

**KIWANIS INTERNATIONAL  
DISTRICT OF AUSTRALIA INC.**

**38th DISTRICT CONVENTION  
HOST CLUB - NEWCASTLE  
24th - 27th AUGUST 2006**

**OFFICIAL PROGRAM**

**Registration Desk**

Thursday: 0900 1700  
Friday: 0800 1200  
          1400 1500  
Saturday 0800 1100

**Delegate/Member Program**

**Thursday**

1330 Board of Trustees meeting  
          Harbour View Room  
                  Retiring Board and  
                  Incoming Board

1830 Welcome Reception  
          Honeysuckle Workshops  
          Bus leaves Hotel at 6.00pm

Official Opening of Convention  
His Honour the Lord Mayor of Newcastle  
Councillor John Tate

Objects of Kiwanis

Bus leaves for Convention Hotel and Restaurants at conclusion of Reception  
See details in Convention bag

Past Governors Dinner  
          Coordinator - Immediate Past Governor Frank Fotiades  
          Butlers Restaurant

**Friday**

0845 Opening Session  
          Pacific Room  
                  Choir - The Hunter Signing Choir

Welcome of Official party

Flag Ceremony

Invocation

Business session commences

Chairman - District Secretary - Brian Emery

Reports:

(Presentation/Motion to Adopt/Question/Adoption)

Governor

Secretary

Treasurer

District Charitable Trust

International President

1000 Morning Tea/Coffee  
Pacific Room

**1030 Partners Program Commences**

1030 Business Session Resumes

Confirmation of Delegates

Election of:

Governor

Governor Designate

Governor Elect

Brief address from Governor Designate

Election of District Treasurer

Sustaining (Endorsement) of District Secretary

Adoption of Resolutions

1200 Lunch

Welcome of Guest

Invocation

Toasts

Lunch

Guest Speaker

Professor Cres Eastman

IDD

1345 **International President Workshops**

When your through changing your through

1520 Afternoon tea/coffee  
Pacific Room

1540 KIF and Why

**Formal Dinner/Retirement & Installation  
Harbourview Function Centre**

**1730 Busses leave for Function Centre**

1800 Casino Fun

1900 Musical Interlude - Circle K and Friends

1915 Entrance and Welcome of Official Party

Invocation

Toast:

Singing of National Anthems

Roll Call of Clubs

*Entree*

Introduction of International President and Presentation of International Awards

*Main course*

Heart Kids Presentation Governor Geoff Holmes

*Response*

Dr Alan S C Sandford

B Med SC(Hons) MB BS MHA FRACMA

Retirement of old Board and installation of new Board

Brief address:

Governor Designate - Geoff Hill

Address: International President - Steve Siemens

Housekeeping

Objects of Kiwanis

Close of Meeting

Dessert and tea/coffee served

**Saturday**

0700 Past Lt. Governors' breakfast

Co-ordinator - Bob Funnel

0900 Promotion of Convention 2006

Shepparton

0930 Presentation of Awards

Frank Fotiades 2004/5

Geoff Holmes 2005/6

KIF Annual Club Gift awards

District Awards

1015 Morning tea/coffee

1035 Workshops

Visible or Invisible - Geoff Hill - Don Kilgour

TAG Teams - Geoff Hill

East Timor Dairy - Peter Cecil

1200 Lunch

Welcome of Guest Toasts

Guest Speaker Nikki Gibson

Soul Kitchen

1345 Workshop - Projects around the District - **10 Minutes Each**

K Phones - Dianne Dawson - Brisbane

T Kids/Bugs - Tania Allen - Chair Youth Services & Terrific Kids

Baby Bath Thermometers - Shepparton Sunrisers

Circle K

K Kids - Bill Van Diemen

1445 Tour of City/Coal Loader

Members and Delegates tours

Must register on Friday

## **Theme Fun Night - Nautical or Nice**

Cash Bar

Raffle tickets available

1900 Pre-party drinks

Welcome

Dinner

Dancing and Music

2045 Parade / Prizes for best outfits - male, female, pair and club

2120 Raffle draw

2330 Function concludes

## **Sunday**

0900 Welcome and Invocation

Address by Ken Gibson

Including Recognition of Service given by Kiwanians who passed away during the year.

Farewell message and invitation to attend next Convention to be held in Shepparton  
2007  
Governor Designate Geoff Hill

Objects of Kiwanis (to be recited by everyone in attendance)

1000 Brunch  
Exchange of Bannerets/pins

## Partners Program

### Friday

8:45 Opening Session

10:00 Morning Tea

10:30am -4:00pm

### **Vineyards & Hunter Valley Gardens**

Vineyards and Wine tasting, Cheese Factory  
Lunch at Harrigans Irish Pub at own expense OR  
*OPTION:*

*Hunter Valley Gardens \$14.00*

### **Port Stephens, Dolphins & Sandhills**

Bus to Port Stephens. Visit shops or walk around Nelson Bay.  
Travel to Birubi Point, rendezvous with 4WD vehicles for a drive over Stockton sand dunes,  
past the old Tin City (where Mad Max was filmed).  
*OPTION..*

*Join Dolphin watch cruise \$17.00*

### **Harbour, Beach, Lake and Shopping**

Tour the city, harbour, beaches and lake. Visit Charlestown Square for a 1 hour shopping  
spree. Lunch at Lake Macquarie Yacht Club. (At own expense)

### **Saturday 8:30am - 4.00pm**

### **Morpeth, Vineyards & Hunter Valley Gardens**

Travel to Morpeth for a street walk through the quaint art and crafts shops, then on to Pokolbin  
for winery and cheese factory visits.  
Lunch at Harrigans Irish Pub at own expense OR  
*OPTION:*

*Hunter Valley Gardens \$14.00*

### **Port Stephens, Dolphins/Whales & Sandhills**

Bus to Port Stephens. Visit shops or walk around Nelson Bay.

Travel to Birubi Point, rendezvous with 4WD vehicles for a drive over Stockton sand dunes, past the old Tin City (where Mad Max was filmed).

*OPTIONS:*

*Join Dolphin watch cruise \$17.00*

*Whale/Dolphin watch Cruise \$42.00*

**Harbour, Beach, Lake and Shopping**

See Friday's detail

**Wetlands Tour**

Centre- included Bushwalking, Bird watching and canoeing (extra).

Light lunch at Café Jacana. (At own expense)

(End of Partners Program)