



WHAT'S HAPPENING AND AROUND & ABOUT

Member Resignation

It is with regret that I confirm to the members the resignation of Rotarian of 31 years Mr Tom Goulding. Few members during my time have given so much of their personal time and energy to the community of Rotary than Tom Goulding. He has been a stalwart of the clubs' largest event - our Golf Day and Tom consistently open doors in aid of our events. Tom will always be welcome at the Rotary Club of Mount Martha and we would like to formally recognise and pay tribute to his years of service on a separate occasion, members will be kept informed.

Last week's Rotary meeting

Last Monday we entertained by the presentation from David Lowe, a Cyber Security expert from Telstra. David talked about the nature of cyber attacks, the various sources and how we might best protect ourselves from data breaches.

With all that is going on in the world, the attacks are more likely to increase than decrease and we are advised to remain vigilant.

What can we do? David's recommends 3 steps to minimise risk of attacks;

1. Never disclose bank account details
2. Regularly change passwords, investigate "Last Pass" a password security application.
3. Employ Multi factor ID where available.

This week's Rotary meeting

This week we will hear from our Guest Speaker, PDG Mark Humphries on the topic of the Rotary Foundation. Mark is also the District 9820 Rotary Foundation Chair. I am sure Mark's speech will be most interesting.

Koorootang Village visit this week

This is just a reminder to the 20+ members and spouses who are visiting Koorootang this Wednesday 30th November from 10.30am to 12noon to share in a morning tea and to hear about Retirement Village living. The Club will be given \$500 as a Gift for this event.

Bunnings BBQ's 16 & 27th December 2022

We have a vacancy from 8 to 11am at the Bunnings BBQ's on both Friday 16th December and Tuesday 27th December. If you can fill either of these shifts, would you please let Bill Cummins know as soon as possible.

Club Christmas Dinner

Mornington Golf Club has been booked for Wednesday December 21st - we were there and enjoyed fine food and great fellowship last year. The cost will be \$50 to cover a 2 course meal and room hire. An attendance Sheet will be handed around at this Monday's Club meeting. If you will not be at this week's Club meeting, please let Carol Allen know if you are attending. Lets celebrate this year.

Yours in Rotary
President Bill

28th November 2022

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**These Celebrations are
for the week 21st to
27th November 2022**

**Birthdays
Gordon Morriss 22nd
Greg Buchanan 22nd
Kaye Stokes 25th
Rob Marks 26th**

**Wedding Anniversaries
Nil**

**Rotary Anniversaries
Tim Jolly 25/2014**

NOVEMBER IS ROTARY FOUNDATION MONTH

Mon 28 Nov **RCMM Club Meeting @ The Mornington Hotel @ 6 for 6.30pm - Guest Speaker is PDG Mark Humphries on Rotary Foundation - Chair Roger Annear**

DECEMBER IS DISEASE PREVENTION & TREATMENT MONTH

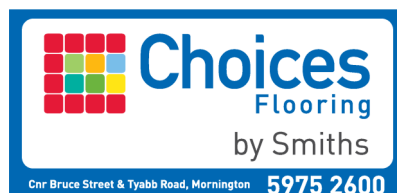
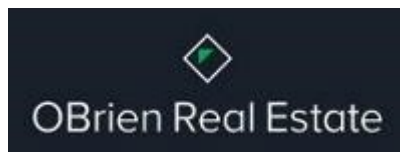
Mon 5 Dec **RCMM Committee meetings week**
 Tue 6 Dec **Let's Go Cruisin' BBQ @ Mornington Homemaker Centre - see Roster on page 4**
 Wed 9 Dec **No Board Meeting this month**
 Mon 12 Dec **RCMM Club Meeting @ The Mornington Hotel @ 6 for 6.30pm - TBA**
 Fri 16 Dec **Bunnings BBQ - see Roster on page 4**
 Mon 19 Dec **No Meeting - Christmas Dinner on Wednesday this week**
 Wed 21 Dec **Christmas Dinner @ Mornington Golf Club - further details to follow**
 Mon 26 Dec **No Meeting - Resume on Monday 9th January 2023 (hopefully a Wine Night)**
 Tue 27 Dec **Bunnings BBQ - see Roster on page 4**

Rotary Club of Mount Martha (RCMM) Environment Statement

RCMM acknowledges the importance of protecting and preserving the environment. RCMM is proactive in promoting environmentally sustainable projects. RCMM ensures that at all current and future Rotary projects and events, consideration will be given to:

- Reducing Waste
- Promoting Recycling
- Reducing the Environmental Impact

OUR COMMUNITY & CLUB SUPPORTERS, TO WHOM WE ARE VERY GRATEFUL



CHRISTMAS RAFFLE UPDATE - from Pat Morton

Dear fellow Rotarians

It is now time to start raising funds for this years Raffle, in support of Quinn's Place and other Rotary Projects.

We have allocated 3 raffle books for each member. A reminder that tickets are \$3 each with no discounts. Each booklet contains 20 tickets.

We have booked a table outside Mount Martha IGA for every Friday and Saturday generally between the hours of 10am and 2pm until early December.

We will be needing a volunteer per (2 hour) shift for the next 4 weeks, as Pat will be looking to fill the Roster from now until completion in December this week. Please see Pat if you can assist.

For the raffle to run smoothly you will need to know how to use the Square EFTPOS terminal, which Byron can show you if you are unfamiliar with it, its relatively easy.

The Raffle takings to date are \$6,383 up to and including this week, of which our profit after allowing for prizes at this stage is \$2,738

If you have funds for your own ticket sales, they can be deposited to the RCMM Projects account at the Bendigo Bank BSB # 633000 A/c # 128102126 and remember to include the Reference Raffle and your surname (eg. Raffle Groves) , then the ticket butts returned to Byron or Pat OR you can hand the cash (or pay be EFTPOS at a Club Meeting) and ticket butts to Byron or Pat at a Club meeting.



SAUSAGE SIZZLE ROSTERS

BUNNINGS BBQ'S

8 to 11am

11am to 2pm

2pm to 5pm

Friday 16th December 2022

Rob Davies
 Vacant
 Roger Annear
 Wayne Jenkins

Tom Barrett
 Ray Martin
 Anne Shaw
 Peter Warren
 Colin Stokes

Byron Groves
 Gordon Morriss
 Barrie Sweeney
 Phyllis Scales

Tuesday 27th December 2022

Rob Davies
 Merv Williams
 Vacant
 Mary McIntyre

Peter Rawlings
 Bruce Ranken
 Tom Barrett
 Carol Allen
 Ray Martin

Bill Cummins
 Colin Stokes
 Barrie Sweeney
 Phyl Scales

We have further BBQ's at Bunnings arranged for 2023 on;
 Saturday 18th February
 Friday 17th March
 Saturday 8th April (Easter Saturday)
 Friday 19th May
 Friday June 16th
 The Rosters for these BBQ's will be published in the Bulletin in earl; 2023

LET'S GO CRUISIN'

Tuesday 6th December 2022 (Santa Cruise Night) from 4.30pm to 7.30pm

Rob Marks, Byron Groves, Wayne Jenkins, Tim Jolly, Colin Stokes, Phyllis Scales, Gordon Morriss, Wayne Norris, Rob Davies

Tuesday 3rd January 2023 from 4.30pm to 7.30pm

Ray Martin, Peter Rawlings, Anne Shaw, Colin Stokes, Wayne Jenkins, Tim Jolly, Bill Cummins, Peter Warren

Tuesday 7th February 2023 from 4.30pm to 7.30pm

David Wheeler, Merv Williams, Tim Jolly, Bill Cummins, Colin Stokes, Wayne Jenkins, Byron Groves

Tuesday 7th March 2023 from 4.30pm to 7.30pm

Roger Annear, Tom Barrett, Wayne Jenkins, Colin Stokes, Tim Jolly, Bill Cummins, Rob Davies, Carol Allen

If you are unable to make your allotted shift, please find another Member to replace you and advise Bill Cummins (BBQ Convenor) and Byron Groves (Bulletin)



The Rotary Foundation **Support The Rotary Foundation on Giving Tuesday**

Help raise funds and awareness for The Rotary Foundation this Giving Tuesday, 29 November. You can make an impact with a gift of any size to the Foundation's Annual Fund-SHARE. The top three clubs in fundraising, donor participation, and online giving will be featured on Rotary.org.

The Rotary Foundation transforms your gifts into service projects that change lives both close to home and around the world.

Since it was founded more than 100 years ago, the Foundation has spent more than \$4 billion on life-changing, sustainable projects. With your help, we can make lives better in your community and around the world.

Our mission - The Rotary Foundation helps Rotary members to advance world understanding, goodwill, and peace by improving health, providing quality education, improving the environment, and alleviating poverty.

What impact can one donation have?

For as little as 60 cents, a child can be protected from polio.

\$50 can provide clean water to help fight waterborne illness.

\$500 can launch an antibullying campaign creating a safe environment for children.

DONATE NOW

Two pairs each Project

Please read the clipping from the Mornington Peninsula News below . This is the Project Anne Shaw spoke about at last Monday's Club Meeting. Ann will arrange a collection box at each Club meeting, so we can support this worthy cause.



JOSH Berry's idea to help the homeless with socks has been warmly welcomed.
Picture: Yanni

Socks a good fit for charity

AT just nine Mount Eliza's Josh Berry knew he wanted to do something for people in need, so he did something a little different - he started collecting socks.

Fast forward seven years and the industrious year 10 student has collected 38,000 pairs of new socks and is still counting.

Berry says he came up with the idea when he was thinking about ways to help homeless people, and realised warm socks were something everyone needed.

"I did some research and warm

socks was apparently the second biggest needed clothing item," he said.

His initial aim was to collect 50,000 socks so that every homeless person (at the time data showed there were 25,000 homeless people in Victoria) had two pairs.

And so, the charity 2pairseach was born, with Berry letter boxing and just talking to neighbours to spread the word.

From there businesses and organisations, schools and individuals starting donating socks or money to buy them.

Berry said there was a lot of satisfac-

tion in knowing he might have made some difference to a homeless person.

Socks are collected all year and distributed every few months, and the charity is aiming to have collected 50,000 socks by the time he turns 18 at the end of 2023.

He keeps everyone up to date with his charity's Facebook page, and regularly posts images of donations and personal messages of thanks.

To find out where socks can be dropped off go to the website 2pairseach.com.au or the Facebook, 2 Pairs Each.

Liz Bell

SHINE ON RECOGNITION EVENT

The Nomination Form is available on request by Emailing the Shine On Secretary, Lara Barrett on lara.barrett.secretary@gmail.com



Districts: 9780, 9790, 9800, 9810, 9820

**Rotary International Southern Districts
SHINE ON RECOGNITION EVENT**

2022-23

will be held on

Saturday, 13th May, 2023

from 1pm to 4pm

**to recognise and celebrate the volunteer
community work of anyone with a disability**

**VENUE: The Templestowe Baptist Church Hall,
103-105 Anderson Creek Rd, Doncaster East, 3109**

Send Completed Forms & Documents Via Email to

EMAIL: lara.barrett.secretary@gmail.com

ENQUIRIES: to the Secretary, Lara Barrett

MOBILE: 0416 262 615

CLOSING DATE for Nominations: 1st January 2023



YOUR INVITATION

Rotary 
DISTRICT 9820 CONFERENCE
LEADERSHIP
IN ACTION

FRI 24 - SUN 26 FEBRUARY 2023

RACV CAPE SCHANCK RESORT
Mornington Peninsula

- Friday - Tours or Golf
- Saturday - Program with keynote speakers
- Beach Party Dinner
- Sunday Breakfast with 2022 Victorian of the Year Kevin Sheedy

BOOK NOW

<https://rotary9820.org.au/page/district-9820-conference-2023/>

\$220 Saturday program
inc. Dinner

\$40 Sunday breakfast
Tours and Golf as selected



KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

Kevin Sheedy
Kate Roffey
Warren Tate

Julia Kay: 2022 Young
Victorian of the Year
Samuel Johnson

TOP ENTERTAINMENT
Baker Boys Band