



Kiama Lions Club Inc.

KI-LINES

For Dinner Meeting – 6<sup>th</sup> Nov. 2014



**Dinner Meeting Agenda**  
**6<sup>th</sup> November 2014**

**Kiama Leagues Club**

Warning Gong: **6.50 pm**

Please be seated for Dinner by: **7.00 pm**

Invocation: **Lion Mal Bedford**  
Toast: **Lion Jim Carney**  
Visitors: **Lion Geoff Wilson**  
Lions Ethics: **Lion Winton B-Smith**  
Annual General Meeting:  
**Lion Dave Robson (Public Officer)**  
Reports:  
Tail Twister: **Lion Richard Hoskins**  
Lion Tamers: **Lion Morrie Kelly**  
Guest Speaker Introduction:  
**Lion Barry Krone**  
Guest Speaker: **Rory McAlester**  
**NSW Trade & Industries**  
Guest Speaker Appreciation:  
**Lion Gordon Bell**



**1<sup>st</sup> VP Hilton Bloomfield Reports**

**Motor Neurone Disease Support Luncheon**  
**‘Lunch with Peter FitzSimons’**

On the 31st October 2014 we held our Luncheon at The Sebel Function Centre, which was a sell out with 110 attendees. It was a very happy and enthusiastic group who enjoyed a very diversified and fun presentation by Peter FitzSimons.

Peter spoke on a wide variety of subjects including interesting research that he has recently done on Australians fighting in Gallipoli in the 1<sup>st</sup> World War for his latest book.

Also, he was outspoken about the impact of concussion in sport.

Peter generously donated a material amount of his fee to Motor Neurone Disease Research and said he enjoyed his involvement.

The auction was a huge success with people participating generously. This was contributed to by the high level of support received from local

businesses.

Adam Regal and his wife, Kylie, were present and will share in the funds raised on the day which we expect to be in the region of \$10,000.

The Lions who organised this function were very committed and the feedback from those who attended was very positive.

**Pre Meeting Etiquette:**

If a Lion is NOT attending he/she needs to apologise by ringing the Club's phone number

**0449 523 040**

If you are bringing a guest (e.g. wife/partner/friend etc.), the Club needs to know.

If you don't let us know, we will need to charge you for the meal!

Please advise us by ringing the Club's phone number  
**0449 523 040**

*Thank you*



## President Pete's Ponderings

Hi Lions & friends,

This report comes from the 'Pacific Dawn', somewhere off North Queensland.

I take it that you have read Hilton's report on the function held last Friday lunchtime. Call me old fashioned, but I am touched deeply & proud seeing the photo at left, Adam & Kylie happily chatting with Lion Gordon. We not only raised funds for the Regal family & for research into Motor Neurone Disease, we also gave them a great day out, lunching with Peter FitzSimons.

I also know that a successful event such as this requires

dedicated team work. This event has been being planned for the past month. I would like to thank our sub-committee members Lions Ray, Ivan, Jim & Todd for their excellent work before, and on the day. A big thank you also to Annie Boulton, who I'm told, 'worked like a Trojan'. Additionally thank you Lion Gerry for an excellent job as MC on the day.

A final quote for that luncheon, from Lion David Wardle, "Gee whiz, there's a lot of sausage sandwiches & donuts in \$10,000!"

A big part of this Lions Club has always been our fellowship. It therefore wasn't surprising that we had a wonderful night at the 'old boys re-union' dinner. Jack Gudgeon was still at his prime, telling the same jokes he was telling 15 years ago. Good to see the Cukuna boys in good voice telling a few yarns. It was good to see so many of our old friends, and what a wonderful night we had. Thankyou Lion Chris English for your work.

The girls had a big night as well, thank you Lions Wendi & Phyl for organising that function.

Speaking of fellowship, how about our HAPPY HOUR, the next one is on FRIDAY the 21<sup>st</sup> NOVEMBER at David & Marilyn Wright's home. This appears to be the 'best kept secret' in the Club. Talk to your fellow Lions, invite them along to this event, we always have a great time. Thank you to the Wrights & to Geoff & Marilyn Heinecke for their organising efforts.

See you all in a couple of weeks. 1<sup>st</sup> VP Hilton is in the driver's seat this Thursday. Break a leg mate.

Peter

### **NEXT MARKET DAY ROSTER**

**16<sup>th</sup> November 2014**

<b>AM</b>	<b>PM</b>
Geoff Dowd (C)	Bill Gilbert (C)
Mal Bedford	Rod Calaghan
Al McDonald	Barry Krone
Ivan Boulton	Janis Dzelde
Jeff Gray	Todd Boreland
David Grant	Morrie Kelly

### The Girls Night Out



*They say a picture is worth a thousand words, well; here are 2000 words.*

*As well as having a lot of laughs with frivolity, the girls raised funds for Children's Medical*

*Research, our Cancer Care Fund & the Wig Library. Well done*



**Happy Hour**  
**21<sup>st</sup> November,**  
**6.00 till 8.00pm**

**Marilyn & David Wright's**  
**home**

**Come along and join us.**  
**This is one of the best events we have in our Club.**  
**Have an end of week drink with your buddies, 'chew the fat', have a laugh & enjoy the fellowship.**



### The Shellharbour Lions Club

At their last dinner meeting, Lorna Wardle was inducted as Lion No.15 into the Club. Welcome aboard Lorna