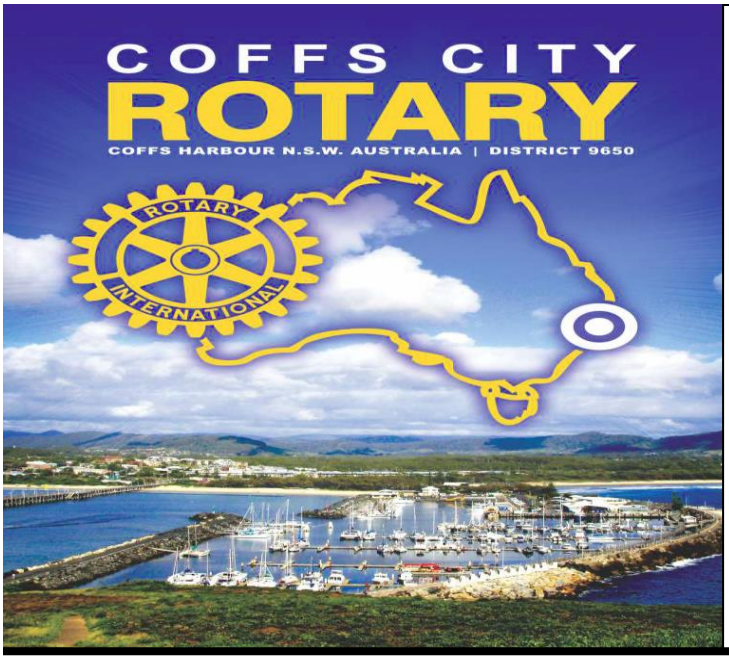

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RI President – Holger Knaack
District Governor – Debbie Loveday

Club President – Jay Clowes
Club Secretary – Geoff Pollack

Rotary Opens Opportunities

Meeting Place: C.ex, Vernon Street, Coffs Harbour
Monday Lunchtime: 12.30 - 1.45 pm
Apologies to Secretary Geoff Pollack by 10.30am Monday

COFFS CITY CHATROOM – 31 May 2021

President Jay called the meeting to order at 12.35pm and gave the Welcome to Country. The Rotary Thanksgiving was read by Bob Carle and the Loyal Toast was given by Bernard Dowling.

No guests today so John Walker agreed to provide us a “5 Minuter” on himself, followed by fellowship.

General Business

- President Jay suggested we do similar to Coffs Rotary and seek guest speakers from NSW Planning to provide an update on the Jetty Foreshore development. Macca will investigate and advise.

  President Jay also mentioned the “Save Our Socks” Guinness World Record attempt by Rotary Port Macquarie West in effort to raise $200k. If you have socks to donate, please send them to reach the club by Friday 4 June. Send by post to PO Box 330, Port Macquarie, NSW 2444, or by courier to 25 The Fairway, Port Macquarie NSW 2444. You can view the NBN News link about the project here: https://www.nbnnews.com.au/2021/03/03/rotary-club-on-a-mission-to-smash-a-guiness-world-record/

- Secretary Geoff advised District Changeover Dinner will be held 6.30pm, Saturday 26 June at Panthers Port Macquarie. RSVP to pattimach@bigpond.com by 13 June if you would like to attend.

  Geoff also confirmed that our Changeover Dinner will be held at The National Cartoon Gallery on 3 July. More details to follow in coming weeks. Other local club changeover details are outlined in Diary of Important Events below.

- Bob Carle advised that The Festival of Motor Sport is getting great support and announced that Gurmesh Singh advised him that the NSW Govt. has approved a grant of $50k for the event. This is excellent news and should ensure the success of the event.
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- Macca advised that he has invited John Rafferty along as a guest speaker to tell us all about the proposed C.ex accommodation development. John has agreed and it will be either himself or one of the other club spokespeople to talk to us. Date is to be confirmed.

  Macca also advised that when we don't have a guest speaker he will be looking to members to provide a "5 minuter" about themselves, so be prepared to get tapped on the shoulder.

John Walker provided the members a quick bio of himself and his work history – thanks John!

Macca & Rossco held a short fine session and the raffle was won by President Jay, however he failed to pick The Joker.

Meeting closed at 1.35pm.

Mike, Terry & Geoff helping out at the Coffs Harbour Eisteddfod

DIARY OF IMPORTANT EVENTS

- Woolgoolga Rotary Changeover – 21 June at Seaview Tavern.
- Coffs Harbor Rotary Changeover – 25 June at Coffs Harbour Golf Club.
- District 9650 Changeover – 26 June at Panthers Port Macquarie.
- Sawtell Rotary Changeover – 28 June at Sawtell RSL Club.
- Daybreak Rotary Changeover – 2 July at Coffs Harbour Golf Club.
- CCR Changeover – Saturday 3 July at The National Cartoon Gallery.

Happy Birthday Wishes

June

Misty Chau – 1st
Bronwyn McMahon – 3rd
Bruce Robertson – 15th

July

Paul McLeod – 7TH
Peter Lindsay – 15th
John Donaldson – 18th
Anna Cecato – 29th
John Walker – 29th

The National Cartoon Gallery Exhibitions

Note: This exhibition has been extended until June 30

Commencing 18 June - A Japanese Comic Adventure

The National Cartoon Gallery is excited to have been invited to partner with the Embassy of Japan in Australia to bring you this exhibition, including Manga Awards recipients. By combining a display of winning works from the Japan International Manga Awards as well as Manga artists from all over Australia and beyond, we bring you the exhibition that is; Manga Mates – An International Comic Collision!

The Rotary Club of Coffs Harbour City Inc. presents:

C.ex Coffs Coast Festival of Motor Sport

Proudly supported by Geoff King Motors

November 13th to 28th 2021

Saturday 13th

- Coffs Harbour: Massive Motor Show
- Cars: New, Modern, Classic, Vintage, Veteran
  Race, Rally, Drift
- Hot Rods
- Bikes: New, Modern, Classic, Vintage, Race, Special
- Car and Bike Club displays
- Trucks: New and Classic
- Tractors: Vintage
- Commercial Sites Available

Sunday 14th

- Coffs Harbour: Show Ground: Radio Controlled Off Road Racing
- Kempsey: Kempsey Sporting Car Club: Hill Climb
- Coffs Harbour: Mid Coast Mower Racing Club

Saturday 20th

- Coffs Harbour: Kart Racing Club
- Kempsey: Kempsey Macleay Off Road-- Dondingalong
- Coffs Harbour: Coffs Harbour 4X4 Club 2 Day Bush Trek

Sunday 21st

- Coffs Harbour: Coffs Harbour 4X4 Club: Bush Trek
- Kempsey: Kempsey Macleay Off Road--- Dondingalong
- Coffs Harbour: Raleigh Raceway: Burnout Competition

Wednesday 24th

- Coffs Harbour: Coffs Harbour & District Sporting Car Club: Hill Climb/Lap Dash Raleigh Raceway

Saturday 27th

- Coffs Harbour: Rally Championship Final Rounds For:
  - Asia Pacific Rally Championship
  - Australian Rally Championship
  - NSW Rally Championship
  * NSW ECCRS 2WD Championship
  * NSW ECCRS 4WD Championship
  - NSW Clubman Series Championship
  - NSW Hyundai Series Championship

  (*ECCRS -- East Coast Classic Rally Series)
- Coffs Harbour: Raleigh Raceway: Special Stage of Rally

  ***Please Note:** All Rally events are run and organised by Motorsport Australia

- Coffs Harbour: Coffs Harbour Motor Cycle Club
- Champion of the Dirt- Day 1
- Grafton: Speedway: Grafton Showground [night event]

Sunday 28th

- Grafton: Grafton Car Club: Hill Climb
- Coffs Harbour: Coffs Harbour Motor Cycle Club: Champions of the Dirt - Day 2
- Coffs Harbour: Raleigh Raceway: Rally Cross
- Coffs Harbour: Asia Pacific Rally and all other Class's as per Saturday start list

Just for a Laugh

Johnny's pregnant sister was in a terrible car accident and went into a deep coma.

After being in the coma for nearly six months, she wakes up and sees that she is no longer pregnant. Frantically, she asks the doctor about her baby.

The doctor replies, "Madam, you had twins....a boy and a girl. The babies are fine, however, they were not the best at birth and had to be Christened immediately, so your brother Johnny came in and named them".

The woman thinks to herself, " Oh no, not my brother, "What a waste of space he is…".

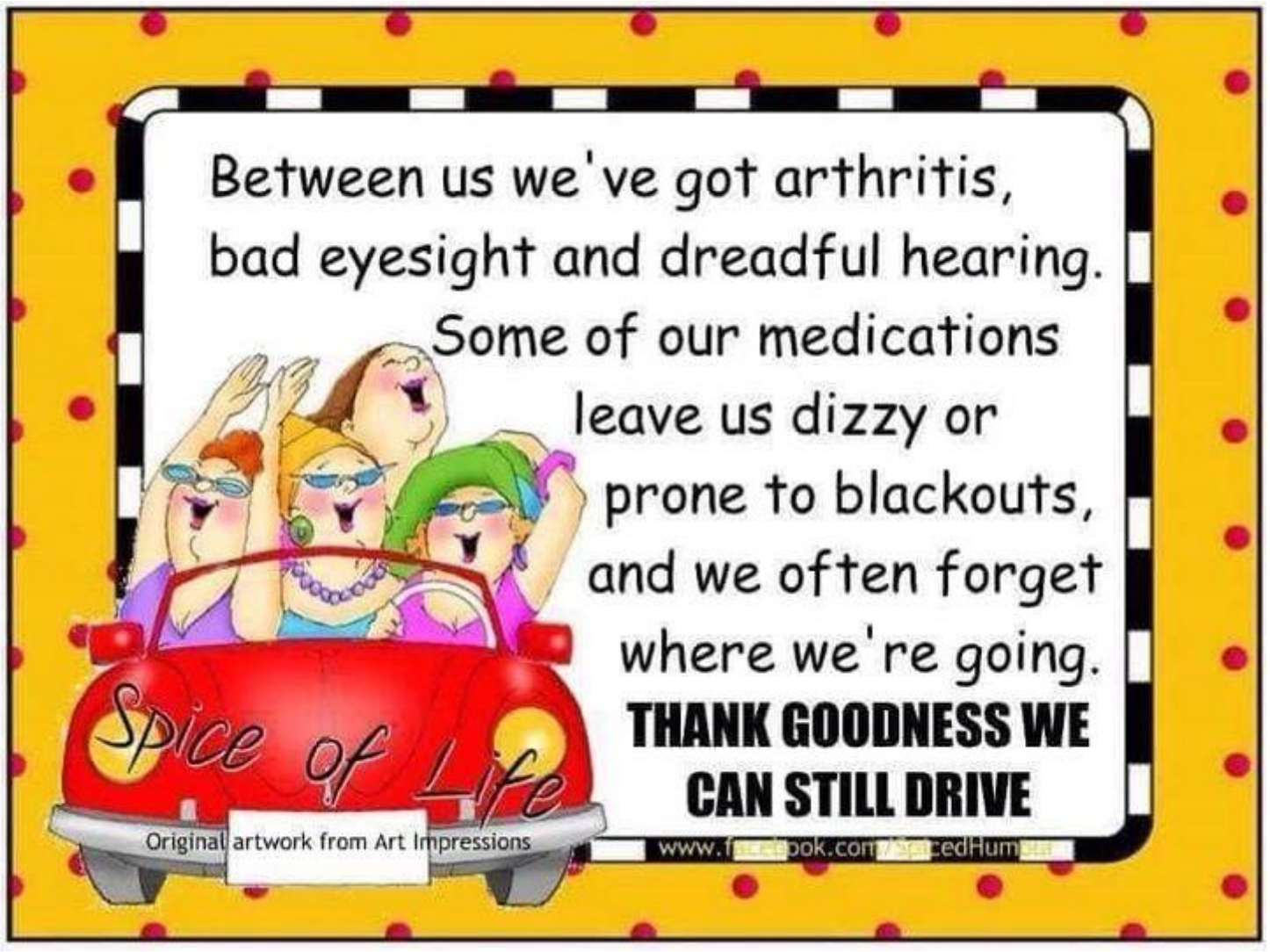
Expecting the worst, she asks the doctor,' Well, what's my daughter's name?"

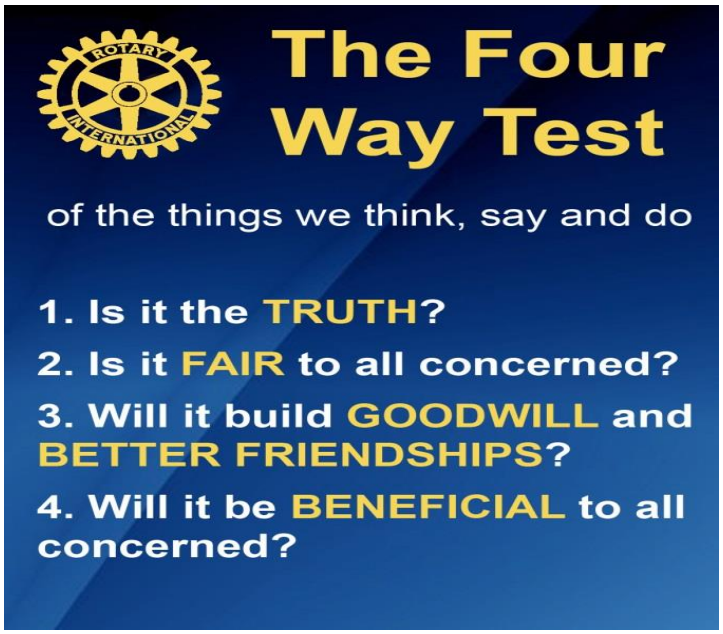
"Denise", says the doctor.

The new mother is somewhat relieved, "Wow, that's a beautiful name, I guess I was wrong about my brother', she thought...."I really like Denise ".
Then she asks,

"What name did he give my son?"

The doctor replies...."Denephew!"

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