

Wellington Exchange from 28th May to 4th June

10 Ambassadors, 6 from Wellington Club and 4 from Whangarei Club, arrived and were met at the Sunshine Coast Airport. A formal afternoon tea Welcome was held at my old home [now known as the Yandina Historical House]. Photographs of the ambassadors, their hosts and co-hosts were taken by Tony Sayer and these were presented to the ambassadors at the Farewell.

The weather was very kind and so the exchange enjoyed several outdoor activities. This included a canal cruise around Mooloolaba, eating pies and drinking coffee in the carpark of the Simply Pie Company, a farm day and club BBQ at Solothurn Rural Resort at Reesville and a stroll through the Maroochy Botanical Gardens.

Group dinners were hosted by club members not hosting. The Farewell Function, a lunch, was held in a private room at the Sands Tavern, Maroochydore. Our ambassadors gave an impromptu item which was followed by Pat Richardson delivering an Anzac poem.

Margaret Williams,
Exchange Director.



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Typical Aussie Meat Pies for lunch



BBQ at Solothurn Rural Resort at Reesville



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Feeding an EMU



Admiring Sculpture at Maroochy Botanical Gardens



Solothurn Rural Resort at Reesville