



SERVE TO CHANGE LIVES

# Weekly Bulletin

## News, Reports and Rosters



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Please note change of email address for the bulletin [bulletin@rotaryhamilton.org.au](mailto:bulletin@rotaryhamilton.org.au)

### Meeting held on April 13 at Alexandra House

**President Brian Jenkins** welcomed Rotarians and guests to the meeting at Alexandra House (The Grangeburn was unavailable due to Covid)

He updated us on celebrations, upcoming meetings, and district notices.

Please note the following:

- Next harness racing is on Easter Monday (18 April), we still need some volunteers for this.
  - We still need 3 people to help out
- Sheepvention home hosting is on again, please contact Lorraine for details. This is a good fundraiser as it is now \$100 per person per night.
- Club Home Hosting is on the 4 May – Please fill in the shared drive with partners

**James Dishon (Vocational)** reminded Rotarians about the Pride of Workmanship awards and asked for nominations to be submitted at least a week before the presentation night scheduled for May 11.

The raffle made \$95 and the prize of a bag of Easter goodies donated by David Garfoot, was won by Lyn Christie. The prize for 27 April is being donated by Damien Meagher.



### **Next Meeting Wednesday 13 April**

- Next week is a casual night at the Caledonian Hotel
  - Please fill in the attendance sheet on the shared drive for guests and partners
  - Starting time 6.00pm
  - Food and drinks at bar prices
  - Another good opportunity to bring guests along

Roster for coming meetings						
	Cashier	Chairman	Social/bar	Fellowship	Property	Bulletin
20 April	N/R					

## YOUTH FORUM

**Heather Ward** introduced our guests:

- Julie Dohle, Belinda Carroll, Caroline Coggins – Monivae College
- Jared Male, Kristina Male – Good Shepherd College
- Stuart Brochu-Ward – casual at Monivae + Ashley Brochu-Ward
- Marg Wagner – Enhanced work experience coordinator
- Wendy Radley

Heather outlined Rotary to the guests, including the areas of service – Community, International, Vocational, Youth and Environmental.

Heather then introduced **Lilly Pritchard** to the group. Lilly, from Wycheproof was sponsored by our club to attend the National Youth Science Forum (NYSF) over the summer school holidays. This two-week program was mostly online this year, due to Covid. Unfortunately, Lilly was suffering from Covid, so had to present by Zoom (she originally planned on attending the meeting).

Lilly spoke of the selection process for NYSF, and how the program had given her ideas for her future (paramedicine or biomedicine). A highlight was speaking to a Nobel prize winner. She enjoyed listening to speakers from many various branches of science. She also gained friends, knowledge, and aspirations for the future.

Heather explained to the teachers present that the club would like to assist students in any way possible.

**Heather** then introduced **Marg Wagner**, who is working on Enhanced Work Experience across the Glenelg and Southern Grampians shires. The program aims to make work experience more meaningful for students by assisting them to find placements in areas of interest, even if they are not available locally. Workshops are being held with students, parents, and employers. Rotary clubs throughout district 9780 are being asked to host students if they need to move outside their hometown to undertake a work experience placement. Our club has been the first to host a student, a girl from Portland who wanted to spend the five days with GenHealth.

**Wendy Radley (and Peter)** hosted the girl from Portland. To ease anxiety, she invited the whole family for dinner when dropping off the student. Everything went very smoothly for the week, and Wendy feels that she has made a new friend.

**Marg** presented certificates of appreciation to the Radleys and to Heather, who had organized the placement.

**Brian** closed the meeting. He mentioned the student section of the Art Show to the teachers present.





**Bike Riders Thursday meet at Ansett Museum 9:00am** New route planned with coffee at Tosca Browns **Coffee @The Roxburgh Fridays 10:30am Lloyd wants company!**



**District Notices** Check out the District Newsletter and webpage <https://rotary9780.org/>  
**Family of Rotary – all our members and their families are important to us.**  
**Almoners Rose Howard and Bruce Wheeler**

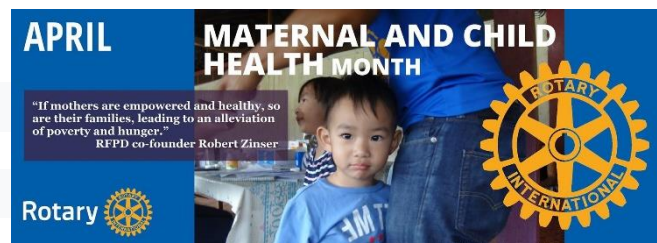
Birthdays this week	Anniversary	Inductions
David Indian 13 April	Colleen & James Dunn 17 April	Rose Howard 18 April - 11 years
Pam Wheeler 16 April	Jenni & John Barke 19 April	
Barry Little 19 April	Carolyn & Kevin Safe 19 April	



Some forward planning	
April - Maternal and Child Health Month	
20	Social Night Caledonian Hotel
27	Rotary Youth Leadership Award RYLA Steven Cunningham presentation Grangeburn and Defying the Drift
30	<b>Malaria Awareness Day – 30 April</b>
May - Youth Service Month	
4	Home Hosting
11	Pride of Workmanship Awards TBC
18	Social Night
25	Nicole Kerr Walking the Heysen Trail SA
June - Rotary Fellowships Month	
1	Changeover

**April is Maternal and Child Health Month**  
**OUR IMPACT ON THE LIVES OF MOTHERS AND CHILDREN**

The [Rotary Foundation](#) reaches mothers and children in need by giving communities the help and training they need to take control of their own maternal and infant health care.



<https://www.rotary.org/en/our-causes/saving-mothers-and-children>

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>