



21st September
2024

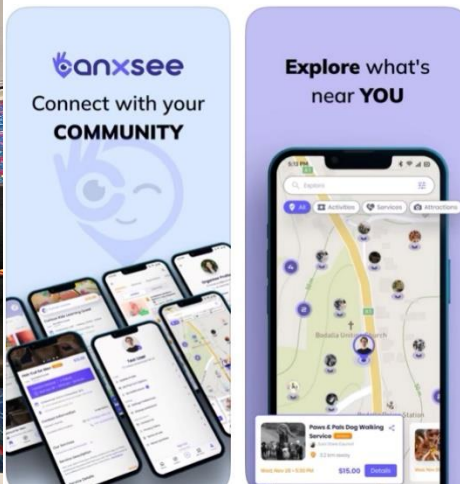


Four Way Test
of the things we
think, say or do

Is it the **TRUTH**?
Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
Will it build **GOODWILL** and **BETTER
FRIENDSHIPS**?
Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?



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MEETINGS :

Thursday 26th September

Lindsay Usher, Julianne & Martin
Wisata -- Mogo Trails & Sea Otter
Introduction: Alan Russell
Toast & Thanks: John Haslem
Door: Nicole McDonald

Thursday 3rd October

Visit to Batemans Bay Heritage
Museum, Museum Place. Partners
and Friends welcome

****See below for more details****

Bring a share plate
BYO Drinks and glasses
Tea and Coffee provided

Thursday 10th October

Heidi Pohlsen – Recollections of
Batemans Bay from the 60's
onwards.

Toast & Thanks: Chris Bendle
Door: Chris Watson

Thursday 17th October

Young Doctors – Summary of their
year in the Eurobodalla and
experiences of their indigenous
placement

Toast & Thanks: Alan Russell
Door: Brian Jones

BOOK IN NOW 9705 District Conference

Date: 25 – 27 October 2024 Venue: Mittagong RSL

www.discon24.com

A number of us have already booked and we look forward to a
great weekend!

Check out the District Website regularly for interesting reading
on interesting Rotary projects <https://rotary9705.org.au>

**All Meetings at the Soldiers Club
unless otherwise advised.
6 for 6.30pm
Bookings can be made on website.
rotarybbay.org.au**

***Guest Speaker Sharon Bennett started her presentation in a novel
way by throwing chocolates at us!***

***Following on from her long career in marketing, we had to guess
the logos of well known brands and were rewarded with a
chocolate.***

***However, it was about the App CanXSee that she came to inform us
of, which was created by Sharon and Sanchee Barnes.***

***The idea came during Covid when Sharon was stuck in Russia and
was dependent on Facebook.***

***CanXSee provides a wide range of information for both locals and
tourists. It is constantly evolving, giving details on events, services,
attractions, meetings, groups, emergency contacts. The list is
endless. The major demographic for the app is 35 years and
younger so is definitely the way of the future.***

The app is free to download.

From the Board Meeting held Thursday 19th September 2024:

1. There will be no Rotary meeting on Thursday 7th November as five club members are travelling to East Timor for the opening of the school we have supported. In place of this meeting, all club members are invited to represent Rotary at the Multicultural Group Diversity Day Function on Saturday 9th November at the Greek Church. More information will be forthcoming.
2. The 'Rotary Stall' at the Sunday Markets will be maintained but reduced to one Rotarian present between 10am and 12 noon on Market Day (in addition to the two Market Managers).
3. The Board will invite Paul Biddlestone (CEO Soldiers Club) to attend our October Board meeting to explain new Club Grant procedures and clarify the status of our bookings.
4. The Board is investigating options for holding a community Australia Day Function in 2025. The preferred option is for a low key BBQ and music gathering at Malua Bay Beach where new playground facilities and the Surf Club venue will support such an event.
5. The Treasurer will submit the new annual Tax Exemption Form now required by the ATO for all Australian not-for-profits.
6. Hugh Scott has been appointed as the Minutes Secretary to the Board for the rest of this Rotary year commencing October (thanks Hugh).
7. Refurbishing the Rotary clock will present challenges as the clock has to be removed, sandblasted, powdercoated and reinstalled with new digital screens all in a safe manner. Project manager David Ashford welcomes any advice or contacts.
8. Nowra Rotary is sponsoring the Science and Engineering Challenge (from Newcastle University) to the Shoalhaven in June next year and our secondary schools will be invited to attend. They will also be looking for Rotarians to run the day.
9. We will cater for the Broulee Soccer Club presentation (BBQ sausage sizzle) from 9am this coming Sunday with thanks to those on the roster.
10. The President and the Secretary are meeting with the Museum and the Multicultural Group to develop ideas together to celebrate Harmony Day on Friday 21st March 2025.

Neil Simpson
Secretary

We will celebrate Hat Day in October and Support Mental Health Research



Where: Batemans Bay Heritage Museum

When: Thursday 3rd October

Time: 6pm **Cost:** \$10

Partners & Friends Welcome

Bring your Hats – old, funny, beautiful, foreign (any hat!) and win a prize!

(There will be hats from bygone days at the Museum to wear).

Bring a plate to share for supper. BYO drinks and glasses.
The main exhibition at the Museum is "All about Bees" and there will be a Guest Speaker on Beekeeping.



Next Meeting - The exciting Mogo Trails
_Come along to the meeting on 26th September to hear all about this world class new mountain bike destination.

ATTEMPTED MURDER

