

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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PRESIDENTS REPORT.

At our last meeting we had a Membership Workshop as a result of the District Seminar - Strengthening Clubs. Congratulations to Chair and Membership Director Tom Campbell, his Membership Committee and to Club Members for their input and contributions into what was a very constructive session. The Membership Committee will continue to work on strategies for continuous improvement and will be back to the Board and Club with recommendations.

If members have ideas or thoughts concerning Rotary and Club operations then don't keep them to yourself. Share them. Discuss them with members, friends and colleagues and you never know what terrific initiatives can lead from a thought or idea.

We also had an address from ADG Cliff Downey who provided an interesting update on what is happening in the Cluster and District. Thank you to Cliff for coming to our meeting and to Board members for sharing their thoughts and ideas to Cliff in preparation for DG Bronwyn's visit to our Club on September 6th.

Next Thursday's meeting is social night with a member talk from Sue Duncan, Gary Pinner is holding a Sergeant Session with fellowship afterwards. So, come along and have a good time.

The Club will be undertaking a full interclub visit to Bendigo Rotary Club on Tuesday 18th September at the Bendigo Club. Lindsay Jolley will be Guest Speaker as part of a Spanish night theme. (See attachment separate to the Sign Post). It is intended to also promote this as a partner's night.

The Latrobe Open Day BBQ was an enjoyable morning. It was interesting to see how far and wide prospective students travel to visit Latrobe University and understand courses on offer and their vocation.

See you this Thursday.

Yours in Rotary

Rod Spitty

FROM CAMP GETAWAY GROUP.

. The program is as follows for the Combined Keilor East and Bendigo South Working Bee Weekend at Camp Getaway Axedale

Friday September 7th at 6.30 pm.

Evening. Inter Club informal dinner at the Axedale Tavern (at own cost)

Saturday 8th at 9.00 am Working bee.

Saturday evening at 6.30 pm. Club Dinner and social.

Sunday till early afternoon. Working bee.

If the workers choose, bring, spades, forks or rakes.

Any further information from Graham Neivandt on 5439 4649

Come out and enjoy the fellowship at our annual gathering.



Membership Director Tom Leading from the front with a membership workshop at the clubs last meeting. See Below club members including ADG Cliff Downey enjoying the presentation.



PHOTOS COURTESY OF PRESIDENT ROD FROM LATROBE UNIVERSITY OPEN DAY HELD
SUNDAY AUGUST 26 TH, 2018.



From Youth Director Glenn Madden.

“La Trobe Health student Maggie Winfield with members Lindsay and Glenn at the recent La Trobe University Awards evening. Maggie is the winner of the award sponsored by our club.”



CLUB PROGRAM		
August 2018 theme: Membership		
Thurs 30 Aug	Social Night / New member Talk / Fines Session.	The Foundry.
Thursday 6 th September	Visit to the Club by DG Bronwyn Stephens.	THE Foundry

Date	Thursday 30 August	Thursday Sept 6
Topic	New Member Talk / Fines Session and SOCIAL NIGHT.	D G Visit and Board Meeting
Guest Speaker	New Member Sue Duncan	DG Bronwyn Stevens
Chair	Gary Pinner	Rod Spitty
Cashiers	Kylie McCalman and Trevor Philips	Sue Duncan and Cora Fuentes- Marlic
Room set up	Cora Fuentes	Heather Nixon
Welcome	Sue Duncan	Trevor Philips
Technology	Bernie Young	Bernie Young
Photography	Paul G	Clive

UPCOMING EVENTS			
Date	Event	Location	Contact
Monday August 27	Red Ribbon Rebellion Reenactment BBQ	Roslyn Park	Gary
Saturday September 1	White NIGHT BBQ	BENDIGO Station	Gary
Thursday September 6	Visit to the Club by DG Bronwyn Stephens.	THE Foundry	Rod Spitty
Friday September 7	Dinner at Axe dale Tavern	AXEDALE TAVERN	Graham Neivandt
Saturday Sunday September 8/9	Camp GETAWAY weekend combined Working Bee with KEILOR EAST	AT THE CAMP MORE DETAILS ABOVE!	Graham Neivandt
Tuesday September 18	Full interclub visit to Bendigo Rotary Club. Note change of night!	Bendigo Club	Rod Spitty.

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, The Mercure, High Street, Echuca.

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):

Barry Rassin
Bronwyn Stephens
Cliff Downey

CLUB PRESIDENT:
SECRETARY:
TREASURER:
YOUTH SERVICES DIRECTOR:
INTERNATIONAL SERVICE DIRECTOR:
COMMUNITY SERVICE DIRECTOR:
MEMBERSHIP DIRECTOR:
CLUB SERVICE DIRECTOR:
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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