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Club of Drysdale



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## ROTARY CLUB OF DRYSDALE BULLETIN

### CATHERINE'S CABLES

Meeting held at the Belmont Tin Pin Bowling Centre and Grovedale Thai Restaurant on Monday 11 September 2017, starting at 5.30pm

**Apologies:** Colin Bartlett, Helen Dalton,

**Visitors:** Shirley Baker, Alex Eagleson, Wally Rickard,

#### President Report

Well done to Lyle and Helen for selling 6 beanies for IgKnite in Echuca

District 9780 is currently seeking Rotarians interested in taking on a role within district (2018-19). It is a great way to learn more about Rotary, and a rewarding experience. Please see President Catherine for details

#### Match Report – 10 Pin Bowling Social Night

The much anticipated annual 10 pin bowling outing did not disappoint with much excitement, a good roll up of members and great atmosphere – pity about the standard of play!

##### Results

Lane 2 Winner – Mitchell

Lane 3 Winner – Leila

Lane 4 Winner – Graeme

Overall Winner (line honours and handicap) – Gavan

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Honourable mentions to first time bowlers – Shirley Baker and Leila. (Shirley showed great potential and with the right management to develop her natural left to right draw she could be a future club champion!) See the some of the action in photos at end of bulletin

#### Injury Report

- The night did not go totally smoothly with the loss of much vaunted newcomer Sue Inkster in the warm up to an undisclosed illness. Will have to wait to next year to see how she performs in the pressure cooker of the Rotary Club competition
- Shirley Baker – quadricep strain – expected to be out of competition for 4 weeks
- Mitchell's hip pocket nerve took a hit with a in game challenge to Lyle Grinter that he could not surpass his own game score. Needing 7 to clinch victory over the young upstart on his final frame, with the whole crowd transfixed, the ice cool Lyle delivered two superb bowls to get the 7 pins and win a bottle of red – premium quality. Well done Lyle

The after match celebrations were held at Grovedale Thai. A great meal was enjoyed while recounting the glories and failures of the bowling.

It may have been a co-incidence but there was a strong suggestion that Bruce's vocal and some might say 'over the top' support of the Richmond tigers may have resulted in the hour delay in having his meal delivered!

Also a great effort to those who fronted up to the huge deserts on offer at Grovedale Thai.

Finally a big thank you to our Tournament Director, Sue Van Every for making all the arrangements and I understand some improvements are already planned for next years event

**Powerball Confectionary Challenge – No 3 – Rotary Foundation – Graeme Allison memorial**

Pres Catherine closed the meeting at about 8.30pm with the theme for this Rotary year

### **ROTARY: MAKING A DIFFERENCE**

#### **Upcoming meetings**

18 Sep	Heide Martin – Garden Relief
25 Sep	Football Night – Christine Waite and competitions
2 Oct	Bruni Callori Student Art Mentorship Night
9 Oct	District Governor – Ray Herbert and Mental Health Night (please wear a hat)
16 Oct	TBA
23 Oct	Interplast and ROMAC
30 Oct	TBA
6 Nov	Pre-Melbourne Cup Night – Hawaiian Night at Van Every's
13 Nov	AGM

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### **Duty Roster 18 Sep – 16 Oct 2017**

Guest Speaker Liaison	WELCOME H/Tails	Attendance	Room set up/pack up	Sergeant
18 Sep Mitchell	Colin B	Terry B	Gavan I & Lyle G	Graeme W
25 Sep Geoff R	Gavan I	Terry B	Colin B & Graeme W	Graeme W
2 Oct Caroline R	Sue VE	Terry B	Bruce VE & Peter D	Graeme W
9 Oct Gavan I	Leila S	Terry B	Caroline & Mitchell	Graeme W
16 Oct Sue VE		Terry B	Geoff R & Gavan I	Graeme W

### **Other Community News**

The Humans in Geelong Expo is Sunday October 8th at Deakin Waterfront from 10am – 3pm. This is a free Community event with fun for everyone. There will be uplifting speakers, thought-provoking workshops, live performances, displays, free face-painting and activities for the kids

[www.humansingeelong.com](http://www.humansingeelong.com)

Bellarine Schools Ministry provides mentoring and programs to young people on the Bellarine. We'd love you to come out with us, have a great night and learn a little about us to a film night on **Saturday September 16th 6.30pm** at Village Cinemas Geelong to see Victoria & Abdul We'll have raffles, watch an inspiring story and give you a chance to inspire us! Tickets are \$25, which includes a drink and pop corn or a choc top. Contact Xander 0410 132 157 or Jess 0427 420 950 to purchase your seats. Seats are limited

**November** - North Bellarine Film Festival

### **Melbourne University's eye project in Australia.**

Rotary Clubs are invited to participate in an online survey on eye care conducted by Melbourne University.

Type the following link into your search engine

[https://co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/preview/SV\\_1zA2p2jUJxPDxwV?Q\\_CHL=preview](https://co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/preview/SV_1zA2p2jUJxPDxwV?Q_CHL=preview)

Our organisation has enjoyed a strong, fruitful collaboration with Rotary Australia in the past, and on this account I sincerely look forward to receiving your thoughts and reply. Thank you for your time.

### **Cambodian Water Project**

Join Rotarians in a travel adventure to Cambodia in the first two weeks of February 2018, to experience first hand the culture and friendship of Cambodians and see the results of our D9780 Project in Cambodia.

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The trip will be led by Dr. Bryan Humphrey (President Geelong East Rotary Club) with support from a Cambodian interpreter and guide. Rotarian, Bryan has spent almost three years living and working in Cambodia.

The proposed trip would begin in Phnom Penh. It will include visits to the Toul Sleng Genocide Museum, the Killing Fields as well as The Palace, National Museum. The visit will include a live show featuring Cambodian dance and music.

The group will also visit some Rotary supported projects in and around Phnom Penh.

We will then travel to Veal Veng district in Pursat Province to visit the communities that have received fresh water because of Rotarians in District 9780. We will visit villages, schools and have an opportunity to meet with the communities we have supported. This will be an uplifting experience to share the joy and the life changing stories. We will also have an opportunity to visit classrooms and interact with students in the schools that our Rotary clubs have supported.

We will then travel to Battambang where we will have the opportunity to take in the sites of ancient Angkor Ruins and experience a relaxing time in Cambodia's second largest city.

The last stop will be Siem Reap, the gate way to the majestic Angkor Wat and the many other temples. A town alive with restaurants and shows. We will include a trip to the holy mountain Phnom Kulen and the surrounding area. We will see a huge reclining Buddha, river bed carvings and early 9th century temples. We will have a picnic lunch at the waterfall.

The cost of the trip is estimated at around \$AUS4400 per person.

Proposed Inclusions (these may change as planning continues but are indicative):

- Flights
- Travel Insurance
- All sightseeing, entrance fees, tour and transfer services and English speaking local guide
- All accommodation based on 2 sharing room including meals
- Private air-conditioned vehicles, bicycle hire, private tuk tuk

Accommodation in Phnom Penh, Siem Reap and Battambang will be 3-4 star, all with Wi-Fi and air conditioning. Accommodation in Veal Veng is a local guest house which provides comfortable, clean but basic accommodation.

It is proposed to use "World of Difference" run by Rotary District 9800 as the tour organiser. "World of Difference" have run many Rotary trips to Cambodia and have a wealth of experience.

If you are interested in joining this Rotary Cambodian Adventure please express interest by contacting Rotarian Dr. Bryan Humphrey by email on [bryan.humphrey53@gmail.com](mailto:bryan.humphrey53@gmail.com) by September 30th 2017.

We will proceed with detailed organisation of the tour if there is sufficient expression of interest from interested Rotarians in D9780.

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Wally 'the professor' totally focussed



Terry 'the silver fox' in classic post-delivery position



Lyle 'master blaster' with the action that took home the bottle of red



Leila 'the rookie' equal winner of best newcomer award



Geoff 'leftie' winding up



Peter 'twinkle toes' with interesting flourish