

Welcome to this weeks edition of the SignPost...

Welcome to the new Rotary Year with most District Handovers almost completed.

Club members seemed to enjoy the last dinner with our farewell to Anna and Guest Speaker Lisa Chesters, Federal Member for Bendigo. It was great to see the IT working with the new club laptop in use as part of Anna's presentation. Anna presented an excellent account of her experiences with the Club and being an exchange student. It was great to see the host families attend the farewell too.

Anna - we wish you all the best for the future and thank you for the joy and fun that you provided to members at meetings throughout the year. Thank you to Anne, Tony and Ros for their work with Anna throughout the year and the organisation of the farewell.

Our Federal Member for Bendigo, Lisa Chesters, provided a penetrating insight into being a Federal Member and balancing representation and community engagement both in the Bendigo electorate and in Canberra. Lisa addressed a wide range of questions from members and visitors. Thank you to Lisa for coming to our meeting and having extensive one on one discussions with Club members and visitors.

This meeting we will be discussing our Draft Business Plan for 2014/15. Board members will be outlining the activities that they intend to do throughout the year with the view of seeking member input. It is intended to consider all member comments with the view of adopting the Draft Business Plan at a Special Board Meeting on the 17th July.

Please take the time to read the plan and come prepared with any comments/questions. We will also have the ADG Grant Hocking present, where he will be meeting with the Board at 5.00 pm to discuss the Club Plan and any specific issues.

Treasurer Greg Noonan has circulated members dues for the year and Helene and Anne have developed the weekly program well into this Rotary Year. Well done to all!

Also thank you to Foundry for accommodating and feeding 43 attendees including the additional members from Next Generation. Welcome back Andrew Palmer from leave and congratulations on the completion of your studies while balancing competing demands of home, work and study.

See you on the 17th of July!

LIGHT UP ROTARY!

Regards,
Rod Spitty

President of the Rotary Club of Bendigo South

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ROTARY CLUB OF BENDIGO SOUTH -

Calendar of Events

WHEN?	WHAT?	WHERE? (Details & Contact Info)
July	NEW ROTARY YEAR	"Light Up Rotary"
Thursday 17	Business Plan Presentation & official AG visit by Grant Hocking	Foundry Complex
Thursday 24	Guest Speaker: Cr Peter Cox "Heritage In Bendigo"	Foundry Complex
Monday 28	RC Next Gen Table Tennis Comp	7pm in Eaglehawk
Thursday 31	Guest Speaker: Kaye Graves Refugee Health in Bendigo	Foundry Complex
August	Membership Month	
Thursday 7	Guest Speaker: Jeremy Forbes HALT- Tradies Suicide Support BOARD MEETING	Foundry Complex
Thursday 14	Guest Speaker: Sharni McKenzie Youth Exchange Student is Home	Foundry Complex
Thursday 21	Vocational Visit- Keech Castings	Powell St, Bendigo
Thursday 28	Bill Ashman Testimonial Dinner	Foundry Complex/ Family Night

CLUB DUTY ROSTER- July 2014

DATE	17 th July	24 th July	31 st July
ACTIVITY	Business Plan Presentation & AG's Visit	Cr Peter Cox- Bendigo Heritage	Kaye Graves- Refugee Health
CHAIRMAN	Rod Spitty	Rod Spitty	Vacant
CASHIERS	Mark Mott & Matthew Scott	Jim Boyer & Matthew Scott	Bernie Young & Ros Chenery
REGALIA	Ros Chenery	Ros Chenery	Andrew Palmer
FELLOWSHIP	Anne Peace	Anne Peace	Tony Plant
SERGEANT	Terry Dalwood	Andrew Palmer	Gary Pinner

ABC Radio:

Anne Peace's interview on local ABC radio will now air on Wednesday 16th July on ABC 91.1FM during the early morning breakfast program.

Rotary Club of Bendigo South, August 2014 Roster

Theme for month – Membership

Dates	7th	14th	21st	28th
Guest speaker	Jeremy Forbes	Shani McKenzie	Vocational visit Keech Castings	Bill Ashman Testimonial
Chair Person	Steven Lee	Ros Chenery	Geoff McKinna	Terry Dalwood
Cashiers		Matthew Scott		Matthew Scott
Regalia and badges.	Ian Ellis		N/A	Emily Mudge
Fellowship				
Sergeant	Lindsay Jackson	Terry Dalwood	N/A	Wendy Learmount

If you are unable to complete your duty please arrange a substitute.

PHOTOS (Last weeks meeting)



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.

"Can you see me here on the back page??"

What a great meeting we had last week! So many people in the room; 43 in total! Our biggest meeting in the Sterling Room ever, I think!

Anna, is there still room for me in your suitcase? I'm all packed!"



WHO'S WHO?

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT- Gary C.K. Huang

RI DISTRICT 9800 GOVERNOR- Murray Verso

ASSISTANT GOVERNORS (GOLDFIELDS CLUSTER)-

Grant Hocking (Goldfields South) & Greg Noonan (Goldfields North)

PRESIDENT- Rod Spitty

PRESIDENT ELECT (Club Protection Officer)- Tony Plant

HON. SECRETARY - Mark G. Mott

HON. TREASURER- Greg Noonan

MEMBERSHIP DEVELOPMENT/ P.R.- Bernie Young

COMMUNITY SERVICE- Ian Ellis

ROTARY FOUNDATION & FELLOWSHIP- Helene Brown

VOCATION- Gary Pinner

YOUTH SERVICES- Ros Chenery

INTERNATIONAL SERVICE- Lindsay Jackson

PROGRAM COORDINATOR- Anne Peace & Helene Brown

DIRECTOR OF CLUB COMMUNICATIONS &

ASSISTANT SECRETARY-

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 6:15pm, Nancy Long Dining Room, La Trobe Uni.

BENDIGO NEXT GENERATION- Wednesday 6:30pm, The Exchange (Beneath Bendigo Bank)

ECHUCA MOAMA- Tuesday 6pm, Border Inn Moama

BENDIGO SANDHURST- Wednesday 7am, BRIT Restaurant

EAGLEHAWK- Wednesday 6pm, Mechanics Institute

ROCHESTER- Thursday 6pm, The Wine Tavern, Moore Street.

THE ROTARY CLUB OF BENDIGO SOUTH ATTENDANCE OFFICERS

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THE FOURWAYTEST

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?