no change to the club's status. On 30th June 2010 all funds held by District 9470 will be transferred to Districts 9455 and 9465 based on the number of former District 9470 clubs in each of the two districts and club membership as at that date. Thornlie Rotary Club has been part of five different districts 246,946, 947, 9470 and now 9465.

There will be a requirement to print new letterheads.

Of interest to past and present Thornlie Rotarians will be the reactivation of the joint district alumni under the chairmanship of Rotarian Bill Hassel who was the ambassadorial scholar 1967/68. It has been suggested that he be invited to the club and invite a current ambassadorial scholar to be a guest speaker, who to date has spoken to 16 clubs.

Doug Parker spoke of the Spark of Life Project and the email that he circulated to club members. No other Rotary clubs have contributed and the Rotary Club of Thornlie will take the initiative and support this valuable programme. The production will consist of an educational package, which offers a unique approach to dealing with dementia. The Spark of Life Programme started in 1995 and has had beneficial effects and results with dementia sufferers. The request to support this programme is \$25,000 and the Rotary Logo will be placed on the educational packages.

<p>Following Weeks Duties</p>	<p>Doug and his team strongly support this request and Mike moved to support the programme. Motion was carried and Hilary Lee to be invited to the club on 8th September coinciding with the DG's visit to be presented with a cheque. There is scope to progress this National programme and Thornlie Rotary club will benefit from the positive publicity as a result.</p>
<p>15th September 09</p>	<p>Ron Bradock reported on last Sunday's B&B which was cold and bleak with very few sellers, but they drummed up business and made \$1789.</p>
<p>Attendance Ross Evans Ted Evans</p>	<p>Sgt Lloyd and Cpl Vin hit centre stage and then extracted lots of money from the club members.</p>
<p>Property and Fellowship Phil Hinwood</p>	<p>Vin for telling the club that Sylvia had recovered the chairs not only in material but also in plastic.</p>
<p>Chairman Andy Hopper</p>	<p>Phil for having to spend \$4000 on his caravan and 4 wheel drive.</p>
<p>Vote of Thanks Frank Keays</p>	<p>Vin's secret is out on his attraction to the opposite sex-he can wiggle his ears.</p>
<p>Rotary Information John Mitchell</p>	<p>Phil for not knowing which committee he was on.</p>
<p>Bring-N-Buy 6th September 09</p>	<p>Mike for not being able to tell Phil which committee he was on.</p>
<p>Ray & Lois Smith Geoff and Lorraine Wiltshire John Mitchell</p>	<p>John Stockbridge for showing over exuberance at fellowship with hugs all round.</p>
<p>Bulletin Editor <i>Chris Ralph</i></p>	<p>Andy for not knowing whether he was coming or going.</p>
<p>Program TBA</p>	<p>Frank for being a James Morrison fan.</p>
<p>REMEMBER MEAL NUMBERS MUST BE ADVISED</p>	<p>Andy for not following in Colin Waters footsteps being chief snitch for the sergeant</p>
<p>DG's visit next week – Ladies night – 0630hrs for 07.00 hrs</p>	<p>Ray for being on hands and knees begging forgiveness from “padre” Ross.</p>
<p>Preceded by special Board meeting</p>	<p>John Stockbridge fined for Faye's birthday which isn't until 10/10/09 but as the bulletin's dates are wrong, the fine still counts.</p>
<p>DIARY</p>	<p>Andy for ordering three beers at the bar, one for himself, Colin Waters and Ron Bradborn, all at Mike's expense.</p>
<p></p>	<p>Frank for having and anniversary coming up very soon.</p>

SEPTEMBER

1st Committee Meetings
3rd Faye's Birthday
4th Frank & Sylvia's
Anniversary
8th Special Board
Meeting for DG
District Governors Visit –
Partners Night

23rd Mikes Birthday
29th Club Forum
Lois E's Birthday
30th Sylvia R's Birthday

OCTOBER

4th Wayne & Chris's
Anniversary
6th Committee Meetings
10th Faye S's Birthday
12th Geoff & Lorraine's
Anniversary
Board meeting
23rd Louise R's Birthday
24th Rotary Muster at the
Sheraton Hotel
31st Ted's Birthday

NOVEMBER

2nd Meeting Cancelled –
Melb Cup
9th Board meeting
10th Committee Meetings
24th Lloyd's Birthday

DECEMBER

1st Committee Meetings
Phil's Birthday
4th Wayne's Birthday

The meeting closed to enable the committees to meet.