



CLUB BULLETIN



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Rotary Club of Camberwell

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Special points of interest:

- Boroondara Cares Projects
- Success of Overseas project
- Theatre Visit
- New 4WD Club
- Rotary Golf Day
- Birthdays, Anniversaries, Etc.

Next Weeks Meeting

Wednesday January 21st

Speaker Richard Balsillie

Subject: Member Behind The Badge

Chairman: Mike Pavey

Meeting Rosters

JANUARY

Registration Desk

David Loftus
Michael Blood

Welcomer

Peter Anderson

Drinks

Eric Heyburn/Colin Gould

FEBRUARY

Registration Desk

Geoff Angus
Geoff Heath

Welcomer

Bob Heinemann

Drinks

TBA

It is the responsibility of the rostered Member to find a replacement if not able to attend

Future Club Program

Date	Speaker	Subject	Chairman
28th Jan	Henry Nissen	My life as a Boxer and Charity Worker. <i>Henry trained as a boxer but decided to work with Fr. Bob McGuire in the charity area instead of a professional boxer</i>	Chair Dennis Coleman
4th Feb	TBA		
11th Feb	Club Forum		Dennis Coleman
18th Feb	Supt. Ignhard Ehrenberg	Police Mentoring Program <i>Supt. Ehrenberg will discuss the Rotary community initiative</i>	Chair: Geoff McCormick
25th Feb	TBA		

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Club Meets
Wednesdays 6.15 for 6.30
Canterbury Centre, 2 Rochester Road
Canterbury

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Secretary: Ron Lear
Treasurer: : Frank Leigh

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President's Ponderings

“the tucker was pretty good, too”

The relaxed atmosphere of last week's casual BBQ at the Clubrooms was a good way to start the new year - I was just miffed that Andy Spry looked even more casual than I did. Dennis Coleman did an amazing job of intricate calculation before booking our numbers to the caterer - accurate to the second decimal place despite having very little input information. Judging by the numbers backing up for seconds, the tucker was pretty good, too.

Michael Mullens told me the T A C has moved to Geelong as their previous office was too close to the Alfred Hospital [only joking] , so he has to drive down and back each day , but is determined to get to as many dinners as possible and make-up in Geelong if he can't get here in time. Thanks, Michael - your attitude is a credit to you in that you are prepared to "go the extra mile" to maintain your membership in our Club.

This week I will be at Katunga for the Boroondara Cares " Evening with the Stars " wearing my "Sing Australia" badge. There was a suggestion that we should transfer our meeting as a sign of solidarity but that was not practical as it would make it impossible for the majority of our members to attend.

I am pleased we are able to send some Camberwell representatives as this is a very important event, but unfortunately we had no say in the timing of the event which also is a Board Meeting night.

Vice President Peter Matthews will be in charge so you will be good, won't you ?

Most of us have no idea of the amount of work which is being put into the community by our representatives on the Boroondara Cares Committee. Without any funds, depending solely on their initiative and negotiating skills, this committee is co-ordinating and inspiring 9 Rotary Clubs here and four in Moira , two diverse municipal administrations and a huge range of Help programmes - I counted 18 mentioned in the minutes of the January meeting, involving schools, churches, welfare groups, sporting clubs, employment agencies etc.

Our representatives on this Committee are Don Jago [Chair], Peter Allen [sec]], Warwick Heil and Ian Feder. We owe them big-time for carrying Camberwell's flag in leading the team into the second year of this programme so vital to the welfare of a devastated rural area.

President Neil

TURKEY GSE TEAM

I am pleased to report that we have offers from the 5 hosts needed for the Turkish GSE Team, but we only have the bare 5.

It is essential that we have some backup in case one or more of our hosts are unable to host when the time comes.

Our hosts are Lesley Daniels-King/Colin Gould; Don & Margery Jago; Pierre & Lili-Ann Kreigler; Peter & Jenifer Matthews and John & Audrey Steven.

The Team arrive in our care on Sunday 15th March (immediately after the Conference) and departs Thursday 19th March Surely there must be other members who could step in to the breach if needed.

Please give this matter serious thought and advise me of your availability.

John Steven 9882 6184 johnsteven@bigpond.com

Back Up
Volunteers
Required

Last Meeting

PE Dennis did a magnificent job in liaising with the Centre which produced a feast the like of which we have not seen at Rochester Road for a long time. The meal promoted great fellowship.

A pity only half the membership were there.

Well Done Dennis

International Committee News

Extract from Rotary Club of Horsham Bulletin.

SCHOOL OF ST JUDE—Arusha Tanzania

The school has reported that all students of the school who sat the recent countrywide exams were in the top 10% of students in Tanzania; one student placed 28 out of 1,000,000, a fantastic achievement.

The School of St Jude has been a past recipient of donations from This Club

Our past
donations
working
well

**ROTARY CLUB OF KEW
ARE HOLDING A CHARITY GOLF DAY
AT LATROBE GOLF CLUB.
MONDAY 23RD February, 2009.
12.00 for a 1.00pm tee off.**

An invitation is extended to individuals or groups, to compete in an
AMBROSE GOLF COMPETITION.

Cost - **\$80 per player**

INCL. GAME/donation, 'LUNCH BOX' & PRIZES.

ROTARY CLUB OF KEW P.O BOX 101 KEW. 3101.

Almoners Report

Unfortunately a longer Report for the New Year

Aub McLaren is in Hospital following vascular surgery on his leg. He is in poor health and is not able to take visits or phone calls or receive cards at the moment, after discharge from hospital he is likely to require a period of respite care.

John Maxwell's wife Margaret, despite four surgical procedures to correct agonizing pain in her brain/jaw area, is showing no signs of alleviation. She is dependent on large doses of pain killing medication. She is seeing her neurologist next week, hopefully this will give her some relief from her extreme discomfort. Our hearts go out to her and John.

Older Members will remember past member Peter De Steiger who died last month, he was our representative when the Club sponsored the Probus Club of Camberwell.

The son of Past member Ian Everist and Barbara is seriously ill with leukemia.

Our thoughts and well wishes go to all and also to their families.

ROTARY CLUB MEETING DIRECTORY

A 2009/10 pocket-size directory of all Rotary Clubs in Australia, New Zealand and the Pacific Islands has now been released by Port Pirie Rotary Club, South Australia. It also contains meeting details for each club.

Cost of the directory is \$2.50 and proceeds go to the Rotary Foundation.

A copy of the directory can be viewed by contacting Secretary Ron Lear who will be taking orders for the directory up until 31 January 2009.

Australasian
Wide Club
Directory
Available

Boroondara Cares

**Members are Encouraged To Attend this Meeting .
Contact Warwick Heil To Book a Place on The Bus
Bus Will Leave Rochester Road at 2 pm and return approximately 12.30 am
If Members are Going To Katunga, Please Apologise to Alan Lorenzini for
the Club Meeting**

Attend This
To See What
this Great
Project Is
About

Boroondara Cares invites you to enjoy an



Evening with the Stars

Katunga Recreation Reserve
Wednesday 21 January 2009
6:00pm – 9:30pm

Features of the Evening will include:
Performance by Sing Australia
BBQ Dinner
Refreshments and Socialising
Door Prizes and Free Show Bags
Jumping Castle
And Much More...
Gold Coin Denation

To RSVP or for more information for this event please
phone 5871 9275

"Evening with the Stars" is proudly supported by
the Rotary Club of Camberwell as part of Boroondara Cares





Another
Boroondara
Cares
Project

Rotary Club of Balwyn
Will be Sponsoring the
Burramine Gift Foot Race
On March 21st 2009


They will be running buses to attend the Race Meeting with two Options

1. Day Trip—Melbourne & return, Gift Meeting Only
2. Two Days—Gift Meeting, Awards Presentation on Saturday and visits to attractions on Sunday

They are looking for Expressions of Interest
If Interested Contact Lindsay Jones, 0418393771 or soilsolu@bigpond.net.au

Fellowship Committee

**FELLOWSHIP
NIGHT**



**BILLY
ELLIOT
THE MUSICAL**

THURSDAY MARCH 5TH.

**TICKETS AVAILABLE FROM
ALAN LORENZINI**

98551144

FIRST COME FIRST SERVED

All Those with a 4WD here is the opportunity to get it dirty

With the formation of the 4WD Club in the RVFR (Recreational Vehicle Fellowship of Rotarians) Southern Zone B District we are now ready to take our first 4WD Fellowship Trip. Attached please find a flyer with trip details and registration form. It would be appreciated if this information was passed on to all your members. If further details are required, contact Annie McGennissen of the Rotary Club of Keilor East. (amcgennissen@hotmail.com)

Fun, fellowship & a touch of adventure

A day in Lerderderg Gorge / Wombat State Forest

Sunday 1st February, 2009

Trip Leader – Annie McGennissen (RC of Keilor East)

Meeting Place: Carrolls Lane, Bullengarook

Time: 8:30 am - approx 5:00 pm

Lunch and discussion: Firth Park (BYO food & drinks)

Donation: \$10 per vehicle

Trip: Easy / Medium

Registration Forms are also with Ron Lear



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Last Meeting's Guests, Apologies, Etc

Guests

Supt Ignhard Ehrenberg

Visiting Rotarians:

None

Apologies:

Angus, Cunniffe, Duxbury, Fotheringham, G heath,
Hope, Leigh' Maxwell, Pane, Stewart, Tamlyn

Make Ups:

Don Jago: RC Glen Eira; Boroondara Cares
Peter Allen: Glen Eira: Boroondara Cares
Ian Feder, Boroondara Cares

Raffle Winner

Michael Blood

Welcome Back:

Jim O'Hara

Farewell

None



Quote Of The Week

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Birthdays, Anniversaries, Etc.

Birthdays

Graeme Hope 14th January
Rob Davies 19th January

Wedding Anniversaries

None

Club Anniversaries

Kevin Connolly 15th January 35 yrs

Almoners Report

A longer One Than Usual
See Inside

Directory Changes

None

