

*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.  
**Rotary – Be the Inspiration**

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**PRESIDENT’S REPORT**

The last meeting, we were entertained with an extremely enjoyable and informative member talk from Elizabeth Bell. It was first class as Elizabeth provided members with an insight into her army, nursing and travel career and her thoughts and interests in Rotary. What a terrific presentation that was appreciated by the Club. There were numerous and varied questions and discussion both during the meeting and afterwards in the Sports Bar. Members really enjoyed the meeting.

Our first quarter for the Rotary Year is over. The working program is circulated as a separate attachment. If you have ideas as to what you would like to see in a program please discuss with Gary Pinner or myself. This month is the Theme is Community and Economic Development. At our next meeting we will have two presentations around Emergency Services from the Junortoun Fire Brigade and the State Emergency Services. It should be an interesting meeting.

Project wise the Club is hard at work with the Support for Mental Health Raffle, High Tea Preparations and the End Polio Film Night.

A big thankyou to Bernie Young for filling in as Signpost Editor while Paul Gibbons was away and also to Bernie for his help and support to the Legacy Public Speaking Project where the Club assisted with adju in the adjudication of the State Public Speaking Semi Final.

Over the next 3 months the Club will need to work hard to move those raffle tickets. We have 4000 to sell and the task will require concerted effort.

See you at the next meeting where our Chair will be Peter Simmonds.

Yours in Rotary

**Rod Spitty**  
**PRESIDENT.**

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**HELP! Youth Exchange program**

We need to find host families for our shared German Exchange student Luisa. If any members are able to host Luisa please let Youth Director Glenn Madden know. Our club has the responsibility of hosting Luisa from January to the end of June next year.

**Glenn Madden, Director Youth Service**

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**PHOTO GALLERY**

**Our Wide travelling Treasurer Greg visits Terry at his new place**

**Great Hats gentlemen!**



Elizabeth giving her interesting talk on her life's adventures!

It all started with a Peters Ice Cream.



Past President Bernie in the Chairpersons role.



## CLUB PROGRAM

### October 2018 theme: Economic and Community Development

Thursday Oct 4	Emergency Services	The Foundry.
Thursday Oct 11	Lift the Lid on Mental Health	The Foundry .
Thursday Oct 18	Quarterly Report	The Foundry.
Thursday Oct 25	End Polio DAY / Purple Pink's Day	The Foundry.

Date	Thursday 4 October	Tuesday 11 October	Thursday 18 October
<b>Topic</b>	Emergency Services/ CFA and S.E.S.	Lifting the Lid on Mental Health	The Club Quarterly Report
<b>Guest Speaker</b>	Graham Etherton/ Stan Hendy	Headspace and Lifeline	Directors
<b>Chair</b>	Peter Simmonds	Ian Ellis	Rod Spitty
<b>Cashiers</b>	Trevor Phillips Tom Campbell	Trevor Hawking Sue Duncan	Merlyn Quaife Kylie McCalman
<b>Room set up</b>	Elizabeth Bell	Anne Peace	Paul Gibbons
<b>Welcome</b>	Maureen Plant	Sue Duncan	Heather Nixon
<b>Technology</b>	Bernie Young	Matthew Scott	Elizabeth Bell
<b>Photography</b>	Clive Hughes	Clive Hughes	Clive Hughes

## UPCOMING EVENTS

Date	Event	Location	Contact
Sunday 21 Oct 2018	Great Strides Walk BBQ		Gary Pinnar
Thurs 1 Nov 2018	End Polio Film night fundraiser	Bendigo Cinemas	Merlyn Quaife
Sun 11 Nov 2018	High Tea for Santulino Xavier E Timor scholarship	Belvoir Park Winery	Heather Nixon
29 November 2018	Cluster Foundation Dinner	Kangaroo Flat Sports Club	Merlyn Quaife
20 December 2018	Christmas Dinner	Bendigo Club	Rod Spitty
16/17 Feb 2019	Victorian Multi-District Conference	Melbourne	Gary Pinner

## 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:	Barry Rassin
RI DISTRICT 9800 GOVERNOR:	Bronwyn Stephens
ASS'T GOVERNOR (Goldfields South):	Cliff Downey
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CLUB PRESIDENT:	Rod Spitty
SECRETARY:	Elizabeth Bell
TREASURER:	Greg Noonan
YOUTH SERVICES DIRECTOR:	Glenn Madden
INTERNATIONAL SERVICE DIRECTOR:	Heather Nixon
COMMUNITY SERVICE DIRECTOR:	Ian Ellis
MEMBERSHIP DIRECTOR:	Tom Campbell
CLUB SERVICE DIRECTOR:	Gary Pinner
CLUB PROTECTION OFFICER:	Geoff McKinna
ROTARY FOUNDATION CHAIR:	Merlyn Quaife
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**Attendance Officer: Rod Spitty**

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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