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A wonderful night at Bermagui with Bega



A great evening of fellowship and an interesting guest speaker in Tom Gradwell made last Thursday night a wonderful partners night.

Thank you to Terry and Annette for organising the combined meeting, guest speaker and inviting us to their home for pre-dinner drinks.

Tom's talk on "open systems" and the Lynx operating system opened a few possibilities for those frustrated by the common "Microsoft" system.

Thanks to all who made the effort to go.

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Apologies and additional guests to Rolf Gimmel the Tuesday before the meeting on 44762274 or email rolfs@dodo.com.au OR you will be charged for your meal.



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STAMPS !!! ARE YOU STILL COLLECTING FOR CHRIS O'BRIEN?

KEEP SUPPORTING THIS WORTHY CAUSE AND DON'T FORGET TO LEAVE AT LEAST A 1CM BORDER .

TONIGHT: TBA

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES:

Jeremy Ferguson celebrates another birthday on the 9th with all our best wishes.

COMING EVENTS

8 th May	Mothers Day
12 th May	Oyster Festival planning
13 th 14 th May	OYSTER FESTIVAL - Van
15 th May	OYSTER FESTIVAL – Van and Parade
19 th May	Maureen Manning and RYPEN students
22 nd May	MARKETS
26 th May	Board meeting

TASK	5th May	
Cashier		
3-minute talk		
Wheel		

INTERNATIONAL TOAST:

RC Almaty in Kazakhstan, Dist 2430
Chartered in 1995, 19 members. Dinner on Thursdays at 6.30pm
at the Intercontinental Hotel!

“I spent 90% of my money on women, drink and fast cars...
the rest I wasted.”

George Best ... former Northern Irish football star

Short words from bob ant

Welcome to winter!! Well it seems that it has arrived early.

The Oyster festival is just around the corner and we need a working bee on the Caravan to clean up a few things. I have set aside some time this Saturday and/or Friday the 13th. I need a couple of people to assist me with the job - many hands On page 4 you will find a summary of the information the Festival organisers sent through. Yell if you would like a copy of the information in full.

Many thanks to Terry and Annette for their hospitality last Thursday night. I am unable to be here tonight due to family reasons but I will be with you in spirit.

Bob ant 0400104731

A blonde was playing trivial Pursuit one night. It was her turn. She rolled the dice and she landed on Science & Nature.

Her question was; "If you are in a vacuum and someone calls your name, can you hear it?"

She thought for a moment then asked; "Is it on or off?"

A very successful lawyer parked his brand new Lexus in front of his office, ready to show it off to his colleagues. As he got out, a truck, passed by too close and completely tore the door off the driver's side. The lawyer rang 000n on his mobile and within minutes a policeman was on the scene.

Before the policeman had a chance to ask any questions the Lawyer was screaming hysterically. His Lexus, which he had just picked up the day before, was now completely ruined and would never be the same, no matter what the panel beaters did.

"I can't believe how materialistic you Lawyers are" said the cop "you haven't notice that the truck has also torn your right arm off"

"Ahhh!" screamed the lawyer. "Where's my Rolex!"

STOP PRESS....

From Ian and Micki on tour

You may have heard on the news that a bomb has exploded in the main square jmaa el fna In Marrakesh. It was in a restaurant where we ate at lunch two days ago in the exact area where the bomb was located... Very scary and obviously we are all ok.

Having a fantastic time in Morocco and very sad that this has happened as the locals are quite charming and very welcoming and don't deserve this sort of barbaric act.

We have one more day in Fez which is a very special ancient place, especially the old part, the Medina where we are staying .

Then Saturday, we are off to Madrid where we hope things are more settled and where we don't have to struggle with the Internet and mobile phone disruptions.

Warm regards to everyone at Rotary.

From Laurelle and Steve...

Am in Surat (between St George and Roma). Carnarvon Gorge and meeting up with everyone tomorrow.

Hope Bermi meeting went well.

Have organized for the markets advert in correct paper and asked Tony Fahey to put a small article in the school newsletter re NYSF.

Cheers

Laurelle

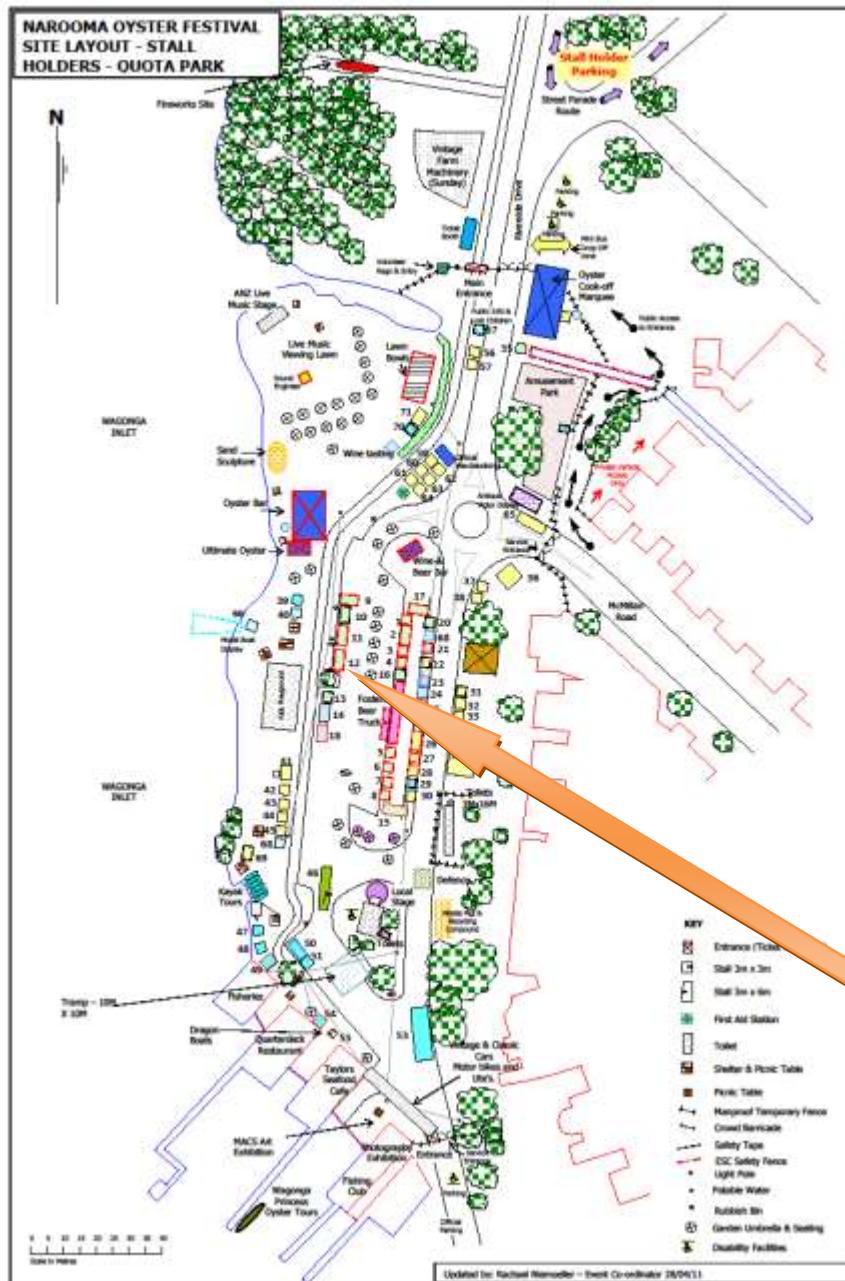
Also attached was an email on the state of Ringlands walk and the need for a combined working bee. More on this next week.



Stalls selling potentially hazardous foods (meats, smallgoods, poultry, dairy products, seafood) must have the following:

1. Community or charities are not required to notify the food authority provided the food does not pose a health risk, or is eaten immediately after thorough cooking.

- adequate garbage bins with lids
- floor, walls (3 sides) and ceiling of stall
- Provide a thermometer in all ovens, refrigeration, cooler boxes, eskies etc. cold foods should be stored at 5 degrees or below. Hot food storage = 60 degrees or above- if not sold at the correct temperature the food is illegal.
- designated staff to handle money only and not prepare food
- other food handlers to use gloves or tongs
- ensure all containers have lids, or that food is covered by foil or plastic wrap
- use throw away paper plates (must be recyclable or biodegradable etc) and eating utensils
- fire extinguisher and fire blanket should be in any stall where there is cooking
- Your own public liability insurance for the actual event
- Hands washing facilities with running water, soap and paper towels



We are on site 12 which is about where we were last time.

Bump-in time for stall holders in 7am Saturday 14th. Please be set up and REMOVE YOUR VEHICLES by 9am. Stall holder parking has been allocated on the corner of Field Street and Riverside Drive to ensure you have a close park. Gates open at 10am this year on Saturday and Sunday. The festival finishes at 4pm each day.