Welcome to our new edition of Airwaves. Grab a cuppa, read & enjoy!

Christmas Out & About

We had a fabulous time in December getting out and supporting local Christmas events.

The Green Point Christian College Carols returned this year and was a brilliant show, until it was sadly cut short by a huge electrical storm! That sent the large

crowd scattering and was one of the quickest pack ups we've ever done!

By contrast the 3 nights of Road to Bethlehem, also returning after a 3 year absence, were blessed with lovely weather!

As always it was a fun time with some great live music and a beautiful peaceful and happy vibe. And it was really well attended.

Well done to the organisers!



For the first time this year, the Kariong Community Christmas Carols were on our Christmas calendar. This was hosted by the crew from Kariong Bapts, with live music provided by the team from Hope UC Gosford.

There was a great crowd who all seemed to be having a great time, especially the kids! Though quite a few "big kids" got into the mosh pit!

We love this time of year, and enjoy taking part in these events. But we can only fit so much in each year, and this year we had to sadly decline a couple of invitations.

So if you'd love us to come along in 2024, and maybe put your event to air, get in touch early so we can book it in!

And this isn't just for Christmas events. If you have anything happening that would benefit from broader exposure through our airwaves, whether through promotion or participation, or both, please reach out to us! That's what we're here for!





We're continuing to introduce you to the team that makes Rhema.CC tick! In this issue we catch up with our General Manager, **Rick Broome**!



- 1. Favourite food: It's hard to go past a good lamb roast, but pizza will do too!
- 2. Why Rhema CC?: I can only say that God ambushed me! And I'm glad He did!
- 3. Highlights of your time with Rhema: Too many to mention! But I'm continually overwhelmed by the generosity of our team (who constantly give over and above!) and our faithful supporters, who answer the call to give every time!
- 4. Hopes for the future with Rhema: To make a greater impact on our community by proclaiming AND demonstrating just how much Jesus loves each and every person! And to lay a solid foundations for those who will come after us at Rhema.CC.
- 5. Favourite movie or game: I'm afraid I'm a bit of an old war movie tragic, especially when they include lots of flying! Classics like The Battle of Britain, The Dambusters, 633 Squadron. Though I still think Finding Nemo is a classic for some light escapism!



Throughout November we encouraged our supporters to sow into the good soil of Rhema CC.

The message was that God has provided a fabulous "garden bed" in our new premises, but without the seeds of support from our listeners it's just good soil. *There's no harvest without the sowing of seeds!*

Thankfully, and as always, you fabulous people caught the vision and responded with generosity. By the end of November we had raised \$65,000 of our \$75,000 target. Thank you all so much!

So while we do need to see some more funds come in over the next few months (especially during the traditionally quite holiday period) we have a solid foundation to build on.

By the way, did you know you can donate at any time, not just during our appeals? You can even be a monthly donor through our Extra Mile Partner program.

Please prayerfully consider that! We really do need your support right through the whole year! Thanks!

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