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District 9780 Club 18227 Inc: A0017079H

ROTARY CLUB OF DRYSDALE BULLETIN CATHERINE'S CABLES

Meeting held at the Clifton Springs Golf Club on Monday 17 July 2017, starting at 6.30pm

Apologies: Helen Dalton, Leila Stecher, Bruce Van Every,

Visitors: Tiffany Shin, Rtn Cheng-Chung (father) Hsiu-Hua, Lu (mother) Hsiu-Chuan, Kao

(aunt) Rick, Kerry and Gabby Peacock,

The sad passing of RI President Elect Sam F. Owori was noted by observing a minutes silence

A series of presentations celebrating the upcoming completion of Tiffany's exchange program took place. It was wonderful to see Tiffany's parents coming along to the meeting and meeting first hand the people in which they had entrusted the care of their daughter for the previous year





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Board Report

This year, guest speakers will be presented with a certificate for a donation to the End Traucoma Bring along any used stamps also in support of the End Traucoma initiative

Terry Baker has taken on the role of the **Club's Foundation Chair** Leila has taken on the role of the Club's **Youth Protection Officer**

Igknite continues to progress well with a large donation of yarn through our facebook page

Mitchell is enrolled in the 2017 Rotary Leadership Institute

Portarlington Foodbank were recipients of surplus BBQ stock

National Tree Planting Day – Sunday 30 July

Bellarine Bayside is running an event for National Tree Planting Day on Sunday 30 July 10.00 a.m. – 2.00 p.m., at Point Richards Flora and Fauna Reserve, Boat Road.

This is very timely, as it will assist us to satisfy one of our RI Presidential Citation Goals for this year. We need to plant one tree for each member of the Club. It would be fantastic to have as many people available on the day, and partners and friends are welcome. More details to come.

Program – Bowelscan Max Fry and Kimberley Rice



Kimberley is a theatre nurse at St John of God Hospital. Kimberley's passion for raising awareness about bowel cancer came as a result of the loss of her father to the disease only two weeks after being diagnosed.

Bowel cancer begins as polyps which can develop into cancer. The positive aspect of this particular cancer is that with early diagnosis over 90% of cases are cured. Regular testing is therefore highly recommended and one of the best ways to do this is through one of Rotary's own programs – Bowelscan.

Max has had a long involvement with Bowelscan both at a local level in Geelong and also right across the whole district. The most pleasing aspect of Max's work are the letters from people who have taken the test and

received a positive result which enabled them to take life saving action.

Bowel cancer can strike at any age and Australia has the second highest incidence of the disease in the world. What more incentive is there then to buy a bowelscan kit next May or even better book an appointment with a doctor – just to make sure!!

Heads and Tails won by Colin Bartlett **Powerball Confectionary Challenge** - Number 9 Terry Baker

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Pres Catherine closed the meeting at 8.00pm with the theme for this Rotary year ROTARY: MAKING A DIFFERENCE

IGKNITE

Our Club has already donated 50 beanies to Lifeline for our IGKNITE project, which will raise valuable funds for Lifeline's work.

Mitchell has been his creative self and made a video. Check it out on our Facebook page and please like and share it with your friends. The more IGKNITE exposure we can create the better.

We also have club members knitting very industriously. Our aim is to raise lots of money for Australian Rotary Health - Lift the Lid on Mental Illness. Please consider sponsoring one (or more) of our club knitters, and spread the word to your family and friends. Every dollar helps this great cause!

Our Club knitters are:

- Catherine Eagleson
- Leila Stecher
- Helen Dalton
- Caroline Rickard
- Sue Van Every

Please let the President know if you know of anyone who would like to be added to the list.

Club Anniversaries

Mitchell Saffin Birthday

Upcoming meetings

24 July Bryan Humphrey – International Water Project

31 July Social night 31st July At Lyle Grinter's 31 Jeffrey street, Indented Heads.

Everyone please bring a small plate with some thing savoury.

Directions: Going from Port side towards Indented heads, next street right after the shop/PO. Then Helen Street goes to the right into Jeffrey street. Brick double

storey on right side. NO 31.

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Duty Roster 17 Jul – 31 Jul 2017

Guest Speaker	WELCOME	Attendance	Room set up/pack	Sergeant
Liaison	H/Tails		up	

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24 Jun Caroline R	Sue VE	Terry B	Caroline R & Graeme W	Graeme W
31 Jun	SOCIAL	NIGHT		

District Diary Dates

29 July RC Ballarat South 50th Anniversary 30 July Bellarine Bayside Tree Planting Day - Point Richards 4-6 August RC Geelong East Book Fair 5 August RLI Geelong