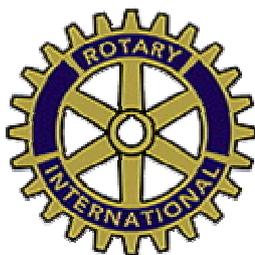


THE ROTARY CLUB OF
MOUNT WAVERLEY Inc.

WEEKLY BULLETIN



DISTRICT 9810
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Mt. WAVERLEY CLUB BULLETIN

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IMMEDIATE PROGRAMME

VENUE	SPEAKER / TOPIC	CHAIRPERSON / GREETER
This meeting: Wednesday 12 April 6pm for 6.30pm start		
LOC	Lawyer, Kehela Vandenberg "Are all workcover claims genuine"	Michael / TBA
Next meeting: Wednesday 19 April 6pm for 6.30pm start		
Waverley RSL	ANZAC Commemoration Don Reid, Governor Shrine of Remembrance. "The Shrine of Remembrance – 1927-2017"	Sean / TBA

IMPORTANT ADDRESSES & CLUB INFORMATION

Club Postal Address: P.O. BOX 295 GLEN WAVERLEY 3150

Web Address: <http://mountwaverleyrotary.org/>

FACEBOOK ADDRESS: <http://www.facebook.com/mountwaverleyrotary>

Bulletin Copy Deadline: **5.00 PM**. Sunday to Glen Watkins.

Other Important Addresses:

1. Oakleigh Market shifts are **6am-10.30am and 9.30am till 1pm**. The address is Corner Atherton Rd and Hanover Sts Oakleigh.
2. Mount Waverley Market shifts are **7am-1pm** (permanently Charlie/Beth) with closing **shift 1-2pm** (x 2 person assisted by Charlie). The address is Hamilton Place Shopping Centre, 283 Stephenson's Road Mt Waverley.
3. Leighoak Club (LOC) is located at 1555 Dandenong Road Oakleigh. We meet upstairs unless otherwise indicated.

ATTENTION ALL MEMBERS

PLEASE CONFIRM YOUR MEETING ATTENDANCE TO FIONA CLEARY 0410605233 AND BULLETIN EDITOR WOULD ALSO APPRECIATE ADVICES OF LEAVE DATES.

OUR FOOD DONATION BIN FOR MONASH WAVERLEY COMMUNITY INFORMATION & SUPPORT (MWCIS) IS AN IMPORTANT LOCAL COMMUNITY PROJECT FOR THE CLUB. PLEASE BRING TO ROTARY MEETINGS A SMALL DONATION OF NON PERISHABLE FOOD FOR THE DONATION BIN, WHICH IS LOCATED IN THE FRONT CORNER OF THE MEETING ROOM.

CALENDAR OF UPCOMING CLUB/ROTARY EVENTS IS IN THIS BULLETIN. ROTARIANS PLEASE CHECK YOUR MARKET/ROTARY PROJECT COMMITMENTS ON THIS PAGE AND MARK YOUR DIARIES ACCORDINGLY. IF YOU CAN'T MEET DESIGNATED COMMITMENT FOR THE MARKETS OR FOR MEETING CHAIR THEN PLEASE ADVISE ANDREW (FOR MARKETS) AND TERRY OR ROS (FOR CHAIRPERSON/GREETER).



Presidents Report for 12 April 2017

We had another full program Wednesday evening .we welcomed 2 new guests, Mt Waverley Ward Councillor, MTPang Tsoi and Mr Sri, who we hope will become members of our club. Our Honary Member Ron Thorpe also came for a visit and Monash Rotarian John Sgroi was our guest speaker who updated us on the wonderful work Interplast does in training medical staff in other parts of the world. We thanked John and pledged \$1500 to Interplast. Rotarian Andrew Sendeckyj has been working successfully on the Vic. Police Mentoring Program with Senior Sergeant Yvonne Upton. He now has the Rotary Club of Pascoe Vale on the program. Don't forget Good Friday Golf Day 14th. April.
Cheers, Keith.

PHOTOS

No photos this week.

CONGRATULATIONS & CELEBRATIONS

(Week of 12/4-18/4): None this week.

MEMBERS ANNOUNCEMENTS

FUNDRAISING

Refer attached flyer from our Treasurer Lyn re the Community Lottery.

POSITION VACANT

Our Club, like so many other Rotary Clubs, often falls short when it comes to promoting to the local community what the Rotary organisation is, and in particular what our club achieves locally and internationally. We need a member or members to volunteer as a public relations, marketing co-ordinator for our club. We envisage that the role will include increasing our presence via local media, local government, and any other appropriate medium. Our Club has a website and a Facebook page, and content and structure suggestions for both will be most welcome. The position will involve liaising with committee chairs to achieve common promotional objectives. Help promote your club to the community, and prospective members. If you are interested, and would like further information, please contact President Elect Geoff Logie-Smith, as he is most keen to have this position filled by changeover night.

VOCATIONAL SERVICE - Vic Pol Mentoring Program

Following a catch up meeting with Senior Sergeant Yvonne Upton on 3 April I can advise that there has been considerable progress made by Yvonne on the bicycle recycling project for disadvantaged people in the community, which she's been working on.

Yvonne presented the concept to Monty at the RC of Pascoe Vale. This was taken to their board later that week and they jumped at the opportunity. They came to the police station a few days later to look at the bikes. After this they told Yvonne that they had some club members with a mechanical background who would be able to refurbish the bikes, make them safe and looking like new. They also said they would fund the repair costs from their club. The bikes would also be engraved with the recipients' names and an ID number by VicPol's Crime Prevention Officer and also carry a Rotary sticker. The RC of Pascoe Vale has links to disability service agencies and to services assisting disadvantaged people to help identify suitable people to receive bikes from the project.

Yvonne has also contacted the TAC, the Accident Research Centre for Road Safety, Vicroads, and Monash University on how to best get the road safety message out. Those of you who heard her talk at the meeting last December know how passionate this is to her. [You may recall that she is the person who goes to tell families the news when there has been a road fatality.] One of the people she has spoken with is also the CEO of the Amy Gillette Foundation. These organisations are all eager to get involved with this project. Yvonne is speaking with them to work out the best way to make this work.

We are now looking towards organising a project launch in about 8 weeks where the first bikes will be presented.

Andrew Sendekyj
Vocational Service Chair

CLUSTER NEWS

Dear Rotary Colleagues

I have already sent you a pre-Easter reminder that it is only four weeks to the Rotary Clubs of Huntingdale & Clayton, Charity Garden Auction & Pre Mother's Day Dinner to be held on Thursday, 4th May at the Oakleigh Carnegie RSL Club. We do hope you will support the evening.

Our Major Sponsor is Pinewood Quality Nursery - Frank Mitchel (a member of our Club) and his team at Pinewood are putting in an enormous amount of work in, behind the scenes, to make this event a great success. Frank has specifically asked me to be in contact with your Clubs with a special additional request. Over the years Frank is constantly asked by local Rotary Clubs to make donations to their activities. On this occasion HE is asking you to use your contacts to source auction items for this event – products, services, lunches, dinners etc. Please deliver the items to Pinewood Nursery 478 Blackburn Rd. You can contact Frank on 0407 055 866 or send him a message to Frank Mitchell (accounts@camtac.com.au)

This is going to be a fun night with lots of wonderful garden & other products to be had. Let's all join together to ensure that it is a real success - so that we can make a substantial donation to the Parkinson's Research Project.

Best Wishes

David Whiting (Secretary & Past President)
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COMMUNITY SERVICE - WHEELCHAIRS FOR KIDS PROJECT

Hi Adrian,

I have never been happy with our own district support for Wheelchairs for Kids and use your district as an example. Do you realise that donations from Victoria have topped \$600,000!

I believe that this is due to your district getting behind our project. Would I be correct in saying that initially a district WFKs promotion committee was set up, which you, appointed by the DG, initially chaired? This then changed to some years later two Rotarians, Peter Klaaysen and Russell Hayes, promoting the project to schools to this day. Looking forward to your clarification.

Regards

Gordon Hudson (WFK Project)

second defibrillator that the club donated last year.



Fedelcia with Gavan McIntyre



31/3 Visit RC Wandin



Farewell to the McIntyres

ROMAC – Fedelcia Soares Braga

Dear D9810 ROMAC Team,

A big day yesterday! Post her heart operation Fidelcia has now had her final medical examination, incl ECG and Echocardiogram, with the cardiology and respiratory teams at RCH and has been given the ok to return home. We now await RCH to produce a final medical report over the next few days and forward it to the ROMAC Operations Manager who will then make arrangements for Fidelcia and Hernania to fly home. Hernania is particularly happy as they should be home for Fidelcia’s first birthday on 10 Apr.

Fidelcia was in fine fettle, full of energy, and one happy baby. Since leaving hospital she has put on another 1kg and she continues to tuck into whatever is put in front of her. Over the weekend, she even tried pizza during her stay with the Dianne and Gavan McIntyre whilst Liz was at Dist Conference. Some photos of her country sojourn, and visit to the RC of Wandin, are above.

Regards YIR Graeme

ROMAC – Fedelcia Soares Braga (update)

Dear D9810 ROMAC Volunteers, Since her final medical examination last Mon, Fidelcia has had a fairly straight forward week catching up with her ‘extended’ and preparing to go home whilst mum has enjoyed some shopping. Fidelcia and Hernania are now booked to fly back home on QF138 departing Tullamarine for Darwin at 8.30am tomorrow, Mon 10 Apr. All being well, their ongoing flight to Dili will arrive at 4.20pm local, just in time to celebrate her first birthday with her family. If you would like to come out to farewell Fidelcia and Hernania, we are gathering at the QANTAS check-in counter at 7am.



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On Fri, home host Liz Olie, opened her home to members of the Timorese Community to say their goodbyes to Fidelcia and Hernania over afternoon tea. Fidelcia was in her element keeping everyone amused.

Many thanks to all who have been involved in supporting Fidelcia and Hernania since their arrival on 15 Feb. Whilst it turned out a bit longer than we expected, all’s well that ends well, and we are sending home a happy, healthy young child with a full life ahead of her.

Regards Yours in Rotary Graeme

REPORT ON THE MOUNT WAVERLEY MARKET HELD ON SUNDAY, 9 APRIL 2017

Disappointing - another wet market day. For the few stallholders who braved the elements, they were rewarded with a couple of hours of dry reasonable weather mid morning and after midday. Delivery of our BBQ trailer was cancelled, however as Rotary needed some presence at the market for the safety of stall holders, Charlie set up the Bacon & Egg BBQ Marquee.

The people out and about were all happy – must be the weather seasoned Melbourne folk!!! BBQ without the sausages took about \$144. Expenses of gas, bread and bacon took the figure back a little. Eggs were donated again by the fruiter and that reduced costs.

For the interest of members, the cost of an egg & bacon roll is around 73 cents, excluding gas.

Hopefully the Good Friday Golf Day will bless us with better weather.

GOOD FRIDAY GOLF DAY 14TH APRIL 2017

Roster is completed and will be emailed tomorrow

BUNNINGS BBQ COMING ON SUNDAY 23 APRIL 2017

This is the only Bunnings Day we have until the end of the year so I encourage you all to assist for an hour or two so the work does not have to fall on the regular people.

The roster will be available on Wednesday evening.

Beth Merkus
Market Coordinator

CALENDAR/PROGRAMME

If you are aware that the nominated chairperson will not be available please let the bulletin editor know asap. For venue addresses - please refer page 1 of this bulletin.

LEGEND: ■ Club Market ■ Club Meeting ■ Rotary/Club Project

Date	Venue	Time	Event (or Topic)	Chairperson & Greeter
14 April	Good Friday Golf Day at Glen Waverley Public Golf Course			Separate Roster
16 April	Oakleigh	6am-1pm	Oakleigh Market	Pete/Ron?
19 April	Waverley RSL	6pm-8pm	ANZAC Commemoration Don Reid, Governor Shrine of Remembrance.	Sean/tba
			"The Shrine of Remembrance – 1927-2017"	Geoff L-S
21 April	Pinewood Coles	9-9.15am	MWCIS Coles Food Pickup	Paul/Bill?
23 April	Oakleigh	6am-1pm	Oakleigh Market	
23 April	Notting Hill		Bunnings – Roster on Wednesday Night	
26 April	LOC	6pm-8pm	Club Information Night	Geoff L-S/tba
28 April	Pinewood Coles	9-9.15am	MWCIS Coles Food Pickup	Adrian
30 April	Oakleigh	6am-1pm	Oakleigh Market	Jeff/John L
3 May	LOC	6pm-8pm	Adrian Clifford, Machu Picchu & Iguasa Falls	Terry/tba
5 May	Pinewood Coles	9-9.15am	MWCIS Coles Food Pickup	Ros
7 May	Oakleigh	6am-1pm	Oakleigh Market	Geoff L-S/Glen
10 May	LOC	6pm-8pm	Craig Hassed, Mindfulness	Loretta/tba
12 May	Pinewood Coles	9-9.15am	MWCIS Coles Food Pickup	Malcolm
14 May	Mt Waverley	7am-2pm	Mt Waverley Market	Beth-Roger-Terry-Adrian/Michael
17 May	LOC Bistro	6pm-8pm	Social Night	NA
19 May	Pinewood Coles	9-9.15am	MWCIS Coles Food Pickup	David B
21 May	Oakleigh	6am-1pm	Oakleigh Market	Sean/Ron
24 May	LOC	6pm-8pm	Club 32nd Birthday. Mayor Rebecca Paterson	Keith/tba
26 May	Pinewood Coles	9-9.15am	MWCIS Coles Food Pickup	Philip
28 May	Oakleigh	6am-1pm	Oakleigh Market	?/Philip
31 May	LOC	6pm-8pm	Geoff Taylor - On horseback for 2 years	Rhonda/tba
2 June	Pinewood Coles	9-9.15am	MWCIS Coles Food Pickup	Terry
4 June	Oakleigh	6am-1pm	Oakleigh Market	tba/tba
7 June	LOC	6pm-8pm	Prof Tom Spurling – History of Polymer Bank Notes	Glen/tba
9 June	Pinewood Coles	9-9.15am	MWCIS Coles Food Pickup	Paul
11 June	Mt Waverley	7am-2pm	Mt Waverley Market	tba/tba
14 June	LOC	6pm-8pm	Club Information Night	Geoff L-S/tba
16 June	Pinewood Coles	9-9.15am	MWCIS Coles Food Pickup	Geoff L-S
18 June	Oakleigh	6am-1pm	Oakleigh Market	tba/tba
21 June	LOC Bistro	6pm-8pm	Social Night	NA
23 June	Pinewood Coles	9-9.15am	MWCIS Coles Food Pickup	Adrian
25 June	Oakleigh	6am-1pm	Oakleigh Market	tba/tba
28 June	LOC	6pm-8pm	Changeover	Keith-Geoff L-S/tba
30 June	Pinewood Coles	9-9.15am	MWCIS Coles Food Pickup	Philip