



Mt. WAVERLEY CLUB BULLETIN

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IMMEDIATE PROGRAM

VENUE	SPEAKER / TOPIC	CHAIRPERSON
This week: Monday 6 November 6pm for 6.30pm start		
LOH	AGM / Ambassadorial Scholar	Paul Power / Malcolm F
Next Meeting: Wednesday 13 November 6pm for 6.30pm start		
RSL	Social Night	NA

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 Cnr Atherton Rd and Hanover Sts Oakleigh.
2. Mount Waverley Market shifts are 7-11.00 shift 1 (x 2 pax) then 11-2pm shift 2 (x 1 pax). The Address is Hamilton Place Shopping Centre, Stephenson's Road Mount Waverley.
3. Leighoak Club (LOC) is located at 1555 Dandenong Road Oakleigh.
4. Huntingdale Golf Club is located at Windsor Avenue, Oakleigh South. Enter via North Road

ATTENTION ALL MEMBERS

PLEASE CONFIRM YOUR MEETING ATTENDANCE EACH WEEK TO KEITH KENDRICK ON 0437940617. ADVICES OF LEAVE DATES WOULD ALSO BE APPRECIATED.

OUR FOOD DONATION BIN FOR MONASH WAVERLEY COMMUNITY INFORMATION & SUPPORT (MWCIS) IS AT ALL OUR CLUB MEETINGS. PLEASE BRING A SMALL DONATION OF NON PERISHABLE FOOD FOR THE DONATION BIN WHICH WILL BE LOCATED AT THE ENTRANCE TO THE MEETING.

CALENDAR OF UPCOMING CLUB/ROTARY EVENTS IS ON THE LAST PAGE OF THIS BULLETIN. ROTARIANS PLEASE CHECK FOR YOUR MARKET COMMITMENT ON THIS PAGE.



Presidents Report

In my report last week I said I was hoping that our collectables market sale on Sunday would be successful and exceed the previous result earlier this year. Well, it did. Adrian phoned me on Sunday night to let me know that we raised about \$666, 5% up on last time despite showery weather. Well done to Adrian for this initiative, and following the idea through by putting in the time. Special thanks to Ian Phelan from RC Oakleigh for doing the anti zap test on the electrical items. Thanks also to donors, and to Paul, Lyn

Rhonda and Ron who helped sell on the day.

Ron had a busy week! The Calcutta night last Wednesday was a huge success, raising about \$3000, and Ron, Andrew, Don and Lou put it together. What made the night particularly successful was that everybody seemed to have a fun night – the venue, the food, the service was spot on, and the Abbott and Costello combination at the microphone was very entertaining. Good to see Honorary member Graham Bristow again (could we keep him away?) and John Lucas after his recent time in hospital. I would like also to acknowledge the visitors from other clubs. I was too busy looking over Graham's shoulder to see everybody, but I did notice Danny Petrie, Peter Norman and Ian Phelan from RC Oakleigh.

Robyn Morrow took out the ladies "fashions on the field" award against tough competition, while Malcolm Clowes took out the men's award. Let's hope he doesn't actually wear that hat while overseas.

Wednesday night is AGM night. I haven't yet contacted Paul but I expect that there will be nominations for the officer positions for 2014/15 to put to the vote. You will by now have received the agenda. If you want any other items discussed, they must be sent to Paul prior to the meeting.

See you on Wednesday.
Terry

Children's Christmas Party

Most of you will be aware that for many years (over 20?) our club has run a Christmas party at the local scout hall for disadvantaged children in the district. While I was out of Australia recently, Secretary Paul sent invitations to local service organizations that deal with clients that have disadvantaged children. For the newer members, the children are selected and invited by these agencies as those least likely to have the opportunity to have what we would regard as a normal Christmas celebration.

Putting together a party requires many helpers and I will be asking you all soon for assistance. On **Saturday 30th November 2013**, I will be having a present wrapping and labeling morning at my place, in my garage where there is plenty of space. I will be passing around the usual yellow volunteer form on Wednesday. Even a couple of hours or so will be a great help. Thank you I advance.

Terry

PHOTO'S FROM THE CALCUTTA NIGHT







CONGRATULATIONS & CELEBRATIONS

6-12 November:

A very big Happy Birthday to Geoffrey Blackburn on his 99th Birthday on the 7th November.
Happy Wedding Anniversary to Ron and Gay Thorpe on 4th November.

MEMBER CONTRIBUTIONS

VALE KEVIN SPEER

Charter members of our Club and others who joined in the first ten years or so (1985-95) will be saddened to read of the passing of our 'godfather' Kevin Speer this week. Kevin's funeral service is set for Wednesday Nov 6th at Holy Family Church, 236 Stephenson's Road, Mt Waverley, at 11am. Notices in the press dated Nov 1st and 2nd provide more details.

Terry O'Brien

COMMUNITY SERVICE

We need a couple more volunteers for the setup shift of the African Violet Flower Show on Friday 15th November at 4pm – otherwise I have to cajole my children which will cost me \$. Location is the Mt Waverley Community Centre near the railway station in Mt Waverley. It will take no more than 1 hour of your time. Please contact me if you can assist.

Glen Watkins

FUNDRAISING

1. Report On Monster Mystery Garage Sale

Last Sunday 27th Oct. the second garage sale for this year was held at the Oakleigh Market. Bedlam reigned from the word go and we were swamped by the Oakleigh Market stall holders even before the goods were unloaded from the 2 trailers.

Fights almost broke out over certain items and I'm sure we could have held a mini auction.

Despite the fact we were raising funds for charity, we were literally beaten into submission by most of the buyers crying poor and in one instance an elderly lady requested pensioner discount when she bought a copy / printer for \$5. Another man became quite abusive when asked to pay a couple of dollars for an item, threw it down and then came back a few minutes later, picked up the item and only paid \$1... such is life and the clientele we deal with!

I would like to thank all those people who donated goods and especially those members who helped on the day.

We have raised over \$1200 from the two garage sales this year and despite the intensive work involved in holding this project, I would recommend that we continue.

I would like to think that we could have a few more big ticket items particularly electrical white goods as they raise the greatest amount of revenue, but all items are gratefully accepted.

The real beneficiaries will be the disadvantaged children at our annual Children's Christmas Party.

Adrian (Coordinator)

2. Christmas Dinner Breakup

To provide some entertainment and to raise funds for the Children's Christmas Party, I thought it might be a good idea to hold an auction as we did a few years ago at the Christmas Dinner to be held on the 4th December.

Members will remember that we had about 25-30 items for sale by bidding and that we raised somewhere in the order of \$500 to \$600.

My suggestion is that if you are coming to the dinner that you provide an article for the auction by the week prior to the dinner so that it can be catalogued. To get some entertainment value, the donor of the article will be encouraged to give a brief (60 seconds) description and history if pertinent, on the item for sale. The item can be a tangible object, new or in good second hand condition, or a service such as an hour of gardening, accounting or estate planning service etc. Following the 60 second talk, our resident auctioneer will then sell to the highest bidder. If you would like to put a reserve on the item indicate to the auctioneer at the time of sale.

I will be sending around a list closer to the Christmas dinner to get an idea of what you wish to donate for the auction.

Adrian Clifford



Ed... A certain member who shall remain nameless (with the initials RC) suggested I put this in the bulletin. REIV's Residential Property Manager of the Year. Congratulations Lou!

I think that calls for a Vocational Night Presentation wherein Lou can tell the members how he won the Award (behaviours, success stories, business acumen, etc!) Lock it in Program Co-ordinator.

CALENDAR/PROGRAM

for addresses - please refer page 1 of this bulletin

LEGEND: Club Market Club Meeting Rotary/Club Project

<u>Date</u>	<u>Venue</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Event (or Topic)</u>	<u>Chairperson</u>
8 Nov	Pinewood Coles to 6 Holskamp	9.30am-10am	MWCIS Coles Food Pickup	Terry
10 Nov	Hamilton Place	7am-2pm	Mt Waverley Mkt	Rhonda/Beth/Lyn
13 Nov	RSL	6pm-8pm	Social Night & Remembrance Day Commemoration	NA
15 Nov	Pinewood Coles to 6 Holskamp	9.30am-10am	MWCIS Coles Food Pickup	Don
15 Nov	Mt Waverley CC	4pm-5pm	Set up African Violet Show	NA
17 Nov	Oakleigh Mkt	6am-1pm	Oakleigh Market	Fiona/Don
17 Nov	Mt Waverley CC	5.30-6.30pm	Set down African Violet Show	NA
20 Nov	LOH	6pm-8pm	Joan Reid – Flossies Story – “I’ve Been Good So Far”.	Beth
22 Nov	Pinewood Coles to 6 Holskamp	9.30am-10am	MWCIS Coles Food Pickup	Paul
24 Nov	Oakleigh Mkt	6am-1pm	Oakleigh Market	John/Rhonda
27 Nov	LOH	6.30pm-8.30pm	Janeen Randle – Geniology The Basics	Pete
29 Nov	Pinewood Coles to 6 Holskamp	9.30am-10am	MWCIS Coles Food Pickup	Philip
1 Dec	Oakleigh Mkt	6am-1pm	Oakleigh Market	Jeff/Lou
4 Dec	LOH	6-8pm	Christmas Dinner & Auction Joint Rotary Meeting ?	NA
6 Dec	Pinewood Coles to 6 Holskamp	9.30am-10am	MWCIS Coles Food Pickup	Janine
7 Dec	Mt Wav Scout H	1.30-4pm	Kids Christmas Party	Everyone
8 Dec	Hamilton Place	7am-2pm	Mt Waverley Mkt	Beth/Glen/Malcolm C
11 Dec	?	6-8pm	Social Night (last meeting for year)	
13 Dec	Pinewood Coles to 6 Holskamp	9.30am-10am	MWCIS Coles Food Pickup	Terry
15 Dec	Oakleigh Market	6am-1pm	Oakleigh Market	Michelle/Mara
22 Dec	Oakleigh Market	6am-1pm	Oakleigh Market	Paul/Andrew
29 Dec	Oakleigh Market	6am-1pm	Oakleigh Market	Theo/Malcolm F
5 Jan	Oakleigh Market	6am-1pm	Oakleigh Market	Fiona/Geoff



The Rotary Club of Warrandyte Donvale



invites you to attend the
D9810 Rotary Foundation Annual Dinner

on **Tuesday 19th November 2013**

6.30 for 7.00pm start, concluding by 9.30pm

at

The Whitehorse Club,

298-336 Burwood Hwy,
(Between Springvale & Blackburn Rds)

Burwood East.

Vic 3151 (Mel 62 B7)

Guest Speaker - Gary C K Huang,

Rotary Club of Taipei, Taiwan

International President, 2014 - 15.

Cost : \$45 per person.

Includes Two course dinner, including drinks - (not spirits)

We hope you can join us to make up tables of 10.

A table of 10 from a single club will provide that club with sufficient credits to recognise a Rotarian or member of the community as a Paul Harris Fellow. Clubs might consider subsidising their bookings by \$20 each. In this way, a table of 10 would cost a club \$200, but would provide 1000 PHF credits.

RSVP to: Tony Mooney by Thurs 07/11/2013

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Please bring your club name badge

Payment by cheque to **The Rotary Club of Warrandyte Donvale**
PO Box 31 Doncaster East Vic 3109

Ample free parking at the venue

Proceeds will support The Rotary Foundation humanitarian & educational projects in Australia and overseas .

