



5th October  
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?

## Hat Day at the Batemans Bay Heritage Museum



### MEETINGS :

#### Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> October

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

Toast & Thanks: Chris Bendle  
Door: Chris Watson

#### Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> October **(Note this is usually a Board Meeting but the student Doctors leave at the end of this week)**

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

Toast & Thanks: Alan Russell  
Door: Brian Jones

#### Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> October

Board Meeting 5pm followed by dinner 7pm in Bistro – all welcome

#### Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> October

Pride of Workmanship Night  
(See below for details)

Vocational Director- Alan Russell  
Door: Neil Simpson

**All Meetings at the Soldiers Club unless otherwise advised.  
6 for 6.30pm**

**Bookings can be made on  
website.  
[rotarybbay.org.au](http://rotarybbay.org.au)**

It was a great evening at the Museum and we thank Curator Sofia Eriksson for making us so welcome. They had sourced some hats for us to wear and a guest speaker Bob, a local apiarist to talk about the latest exhibition on bees. We learned how organised and disciplined the hive is and how the worker bees do all the work, while the drone bees only task is to mate with the queen. Talking about the queen, she has a terrible life, laying up to 2000 eggs a day and then she dies in a few years. Royalty isn't all it is cracked up to be in the bee world!

We had some wonderful hats in support of Australian Rotary Health with Peter Kable and Brian Jones taking home a prize along with Bronwyn Geppert who had the best hat of all – her Rotary Hat! As usual, we had too much delicious food for us to eat. Thank you to all who contributed. We also enjoyed the company of two potential members Pam Williams and Amber Schutz.



**LIFT THE LID**  
on mental illness



We are anticipating a busy Market this week. All sites are booked and it is school holidays plus Labour Day long weekend. Come on down!!!



It is with great sadness that we hear of the passing on Wednesday evening of our former member Robbie Law. We remember Iarakin Robbie fondly for his good humour and fun. Our thoughts and best wishes go to Daphne and the family. Will advise funeral details.

*There will be NO meeting on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> November for two reasons – firstly we are unable to use the Soldiers Club that night and secondly, because our group of Timor Travellers will be away so we will only have small numbers. Therefore, our meeting will be transferred to the Saturday evening and we will join the Eurobodalla Multicultural Group for Diversity Night 2024. Tickets MUST be obtained from JJJ Oriental Supermarket on Orient St prior to the event.*

*There is limited space so book in early!*



## Eurobodalla Multicultural Group

presents

### DIVERSITY NIGHT 2024



**Saturday, 9 Nov 2024**  
**6.00 pm for 6.30 pm start**  
**At St Johns Greek Church Hall**  
**1 Clyde Road**  
**North Batemans Bay**

**DOOR DONATION**  
 Ticket to be collected at  
**JJJ Oriental Supermarket**  
 For more information please send  
 SMS to May or Cel 048 777 0602  
 Email : efscmg@gmail.com

**LIMITED SPACE**

**Delicious Multicultural food available**  
**Feel free to bring food to share**  
**BYO alcohol**  
**Soft drinks can be purchased at the venue**



This event is supported by  
**Batemans Bay Greek Community**

## PRIDE OF WORKMANSHIP



BUILD A BETTER AUSTRALIA

*Pride of Workmanship Night is coming up on 31<sup>st</sup> October. We are looking to recognise an employee, who goes over and above in their job. Nominate someone you have noticed displays outstanding qualities. Letters to employers and nomination forms can be obtained from Alan and these need to be completed no later than 24<sup>th</sup> October.*

**I thought swimming with dolphins was expensive until I went swimming with sharks.. It cost me an arm and a leg**

**Rotary**



Most Financially Sound  
 Largest  
 Most Powerful  
 Networking Service  
 Organization

Whose flag is recognized in more Countries than any other flag in the world

**Every minute of every day Rotary:**

- \* Feeds someone
- \* Houses someone
- \* Vaccinates someone
- \* Performs surgery on someone
- \* Comforts someone
- \* Provides clean water to someone

**THIS IS ROTARY!**

### Canada 23 September 2024

Canada continues to demonstrate its commitment and leadership in the fight to eradicate polio, announcing a new contribution of CAN\$151million over the next 3 years.

Latest case figures see an increase and YTD is now –  
**Afghanistan - 22**  
**Pakistan - 24**

# WORLD POLIO DAY

## 24 OCTOBER

