# Rotary Club of Bendigo South SIGNPOST

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Meets Thursdays at 6pm for 6.30pm at the Lakeview Hotel (TBC weekly)

### **IMAGINE ROTARY**



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# **President's Report**

The Trivia Night was thoroughly enjoyed by all attending. Congratulations must go to everyone involved in the organising of the event. There were great prizes to be had and buckets of fun!

Through the initiative of Rod Spitty, our Club has been successful in securing further funding from the Peter Ryall Trust which the Club will match dollar for dollar. This funding will be used for Scholarships, Science and Engineering, the Ken Briggs Memorial Garden – all things the late Peter Ryall was passionate about.

On May 4, back at the Lakeview, we will hear from our Secondary Scholarship recipients. This is always an interesting evening as we learn of the aims and ambitions of these young people.

Please make sure you have emailed Tony Plant if you are attending this Meeting as numbers will be significantly increased by students and their families attending. You will have received an email from Tony regarding this.

### Merlyn Quaife AM





# **MAY PROGRAM**

Thurs 4<sup>th</sup> May Lake View Hotel

Secondary school scholarship Presentations

Chair: Lindsay Jolley/Glenn Madden

Sun 7<sup>th</sup> May Jasper Hotel Melbourne

District assembly

All welcome. Rochester bus available for transport

Thurs 11<sup>th</sup> May Lake View Hotel

Guest Speaker: David Birkett – Emergency Manager

And Resilience Coordinator Coliban Water

Chair: Rod Spitty

Thurs 18<sup>th</sup> May Lake View Hotel

Guest Speaker: Lucy Mayes - Author

Chair: Merlyn Quaife

Followed by BOARD MEETING

# **Upcoming events -**

22nd June -Changeover Dinner Shamrock Hotel









Trivia Night









Get ready to Imagine What's Next with Rotary! Rotary members like you are taking action and creating meaningful change in communities worldwide.

At past conventions, you've seen what we can accomplish when we come together and share our passion for Doing Good in the World. We're excited to keep the momentum going in 2023. **Join us in the beautiful city of Melbourne, Australia, 27-31 May** to connect with other people of action. We'll hear from great speakers, enjoy fantastic entertainment, take part in inspirational breakout sessions, and so much more.

Register today to receive the reduced rate. Don't wait, because this rate expires on 15 December.

Register Today



# THE FOUR WAY TEST

- Is it the TRUTH
- Is it FAIR to all concerned?
- Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
  - Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned

## 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: Jennifer Jones
RI DISTRICT 9800 GOVERNOR: Amanda Wendt

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CLUB PRESIDENT Merlyn Quaife AM

SECRETARY Paul Gibbons
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# **CLUSTER CLUB MEETING TIMES**

DISTRICT 9800 GOLDFIELDS CLUSTER ROTARY CLUBS

RC KANGAROO FLAT: Monday 6pm, Rotary Gateway Park

Secretary - Geoff Wakefield 0408510218

RC BENDIGO: Tuesday 12:45pm, Bendigo Club, Park Street, Kennington.

Secretary: Kaye Lehmann – <a href="mailto:kaye.l.lehmann@gmail.com">kaye.l.lehmann@gmail.com</a> 0418 355 253

RC ECHUCA MOAMA: Last Tuesday of month - 6 for 6:30pm, Rotary Community Park, Rose Street, Echuca.

RC BENDIGO SANDHURST: Wednesday 7am for 7.30am start, Fosterville Gold Tennis Centre, Nolan St Bendigo

Secretary: John Harkin - 0409957000

RC EAGLEHAWK: Wednesday 6pm, Mechanics Institute

Contact on 0428468298

RC ROCHESTER: Thursday 6pm, The Court House building, Moore Street (Opp. G. Nelson Motors)

Contact - Heather Watson on 0439842177

RC CASTLEMAINE: Wednesday 6:30pm, The Cumberland Hotel

Secretary - Lyndal McClure 044339116