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## PRESIDENT CAROL'S THOUGHTS & REPORTS

Greetings Rotarians and Friends

### Thanks Pat Morton

First of all, I'd like to thank Pat Morton for the reports that he did for the last two weeks, while I was in Hobart with my daughter celebrating her birthday. Thank you very much Pat for your support, certainly your presentation on Peace and Reconciliation was a great one and something I think we should all take right note of.

### Last week

Last week was our first week of face-to-face meetings and I thank everybody for their attendance and hopefully our numbers will grow as people have more confidence in coming out and enjoying some fellowship. We also had a number of members joining us on Zoom as well, which I understand worked well.

### Board Review

The Board is currently reviewing our structure and we were looking at various ways we can have the Board operate. This will include the views and values of all of our members. Our Club is a project-driven Club and we are looking at ways we can make this model appealing and interesting for everyone while focusing on different projects both international and local, and certainly over the last year and a half although we've been constrained by COVID we have been able to complete a number of exciting projects in International with both ShelterBox and Sigiri, we continue to work on the Peninsula trail, which will continue into the next few years.

We would welcome all of your views about how the club could operate more effectively and where you think there may be possibilities of more engagement with members and how projects are managed and reported on. We have a small committee working on this with Valerie Lyons, who will be President Elect next year, Bill Branthwaite, who will be President next year PP Peter Rawlings and PDG Merv Williams. We will be meeting on the 1st of March to discuss our progress in this area and if you do have any comments please let any of us know and we'll be pleased to consider them in our discussions, once we have come up with a operational model for the Board we will then have a session at a members meeting to discuss and take your views into consideration.

### International Woman's Day Breakfast

International Woman's Day Breakfast will still be held on the 2nd of March at the Mornington Racecourse, and we would welcome any wives or partners from members who would be interested in joining us. You can book on the link provided in the bulletin and we can promise you an interesting and entertaining morning, even if it is a very early start. Our Rotary Club has seven people going at the moment and if you would like to join our table and like to make it up to a table of 10 please let me or Laura know and we can assist you in booking a seat.



**SERVE TO CHANGE LIVES**

**21st February 2022**

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**These Celebrations are for  
the next week 21st February  
To 27th February 2022**

**Birthdays  
Wayne Norris 24th**

**Wedding Anniversaries  
Nil**

**Rotary Anniversaries  
Nil**

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### End Polio Now Movie Night

You will remember that earlier this rotary year we had organised a movie night for funding to End Polio Now, this has now been rescheduled and we are looking at proceeding with Peninsula Cinema in Rosebud on the evening of the 18th of March and we'll be combining with the Nepean cluster group and the Mornington cluster group. There is also the opportunity to look at having a movie night at the Dromana drive-in but that hasn't been that hasn't been finalised yet. We will confirm the dates in the next week or so that everybody can have the opportunity to attend the Movie. The cost remains at \$20 a head with \$10 going to End Polio Now from each ticket. A great way to fundraise and also to enjoy an excellent movie.

### Committee meetings this week

This week Committees will be meeting and I am hoping that all groups will have the opportunity to join face to face and to be able to discuss your projects.

### Geoff Kaye's funeral

This week was say goodbye to our dear friend PP Geoff Kaye. Geoff's funeral is at 10am this Monday 21st February at Tobin Brothers Funeral Home at 604 Esplanade Mount Martha

Have a great week and see you on Monday 28th February

President Carol

### FEBRUARY IS PEACEBUILDING & CONFLICT RESOLUTION MONTH

- Mon 21 Feb **RCMM Committee meeting - Youth** at The Mornington Hotel @ 6pm
- Thurs 24 Feb **RCMM Committee meeting - Membership** via Zoom @ 7pm
- Sat 26 Feb **Mount Martha Sausage Sizzle** - see Roster on page 4
- Mon 28 Feb **RCMM Committee meeting - International & Foundation** at The Mornington Hotel @ 5pm prior to Club meeting
- Mon 28 Feb **Club Meeting** at The Mornington Hotel @ 6.00 for 6.30pm and via Zoom  
Guest Speaker will be Nigel Cousins on Rotary Youth Leadership Awards (RYLA) and his work with the Sudanese Community.

### MARCH IS WATER, SANITATION & HYGIENE MONTH

- Wed 2 Mar International Women's Day Breakfast - see Flyer on page 5 for details
- Mon 7 Mar **Club Meeting** - Belinda Howe from Blue Cross Aged Care - Dementia
- Sat 12 Mar **Mount Martha Sausage Sizzle** - see Roster on page 4
- Mon 14 Mar No Meeting - Labour Day Holiday
- Mon 14 Mar **Bunnings BBQ** - see Roster on page 3
- Mon 21 Mar **RCMM Committee meetings**
- Mon 28 Mar **Club Meeting** - Ridge Kally from Kieser Physiotherapy

### APRIL IS MATERNAL & CHILD HEALTH MONTH

- Mon 4 Apr **Club Meeting** - at The Mornington Hotel @ 6.00 for 6.30pm and via Zoom - TBA
- Sat 9 Apr **Mount Martha Sausage Sizzle** - see Roster on page 4
- Mon 11 Apr **Club Meeting** - at The Mornington Hotel @ 6.00 for 6.30pm and via Zoom  
Guest Speaker is Mark Patrick of Rotary & Victorian Police Mentoring program
- Sat 16 Apr **Bunnings BBQ** - see Roster on page 3
- Mon 18 Apr No meeting - Easter Monday Holiday
- Mon 25 Apr No meeting - Anzac Day Holiday

## SAUSAGE SIZZLE ROSTERS

### BUNNINGS BBQ'S

8 to 11am

11am to 2pm

2pm to 5pm

#### Monday 14th March 2022 (Labour Day Holiday)

Rob Davies  
Tom Barrett  
Gordon Morriss  
Tom Goulding  
Merv Willams

Bruce Ranken  
Ray Martin  
Valerie Lyons  
Bill Branthwaite  
Wayne Norris

Bill Cummins  
Carol Allen  
Phyl Scales  
David Wheeler  
Barrie Sweeney

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

#### Saturday 16th April 2022 (Easter Saturday)

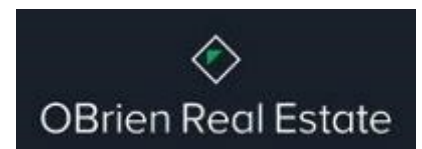
Rob Davies  
Byron Groves  
Bernard Butler  
Mary McIntyre  
Wayne Norris

Peter Rawlings  
Linda Ferrari  
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OUR COMMUNITY & CLUB SUPPORTERS, TO WHOM WE ARE VERY GRATEFUL



**The Mount Martha Sausage Sizzles are back on Saturday 26th February and will be conducted on mainly a monthly basis.**

**RCMM Mount Martha Saturday Sausage Sizzle Roster 2022 commencing at 9.00am and finishing 1.00pm approx**

\*The column with 2 hour slots is for those who

		4hrs	4 hrs	4hrs
26/2/22		Tom Barrett	Roger Annear	Paul Clark
12/3/22	2hrs 2hrs	Lara Barrett Bernard Butler	Linda Ferrari	Bill Ewing
9/4/22		Gordon Morriss	Tom Goulding	Phyllis Scales
7/5/22		Carol Allen	Mt Martha House	Community Garden
4/6/22		Rob Davies	Wayne Norris	Byron Groves
2/7/22		Ray Martin	Valerie Lyons	Mary McIntyre
13/8/22		Peter Rawlings	Pat Morton	Barrie Sweeney
10/9/22		Bruce Ranken	Peter Warren	Bill Ewing
8/10/22		Tom Barrett	David Wheeler	Tom Goulding
5/11/22		Gordon Morriss	Bill Cummins	Paul Clark
3/12/22		Mary McIntyre	Mt Martha House	Community Garden
17/12/22		Roger Annear	Rob Davies	Ray Martin





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Mount Eliza, Mt Martha, Frankston, Rosebud/Rye & Frankston North

# International Women's Day Breakfast

#BreakTheBias

Wednesday 2nd March 2022



## Our Guest Speakers:



**Sharn Coombes**  
Criminal barrister

National Ambassador for HFH  
Two-time runner-up of Australian Survivor



**Amanda Leck**  
Executive Director,

Australian Institute for Disaster Resilience  
Director Risk and Resilience, AFAC

## Mornington Racecourse

6:45am-9am Tickets: \$55