

# *Rotary Club of Bendigo South* **SIGNPOST**



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Meets Thursdays at 6pm for 6.30pm at the Foundry Hotel, High Street Golden Square.

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## **PRESIDENT'S REPORT**

An enjoyable dinner meeting was held at the Foundry Hotel on Thursday. We heard from the recent Chairman of the Swap Meet Catering Committee Tony Plant regarding the financial outcomes. All groups who contributed labour to the catering tasks received a considerable amount of money to help run their clubs and achieve their aims. Well done to Tony for all of the time and effort making this fundraising venture a huge success. Thankyou also to Maureen Plant and Ken Briggs for their work on the Swap Meet Catering Committee.

Our Guest Speaker for the night was Sofia Jacobs who talked about her experiences at a recent Rypen camp including the great teamwork, leadership, networking, goal setting and confidence building exercises in which she participated. Sofia will be talking up the Rypen camp with her fellow students at Bendigo South-East Secondary College and was very grateful for the Rotary sponsorship which enabled her to participate in the camp.

Lucky Lotto was won by Betty Plant.

Next Thursday we visit the Thales Factory to check out the Bushmaster vehicle among other things. Please check attachments to this newsletter for details. I look forward to seeing everyone there.

President Glenn Madden

2019/2020





FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS MAY YOU ALL ENJOY YOUR CELEBRATIONS

TOM CAMPBELL FEBRUARY 16<sup>TH</sup>

KEN BRIGGS FEBRUARY 25 TH

JENNIE HUGHES FEBRUARY 27 TH

OTHER BENDIGO SOUTH ROTARY CLUB EVENTS OVER THE WEEK

CHAIRPERSON KAY , IMPRESSIVE GUEST SPEAKER SOFIA RE RYPEN AND SECRETARY TONY GIVING THE SWAP MEET REPORT .



## **9800 Rotary District Conference. Bendigo March 27 /29 2020.**

If you have not already booked in for our district conference this year it is not too late. All information including details about each of the wonderful speakers, entertainment and the timetable are on the Booking web page. Also, you now have the opportunity to book in your partner if they wish to accompany you to the Saturday dinner but not fully register for the conference sessions. If you can attend on one day only this is also now available. Having the conference in Bendigo is great for our city and also means that local Rotarians can attend a fabulous event without having to pay for accommodation. If you have been a bit Luke warm about this year's conference I ask you to at least visit the website and re consider coming on board.

Tony Plant

Conference Committee Member.

**SEE ATTACHMNET RE THE LINE UP OF GUEST SPEAKERS AT THE CONFERENCE!**



### **HANDBAG ITEMS REQUIRED.**

Following a generous donation from Andrew the club has some used handbags that need filling so if all can have a look in the dark recesses of bathroom cupboards for the following items please.

Shampoo, conditioner, hand cream, combs, note pads, biros, scarves, perfume, soap, coin purses, tooth brushes and tooth paste, deodorant.

Thanks

Merlyn



**NUMBERS NEEDED FOR THE FOLLOWING BBQS**  
**PLEASE CONTACT GEORGE IF YOU CAN HELP OUT IN THE USUAL WAY.**

Busy month ahead of us with BBQ's

### **Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> February**

#### **Tafe Welcome Lunch**

Gate 4 Hargraves Street Bendigo

11 am – 1.30 Catering for 900 - 1,000 people.

Free/ Sausages, onion, vegie burgers.

6 Volunteers required.

### **Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> February**

#### **Latrobe Uni O Week Lunch**

11 am – 1 pm

Free/ Hamburgers/ Sausages

3 Volunteers Required

**Scott's Day Out**

Shift 1: 8am – 11 am

5 volunteers required

Shift 2: 11 am – 3 pm.

6 volunteers required.

Point of sale.

Back in Roslyn Park

**VOCATIONAL VISIT TO THALES GROUP Thurs  
13/2/20****Thales Group Bendigo**

**Finn St., North Bendigo.**

**The presentation/tour will commence at 6pm sharp and finish at 7.30.**

**People should assemble from 5.45 on so we are ready for the tour at 6pm sharp.**

**Once the Tour has finished at Thales, please make your way to Lake Weeroona, to the covered**

**entertaining area just north of the Playground (parking is available).**

**We will provide Pizzas & a drink (max \$15pp) to arrive apx 7:45pm.**

**As it is a requirement of entry to Thales, for security purposes, to advise names, I have listed**

**those already attending**

**but if you are intending to come along for the tour & food please let**

**Trevor know on 0428 066 838**

Those attending:

Glenn Madden,

Sue Duncan ; Trevor Hawking

Paul Gibbons; 3 guests

Richard Epskamp

Clive Hughes

Andrew Palmer

Kay McLaughlan

Ron Devereaux

Peter Simmons

Geoff McKinna

Gary Pinner

Tony Plant ; 3 guests

Graeme Neivandt

Heather Nixon

Luna

Ken Briggs

Zoe Pocock

Jan Pagliaro

| <b>CLUB PROGRAM</b>                                       |  |                                   |
|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| <b>FEBRUARY 2020 theme: PEACE AND CONFLICT RESOLUTION</b> |  |                                   |
| THURSDAY 13<br>February 2020                              | VOCATIONAL VISIT TO THALES                 | FACTORY AND PIZZA IN<br>THE PARK. |
| Thursday 20<br>February 2020                              | EAST LODDON STUDENT PRESENTATION           | THE FOUNDRY                       |
| THURSDAY 27<br>February 2020                              | NO MEETING DUE TO SCOTTS DAY OUT SUPPORT.  | ROSALIND PARK.                    |
| THURSDAY<br>MARCH 5 2020                                  | MEMBER TALK AND SWAP MEET FUNDS RECIPIENTS | THE FOUNDRY                       |

| <b>Date</b>        | <b>Thursday 13 February<br/>2020</b>   | <b>Thursday 20 February<br/>2020</b>     | <b>Thursday MARCH 6<br/>2020</b>                 |
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|                    | VOCATIONAL VISIT   | STUDENT PRESENTATION<br>FROM EAST LODDON | MEMBER TALK SWAP<br>MEET CHEQUE<br>PRESENTATIONS |
| <b>Guest Spy</b>   | <b>VISIT TO THALES<br/>FACTORY AND<br/>PRESENTATION<br/>6PM SHARP PLEASE</b> | <b>EAST LODDON STUDENTS</b>              | <b>MEMBER TALK.</b>                              |
| <b>Chair</b>       | ROD SPITTY   | TONY PLANT                               | PAUL GIBBONS                                     |
| <b>Cashiers</b>    | N/A  | JENNIE HUGHES<br>ANDREW PALMER           | MAUREEN PLANT AND<br>GEORGE ELLIS                |
| <b>Room Set up</b> | N/A  | CLIVE HUGHES                             | KAU McLAUGHLIN                                   |
| <b>Welcome</b>     | N/A  | OBI NWIGWE                               | GRAHAM NEIVANDT                                  |
| <b>Technology</b>  | N/A  | BERNIE/ ELIZABETH                        | BERNIE/ TONY                                     |
| <b>Photography</b> | CLIVE  | CLIVE                                    | CLIVE  |

| <b>UPCOMING EVENTS</b>   |   |                 |                  |
|--|---|-----------------|------------------|
| <b>Date</b>  | <b>Event</b>  | <b>Location</b> | <b>Contact</b>   |
| SATURDAY<br>February 29<br>TH 2020                               | SCOTS DAY OUT BBQ<br>9AM – 4PM                              | ROSALIND PARK   | GEORGE/ GARY.    |
| FRIDAY,<br>SATURDAY<br>AND SUNDAY<br>MARCH 27, 28<br>AND 29 2020 | DISTRICT 9800 CONFERENCE                                    | BENDIGO         | DISTRICT WEBSITE |
| SUNDAY<br>MARCH 29<br>2020                                       | RCBS CONDUCTING A LUNCH<br>FOR ALL CONFERENCE<br>ATTENDEES. | ROSALIND PARK   | GARY / GREG      |

## 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.

## CLUSTER CLUB MEETING TIMES

### DISTRICT 9800 GOLDFIELDS CLUSTER ROTARY CLUBS

**RC KANGAROO FLAT:** Monday 6pm, Rotary Gateway Park

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

**RC BENDIGO STRATHDALE:** Tuesday 6:15pm, Bendigo Club, Park Street, Kennington.

**RC ECHUCA MOAMA:** Tuesday 6pm, Moama Bowling Club, Shaw Street, Moama.

**RC BENDIGO SANDHURST:** Wednesday 7.30am, Bridge Hotel, Water Street.

**RC EAGLEHAWK:** Wednesday 6pm, Mechanics Institute

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

## WHO'S WHO?

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT:  
RI DISTRICT 9800 GOVERNOR:  
ASS'T GOVERNOR (Goldfields South):

Mark Maloney  
Grant Hocking  
Cliff Downey

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CLUB PRESIDENT:  
SECRETARY:  
TREASURER:  
YOUTH SERVICES DIRECTOR:  
INTERNATIONAL SERVICE DIRECTOR:  
COMMUNITY SERVICE DIRECTOR:  
MEMBERSHIP DIRECTOR:  
CLUB SERVICE DIRECTOR:  
CLUB PROTECTION OFFICER:  
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Glenn Madden  
Tony Plant  
Kylee McCalman  
Kay McLaughlin  
Heather Nixon  
Merlyn Quaife  
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