



THE TALLY WACKER TRIBUNE

FAR NORTH QUEENSLAND TIMBER INDUSTRY CLUB 261
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Maybe the editor should make a submission to the current aged care commission.

CLUB 261 FAR NORTH QUEENSLAND

NEXT GENERAL MEETING Tue 12th Nov 19
@ 6.30 Bungalow Hotel, 200 Aumuller St

AGENDA

Outward:

- Tally Wacker, minutes

Business Minutes:

- Christmas Function! ****
- At moment 11 participants – Sat 30th Nov 6.59 Cotton Club
- Golf Charity day report
- 10 teams raising \$4000 which was presented to COUCH (Cairns Organization United for Cancer Health)
- Inclusion of Rally as an annual event Overnight? Cooktown? Ravenswood?
- Townsville Club special Invitation

Meeting organizer Rick Wadson
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Our 9 Points

- 1.be Fraternal
- 2.be Helpful
- 3.be Grateful**
- 4.be Friendly
- 5.be Tolerant
- 6.be Progressive
- 7.be Industrious
- 8.be Ethical
- 9.be Loyal

EDITORIAL - Be Grateful

There are some times when one feels that the effort and time put on by our club members in the interests of charity are just swallowed up by the business that charitable causes seem to have become.

However, some may recall that about 4-5 years ago the club donated a washing machine to a single woman who following the tragic death of her sister had taken on the responsibility for twin boy babies with health problems. The family wanted no publicity at all of their plight and she was struggling as the second hand washing machine (Bosch) she had bought had blown the circuit board was not feasible to repair. The club brought her a new washing machine with extended warranty (generously discounted by Kennedys). I ran into them at the last Yungaburra Markets, the little boys were healthy and delightful and their foster mother (aunt) was still so effusively grateful for our donation.

It was probably the smallest donation that the club has made, but the one that has engendered the most genuine and enduring appreciation from the grateful recipient and a result of which the whole club can be justly proud.

John Rankine Ph: 4055 1031 Fax: 405 52599 Any Contributions Welcome

PREVIOUS MEETING : Wed 23rd October 2019
@ 6.30 pm Bungalow Hotel, 200 Aumuller Street

3 Members 2 Guests

- John Day to finalize Golf Day
- Ray Lamari to continue to organize Christmas
- Bungalow voted as best venue so far

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THOUGHT FOR THE DAY - to ponder on?

Conscience is what makes a boy tell his mother before his sister does
– Evan Esar

It is the dull man who is always sure, and the sure man who is always dull.
- H. L. Mencken

Never go out to meet trouble. If you will just sit still, nine case out of ten someone will intercept it before it reaches you. - Calvin Coolidge

The pride of dying rich raises the loudest laugh in hell. - John Foster

It is better to be approximately right than precisely wrong. – Warren Buffett

The illiterate of the 21st century will not be those who cannot read and write, but those who cannot learn, unlearn and relearn. – Alvin Toffler

PRESIDENT: Lachlan's Pontifications

Casting an eye over our code of ethics the other day, I was drawn to lucky 7 – "To assist liberally and sympathetically all that seek to elevate humanity, by charity of action and thought and by justice to all."

AS we march into the most festive time of the year, I'm thinking it would be a great idea to toss some time to thinking about what we can do individually, and collectively, for our community and to work toward some small good deeds that embody the idea of that goal. On that, my mind diverts to two of our most loyal members, Lindy and Dale Ferguson, whom I know are out every other weekend, volunteering for the Rotary coffee cart, or burger van. I know it's a job of glory working the grill, but if you see them in passing around our little town, its great to say thanks to those that give, with no expectation of return.

Lachlan Rankine – Club 261 Ph: 0417 621 234

TIP FOR THE MONTH - Housekeeping

Glue (PVA) carpet on table & chair leg ends to prevent scratching floors.

CHIT-CHAT -

Terry says Samoa is a very civilised country. You can smoke at the bar.

(Last I heard he had promised Donna that he would give smoking up if he could get the Harley!)

SHARES - As of Today

Best – John Day up 4.2% this month now +\$1093
Saddest – John Rankine down 12.1% for month but still +\$2845

Unintended! Mistakes (4) for the Proof Readers – (Terry was away)

Editorial – "live" instead of "life", "bases" instead of "basis".
Recipe – "bale" instead of "bake" and "every" instead of "ever"

DATE SAVERS 2019 - 2020 * Public Holidays

2019

Tue 12th Nov – 6.30pm Bungalow General Meeting
* NB Tuesday 1 week early!

November CHRISTMAS BREAKUP FUNCTION *

Fri 13th Dec – School Holidays start – to Tue 28th Jan 2020

Wed 25th Dec – Christmas Day *

Thu 26th Dec – Boxing Day *

2020

Wed 1st Jan 2020 – New Year's Day *

Mon 27th Jan – Australia Day Holiday

Wed 19th Feb – General Meeting

Wed 18th Mar – General Meeting

Fri 10th Apr – Mon 13th Apr – Easter Holidays

Sat 4th Apr – Sun 19th Apr – School Holidays

Wed 15th Apr – General Meeting

Thu 16th Apr – Mon 20th Apr – Malaysia Club 275 JIV Convention

Sat 25th Apr – Anzac Day

Mon 4th May – Labour Day

Wed 20th May – General Meeting

Wed 16th Jun – General Meeting

Sat 27th Jun – Sun 12th Jul – School Holidays

Fri 17th Jul – Cairns Show

Wed 22nd Jul – General Meeting

Sat 25th Jul - Sun 26th Jul – Relay for Life

Wed 18th Aug – General Meeting

- August Golf Day?

Sun 6th Sep – Fathers Day

Wed 15th Sep – General Meeting

Sat 20th Sep – Mon 5th Oct – School Holidays

Mon 5th Oct – Queens Birthday

Wed 20th Oct – General Meeting

Wed 17th Nov – General Meeting

Sat 12th Dec – Mon 25th Jan 2021 – School Holidays

Fri 25th Dec – Christmas day

FNQ Club 261 3rd Wednesday each month (generally)

Townsville Club 265 2nd Tuesday each month (Presently in recess)

RECIPE FOR MONTH – Alcoholic Jelly

Ingredients:

- 2 Teaspoons gelatine powder
- 125ml (½ cup) boiling water
- 80ml (⅓ cup) lime cordial
- 160ml (⅔ cup) white rum
- 80ml (⅓ cup) soda water
- 1 tablespoon caster sugar

Method:

Whisk the gelatine and water in a heatproof bowl until combined. Stir in the lime cordial, rum, soda water and sugar. Set aside to allow the bubbles to subside. Divide among eight 60ml shot Glasses or set in desert bowl. Place in the fridge for 2 hours or until set.

(I know a friend who had these dished up by the then girlfriend – now been happily married for 20 years)



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