

Wednesday 2 April 2025

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President Noel welcomed everyone to the meeting. Unfortunately, our guest speaker was unable to attend so Bob Cadden agreed to make a presentation as President Elect.

### New meal payment method from April 2<sup>nd</sup>

Meals at the Speckled Frog will be paid directly to the restaurant either cash or card. Raffle can be paid to the club \$5 cash or card.

**Strathdownie Sunday 13 April Meeting of the Border clubs** Lunch \$35  
Please reply by Friday for numbers. There will be an inaugural pétanque challenge. (*Simon has sent a text message to you all*)

**Global Grant Scholarship recipient** Tori Ball now studying in the UK has requested support for her to reapply for another round of the scholarship This was endorsed by the members present. Tori has been visiting some Rotary clubs, working on her dissertation and presenting a paper in Venice. You will find an article on Tori on this link.

<https://rotary9780.org/sitepage/global-grant-scholarships>

**Past Rotary Exchange student** Steven Cunningham has recently gained his pilot's licence with White Star Aviation

*A great outcome for TSA cadet pilot Steve today! CPL completed in the Torres Strait in a challenging, high work load environment.*



*Some very important business being discussed!*



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### Birthdays

Liz Cummins 26/03

Leo Cummins 4/04

### Wedding Anniversaries

Kim and Judy Joyce 2/4

### Induction Anniversaries

Meg Watson 5/4/2023



## Coming Club Events

**9 April** Home Hosting see list in Bulletin

Please contact host

**13 April** Strathdownie

**16 April** Beth Tonissen -Being legally blind in Hamilton

**23 April** No meeting

### District Notices

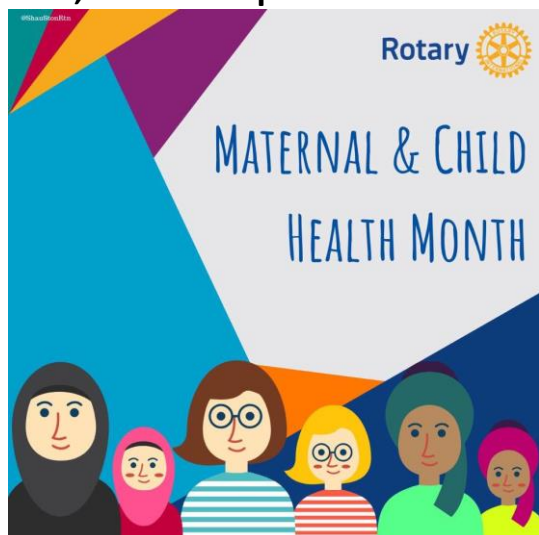
- PETS (President Elect Training) 24 May in Horsham
- District Assembly 25 May in Horsham
- Community Group meeting to be held in Hamilton at the Speckled Frog on April 13
- District Changeover in Nhill June 6<sup>th</sup>

### Weekly social events

**Bike Riders:** meet each Thursday morning, 09:00 at the Ansett Museum, finishing for coffee at Tosca Browns, around 09:35

**Friday Coffee:** meet each Friday Morning, 10:30 at the Roxburgh, all welcome

In April, Rotary International focuses on Maternal and Child Health. This theme recognizes the importance of improving access to quality care for mothers and children, with Rotary clubs and districts working to address issues like malnutrition, poor health care, and inadequate sanitation.



## President Elect Bob Cadden

Bob presented his plans for his year with a PowerPoint presentation.

- Who and what we are
- What is our purpose? What do we do?
- How are our activities organized?
- Leaders and Teams for 2025-26
- Plan for the year
- Annual Subscription for the coming year.

Bob has asked us to review our groups by checking out the **Rotary Hamilton Club Structure 2024-25** on Shared Drive and let him know any changes.

Bob outlined the process of setting our **membership fees** and suggested that it be increased to \$270. This was approved by all present.

He also encouraged members to attend the District training Day

- PETS (President Elect Training) 24 May in Horsham
- **District Assembly 25 May in Horsham Pay online and club will reimburse**

If interested in **more training**, there are great resources online that you can do at your leisure. <https://my.rotary.org/en/> Look for **Knowledge and Resources**. You will need your My Rotary login to access.



### Home Hosting

*Please contact your host as soon as possible to organize menu.*

**Marg Moffatt** –Peter Radley (2) Brian Jenkins (2) Leo Cummins (2)

**Bruce Wheeler** – Jenny Barke (2) Rose Howard (2) David Burow (1)

**Simon Wilson** – Glenn Howell (2) Marg McIntyre (1) Bob Cadden (1)

**Kevin Safe** – Lorraine Wilson (2) Sandy Vanrenan (2)

**Meg Watson** - James Dishon (1) Murray Menzel (2)