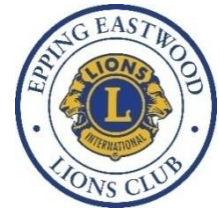




ROAR



President's Report - Rosemary Sheather

BBQs

Our ERNA BBQ season is now underway and thankfully ERNA has provided us with some much-needed volunteers. From the feedback I have been hearing, the volunteers have been enjoying the experience and our Club members have very much appreciated their help.

EPPING ART FAIR

John, Mike Barnett and myself attended the opening function for the Epping Boys Art Fair last Friday evening. There was some amazing art work and a large number of people attended the evening.

Our Club was acknowledged and thanked for sponsoring the 2nd Highly Commended Prize.

MACQUARIE CENTRE – Mother's Day Wrapping Stall

For those who have time we will be manning the stall Thursday 5 May to Friday 6 May. As we have BBQ commitments on the Saturday, I have advised Emma that we are unable to man the stall on Saturday and Sunday.

ANZAC DAY

ANZAC Day is 25 April. John and I will be attending the morning service. We will be providing breakfast at our home afterwards for those who would like to join us. Please just let us know in advance for catering purposes.

CLUB BOARD & CLUB COMMITTEES

Club Board positions have been finalised for the year 2022-2023 and are as follows:

President	- Rosemary Sheather
1 st Vice President-	- Warren Latham
Membership Chairperson (GMT)	- Mo Chamanpara
Membership Committee	- Warren Latham, John Sheather, Ian Partington
Secretary	- Lynn Campbell
Treasurer/ Public Officer	- Mike Bills
Tail Twister/ Christmas Cake Chairman	- Mike Barnett
Director (Global Leadership Team)	- Warren Latham
Director/Lion Tamer	- Rodney Dinnell
Director/Assistant Treasurer	- Charles Webster
Director/Lions Tamer	- Ian Partington
Director/YOTY Co-Ordinator	- Jessica Siviz
Director	- Marilyn Latham

Other positions:

Guest Speaker Organiser
Social Media
Meals on Wheels
BBQ Co-Ordinator
BBQ Committee
Jams & Preserves
Recycling glasses
Grocery Collection
Roar Editor
Social Secretary

- Warren Latham
- Ann Paterson
- Charles Webster
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- Mike Bills, Mike Barnett, David Doring
- Lynn Campbell, Ann Paterson, Tracey Walker
- Rosemary Sheather
- Marilyn Latham
- Jessica Siviz
- John & Rosemary Sheather

Club Changeover

The Club Changeover will be held at the dinner meeting on 20 July. More details to follow

LIONS NSW/ACT SAVE SIGHT & PUBLIC HEALTH CARE FOUNDATIONS

John, Warren & myself attended the Foundations Board Meeting and Community Challenge Dinner in March. Over \$30,000 has been raised by the Community Challenge contestants this year.

The Car Raffle was drawn and the winning ticket was sold by the Cooma Lions Club.

On Friday, 25 March I was invited to the Sydney Eye Hospital to see the new Digital Microscope that the Foundations donated \$100,000 towards. The Ophthalmologists and Nursing staff were extremely appreciative of Lions Members and their Clubs for all the hard work they do to fundraise, as our fundraising ultimately helps to provide organisations such as the Eye Hospital with equipment to help the community.



SPECIAL AWARD

At the Board Meeting John Sheather was presented with a “Life Member” award for all the hard work and time he has given to the Foundations. Congratulations John.



THINKING OF MEMBERS

Our thoughts are still with Dale in navigating his cancer battle, David who has Covid and Ann recovering from her knee operation.

Meals on Wheels Roster

Please pick up the meals no later than 11 am

April 23	Mike Bills
April 30	Mo Chamanpara
May 7	Geoff Pascoe
May 14	Rosemary Sheather
May 21	Ian Partington
May 28	Leslie McFarlane
June 4	Mike Barnett
June 11	David Doring
June 18	Michael Ho
June 25	Kerry Ferguson

Please remember to wear a mask and check in with the QR code on your rostered day. Please let Charles know if you are unable to do your rostered day asap. Thankyou

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Lions Club of Epping Eastwood Inc.

Upcoming Events

ANZAC DAY DAWN SERVICE

Sunday 25th April

More information below

ERNA NETBALL BBQ SEASON

Continues on Saturdays

Eastwood Ryde Netball Association - Meadowbank
Park Adelaide Street, Meadowbank, NSW 2114

Wednesday 4th May 2022

NEXT BOARD MEETING

All Members welcome to attend please contact
President Rosemary Sheather on 0412 475 392

MACQUARIE CENTRE MOTHER'S DAY GIFT

WRAPPING

Thursday 5th May and Friday 6th May

Wednesday 18th May 2022

CLUB DINNER MEETING

EPPING EASTWOOD LIONS CLUB

CHANGEOVER DINNER

Wednesday 20th July

Save The Date - more information to come

Why I Became a Lion?

Lion Kerry Ferguson (Member Since 5th September 2018):

I have always been involved as a volunteer with my mother through the church when I was a child and then through my own children's primary school, scouts and sporting activities. As the kids got older and the opportunities got less, I started searching for something to contribute my time to.

As my daughter plays netball at Meadowbank, I had seen the Lions stall and googled what Lions was about. Didn't take any action at that time. Then, as part of netball team, you have to either help on canteen or BBQ. I chose BBQ duty and was introduced to Margaret on the day – the rest is history!



Editor's Note: Thank you to Lion Kerry for sharing your story in the "Why I Became Lion section" this month. Which of our members will share their story with us next month?

Lions Christmas Cakes and Puddings

Our Lions Member Mike Barnett has a number of delicious Lions Cakes, Puddings and Mini Cakes in stock and ready to order. Please don't forget to place your order with Mike directly by ringing 0408 276 231 or you can visit our Epping Eastwood Lions Club Shop on our website: <https://eppingeastwoodlions.org.au/shop/>



900g Lions Christmas Pudding - \$13.00 each

1kg Lions Christmas Cake - \$13.00 each

1.5kg Lions Christmas Cake - \$17.00 each

80 grams Lions Mini Cake - \$2.00 each

FREE DELIVERY within 10km of Epping

Pick up only if you are +10km of Epping



ERNA Netball BBQ Season - WE'RE BACK!!!



The ERNA BBQ continues to be a great success at ERNA. Just a few photos from the season so far.

Family Health & Wellbeing Forum

This Free Event, proudly organised by Lions District 201N5

Sunday, 5th June 2022 for 1pm Start

The Ranch – 108 Herring Road, Marsfield

Free Afternoon Tea Available

Enquires: Lion Rissa – 0414 947 135 or Lion Lisa – 0434 380 383

Topics included in the forum:

- Mental Health and Wellbeing
- Vision
- Childhood Cancer
- Hearing

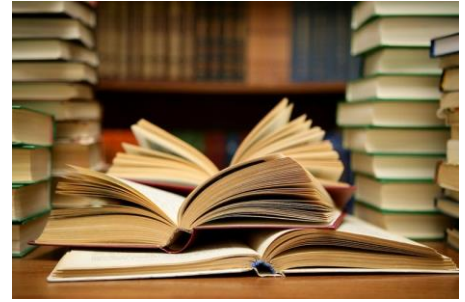


RSVP: 31st May 2022 – Bookings <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/family-health-wellbeing-forum-tickets-218628031327>

Collecting Books for Lismore Library Book Appeal

If you have any books that you don't read or need any more send them to the Lismore Library Book Appeal. Richmond Tweed Regional Library is requesting the following:

- Adult Fiction (New or Near New)
- Large Print Books
- Junior and Young Adult Books
- Children's Storybooks
- Jigsaws
- Audio Books
- Parenting Collection (non-fiction on parenting topics)
- Junior Non-Fiction



Lion Marilyn Latham is collecting books to send to them at the moment. For more information please contact her on 0416 242 056.

The Lions Club of Kings Langley is planning to load and depart Kings Langley on Tuesday 26th April with the books.

Message from one of our Members

Lion David Doring's wife Lions Lady Anne had her operation for a total right knee replacement at the Macquarie Uni Hospital on Monday 21st March. The surgery was successful and on Thursday 24th she was transferred to Royal Rehab at Putney for ten days rehab. Although she is not quite ready to get back to golf, tennis, gym and little Athletics as yet she is progressing well and is very grateful for all your good wishes for recovery.

As a matter of interest on Saturday 19th March at the Netball NSW Annual General Meeting she was inducted into the Netball NSW Hall Of Fame in recognition of fifty three years of service to the sport of Netball of many capacities. While this took her by surprise it certainly helped her mood before entering hospital.

The Epping Eastwood Lions Club Members would like to send their best wishes to Anne for a quick recovery.

Message from our Past Members



Queenslanders catching up in Tassie

Four of our Past Lions Members happened to be in Tasmania at the same time and made plans to catch up.

We hope that you all had an amazing holiday and hope to see you all soon.