



CLUB BULLETIN



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THE 5 AVENUES OF SERVICE



Next Meeting
Wed 06 July
President David Baker
" Member Behind The Badge "
Chair John Steven



Meeting Rosters

June	July
(Rotary Fellowship Month)	(Rotary Literacy Month)
Registration Desk	Registration Desk
Pierre Kriegler	David Atkinson
David Loftus	Geoff Angus
Andy Spry	Welcomer
Welcomer	Justine Paragreen
Bar	Bar
Geoff Heath	Syd Warneke

Future Club Program

<u>Speaker</u>	<u>Subject</u>	<u>Chair</u>
Wed 13 July	Past Presidents Night	Chair Geoff Heath
Wed 20 July	Steve Lincoln Smith "Electronic Keyboard Demonstration"	Chair Peter Allen
Wed 27 July	Rob Gell "Droughts & Flooding Rains: Folklore or Climate Change "	Chair Justine Paragreen

PLEASE SHARE THE BULLETIN WITH YOUR PARTNER

Club Meets
Wednesdays 6.15 for 6.30
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Secretary: Richard Gray
Treasurer: : Peter Pratt

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From The Bakehouse



Wow - what a week of Changeover functions! The first one was last Saturday Night, Balwyn North held their Changeover at the Box Hill Golf Club, then Sunday Lunch at Moonee Valley for the District 9800 Changeover. Monday evening Canterbury Rotary Club took us back to Box Hill Golf Club and Balwyn's was at The Boulevard in Kew Tuesday Night – all have been very good often with entertainment. We have only one more which is to be held at the Balwyn Community Centre for the Boroondara Rotary Club this Friday Night.

Congratulations to Jon Oppy, Anne Murphy, Patrick Cuniffe and members of the the Fellowship Committee for putting on a great Changeover Night, I think the Athenaeum Club is a great venue and the meal and service was excellent.

Thank you to Peter Allen for being Chairman and carrying out the role to his usual high standard, thank you to John Steven for saying the grace and Don Jago for giving the toast to Rotary International.

Thank you to Rodger Madigan for his role as Sergeant and ensuring that all the Club badges etc were in place at the Athenaeum Club.

Congratulations to Bernie Connell on receiving the District Award for the best Club Bulletin for Clubs with more than 55 members.

Gary Goldsmith was awarded a second Paul Harris Fellowship Sapphire for his outstanding work with District and Peter Pratt was also awarded a Paul Harris Fellowship sapphire for his role as Club and Art Show Treasurer for last three years and his



service above self to our Club, congratulations Peter for a well deserved award.

On behalf of Glenda and me, we thank all members and their partners for the tremendous support we have received during our time as leaders of the Club, thank you to Les Brown for the kind words and for presenting the beautiful engraved silver tray.

Glenda also is appreciative of the flowers presented to her during the night.

Congratulations to our new President David Baker and all the very best for a fantastic year to David and Margaret.

This is my last article from the Bakehouse, I can honestly say I have enjoyed being your President and I am glad I had a go.

Have a good week in Rotary

Robert Davies ♦





A note from Frank Leigh



Three of my grandchildren are about to fly to Europe. Kate McLardy is en route to the island of Menorca off the coast of Barcelona, Spain. She is joining a team of archaeologists to uncover early Roman remains and artefacts. She is sponsored by Macquarie University, where she is doing her PhD in Classics. She currently reads and writes 7 Ancient languages – Ancient Greek, Latin, Etruscan, Sumerian, Egyptian hieroglyphs, Akkadian & Coptic.

I also have two twin grandsons, (15 years of age) Andrew & James Leigh leaving this week to play Cricket In the Melbourne Grammar First XI in UK, against Eton College, Wellington College, Magdalen College, Eastbourne College, St.Pauls College, Sutton Valance College and Ealing Cricket Club. They will also be guest of Lancashire Cricket Club at Old

Trafford, when LCC play Sri Lanka.

When I was at Grammar, I think we had an excursion once to Port Melbourne.

How things change. ♦

DG Weekly Message

MUNA.....What a wonderful New Generations event! MUNA (Model United Nations Assembly) was conducted last weekend, 3-5 June, at Camp Getaway. What is MUNA you ask? The MUNA experience offers International awareness of UN member States attitudes, it provides the opportunity for young **15-17 yo's to gain confidence** in public speaking. It encourages our youth to grow intellectually as well as expand their understanding of the cultural, social and political issues that affect the world at large. It has been developed to involve year 11 students in a hands-on live-in weekend experience that will increase international understanding & goodwill.....one of the main aims of Rotary International. A team of 2 students is allocated a UN member country to represent, and are presented with a set of topical resolutions to investigate, research and come prepared to debate the issues.....from the point of view of the country they represent. To add to the authenticity of the occasion all students are encouraged to **wear their country's National** costume. A Secretary- General (in our case Brett Lefebvre, RC of Kyneton) chairs the Assembly and UN rules of debating are followed with **"bloc" meetings of like-minded** countries negotiating to have their positions approved or ratified. Resolutions cover issues such as Education, Environment, Health, Human Rights, Nuclear Proliferation, Poverty, Terrorism and World Peace. President of the Assembly was Neville Page

(our District MUNA Chairman).

Well done Neville and Brett, who have been conducting these for many years now.

MUNA was held at our Districts **own "Camp Getaway",** at Axedale, which has great facilities. Host Club was RC of Hawthorn, with Rtn David Owen, ably in charge. Looking after catering

needs for the weekend was RC of Bendigo Sandhurst, who provided all meal requirements, to the delight of all.

Congratulations to both these Clubs on working together to provide an excellent outcome for MUNA.

Thank you to the following Clubs (18) **who sponsored our 40 delegates, RC's** of Footscray, Melbourne, Albert Park, Hawthorn, Richmond, Kyneton, Kangaroo Flat, Melbourne South, North Melbourne, Kew On Yarra, Bacchus Marsh, Carlton, Altona, Bendigo, Hoppers Crossing, Eaglehawk, Bendigo Sandhurst and North Balwyn. **Let's try to** have more Clubs involved at the next MUNA ♦



It's A Hard Life in France



Greetings from rural warm France Mariella and I are sorry not to be with you on farewell of a great



Rotary year extremely well managed and the welcoming of MR party time! Our warm wishes to you both and good luck for the coming Rotary year. May you have a well deserved rest Rob and you David have an



eventful and satisfactory new Rotary year.



Having said that and receiving the frequent weather reports we are however not sad to be missing the cold Melbourne winter and are loath to exchange it for our warm balmy days here among the vines. In fact it is difficult sometimes to remember there are still problems in the world when we reflect on our fortunate lives here. you will also realize that we are far removed from the ridiculous political scene at home and isolated from any news about Oz and



the triteness of commercial television channels we have attached a few photos to explain our decisions and some of past notable Rotarian visits

Again our good wishes and greetings to all Michael & Mariella Newmann ♦

And even harder on Rotary Fellowship business



From Helsinki, where I am about to go on the ferry to Tallinn, Estonia to play in the European Rotary Golf get-together. Please pass on my sincere congratulations to retiring president Rob for his outstanding year and my best wishes to incoming president David for his coming year.



I wonder if you could do me a favour. As it is nearly the end of the Rotary year, please could you submit for me two make-ups that I did: 3 June, Rotary club of Edinburgh 7 June Rotary Club of St Andrews . Many thanks, back mid-July. Cheers, Pierre Kriegler ♦

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Birthdays & Anniversaries

Birthdays

Helen Pavey Jul 2
Christine Landsberg Jul 3
Pierre Kriegler July 4
Michael Blood July 5
Colin Gould Jul 5
Gerry Lavender Jul 6

Wedding Anniversaries

Mark & Karen Hased Jul 2
Erick & Val Heyburn July 2

Club Anniversaries

Justine Paragreen June 30 1 Year
David Atkinson Jun 30 2 Years
Patrick Cunniffe Jul 3 15 Years
Peter Pratt Jul 3 15 Years

Last Meeting's Guests, Apologies, Etc

Guests of Members

*Asst. PDG Elect - R.C Melb Sunrise, Kevin Love
R.C Boroondara P/E Rosemary Waghorne and Ted, Rtn Greg Vero
R.C Balwyn P/E Rtn Peter Frueh and Anne Rtn Ken and Alison McQualter
R.C. Canterbury Rtn David Chudasko, Rtn Kiel Wightman and Terri
R.C Balwyn P/E Rtn Peter Frueh and Anne Rtn Ken and Alison McQualter
David and Margret Baker have their daughter Kirsten and her partner Benjamin Mercuri, Margret's brother Herbert Essling and I presume his partner Dianne Mawson.
Rob and Glenda have three of their children Sam, Michele and Kimberley and their respective partners Amanda, Paul Sterkenburg and Jason Harvey.*

Visiting Rotarians:

None

Apologies: Leigh Atkinson Dance Docherty

Falay Feder Fotheringham Hased
Heil Kriegler Miller Mullins Neumann
O'Hara

Make Ups:

Raffle Winner

Adrian Campbell

Farewell

Quote of The Week

"A leader knows what's best to do; a manager knows merely how best to do it.." K. Adelman.



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Directory Changes