



Weekly Bulletin



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News, Reports and Rosters

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November 17, 2021, DISTRICT GOVERNOR'S VISIT AND UNVEILING OF 100 YEARS OF ROTARY IN AUSTRALIA COMMEMORATIVE PLAQUE AT BRUMLEY PARK PALYGROUND.



A culmination of twelve months of planning, negotiation and working cooperatively with the Shire of Southern Grampians to finally see the Commemorative plaque unveiled and the playground completed.

DG John Clue along with representatives from the council and Marg and Jenny Brumley and a number of Rotarians and partners joined us for the special event

Thank you to

1. SGSC and their staff including Sarah Jurecky, Darren Ames and Outdoor staff
2. Bob Cadden drawing up the plans and specifications for the sign
3. Sheds Galore and Mark Klobe who made signs and donated them
4. Sign Design Plaque
5. Rotary District 9780 for a centenary grant
6. Members of the cub who attended the working bees

Special Presentations

Rotarian Barry Little of a “Quilt of Valour”

<https://quiltsofvalour.com.au/>

Barry served in Malaya.

Alan Olive presented Barry with this beautiful quilt. It is one of 4000 that have been presented to veterans in Australia.



Rotarian Richard Beks - 50 Years of Service to Rotary

District Governor John Clue presented Rotarian Ricard Beks with a certificate recognising his 50 years of Service. Richard joined the Rotary Club of Hamilton in November 1971 as a young family man.

He commented that Rotary today does not resemble Rotary as it was when he joined. But he is still here!

Richard as owner of the local newspaper The Hamilton Spectator. has been very supportive of our club and often writes about us in his weekly “BLOG”



Board Meeting with District Governor John Clue

The board met with John for an informal club “health check”

District Governor addressed our meeting

John spoke on the way forward for Rotary Clubs to increase and retain membership. Finally, he talked about the environment and how by our actions as Rotarians we can improve the environment in the future by being “People of Action”

President Brian thanked John for his talk and agreed with him n membership and the environment.

DG John Clue presented the club with two certificates from:

- Rotary Foundation for our contribution to End Polio Now
- 2020/2021 District Governor & Partner Project for our contribution to the Indigenous Literacy Foundation.





A special congratulations to our last exchange student Paula from Germany who celebrated her 18th birthday this week.

This is her latest photo from her Instagram account. She has certainly grown up.

Raffle made a record \$135 and the prizes of Christmas cakes kindly donated by Marg Moffatt, were won by Gerri Griffin and Richard Beks. Next e's prize is being donated by David Kennett.



Roster for harness racing on 29 November and 30 December

Tomato seedlings are still available from my house - they will be in the carport from Francis St if we are not at home.

BackPack4Kids

Barry Aarons has been collecting and delivering items to Warrnambool. He will be making another delivery soon. They are looking for items for their Christmas Packs.

<https://www.facebook.com/Backpacks-4-VIC-kids-Warrnambool-111697490303465/>

Notes and Reminder

Environment Marg Moffat

The District EnviroClub Awards have been adapted from a successful environmental awards program in the United Kingdom. In this program, clubs register environmentally sustainable (ES) initiatives (activities, projects, programs, and events) and are encouraged to improve these through a series of awards, starting with a Bronze Award and moving on to Silver and Gold Awards. Individual Rotarians are also encouraged to be catalysts for environmental action in their communities.

We should all be aware of the many environmental problems facing the world, such as climate change, pollution, water shortages, loss of habitat, energy security, loss of biodiversity and waste management. Rotary is in an ideal position to take leadership to ensure that the world we leave to the next generations is no worse, if not better, than when we inherited it.



Coming up for our club

- 19 November – WDHS MRI Golf Day
- 24 November: Lorraine Wilson – Social Media
- 1 December: Jane Cox – Australian Rotary Health
- 8 December– Tony MacGillivray – Remote Education and Training TBC
- 15 December – Christmas Dinner Social Night



Bike Riders Thursday meet at Ansett Museum 9:00am
Coffee @The Roxburgh Fridays 10:30am

James Dishon will be organizing rosters. He is looking for more members to act as Chairman

Family of Rotary – all our members and their families are important to us.

Almoners Rose Howard and Bruce Wheeler



Birthdays	Anniversary	Inductions
Paul Schmalsteig 17 November 18 years old	None	Peter Radley 23 November – 16 years

Club meeting roster Please organise a replacement if unable to attend.						
Meeting	Setup	Cashiers (2)	Bar (2)	Fellowship	Chairman	Scribe
24 Nov	David Garfoot	Barry Aaron Gerri Griffin	James Dunn Glenn Howell	Michael Hartwich	Murray Menzel	Bob Cadden

District Notices Check out the District Newsletter and webpage <https://rotary9780.org/>

November is Rotary Foundation Month

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- District Annual General Meeting – 21 November
- Rotary Foundation Giving Day – Tuesday 30 November
- Defying the Drift – 13-15 December at Longeronong

Weekly Bulletin, Webpage and Facebook

The weekly bulletin will eventually be published through ClubRunner.

Our club webpage can be accessed on <http://portal.clubrunner.ca/1943> It is now live. This will allow stories from our bulletins to be published on the webpage and information from the District and RI webpages (which also use ClubRunner) to be shared. Our club also has a Facebook page which shares stories and events, and this page is also shared to other Facebook pages to get our message out.

<https://www.facebook.com/rotaryhamiltonvicau>

