

## Rotary club of Milton-Ulladulla Inc.

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### August is Membership Extension Month

**Tonight:** *Vaughan Sansom*  
**Introduction:** *Phil Brown*  
**Vote of Thanks:** *Simon Brown*  
**Fellowship:** *Bill Harris and John Hozack*

**31 Aug** No Meeting, Rotary Business Award Night, Civic Centre

### September is New Generations Month

**7 Sept** DG Bill Seelis, Club Visit  
Fellowship: Brian Johnson and Bob Lawson  
**14 Sept** Dunn Lewis Complex, Dinner and Visit (TBC)  
**21 Sept** Pia Winberg, "Local Ecology"

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**Birthdays:** Reg Sawyer 26 Aug, Issa Shalhoub 27 Aug,  
Alan Foreman and Sylvia Franklin 28 Aug,  
Rose Brown 30 Aug.

**Anniversaries:** Jean and Dick Crouch 25 Aug.

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#### BBQ Roster:

Phil Brown	Wed 25/08 Sat 28/08 Mon 30/08
Simon Brown	Wed 01/09 Sat 04/09 Mon 06/09
Craig Cameron	Wed 08/09 Sat 11/09 Mon 13/09
Carolyn Campbell	Wed 15/09 Sat 18/09 Mon 20/09

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#### Calendar:

5 Sep	Father's Day
17-19 Oct	RYPEN Camp, Mogo
4 Oct	Labour Day
22-24	District 9710 Conference, Nowra

#### Last Week's Report;

**In attendance;** Elin Ek, Sylvia Franklin, Anne Brown, Kerry Hozack, Jenny Cantrill, Janey Cameron, Rose Brown, Kim Powell, Deb Fondacaro and Jacky Howarth.

**Attendance:** 84.1%

**Card Raffle Winner:** John Ruggiero Jack ♣

**44 Club Winner** was Brian Morrison

**Dale Wilford Award** went to Craig Cameron

**Geoff Muir** talked about ShelterBox and Pakistan's floods.

**Michael Mastronardi** said that the helipad GPS system will cost \$40,000, other Service Clubs will join our Club to cover the cost.

**Almoner Bill Harris** said that Sid Turnbull was in hospital and is now better, Jean Bennett is doing well and receiving good medical reports.

**Craig Saunders** took names for the Business Award Night, bar helpers to please wear white shirts, black trousers and a bow tie, others preferably the same. The roster will be emailed.

**Guest Speaker** was Elin Ek, our Swedish Youth Exchange student and she spoke about her family, home town of about 20,000 inhabitants, well known Swedish people like ABBA, Bjorn Borg and Swedish famous cars the Volvo and Saab and the famous retailer Ikea.

Elin met Swedish King Carl XVI Gustaf and spoke about the similarities and differences between life, schooling in Sweden and in Australia.

Elin likes the rock bands Muse and Radiohead.



**Elin with her host parents: Denise Fors and Brian Morrison, Janey and Craig Cameron, Jacky Howarth**

### Feel Lucky Competition closing soon

Put your thinking cap on, we need a catch phrase to describe our Club, please bring your entry.

### [www.rotaryclubofmiltonulladulla.org.au](http://www.rotaryclubofmiltonulladulla.org.au)

Have you checked our new website recently?, it is getting lots of hits, just type in google: elin ek rotary or rotary ulladulla or rotary milton ulladulla... and there it will be, slowly getting to the top of the page, easier than typing the full address.

Our website has links to 2009-10 Bulletins as well as this year's.

### Like to Promote your business to other Rotarians?

You can promote your business to fellow Rotarians and friends by advertising in the 2010 District Conference Program (23, 24 Oct 2010, in Nowra).

Booking deadline is 30 Aug 2010.

Enquiries and bookings, email Graham Sweeney at [gsweeney@bigpond.net.au](mailto:gsweeney@bigpond.net.au)



### Progress for Rotary's US\$200 Million Challenge for polio eradication

As of 1 Aug 2010, Rotarians have raised about \$141.2 million for Rotary's US\$200 Million Challenge. These contributions will help Rotary raise \$200 million to match \$355 million in challenge grants received from the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation.

### Tanaka is choice for 2012-13 RI President

Sakuji Tanaka, a member of the Rotary Club of Yashio, Saitama, Japan, is the selection of the Nominating Committee for President of RI in 2012-13.

Tanaka said he would like to see Rotary "continue its vital work as the force to improve our communities."

Tanaka said that eradicating polio will "fulfil the promise we made to children in the world" and that "there is no doubt in my mind that the day of this success will be realized in the near future." Tanaka and wife Kyoko have three children and five grandchildren.



### Rotary International President 2010-11



**RI President Ray Klinginsmith** of the Rotary Club of Kirksville, Missouri, USA, a Rotarian since 1961, Klinginsmith has served Rotary as district governor and as chair of the 1998 Council on Legislation in New Delhi and the 2008 Los Angeles Convention Committee. He was a member of the RI Board of Directors for 1985-87 and chaired its executive committee in 1986-87. Klinginsmith joined The Rotary Foundation Trustees in 2002, serving as vice chair in 2005-06, and was a member of the Future Vision Committee from 2005 to 2008.

Klinginsmith earned degrees in business and law at the University of Missouri and completed graduate studies at the University of Cape Town, South Africa, as a Rotary Foundation Ambassadorial Scholar.

Ray, now operates a law office, he and his wife, Judie, have two children and three grandchildren.

### District 9710 Governor 2010-11



**District Governor Bill Seelis** joined the Rotary Club of Berry-Gerrigong Inc. in May 1994, after moving from Wollongong to Berry in 1993 and has filled many positions within the Club including Community Service, International and Club Service Directors, Club President 1997-98, as well as Treasurer for a period of three years. He also served on a number of District Committees including Chair of the GSE, the District Training Team and Beyond 2000. Bill was recognised with a Paul Harris by his Club in 2000 and has been a Rotary Benefactor since 1998.

Having moved from Wollongong, where he was employed as Managing Director of a medium size Engineering Supplies company with overseas affiliations.

Bill retired in August 2007, after 30 years of service, but remains as Chairman of the local Board of Directors. Bill is also involved in other Community organisations.

Bill's hobbies include philately, kayaking and riding his motorbike.

**Your assistant Bulletin editor Issa**