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Four Way Test of the things we think, say or do:

Is it the **TRUTH**?

Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?

Will it build **GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?

Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?



29 November 2018

MEETING DATE

29 November 2018 (Meeting 2906)

Pizza, Poetry & Plonk Night at Nelligen Park (See below for details)

6 December 2018 (Meeting 2907)

Program: Club Assembly: Annual General Meeting

**Invocation & Toast: Debbie Spooner
International Toast: Maureen Law**

13 December 2018 (Meeting 2908)

Program: Industry Visit to Miles Suter Dental Practice, 15 Old Princes Hwy at 6pm followed by dinner at the Soldiers Club at 7pm. Usual cost and apology required if not attending.

20 December 2018 (Meeting 2909)



Rotary Christmas Dinner

6.30 for 7pm at the Soldiers Club \$20pp

All Partners & Friends of Rotary are invited.

RSVP to Pam by 16/12/18

It will be a great night of fellowship and fun!

BREAKFAST CLUB

Tues 27/11/18 Vere, Margaret Quigley

Wed 28/11/18 Maureen, Zelma & Irene

Friday 30/11/18 David A

Tues 4/12/18 Hugh & Pam

Wed 5/12/18 Bronwyn & Pam

Thurs 6/12/18 Maureen, Zelma & Lyn

Friday 7/12/18 David A & Bronwyn



November is Rotary Foundation Month and we had a Guest Speaker on Thursday evening who requires no introduction to us, PDG Phil Armstrong. It was also a night to celebrate Polio Plus World's Greatest Meal, hence the group photo which will be submitted to the web site. A special raffle was conducted and raised \$200 and this amount will be added to the profit from the theatre evening making over \$600. The Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation will double the amount making a total of \$1800 to Polio Plus. A great effort!

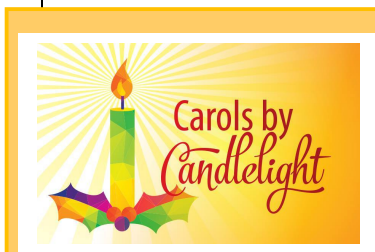
Phil spoke to us on our four star rating Charity, the Rotary Foundation, which does so much good in the world. We are encouraged to donate but Clubs are also encouraged to access funds. Our Club has benefited from a Global Grant for the toilets project in the Philippines and a District Grant for the Sisters Helpem Sisters Project in the South Pacific. Make it your charity of choice and "Make a difference by doing good!"

Sunday 9th December at Hanging Rock

4.30 - 7pm Val, Nicole, Chris & Alan

7pm - 9.30 David A, Debbie & Bronwyn

Tow in Bruce Tow out David



At the board meeting, a donation of \$1000 was approved to the Rotary eClub of Latitude 38 for their project to provide Health Care Cards for poor Vietnamese, through the SAPP Association (Sponsoring Assoc for Poor Patients) The cards cost approximately \$43 AUD. The Vietnamese Government subsidises the card but a payment of at least \$13 AUD per person is required in order to receive free medical treatment and medication. This amount is out of reach of the poor and large families. This donation will provide approximately 75 health cards.

Pizza, Poetry & Plonk



LIFT THE LID
on mental illness

29th November at Nelligen Park 6-6.30pm

**Pizza Poetry & Plonk plus
ARH Hat Day Appeal**

Get out your poems and get out your hats!

Cost \$15 pp. BYO drinks & glasses

Hats can be FUN, FOREIGN OR FASHION.

Prizes for the best in each category! Partners & friends welcome and a great night to **bring along any potential new members.**

Trachoma 2020 Project

Rotary has committed to ending Trachoma by 2020. The infectious eye disease is still present in remote aboriginal communities and can lead to permanent blindness. Australia is the only developed country where Trachoma exists. It is a preventable disease – good hygiene practices and the right community environment is all it takes. One way we can help is by saving used stamps. Funds raised from sale of the stamps goes to help with the purchase of mirrors for homes, washing equipment and education focusing on good hygiene such as keeping faces clean, not sharing face washers and using soap. PLEASE GIVE ANY USED STAMPS TO VERE

Apparently it's no longer politically-correct to direct a joke at any racial or ethnic minority, so:

An Englishman, an Scotsman, an Irishman, a Welshman, a Ghurkha, a Latvian, a Turk, an Aussie, two Kiwis, a German, an American, a South African, an Egyptian, a Japanese, a Mexican, a Spaniard, a Russian, a Pole, a Lithuanian, a Swede, a Finn, an Israeli, a Dane, a Romanian, a Bulgarian, a Serb, a Swiss, a Greek, a Singaporean, an Italian, a Libyan, a Muslim, a Hindu, a Buddhist and an Ethiopian went to a night club.



The bouncer said, "Sorry, I can't let you in without a Thai !!!"

DOOR TEAMS

(Arrive at 5.45pm, set up room and return Lectern, Wheel and Flags at completion of meeting)

November: Pam Thorpe, David Harding, Bronwyn Geppert, Jeff Thorpe

December: Vere Gray, Garry Gray, Maureen Law (**Christmas Dinner:** Maureen Law, Chris Watson)

February: Neil Simpson, John Haslem, Debbie Spooner, Chris Watson

March: Hugh Scott, Joe Scorer, Maureen Manning, Hardy Pradhan

ROTARY VAN ROSTER

CORRIGANS BEACH MARKETS

(7.30am-1pm)

**Means buy the ice and 2L lite milk*

Note: Swaps or exchanges should only be made with members who are on the roster

16th December **H. Scott, D. Spooner, Chris Watson. Tow D. Ashford

20th January ** I. Ryrie, H. Pohlsen, P. Thorpe, J. Haslem Tow N. Simpson

17th February ** A. Russell, [M. Law, V. Brandenburg] sharing, A. Powell Tow N. Simpson

17th March **H. Scott, B. Geppert, D. Spooner Tow B. Clarke

Easter 21st April **J. Harper, P. Kable, M. Frankvoort **+ 1 more** Tow D. Ashford

19th May ** I. Ryrie, M Manning and friends Tow N Simpson

16th June ** A. Russell, J. Haslem, D. Spooner Tow B Clarke

MARKET MANAGEMENT ROSTER

SUNDAY 16 DECEMBER

Market Manager –Neil Simpson

Site Markers (Sat 3pm): - Bruce Clarke, Neil Simpson

Market Assistants- Bruce Clarke. Brian Jones

Market Signs: David Ashford

SUNDAY 20 JANUARY

Market Manager –Neil Simpson (Admin) Garry Gray

Site Markers (Sat 3pm): - Peter Kable, Ivan Ryrie

Market Assistants- Vere Gray, Bronwyn Geppert

Market Signs: Hugh Scott

SUNDAY 17 FEBRUARY

Market Manager –Neil Simpson

Site Markers (Sat 3pm): - Neil Simpson, Bruce Clarke

Market Assistants- Jeff Thorpe, Brian Jones

Market Signs: David Ashford

SUNDAY 17 MARCH

Market Manager –Neil Simpson

Site Markers (Sat 3pm): - Neil Simpson, Garry Gray

Market Assistants- Vere Gray, Garry Gray

Market Signs: Hugh Scott

Bunnings Sausage Sizzle – Sunday 2 December 2018

8.30 – 11.am Bruce Clarke, Jeff Thorpe, Pam Thorpe

11.am – 1.30 Val Brandenburg, Peter Kable, Ivan Ryrie

1.30 – 4pm B Clarke, Debbie Spooner, Bronwyn Geppert

(Don't forget to put the onions on first!!!!)

MYTHS

BUSTED



**MEN
ONLY**

Today we have LOTS of women members, Presidents & District Governors...Everyone is welcome. Rotary was started by business men, and used to exclude women! And so did many other organisations back in the "olden days".



**GOTTA
BE
OLD**

Rotary starts in schools with Interact, Rotaract in Universities, and Rotary from 30yrs upwards. In our District our members range from 30 to 100+ We have presidents under 35 years old. If your local club has a few oldies...join and show them how to use the interweb ;-)



**SECRET
HAND-
SHAKES**

Nope...that's the Masons. In Rotary, we shake hands (The regular way!) and we are great friends so we are more likely to give each other a massive welcoming hug.



**LOTS
OF
BBQs**

OK....So this isn't a myth!
We LOVE a good Aussie BBQ and who doesn't? It's a chance to get out in the community and do a little PR. We do 1000's of different community projects, & raise funds doing everything from Crowdfunding to running yachting Regattas.



**NO
PARTNERS
ALLOWED**

We don't even know where this one came from!? We have many couples in our District that MET through Rotary. Partners ARE welcome. However, we have some members who come to Rotary to get AWAY from their "better half"!



**GOTTA
BE
RICH**

We have rich members, we have career starters and EVERYONE in-between. There's a membership fee and a cost to cover food at meetings. However, If you want to get involved and you can't manage those costs right now...become a "Friend of Rotary" and pitch in your time and skills to help us instead.



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GO TO
ADMIN**

Rotary members are volunteers (not paid) 90.5% of all funds raised by the Rotary Foundation go directly to funding projects. Only 2.9% goes to Admin and the rest goes to help with fundraising costs. Don't take my word for it....Check us out on [Charity Navigator](#)