CLUB BUZZ
1st February 2024

Rotary Club of St Ives

We are sure the date of Sunday 22 September is in your 2024 calendar for the St Ives Food and Wine Festival. We need all hands on deck as they say for this event! Please share the date with your family and friends.
Remember to check out our social media pages:
FWF website: https://www.stivesfoodandwine.com

FWF Facebook: https://wwwfacebook.com/stivesfoodandwinefestival

Rotary Club of Springwood - POCKET PAL UPDATE

At last we have some positive news to pass on this Project. Deborah Wood received an email from Ayse Mine Ergun, the wonderful Rotary Lady in Turkey who has been working hard to facilitate the receipt of, and hand out the Pocket Pals to those in need in the area of the earthquakes. The receipt of the PP had been delayed by Australian Customs (reason unknown) then by Turkish Customs (who slapped duty on them and refused to release them). But finally, the following acknowledgement of all the hard work was received:

This is part of the narrative from Asye, which accompanied the photos…"*A part of our pocket pals were presented to earthquake survivor children who came together in a village in Hatay thanks to our Rotary mobile kindergarten (my precious GG project). Our volunteer teachers of the kindergarten happily shared below pics with me, they all send their very sincere greetings and kisses to all of you… Also I told about this to our district governor who sent his very best regards to you as well. There will be more in the upcoming days… We will present some of them to the handicapped and disabled earthquake victim children living in container cities soon*."

Attached are some photographs of the children receiving the Pocket Pals. I want to thank everybody who has helped in the production of the PPs, and the assistance in the delivery of same to Turkey. For Deborah it has been a labour of love although at times the 'labour' bit has proved very frustrating at times.

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RAWCS Project 67/2021-22

We extend our heartfelt invitation to you to join us for an enriching evening at our "All You Can Eat Dosa Night Fundraiser"! Please help us spread the word and seek your valuable support as we come together to raise awareness for The Rotary Foundation Global Grant projects sponsored by clubs in our district covering India and Sri Lanka.

Savor the culinary delights of South India with 11 different dosas and a selection of Australian wines that will tantalize your taste buds. Throughout the event, we'll showcase inspiring Global Grant projects initiated by clubs in our district, expanding our positive impact to Cambodia and Vietnam.

Our primary focus is on projects in India and Sri Lanka that require international collaboration, emphasizing Maternal and Child Health, Disease Prevention, and Basic Education and Literacy. Join us in contributing to global change and making a positive impact.

Discover the joy of giving by supporting crucial initiatives like the Neonatal Transport Ventilator for Mullaitivu Hospital and Human Milk Bank projects for Theni and Karur in India. Rotarians and diaspora community members, your vibrant presence is essential to uniting, embracing the Rotary spirit, and witnessing the transformative power of community engagement.

Please save the date on your calendars and join us for an evening filled with delicious dosas, delightful company, and an opportunity to contribute to meaningful projects. Together, let's make a lasting impact!

Yours in Rotary
Haran Ramachandran MACS (Snr), PP, PHF, JP (NSW)
Member – e-club of Greater Sydney

Rotary Club of Erina

ERINA ROTARY FUNDRAISER - BOB MARLEY: ONE LOVE

Director: Reinaldo Marcus Green,
Cast: Nadine Marshall, Umi Myers, Michael Gandolfini, Lashana Lynch, Tosin Cole, James Norton, Kingsley Ben-Adir, Anthony Welsh,
Genre: Biography
Rating: **Runtime:** 140 Minutes

BOB MARLEY: ONE LOVE celebrates the life and music of an icon who inspired generations through his message of love and unity. On the big screen for the first time, discover Bob's powerful story of overcoming adversity and the journey behind his revolutionary music. Produced in partnership with the Marley family and starring Kingsley Ben-Adir as the legendary musician and Lashana Lynch as his wife Rita.
All proceeds to go to The Rotary Club of Erina's International projects, including:

- Community Support for Remexio Timor Leste
- The School of St Jude, Tanzania
- Cradle of Love Baby Home, Tanzania

Click on the poster to book tickets.

Rotary Club of Warringah

IVEY CHEDID - Rotary Youth Leadership Award (RYLA)

One of our returned Rotary Youth Leadership Award (RYLA) candidates Ivey Chedid dropped in to talk to us about her busy week. She described RYLA as exceptional and genuinely life changing. The amazing speakers that took time out of their busy lives to talk to them included **Channel TEN** newsreader, journalist and foreign correspondent **Hugh Riminton**, former South Sudanese child soldier now lawyer and refugee advocate, and **2017 NSW Australian of the Year Deng Adut**, MLA and dual **Paralympian** (basketball and sailing) **gold medallist Liesl Tesch AM, Shane Fitzsimmons AO AFSM** former **Head of Resilience NSW** and the **Commissioner of the NSW Rural Fire Service**, **former Detective Superintendent** and "gangbuster" **Deborah Wallace** and **Australian Army veteran Shane Healey**.

Leadership was their topic and they covered it from many angles. Ivey found Deborah Wallace's talk especially helpful as Deb was a woman in a mainly male environment in the NSW Police Force and Ivey is studying mechanical engineering where her cohort is roughly 90 per cent male. As well as speakers, RYLA provided a range of activities, including in crisis management. Meeting **70 young adults** with similar aims and leadership focus has given her a range of contacts in many fields – RYLArians are great at keeping in touch.

Ivey is **President** of the **Northern Beaches Rotaract Club** so will use her new skills in reinvigorating the group, with several fellow RYLArians planning to join.
Story by Liz McDougall

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Starting and finishing in Turramurra (in Sydney's Upper North Shore), the four distances take in some of the most beautiful scenery in Sydney. The course runs through Bobbin Head, taking in the amazing scenery of Ku-ring-gai Chase National Park and the breathtaking coastal views from West Head.

There are four distances to suit every rider level and goal. You can challenge yourself on the 104 km, 80 km or 57 km course or take the scenic 27 km route.

With funds going to support Lifeline and other charities, you not only get to experience the ride of a lifetime but also help save lives.

Course map

Visit our website for more information

Length	Adult EB	Adult	Youth EB	Youth
104km	$120	$140	$70	$80
80km	$100	$120	$60	$70
57km	$85	$100	$50	$60
27km	$65	$80	$40	$50

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Team registrations

Either register as a team straight away, or register as an individual and join / create a team after registration. Either way, we'll walk you through the simple process.

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