



STRATHFIELD ROTARY NEWS

The Weekly Bulletin of the Rotary Club of Strathfield Inc.
District 9675, New South Wales, Australia



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"Whatever Rotary may mean to us, to the world it will be known by the results it achieves." Paul P. Harris

President Petersen's Page

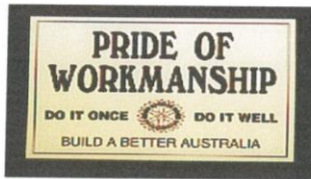
21 October 2015

Rotarians are encouraged to support the PRIDE OF WORKMANSHIP initiative which this year is introduced by and being implemented by President Elect Stephen Taylor,

Stephen has prepared a full introduction to the Program and we are all being encouraged to provide a nomination for a full representation of participants. Approach Stephen to-day for a NOMINATION FORM and book the date, 25/11/2015 to be present on the night.

The Rotary Club of Strathfield - Pride of Workmanship award

Wednesday November 25th 2015 - Strathfield Golf Club 6.30pm for 7.00pm



What is Pride of Workmanship ?

Pride of Workmanship is an award The Rotary Club of Strathfield presents annually to people in our community who have been nominated by a Rotarian, an organisation, an employer, a fellow employee, or a member of the public: who exhibits the qualities of leadership, dedication to their profession or job, someone who provides excellent service in their job, or is just consistently go at their job, or a person who has assisted members of the public or fellow employees who may ill or in some form of distress.

An awardee might be a nurse or doctor, a worker in aged care, a bus driver or a mechanic, a teacher or early childhood educator, the local post office worker, a salesperson or bank teller.

Does someone you know fit this criteria??

Applications are now open - but they must close on Wednesday **November 18th**

What is needed to apply ?

- The Rotary Club needs need a name and contact number for the nominee and nominator
- the nominee's position or role in an organisation, and the name of the employer.
- The Rotary Club need a "brief" citation or explanation of what the nominee does and why they deserve the award.. The citation should be sincere and to the point , but NOT take more than 200 words if possible.. please !

What does the nominee receive ?

- Invitation to dinner, on November 25th as a guest of Strathfield Rotary.
- An inscribed Rotary "Pride of Workmanship" plaque.

The nominee judged by the Vocational Service Committee to most exemplify the principles of "Pride of Workmanship" will be presented with the prestigious "Ray Sherry" award
(Friends or family members are welcome however they must pay the dinner fee.)

Please submit nominations to:

Rotarian Stephen Taylor at stay1951@bigpond.com

For more information please contact Rotarian Stephen Taylor at 0418 648 911

Appreciation for support of the Graffiti Removal Day, 18 October, 2015

Ever wondered how much of his own time and effort PP Peter Smith provides for the Graffiti Removal Program Days.

He uses his own vehicle to transport the specially designed trailer, he writes the applications for State Government Grant Funds, he purchases the necessary equipment supplies for the removal of graffiti, a formidable list and always purchased at the right price, he liaises with the Strathfield Council, members of the community attendees and of course, our Rotarians.

The success of the last Sunday Graffiti Removal Day was an outstanding result because of the preparation and dedication that Peter provided the occasion.

There were ten Rotarians, five Community members, two Strathfield Council representatives and three Strathfield Girls High School Interactors in attendance working across Rochester Street lane, The Crescent Railway Wall and derelict properties on Parramatta Road Homebush.

Thank you Peter and the supporters on this occasion

Website News

The Club's website is in the process of being upgraded and "rehosted". For many years we have been part of a community involving many Australian Rotary clubs, known as Rotarnet. The arrangement has allowed us to share website hosting resources with other clubs. Individual clubs have now been asked to make their own arrangements for website hosting. This suits us and gives us more flexibility to provide a website service tailored to our specific needs. A modest increase in costs is involved. The website will continue to be known as www.strathfieldrotary.org.au and will have the same look and feel. Member Rotarnet 'bookmarks' will have to be changed.

Club Program for October 2015

Wednesday Oct 21 Club Website update news

BOARD MEETING

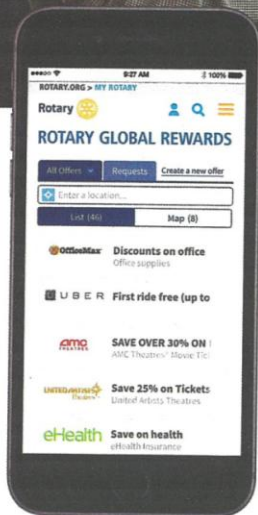
Thursday 22 Oct 5-6 – 9pm, 2 shifts, Eastern Creek Raceway BBQ

Wednesday Oct 28 Police Officer of the Year Award

Friday Oct 30 3=5pm, Homebush West Public School, Halloween BBQ

Statistics 14.10.2015 Members 23 , Partners 1, Guests 2, LoA 6, Apologies 9, NA 9
Raffle \$185.00, Sergeant \$93.75, Community

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Rotary Global Rewards is a member benefits program that offers discounts on products and services like travel, hotels, dining and entertainment. Rotary Global Rewards help Rotarians:

- *Do more good work: involving more members in, or expanding the impact of Rotary projects;*
- *Build Rotary friendships by forging richer friendships with fellow Rotarians*
- *Share their story with someone new at a coffee shop or restaurant.*

THERE'S MORE TO ROTARY THAN JUST GREAT SAUSAGES!



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www.rotaryaustralia.org.au

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TOMORROW

Thursday Oct 22

5-6 to 9pm, in 2 shifts, **Northshore Sporting Car Club (NSSCC)** at Eastern Creek Raceway. Last year Strathfield Rotary were given the opportunity to run the BBQ, courtesy of race car driver Keith Byrn, with the car club providing food and drinks and with Strathfield Rotary simply providing the labour (\$500 per night, \$3,000 for the series). Suttons Subaru Chullora provide the BBQ trailer and 2 helpers.

NEXT FRIDAY

Friday October 30

3 to 5pm, **Homebush West Public School**, Halloween BBQ for the students. Last year we helped the school by providing BBQ facilities with the school P&C providing sausages and drinks.



**Fundraising
Target: \$80,000**

= 1 new Clinical Research Nurse



ANOTHER MEANS OF
SUPPORT FOR
LYMPHOMA AUSTRALIA
Make a Taxable Deduction
DONATION TO
HAEMATOLOGY DEPARTMENT
CONCORD HOSPITAL NSW

MEETING NEXT WEEK: POLICE OFFICER OF THE YEAR AWARD

Wednesday 28th October, 6.30pm for 7pm

- Canapes will be served from 6.30pm
- Two course dinner will be served
- Red and white wine and fruit juice will be included in cost
- \$40 per head cost
- Arthur Crossan artwork donated for **RAFFLE ON THE NIGHT**