

Rotary SignPost Bendigo South



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MEETS THURSDAYS

6pm for 6:30pm

@ THE FOUNDRY HOTEL

"Connect to the Community"

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PRESIDENTS REPORT - At our meeting held on Thursday May 5 we firstly heard from Simon Van Dillan Catholic College Bendigo with students Carmel and who updated us on the Phillipines Immersion Project. Our club supported this project to the sum of \$800 some months ago and we would all agree our small contribution was well spent. Congratulations to all staff and students for continuing with this wonderful project. Anne Marie Davis, the CEO of Amicus then provided us with a comprehensive summary of what her role at this organisation entails working in the field of assisting those with varying degrees of disabilities. Other guests were Greg Penno who updated us on what is happening in Cambodia where we combined our efforts earlier in the year with the Rotary Club of Bendigo Strathdale to obtain a Foundation grant. Trevor Phillips was again a visitor to the club.

Science and Engineering Challenge. A very successful event conducted at Girton Grammar on May 2. Seven teams competed although only 5 schools represented. Winner was South East College for the second year running. Well done to Rod, Steven and committee for again managing this great Youth Project to support some of our secondary school science programs.

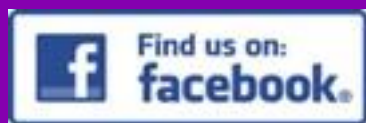
This Thursday May 12 is our **Annual Scholarship night** where the recipients of our six secondary school scholarships come along to tell us a little bit about themselves. Lisa Mitchell a winner from last year attending East Loddon P-12 will assume the role to chair this night so let us get along and encourage these wonderful young people who could all be future leaders of the community.

Sunday May 15 **District Assembly.** We have 14 members attending which is good result. Let us do some *car-pooling* and travel together to share our good ideas.

The Fiji container left for Lautoka on Saturday May 7 and will arrive on May 21. Costs to fund this project are as follows- Brian Ashman (son of Bill) \$3000, Maritha (local Fijian Dynamo) \$1000 and our club \$2200. This cost includes the purchase of the container which we are now donating to the school community where the furniture and books are being delivered too. This has been a great team effort to bring this project into reality. Special congratulations to our foundation member Bill who encouraged, cajoled and persisted in getting us onside and to finally achieve this great result. We now wait with anticipation to hear about the pending arrival of the goods and how it will get to its final destination somewhere in those Fijian mountains. The local Fijian community will join with us to provide a Hungi. Thinking Camp Getaway next September along with Keilor East might an idea.

May 21 and May 22 Merlyn's Soiree functions. There are a couple of tickets remaining for Saturdays show but Sunday's event all gone. See Anne if you can provide some nibbles for either day.

A reminder to all board members- our meeting is this week is straight after the club meeting. I will be in Melbourne from Sunday to Wednesday evening this week. You can phone me on 0408590589- after 4.30pm if you need to speak to me during this time. Otherwise see you all next Thursday night at the FOUNDRY. Tony Plant - President Bendigo South Rotary Club



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ROTARY CLUB OF BENDIGO SOUTH – CALENDAR OF EVENTS

WHEN?	WHAT?	WHERE?
May	Rotary Theme – Youth Services	
12 th	Scholarship night	Foundry Hotel
19 th	Thomas Wigney Crusoe College re – ANZAC	Foundry Hotel
26 th	Mature Member talks David Lea	Foundry Hotel

MAY 2016 CLUB DUTY ROSTER

Date		12 th	19 th	26 th
Topic		Scholarship Night	Anzac Tribute	Mature Member Talks
Guest Speaker		Lisa Mitchell	Thomas Wigney	David Lea
Chairperson		Tony Plant	Peter Simmons	
Cashiers		Cora F-Mahnic & Lindsay Jolley	Trevor Hawking & Andrew Palmer	Glenn Madden & Bill Ashman
Regalia/Fellowship		Jennie Hughes	Sue Hawking	Ian Ellis
Sergeant			Terry Dalwood	

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

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

Attendance officer – Ros Chenery 0407 802 801 or ros.chenery@visionaustralia.org

Birthdays and Induction Anniversaries

Happy Birthday to the following Members

George Ellis	2 May
Sue Hawking	4 May
Tom Glazebrook 90 th Birthday	7 May
Geoff McKinna	17 May

Happy Induction Anniversary to the following Members

Steven Lee	8 May
Terry Dalwood	16 May
Andrew Palmer	17 May
Russell McGibbon	30 May
Bernie Young	30 May



BBQ last Friday



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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

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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, Shamrock Hotel

ECHUCA MOAMA: Tuesday 6pm, Border Inn Moama

BENDIGO SANDHURST: Wednesday 7.30am, 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
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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?