

Rotary



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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 last meeting on Thursday September 17 we firstly met Gurtrick Barty who was a recipient of one of our new University Rural Health Scholarships. Gurtrick told us about his large family living near Shepparton and about the difficulties in being an Orchardist (as his family is) in the current economic climate. He also explained in some detail his religious beliefs and the important role it plays in his life. Those present would all agree that he was indeed a delightful young fellow and should do well in his chosen profession-physiotherapy.

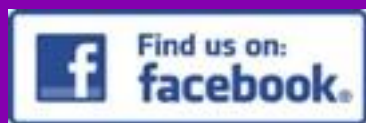
Secondly we were introduced to Hector Bathurst and Gaye Saunders. Hector outlined his role as chairman of the Pam Gunn Trust and its support for some students at the Axedale Primary School experiencing social, emotional and certain learning difficulties. Gaye being a junior school teacher at the school was also able to explain how the trust funds were being currently used to offer ongoing support for certain educational programs.

At the weekend some of us met up with our friends from The Rotary Club of Keilor East out at Camp Getaway. Quite a bit of work was carried out along with some great socializing on both Friday and Saturday night. Thank you to those members who have returned the home hosting forms to me. We will offer members from Keilor East the first option should they be attending our conference next year.

Boat raffle was on again with a good result at the IGA in Eaglehawk and a reasonable outcome at Coles Mc Ivor Road. I thank all those willing ticket sellers once again. This Saturday we need a team out the front of the QEO to capture the big footy crowd. Also providing it will fit through the door the boat will make a grand appearance at the big concert on Sunday. If you have not bought your tickets yet time is running out. If you want to join us for lunch *prior to Marina* let me know ASAP. Also once The Show is over on Sunday we then need to move our attention to the Peggy O Neal dinner on Tuesday October 27 and round up our friends to come along to hear a great speaker and bid up big on some great Auction items. A few of us hope to get along to the Next Gen's table tennis night this Monday too so if you can come along and join us-the more the merrier.

We have our club forum followed by a board meeting this Thursday so a reminder to all directors to get you dot points to Bernie early in the week so he can prepare the power point to show those in attendance all the great things we are doing. Also will mention too that Helene Brown has just undergone some surgery and is now home resting. We wish her a very speedy recovery and hope that we may see her again soon at a rotary event or two in the near future.

Tony Plant - President Bendigo South Rotary Club



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ROTARY CLUB OF BENDIGO SOUTH – CALENDAR OF EVENTS

WHEN?	WHAT?	WHERE?
September	Rotary Theme: Basic Education and Literacy	
Friday 18th	Camp oven social with Keilor East Rot Club BYO Drinks	Camp Getaway, Axedale
Thursday 24 th	Club Forum	Foundry Hotel Complex
Thursday 1st	Football social night	Sandhurst Club Rooms
Thursday 8 th	Vocation visit – Central Fire Station	Central Fire Station
Thursday 15 th	Alex Morgan – Cycling for the Olympics	Foundry Hotel Complex
Thursday 22nd	Lady Teviot – Genealogy Bronwyn Stephens – World of Difference	Foundry Hotel Complex
Tuesday 27 th (No meeting Thurs)	Peggy O’Neal Football operations, and Women’s Violence Awareness Project	Bendigo Club, Park Street, Kennington

CLUB DUTY ROSTER

Date	24	1 st Oct	8 th	15 th
Topic	Club Forum	Football Night at QEO	Visit Fire Station	Cycling for Olympics
Guest speaker	Board Members	None	Station Manager	Alex Morgan & Coach Scott
Chair	Tony Plant	N/A	Ian Ellis	Matthew Scott
Cashiers	Terry Dalwood & Glenn Madden	Bendigo South & Sandhurst	Andrew Palmer & Bill Ashman	George Ellis &
Regalia/badges	Anne Peace			
Fellowship	Ros Chenery			
Sergeant	Rod Spitty			Gary Pinner
All Rotarians on duty must arrive before 6pm on the night If you are unable to complete your duty please arrange a substitute				

ROTARY CLUSTER CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Colleen Hewitt Concert
Friday 23 October, 2015 at Ulumbarra Theatre, Bendigo
\$50 pp
\$5 per ticket donated to Violence Free Families

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Marina Prior & the Victoria Welsh Choir concert
2.00 pm, Sunday 27 September 2015
Ulumbarra Theatre, Bendigo
\$40 pp

Birthdays and Induction Anniversaries

Happy Birthday to the following Members

Andrew Palmer 13th September

Peter Simmons 20th September

Trevor Hawking 27th September

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

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

SECRETARY / CLUB PROTECTION OFFICER: Bernie Young

TREASURER: Greg Noonan

MEMBERSHIP DEVELOPMENT/ P.R.: Rod Spitty

COMMUNITY SERVICE: Gary Pinner

CLUB SERVICE: Ros Chenery

ROTARY FOUNDATION: Anne Peace

VOCATION: Ruth O'Connell

YOUTH SERVICES: Matthew Scott

INTERNATIONAL SERVICE: Steven Lee

PROGRAM COORDINATOR: Rod Spitty / Anne Peace

CLUB COMMUNICATIONS: Matthew Scott

SIGNPOST EDITOR- Sue Hawking (suetrevor8@bigpond.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, Shamrock Hotel

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).

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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?