

Rotary



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THURSDAY 30th

JULY 2015

MEETS THURSDAYS

6PM FOR 6:30PM

@ THE FOUNDRY

HOTEL

"Connect to the Community"

SignPost Bendigo South

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Welcome to this week's edition of the SignPost...

At our club meeting held on Thursday 23rd July, we welcomed a large group of students and their parents from the East Loddon P-12 College. Also attending with this group were teachers Scott Wilkinson and Sarah Byrne. We had three visiting Rotarians - two from the Bendigo club in Barry Ackerman and Iona Pearce and Immediate Past President Lesley MacKenzie from Lakes Entrance (sister of Wendy Learmount). Also, Friend of Rotary, Daniel Giles was in attendance.

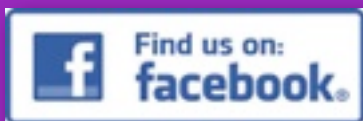
Our student visitors gave us a very enthusiastic presentation about their recent trip to Turkey with many wonderful photographs to better illustrate the places and people they visited. They were able to interact with children and their families from their sister school. This relationship seems to be one that is really working and is of great value to the students in both countries. It was so positive to sense the level and understanding and racial tolerance that had been achieved by these students undergoing this major overseas school excursion. Special mention needs to be made to acknowledge the contribution of both Sarah and Scott as the supervising teachers in making this all happen and bring these travellers all back home safely. There is nothing more powerful than discovery learning and first hand experiences rather than learning unrelated facts in isolation in order to pass a test.

We have been asked by the Youth Exchange Committee to endorse an exchange student application submitted by Emmaby Barton Grace who has the opportunity to go to Denmark next January. Ros and I have looked over the application and based on the material presented we all think Emmaby will be a great candidate. We intend to support this application.

The great news this week has been the approval of our grant application submitted to Lend Lease for the sum of \$10k. Special thanks to Emily and Rod for their great work in preparing this application and obtaining these funds to help us fund a number of ongoing commitments.

There are a number of events commencing in the next few weeks both within our club and within the broader circles of Rotary. We have the ticket selling commencing this Friday at Lansell Plaza shopping centre, and I thank those who have volunteered to man the boat - so to speak. The roster to date is attached and if you have missed out this time don't worry, there will be plenty more occasions coming up. National Youth Science Forum is also happening soon and of course you will all be able to buy your tickets for the Welsh Choir matinee very soon.

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WHEN?	WHAT?	WHERE? (Details & Contact Info)
July -	Setting the scene	for the new Rotary year
Thursday 30 th	Hon. John Brumby Partner Night	Foundry Hotel Complex

Notice: The calendar will now only be shown as a month at a time.

This is to avoid confusion with unconfirmed / altered events. Please see Program Co-ordinator, Rod Spitty for more information.

Rotary Club of Bendigo South, July Roster

Theme for month – New Rotary Year

Dates	30
Topic	State Govt.
Guest speaker	Hon. John Brumby
Chair Person	Lindsay Jackson
Cashiers	Graham Neivandt & Steven Lee
Regalia and badges.	Jim Rinaldi
Fellowship	Jim Rinaldi
Sergeant	Not Required

All Rotarians on duty must arrive before 6pm on the night

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

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Finally, let's all get along to our meeting this week, as we have the former Victorian Premier, John Brumby and his wife Rosemary McKenzie as our guests. Please note that the advice I have had from Mr Brumby's office is that they will not arrive till at least 6.30pm or maybe slightly after. This being the case, I would like to delay the start of our meeting till 6.45pm and perhaps finish 15 minutes later than usual.

Please be patient if we find this later start and finish is deemed to be necessary.

Look forward to seeing you all this Thursday night.

Tony Plant

President – The Rotary Club of Bendigo South.

- Science and Engineering Challenge - Tuesday 4th August
- Rotary Club of Bendigo - Birthday Celebration - Sat 22nd August 6.15 pm start @ Ulumbarra theatre. \$65p.p (See Poster Below).
- Colleen Hewitt Concert - Friday 23rd Oct. Ulumbarra Theatre \$50p.p.



ROTARY
CLUB OF BENDIGO

90

**Saturday
August 22
2015
6.15pm**

President Larrie Winzar invites you and your partner/friends to join us as we celebrate our 90th Anniversary.

This will be a spectacular event as Rotary takes over the entire CAPITAL THEATRE, View Street, Bendigo.

A very different celebration – fabulous food and wine, entertainment, talking, laughing, visuals, music.... you won't want to miss it!

\$65.00 pp (pre-dinner drinks, buffet dinner & entertainment)

Please purchase your tickets from the box office by 7/8/2015 - www.gotix.com.au or call 5434 6100.

The Rotary Club of Bendigo acknowledges the generous sponsorship of the City of Greater Bendigo for this event

1925 - 2015... and beyond



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on TWITTER.

Stay up to date with Rotary Club of
Bendigo South news and tweets at

[https://twitter.com/
RotaryBendigoS](https://twitter.com/RotaryBendigoS)

CONGRATULATIONS

Anniversaries:

Wendy Learmount - 2nd August

Geoff McKinna - 6th August

Tom Glazebrook - 20th August

Birthdays:

Max Ellis - 13th August

Annie Palmer - 14th August

Camp Getaway News

Hello Supporters,

Thank you for another 2 successful days of hard work this Friday 17th and Saturday 18 July.

The list of achievements is as follows

Fit pressed metal sections to main LVL beams to take fascia cladding

Fit temporary perimeter handrails around roof so that plumbers can work safely

Construct the panel link between the dining hall and new kitchen

Work on preparation for sheeting the external wall of the link

Fit 2 sheets to the temporary wall to secure the kitchen until stage 2 is built

Mount the sub board, run main cable from switchboard to sub board and liven up

Fit off all powerpoints and lights

Work on fire alarm system

Fit roof sheeting and flash off 1 penetration

Insulate the box gutter

Finish installation of the second space heater and run both heaters

Reinstall sliding doors between halls

Check for white ants and fit signs in Dorm 2

AND WHILST THERE ON SATURDAY

PDG Des and Judy Hosking along with IPP Brad Saunders AND THE MAN BEHIND IT ALL

Claude Bury, all Williamstown Rotarians, presented Camp Getaway with a new defibrillator. With the special pads Williamstown will also provide, this defibrillator will be suitable for all children as well as adults.

On Friday there were 8 volunteers and Saturday 11 Volunteers

Thanks go to Graeme Neivandt, Bernie Young, Bendigo South Rotary Exchange Student Gus, Harold Simpson, Jim Rolfe, John Flood, Peter Kennedy, John & Matt Gallagher, Tom Dobeli, Steve & Robyn Clarke & Howard Osborne. These supporters come from the following Rotary Clubs- Bendigo, Bendigo South, Bendigo Strathdale, Bendigo Sandhurst, Keilor, Camberwell and Eaglehawk.

Regards,

Leon Scott

PS: The new heaters are working very efficiently and made the entire area very comfortable and only used 3 barrows of wood for the weekend.



Marina Prior
~ & ~
the Victoria
Welsh
Choir

SUN
27 SEPT
AT 2PM

AT THE NEW
ULUMBARRA
THEATRE

Bookings 03 5434 6100
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The Rotary Club of Bendigo South
CHARITY RAFFLE

**15hp HONDA OUTBOARD
MOUNTED ON 3.7m STESSL
BOAT & EASYTOW TRAILER WITH
12 MONTHS REGISTRATION.
VALUED AT \$10 000**

**TICKETS
\$5**

All proceeds to
**ANNIE NORTH
WOMEN'S REFUGE NOW
BUILDING PROJECT**

Raffle Permit No.: 10671/15
Winners notified - Results in Bendigo Advertiser

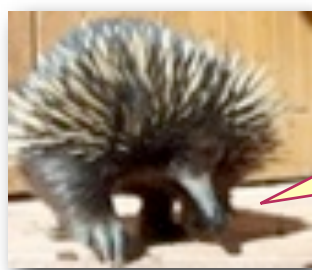
Please see President Tony or Peter Simmons to purchase a ticket in the charity raffle or to obtain a raffle booklet to sell.

Photoboard



LEFT: Students from East Loddon P-12 last Thursday told us about their trip to Turkey, to visit their sister school and commemorate the centenary of ANZAC day.

BELOW & RIGHT: Last Sunday members gathered at Bendigo Violet St PS to discuss membership matters and the goals of the club. Below are all of our ideas on the whiteboard.



“Last week we could have had turkey for tea. It would have been more appropriate than a parma!”

Major Boat Raffle.

Ticket Selling Roster:

Date	Venue	Time	Names
Friday- July 31	Lansell Square k Flat-near Coles entrance	8.15 -9am Set up	Tony & Bernie
		9.am -12 Sales	1. Wendy 2.Ruth
		12 pm-3pm Sales	1. Merlyn 2.
		3pm-5 30pm Sales/boat removal	1 .Maggie 2.
Friday Aug 7	Strath Village-IGA	9.30 am to 12 set and sell	Tony 2.Ken
		12 to 3pm sell	1. Steven 2.Tom
		3pm to 5.30pm sell pkt up	1. Maggie 2.
Sat Aug 8	Strath village-IGA	9.30am to 12 sell	1. Jim R 2.Rod
		12-2-30pm sell	1. Maggie 2.
		2-30 pm removal of boat	Tony

Special notes:

At Lansells boat will need to be removed no earlier than 5.30pm and will need someone on the last shift with a tow bar.

At Strath village boat can be locked overnight in a vacant shop on the Friday.

Sat morning wheeled out for display. Need to be removed from Centre Sat afternoon.

- Still have a couple of spots to fill-let me know if you can help.
- I will supply two chairs but if you wish to bring one that is your favourite it may be more comfortable than mine.
- You will be inside at both shopping centres but still come wearing warm cloths

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- K.R. "RAVI" Ravindran

RI DISTRICT 9800 GOVERNOR- Julie Mason

ASSISTANT GOVERNORS (GOLDFIELDS CLUSTER)-

Gary McClure (Goldfields South) & Greg Noonan (Goldfields North)

PRESIDENT- Tony Plant

PRESIDENT ELECT (Club Protection Officer)- Andrew Palmer

HON. SECRETARY - Bernie Young

HON. TREASURER- Greg Noonan

MEMBERSHIP DEVELOPMENT/ P.R- Rod Spitty

COMMUNITY SERVICE- Gary Pinner

ROTARY FOUNDATION & FELLOWSHIP- Vacant

VOCATION- Peter Ryall

YOUTH SERVICES- Matthew Scott

INTERNATIONAL SERVICE- Steven Lee

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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 Court House building, Moore Street (Opp. G. Nelson Motors).

THE ROTARY CLUB OF BENDIGO SOUTH ATTENDANCE OFFICER

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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?