# Rotary Club of Bendigo South SIGNPOST

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

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## President's Report

This my final President's Report and the final one for Zoe to put together.

At our last Meeting which was the 'Year in Review' I read my report for the Club's Annual Report and Paul Gibbons showed us the slides he has collated for the Changeover. We also had brief presentations from those Members present who had attended the International Convention.

It has been a productive year for our Club with a great variety of activities, interesting guest speakers and events. I wish to thanks all Members for making my second Presidential year most enjoyable. The first one was also enjoyable but different! I appreciate your friendship and support. Since moving to Bendigo ten years ago Rotary has helped me learn so much about our fair city and semi-rural life in general. I look forward to more to come!!!

The Changeover will be a great event as the Shamrock dusts off the cobwebs to host our dinner. See you there!

Merlyn Quaife AM





# **JUNE PROGRAM**

Thurs 22<sup>nd</sup> June Shamrock Hotel

**Changeover Dinner** 

Thurs 29<sup>th</sup> June Lake View Hotel

The Year Ahead Chair: Rod Spitty



## 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 TREASURER** Greg Noonan YOUTH SERVICES DIRECTOR Mark Tracy INTERNATIONAL SERVICE DIRECTOR Lindsay Jolley COMMUNITY SERVICE DIRECTOR **Emily Mudge** MEMBERSHIP & MARKETING DIRECTOR **Tony Plant CLUB SERVICE DIRECTOR Rod Spitty CLUB PROTECTION OFFICER** Geoff McKinna

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Susan Ducan

Gary Pinner

Matthew Scott

Zoe Pocock

## **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: Danielle Ioniescu – 5444 0190 secretary@rotarybendigo.org.au

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

RC BENDIGO SANDHURST: Wednesday 7.30am, New Meeting Venue to be advised.

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