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* Remember, attendance information is now to be directed to Matthew Scott before each Wednesday.

Welcome to this weeks edition of the SignPost Bulletin...

Well, Thursday was another very successful meeting for the showcasing of our Club, and our 'Connect to the Community' events. Wasn't it a great night? Dr Peter Dingle certainly knows how to capture and involve the audience!

There was a great crowd present, with a number of visitors not only there for the talk, but also to see what Rotary was about and how we connect to the community.

Dr Dingle's talk was both informative and inspirational. How easy is it to 'live a better life?' And, wasn't it just amazing to think that we, the Rotary Club of Bendigo South, already have the answer in our own PP Ken Briggs?

Dr Dingle used Ken's early childhood and present lifestyle, to support his theories on what we need to do to have better health and longevity of life. Well done Ken; we will all be looking to you for the answers, as you are the example of 'life itself!'

As it was my first 'real' experience in the Presidents' role, I'd like to pass on a big 'thank you' to those members present on the evening for their efforts, and support given, to make the evening a success. There is a lot of time and effort involved in creating and running these events, to ensure everything runs well and our message is promoted to as many people as possible.

I would like to apologise for an error in my report last week, where I stated that our retired Rotarians received 'Life Memberships', it should have been 'Honorary Membership'.

We have a big event in the 'Swap Meet' coming up for the weekend, 16th -18th November, and as a result, there is not a meeting being held this coming Thursday 15th. Good luck, and thank you to all who support and participate in the event.

Our next meeting will be Thursday 22nd, when we will have our AGM.

I'll now hand back the reins to President Wendy, and with them, my hope that she had a pleasant time away.

I look forward to the next opportunity I have for reporting to you all.

Peace through Service,

HELENE BROWN (PRESIDENT ELECT)



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Calendar of Rotary & Social Events

A complete list of any upcoming events for the Rotary Club of Bendigo South...

If you want an event included on this list, please advise the bulletin editor.

NOVEMBER

15th November

No Meeting- SWAP MEET.

16/ 17/ 18th November

Bendigo Swap Meet - Rotary Catering (Set up Thurs 15th/ Pack up Mon 19th Nov.)

22nd November

Club AGM

29th November

SOCIAL EVENT- Ten Pin Bowling Family Night.
* Stay tuned for further information!!

DECEMBER

6th December

SOCIAL EVENT- Club Anniversary Dinner with Kangaroo Flat Rotary/ Partner Dinner Dance.

20th December

SOCIAL EVENT- Christmas Dinner

* Christmas Break, No meetings on Thursday 27th Dec & 3rd January 2013.

Plan Now:

14 - 16 March 2013

**D9800 conference,
Albury, NSW.**

CLUB DUTY ROSTER- *November; The Month of the Rotary Foundation*

DATE	22nd November	29th November
ACTIVITY	Club AGM & (Q & A)	Ten Pin Bowling
CHAIRMAN	Wendy Learmount & Gary Pinner	N/A
CASHIERS	VACANT	N/A
REGALIA	VACANT	N/A
FELLOWSHIP	VACANT	Everyone
RAFFLE	VACANT	N/A
SERGEANT	N/A	N/A

CONGRATULATIONS

BIRTHDAYS

14th November - Doug Learmount

& Ros Chenery.

14th November - Vicki Ellis

21st November - Ron Deveraux

23rd November - Ian Ellis



MEETING INFORMATION

Dr Peter Dingle-

Date:

Thursday 8th October

“Connect to the Community” dinner

Total Attendance: 35

Fines: None Taken

Members: 13

Raffle: \$29.50

THANKS:

Thanks to Dr Peter Dingle, who donated one of his best-selling books as a raffle prize for the night.

Guests:

Dr Peter Dingle & Martine Dingle,
Pierre-Louis Nottelette (incoming Exchange Student), Sharli McKenzie (Outgoing Exchange Student),

Echidna: \$12.95

Chocolate Sales: \$50

Janet McKenzie,

BBQ @ Midland Irrigation:
\$188

Cora Fuentes-Mahnic,

Sophie Ellis,

Maggie Merigan-James,

Ilka Mills, Sharon Pfeiffer,

Sam Gleeson, Robyn Ryan, Heather Gordon,

Rod & Sally Thomson,

Deb Cooke,

Kath & Brian McLoughlan, Jurgen Steen.

MAKE UPS:

Well done to our very own Matthew Scott, who undertook a Rotary makeup on the Rotary e-Club of Melbourne website. After hearing about the e-Club at Rotary Leadership Institute training on Sunday afternoon, Matthew decided to experiment with a makeup in place of the Dr Dingle dinner meeting which he missed earlier that week. A makeup on the e-Club website involves reading and learning about content on the e-Club's website, and submitting to the e-Club website administrator how informative you found the online material. Matthew studied D9800s online project bank, as well as learning about how instrumental Rotary was in the drafting of the United Nation's constitution after WWII.

Visit the e-Club website at www.rotaryclubofmelbourne.org.au

SWAP MEET WEEKEND ROSTERS

SWAP MEET 2012 STAFFING REQUIREMENTS - BENDIGO SOUTH

SHEET 1 OF 2

Volunteer Name	Thurs 15th	Friday 16th			Saturday 17th				Sunday 18th			Mon 19th
	1pm Set Up 3	9am-1pm 3	12.30-5pm 4	4.30-9pm 4	5am-9am 7	8.30am-1pm 10	12.30-4.30pm 11	4pm-9pm 3	6am-9am 7	8.30am-1pm 9	12.30pm-End 7	Morning 3
Graham Neivandt	x	x										x
Ken Briggs	x	x				x						X
Rod Spitty									x			
Gary Pinner				x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	
Sharon Pfeiffer	Finiancial Staff - with Ian Doak					x	x	x		x	x	
Bill Ashman		x										
Max Ellis						x						
Terry Dalwood					x					x		x
Geoff McKinna	x		x					x SITE CAPT				
Andrew Palmer									x			
Ros Chenery								x				
Greg Noonan										x		
Jim Boyer					x				x			
Lindsay Jackson												x
Matt Scott								x				
Wendy Learmount			x									
Phillip Jan						x			x			
Elaine Harrington			x									
Ruth O'Connell						x	x					
Chloe Kilcullen						x	x					
Ron Devereaux			x									
Ian Ellis								x SITE CAPT				
Tony Plant											x SITE CAPT	
Cora Fuentes- Mehmich						x						

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<i>Choir Members for kitchen help - Contact is Ros Chenery 0407 802 801</i>												
Maree Wallace						x						
Joan Sullivan						x						
Gloria Balcam						x						
Joan Corner						x						
Jenny Mann							x					
Ann Lorenz							x					
Jane Hellston							x					
Trish Potter							x					
Marg Mangan							x					
Menshed Members												
Luke Turner						x						
Terry Evans						x	x					
Terry Egan							x					
Bill Thomson							x				x	
Jim Stein							x					
John Hollis							x				x	
Keith Harris											x	
Ray Haywood											x	

ROTARY CLUB OF BENDIGO SOUTH - Photo Board



Over the weekend (11th November), Bendigo South Rotarians, Matthew Scott and Ros Cheney graduated from Rotary Leadership Institute training. This was a three part course, covering topics such as the Rotary Foundation to public speaking. Well done Ros and Matthew, who were both presented with a graduation badge.



Also taking place at the Rotary Club of Bendigo South this past week, was our latest 'Connect to the Community' dinner with Dr Peter Dingle.



Here are some photos from the night.

A few points to ponder...

- When our club is hosting an event or volunteer activity, are we remembering to invite our Friends of Rotary along?
- For those assisting in the Swap Meet catering, passes for gaining entry to the Showgrounds are available from Gary Pinner at Gejay Automotive, 4-6 Milroy St, Bendigo.
(Please come to collect your entry pass between the following hours, 8am- 6pm Monday to Friday or 8am- 1pm on Saturday).

"Dr Dingle had the right idea!

Eat Well, Live Right...

*Keep feeding me those wholesome
and delicious 5 cent pieces!"*

*And Happy Birthday to Ros,
who thought she'd escaped my birthday list!!*



ROTARY CLUB OF BENDIGO SOUTH INFORMATION

THE OBJECT OF ROTARY

The object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster:

FIRST.

The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;

SECOND.

High ethical standards in business and professions; the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations; and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society;

THIRD.

The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business, and community life;

FOURTH.

The advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.

WHO'S WHO?

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT- Sakuji Tanaka (Kyoko)

RI DISTRICT 9800 GOVERNOR- Dennis Shore

ASSISTANT GOVERNOR (GOLDFIELDS CLUSTER)-

Rick Reid

PRESIDENT- Wendy Learmount

VICE PRESIDENT (Club Protection Officer)- Ruth O'Connell

HON. SECRETARY- Gary Pinner

HON. TREASURER- Philip Jan

CLUB SERVICE- Helene Brown (President Elect)

MEMBERSHIP DEVELOPMENT/ P.R.- Jim Boyer

COMMUNITY SERVICE- Terry Dalwood

ROTARY FOUNDATION & VOCATIONAL SERVICE-

Sam Tayeh

NEW GENERATIONS- Rod Spitty

INTERNATIONAL SERVICE- Ros Chenery

SIGNPOST EDITOR- Matthew Scott- mattgscott@telstra.com

ATTENDANCE & MAKE UP OPPORTUNITIES

DISTRICT 9800 GOLDFIELDS CLUSTER ROTARY CLUB MEETINGS

KANGAROO FLAT- Monday 6pm, Rotary Gateway Park

BENDIGO- Tuesday 12:45pm, Bendigo Club
BENDIGO STRATHDALE- Tuesday 6pm, All Seasons

ECHUCA MOAMA- Tuesday 6pm, Border Inn Moama

BENDIGO SANDHURST- Wednesday 7am, BRIT Restaurant

EAGLEHAWK- Wednesday 6pm, Mechanics Institute

ROCHESTER- Thursday 6pm, Commercial Wine Tavern

THE ROTARY CLUB OF BENDIGO SOUTH ATTENDANCE OFFICER

MATTHEW SCOTT- mattgscott@telstra.com

Please email your attendance to Matthew before each Wednesday.

To telephone through your attendance, please do so on Matthew's mobile phone number.

THE FOUR WAY TEST

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?