

# ROTARY CLUB OF TAMWORTH FIRST LIGHT

Year 2004 - 2005

**WORLD PRESIDENT**  
Glenn Estess - Shades Valley - Alabama

**DISTRICT GOVERNOR**  
Harry Durey - Armidale AM

**THEME = "Celebrate Rotary"**

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS

**President - Brodie Shields**  
**President Elect - Vicki Cooper**

**Secretary - Anne Jacob**  
**Treasurer - Ian Howle**

### *CLUB SERVICE - Director - Ron Allen*

**Committee:** David Head; Wilton Boyd; Mark O'Brien; Trevor Prowse; David Hinwood

**Attendance:** Terry Burgess

**Corporals & Club Equipment:** Julian Smith; Paul Robinson

**Programme:** Max Cathcart

**Social, Sporting & Fellowship:** Ross Lobsey; Paul Keane; Meg Larkin

**Science Expo:** Alan Coates

**Webmaster:** Bruce Hemmett

**Public Officer:** Michael O'Connor

**Sergeant at Arms:** Barry Biffin

**Mentor Chairman:** Ron Allen

**Bulletin:** Dennis Maunder

**Classification & Membership:** Vicki Cooper

**Public Rel** Barry Walton

**History:** Terry Burgess

**Catering:** Brian Logan

**Careers Expo:** Alan Coates

**Golf Committee:** Terry Burgess; Brian Thompson; Brian Yeo; David Hinwood; Neil Lyon; Steve Burrows; Maureen Thornton; Dennis Maunder ; Les Jacob; Norm Dezius; Ross Lobsey; Laurence Hearne; Bruce Hemmett; Phil Heffernan

**Community Markets Committee:** Graham Dooley; Bruce Hemmett; Phil Heffernan; Vicki Cooper, Laurence Hearne, Max Cathcart; Les Jacob

**Centenary Committee:**  
Ron Allen; Hayley Albertson

### *COMMUNITY SERVICE - Director - Hayley Albertson*

**Committee:** John Trollor; Barry Hunter; Annette Arthur; Graham Dooley; Les Jacob; Dennis Johnson; Cath McGirr; Graham Nuttall; Garnet Wood; Brian Yeo

**Community Needs Research:**

**Preserve Planet Earth, Rotary Trees for Survival, Murray Darling River System:**

**Health (Mens & Womens):**

**Kevin Harges Rotary Blood Bank Foundation:**

**Women's Issues:**

**Bowel Scan:**

**Australian Rotary Health Research Fund:**

**Westpac Rescue Helicopter:**

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***INTERNATIONAL SERVICE DIRECTOR - Director - Greg Hyde***

<b>Committee:</b> David Baddams; Derani Barwick; Michael Bryant; Phil Heffernan; Neil Lyon; John Treloar
<b>Better Earth Programme:</b> Eric Kawabe; Les Jacob; Bruce Hemmett; Michael O'Connor
<b>International Frienship Exchange:</b>
<b>Rotary Foundation Officer:</b>
<b>Group Study Exchange:</b>
<b>Polio Plus:</b>
<b>Rotary Australia World Community Service:</b>

***VOCATIONAL SERVICE - Director - Ian Pearson***

<b>Committee:</b> John Allen; Brian Thompson; Brett White; Maureen Thornton; Terry Robinson; Tony Jefferson; Steve Burrows; Alan Coates; Tony Hodge; Barry Murphy
<b>Pride of Workmanship Awards:</b>
<b>Rotary Volunteers:</b> Owen Thompson
<b>Australian Corporate Alliance Programme:</b>
<b>Increasing Employment Opportunities:</b>
<b>Unemployed Upskilling Projects:</b>

***NEW GENERATIONS - Director - Tim Coates***

<b>Committee:</b> Chamberlain; Laurence Hearne; Jodie Toft; Dick Davison; Andrew Hosken; Bill Moss
<b>Public Speaking Competition and Dorothy McKellar Memorail Poetry:</b> Bill Moss
<b>RYPEN:</b>
<b>RYLA:</b>
<b>Australia/New Zealand matched Exchange:</b>
<b>Youth Exchange Programme:</b> Ian Pearson
<b>MUNA (Model United Nations Assembly):</b>
<b>Rotoract:</b>
<b>National Youth Science Forum:</b>
<b>Siemens Science Summer School:</b>

**Meeting Place - Country Comfort Motel - 293 Marius Street - Tamworth**  
Breakfast Cost - \$16.00

Annual Dues - \$200

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**MEMBERSHIP**

<b>New Members</b>	
Chris Power	15/12/04
Mark O'Connor	23/02/05
Des Gorman	11/05/05
Louise Matthews	18/06/05
Pam Shields	18/06/05

<b>Members Resigned</b>			
Kath McGirr	Transfer		01/07/04
Trevor Prowse	Transfer		11/08/04
Garnet Wood	Business		25/08/04
Scott Irving	Business		22/09/04
Tony Jefferson	Business		06/10/04
Barry Walton	Term		20/10/04
Greg Hyde	Transfer		01/12/04
Tony Hodge	Business		08/12/04
John Trollor	Transfer		23/02/05
Derani Barwick	Family		09/03/05

**PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS**

John Trollor - Sapphire Pin  
Pat Trollor

Ron Allen - Sapphire Pin  
Graham Dooley  
Brian Logan

Presented at Change over Dinner - 18 June 2005

**AWARDS**

**Dick Davison - Awarded Life Membership of the Rotary Club of Tamworth First Light**

**Australian Rotary Health Research Fund - Club contribution - \$250 per member**

**MEMBER PROFILES**

Dick Davison
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Chris Power
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**ACTIVITIES**

**COMMUNITY SERVICE**

Bucket Brigade for Carols by Candlelight	for Children's Medical Research Fund
Community Car Boot Markets	
Combined Clubs Centenary Project - Challenge Challenge	
District 9650 Centenary Bear Project	
Bowelscan Programme - March 2005	

Blood donors for annual Blood Bank Appeal

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**COMMUNITY SERVICE - Continued**

Acted as marshalls for CMF Cavalcade  
Bucket Brigade - Kasey Chambers Concert - Bi Centennial Park  
Manned voluteer RBT station - Golden Guitar  
Combined Rotary Club float Country Music Festival  
Conducted Men's Health Expo at Tamworth Community Centre

**INTERNATIONAL SERVICE**

American Goodwill Tour - three families hosted  
Hosted GSE Team from South Africa  
Tamworth North - GSE Presentation - South Africa

**VOCATIONAL SERVICE**

Visit Tamworth Police Station  
Visit Tamworth Regional Art Gallery

**NEW GENERATIONS**

Amos Young and Rachael lilet - NYSF Canberra  
Catering for Young Driver Training Scheme  
Conducted Science & Engineering Challenge  
Science in the Bush Programme : Dr Karl - Town Hall  
Phillip Usher; Rachael lilett; William Longfield; Rural Youth Public Speaker Candidates  
Careers Expo - TREC - May 2005  
Assisted to host MUNA - May 2005  
With Tamwest Club - Co-hosted - Vinicius Borges (Vinnie) from Brazil. Host Families - Mark and Marie O'Brien and Brett and Trudy White.  
Joanne Whale - RYLA candidate

**SOCIAL, SPORTING & FELLOWSHIP**

Supported Tamworth North Annual Charity Bowls Day  
14th Annual Gold Coast Golf Classic - August 2004  
6th Annual Hunter Golf Tour "Swinging in the Vines" Oct-04  
12th Annual Bonville Golf Tour - Feb.2005  
North Tamworth Combined Rotary Clubs Cocktail Party : Garden Expo  
Family Ten Pin Bowling Day  
Christmas Party  
Combined Clubs - Rotary Centenary Breakfast - Tamworth Race Course - 23/2/2005  
Combined Rotary Clubs Great Debate  
District Conference - Armidale - 8-10/4/2005  
Annual Rotary Golf Masters - Longyard - May 2005  
Social Function - Tangaratta Winery - Challenge Challenge  
Tamworth North Cocktail Party - Challenge Challenge

Combined Rotary Clubs Race Day - Challenge  
 Tamworth Hockey Club - Public Farewell for John and Pat Trollor

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**GUEST SPEAKERS**

<b>SPEAKER</b>	<b>TOPIC</b>
Melissa Dewar	Rotary Youth Leadership Awards Candidate
Peter Dunstan	Challenge Disability Services
Ross Lobsey	My Trip to Egypt
Gail Ritchie	National Cutting Horse Association
Alan Johns and Michelle Edmonds	Cochlear Ear Implants
Hannah McAuley; Rachel Ilett; Amos Young	National Youth Science Participants
Trevor Stewart	Water Purity
Steve Pearce	NSW Fire Services
Tim Hanson	National Youth Science Forum - South Africa Trip
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Vinnie	Brazil - Exchange Student
John Wynan	Banalasta
Andrew Duck	Echo Host Corporate
Dr Ian Gardiner	Australian Scientists work in California
Harry and Joyce Durey	DG Visit - 29/9/2005
Natalie Flemming	Cancer Council of NSW - Skin Cancers
John Buckley	Tamworth & District Model Engineers
Glen Jones	Army Reserves
Phillip Usher; Rachael Ilett; William Longfield	Public Speaking Competition
Sandy Thorne	Author
David Evans	ABC
Vinnie Borges	Brazil
Kathy Sunners and Lance Ellis	Country Music
Jim Carey	Carey's Freight Lines
Jan Andrew Whittet	Update - Billabong Club House
Glen Inglis	De-brief Tamworth Country Music Festival
Hannah McAuley	Honeywell Science School
Rachael Ilett and Amos Young	National Youth Summer Science School
Bruce Korn	Tamworth Development Corporation
Daniel Lane	Gliding
Darryl Greentree	Self Funded Retirees
Owen Jones and Col Burns	The Kokoda Track
Emma Bock	Queen of Country Music
Prof. Peter Jones	Department of Rural Health - UNE
Susan Diver-Tuck	Eastern Conference University Games
Joanne Whale	Rotary Youth Leadership Awards