

# Rotary

## Club of Gloucester



## JULY BULLETIN

**Maternal and Child Health Month**

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### **BRING IT ON TEAM!**

**13<sup>th</sup> July** NADOC BBQ 9'30am @ Rec centre

**16<sup>th</sup> July** Yipirinya School visit brief.  
Technology help night.

**23<sup>rd</sup> July** Transfer meeting for Yipirinya fellas.

**30<sup>th</sup> July** TBA

**6<sup>th</sup> August** Christine Buckley 'Bushstock'  
Farewell to Otavio

Welcome to Taylah Maree & Diann Relf

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### **Team for 2024-2025**

District Governor Bruce George

President PP Brian Beesley

Secretary PP Ray Martin

Treasurer PP Sharee Abeysekera

Rotary International President Stephanie A. Urchick





**NAIDOC BBQ 13<sup>th</sup> July**

9.30am at the recreation centre.

**Yipirinya School visit Brief & Technology Help night 16<sup>th</sup> July**

Final brief on the Yipirinya School visit. Lets make them welcome.



Yipirinya school photo.

**Information technology – Great when it's working 😊**

It's one thing to make changes and improvements to the way the club runs things and informs the community, but it's another thing for some of our less tech savvy members to keep up with it! So tonight, we will have a bit of a club technology help night.

Time allowing, we will cover our new systems;

- Jotform RSVP attendance and why we need it.
- DACdb access to the Rotary database system. Why aren't we using it more?
- Our new website and members' only section.
- Our social media presence, team and what we can do to help them. Why is it important?
- Potential for the future. Our audience can be the world!
- **Nerd for a friend!** Some of our members can team up to help with information technology help for fellow members.

If you need help please bring along your device. No need to bring the desktop, just smartphones, laptops & tablets.

If you have a working grasp of IT please bring yourself and skills to help your fellow Rotarians. We can take for granted how easy it is for us to navigate the IT world and a little bit of help can go a long way!



## Transfer Meeting at High School auditorium with 'The Bowden Brothers' 23<sup>rd</sup> July

Meet will be at the high school for 'The Bowden Brothers' for the Yipirinya fellas. BBQ by Rotary from 6pm. Concert at 7pm. There will be a separate attendance invite sent out early with this weeks invite to get our numbers sorted so that we can open it to others.

## Christine Buckley Guest speaker about 'Bushstock BBQ' 6<sup>th</sup> July

Christine is a community support worker & case manager in disability & mental health, crisis counsellor, trainer & facilitator for carers of people with mental illness, life & leadership coaching since 2008.



## *"EQUIPPING MEN TO BE MEN"*

**Date:** Friday 30th August 2024

**Time:** 6pm -11pm

**Venue:** Gloucester Showground

**Speaker:** Allen Kelly from QLD

**Entertainment:** The Bowden Brothers

**Tickets:** Free via [Trybooking.com/CSBES](https://trybooking.com/CSBES)

or \$25 at the gate. **BYO** alcohol

**Courtesy Bus:** Gloucester - Stratford 9.30/10pm

**Contact:** bushstockbbq@outlook.com



## **LUCKY DOOR PRIZE, RAFFLES, BBQ DINNER, FIREPIT**

Major contributors:







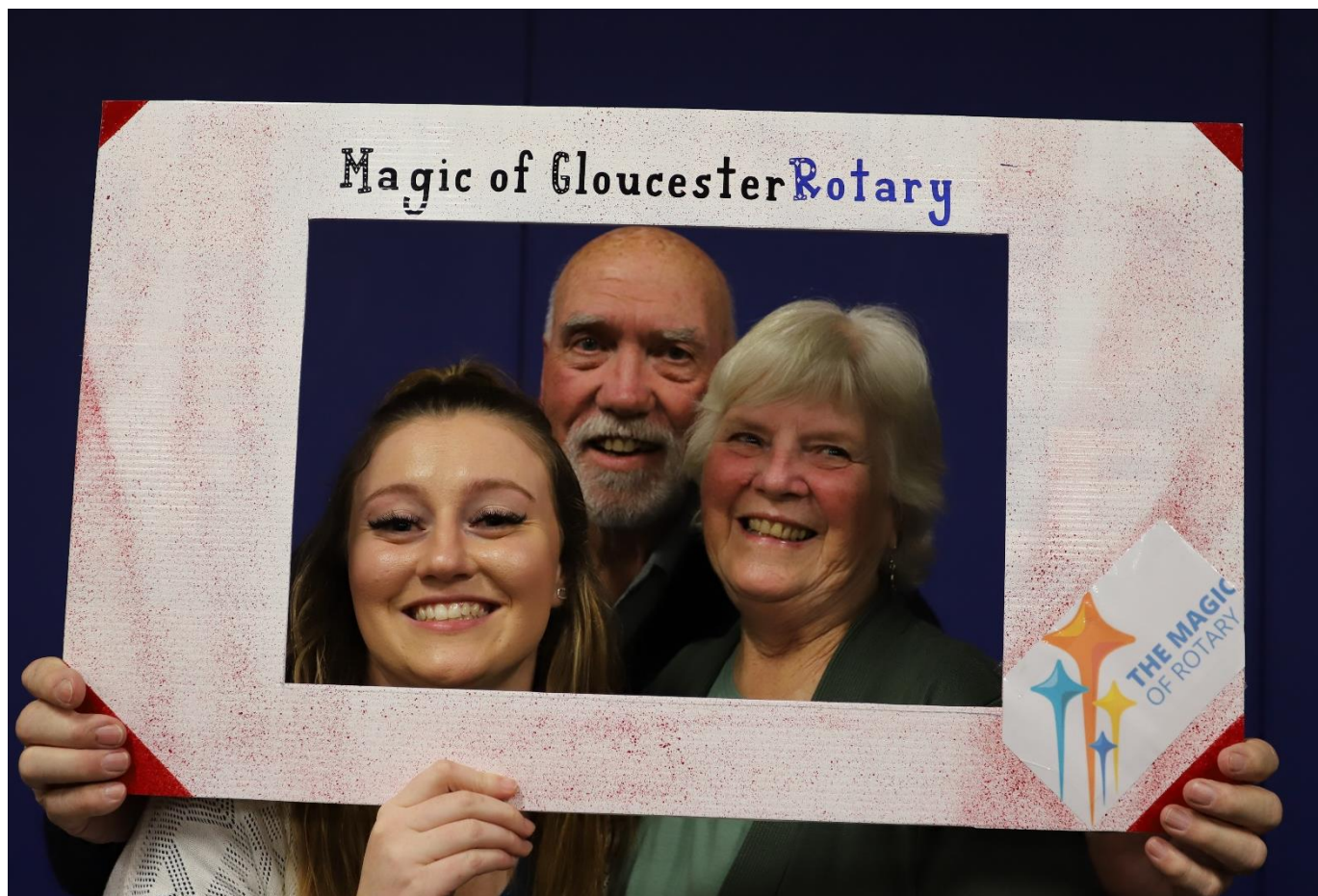
Early this month we farewelled Otavio our Brazilian exchange student.

Otavio had the whole room tearing up with his farewell speech. His enthusiasm and outlook on life is inspirational! His tennis is pretty good too.

Bright future ahead for this young man!







Taylah Maree was welcomed into the Gloucester Rotary Club this month

Watch out Gloucester Rotary. With all this fresh blood in the club who knows where we'll end up! I suspect it will be a good place.





## Presidential Pronouncements 🗣️ 🗣️ 🗣️ 🗣️ 🗣️

**NAIDOC BBQ:** For those who raised a hand to help ... 9.30 am this Saturday 13th July at the Rec. Centre. All products supplied ... we just cook!  
All welcome to the BBQ and/or the Event.

**Next week seating arrangements:** Your Directors will be seated at separate tables around the room and would like you to select the area of Service that most interests you. Yes if some poor soul looks lonely please select a second choice. 😊. This will speed up the "tabletalk" and allow informal and meaningful discussion so we can set the scene for 2024/5. Bring your thoughts with you .. and I have transcribed the ones left on the sheets last week for your reference.

**YIPIRINYA VISIT: Tuesday 22nd July Bowdens Welcome at the High School:** Please answer Walts text request promptly to let me know you wish to come and how many guests you will bring ... Seating is limited and I want you to have priority before I go public.

Not being a football tragic ... I inadvertently mentioned the "Cockies" football ... should read "Magpies" .. modify your paperwork. (Well picked up by Stelz)

You are welcome to be involved in any events ..... I have 2 bus seats left on the Sunday Trip to Forster .... Great seaside day event. and 3 bus seats for the Barrington tops BBQ and orientation day with the NPWS. At all events you can drive yourself if you wish .. I will have the sign-on sheet with me next week or give me a buzz.

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### Welcome Diann Relf

As if Diann doesn't do enough for the Gloucester community already! Now Di has joined Gloucester Rotary and we are thrilled to have her. 😊







### **Editors note**

Short and sweet this week. As these will be monthly I will be chasing content all month. Make sure to contact me if there is anything you would like included in the bulletin and send me photos! Please!!!

Have a great month all, Walt

