

President	Brian Jenkins	Rotary Foundation	Noel Howard
Vice president	Simon Wilson	Community	Rose Howard
President Elect	James Dishon	International	Noel Howard
Immediate Past President	Lorraine Wilson	Vocational	James Dishon
Secretary	Lyn Christie	Youth	Heather Ward
Treasurer	Bob Cadden	Catering	Bruce Warburton
			John Main
Bulletin/Rosters/Webpage	Lorraine Wilson	Program	
District Governor	John Clue R Port Fairy	Rotary International	Shekhar Mehta
		President	
		RC Calcutta Mahanagar	
Assistant Governor Group	Ian McKay RC Lakes		

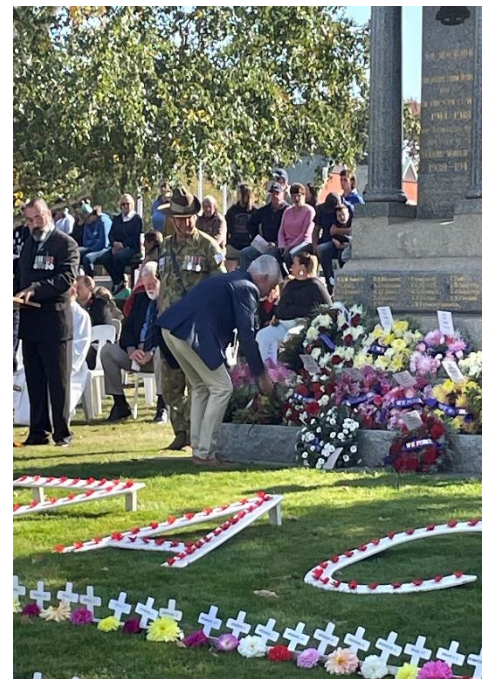
1

Please note change of email address for the bulletin bulletin@rotaryhamilton.org.au

Meeting held on 27 April - Youth Night Steven Cunningham RYLA & Bailey Jervies Defying the Drift

President Brian laid a wreath on behalf of Hamilton Rotary at the Hamilton ANZAC Day service at Melville Oval.

- Pride of Workmanship nominations. We need a couple more nominations – please send to James ASAP
- 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 see roster for details of who is hosting who.
 - Remember to contact your host a few days prior to see what you need to bring.
 - Bring your own drinks
 - No charge for this event
- Harness Racing roster – we still need one more person for the 10.30am to 1.00pm shift on Monday 2 May.
- Harness Racing is also on again on Monday 16 May and Friday 17 June.
- The Environment Gerri Griffin spoke of the “Lids for Kids” program that we are supporting. We are saving plastic lids from milk and drink containers. They sorted into colours and eventually recycled through a centre in Warrnambool. At their stage, Gerri has arranged to receive them in boxes outside her garage in Grosvenor Place. A tree planting day is being planned for the near future.
- The raffle made \$72, and the prize of a hamper donated by Damien Meagher, was won by Marg Moffatt. The prize for 10 May is being donated by Lyn Christie.



- Peter Hargreaves (publican) donated two bottles of wine for the raffle, and they were won by Gerri Griffin and Jenni Barke – things will be rocking in Grosvenor Place!

Next meeting Home Hosting Wednesday 4 th May 2022				
Hosts	Jenni Barke (2)	Leo Cummins (2)	David Kennett (2)	Peter Radley (2)
Guests	Bob Cadden (2)	Lorraine Wilson (2)	Glenn Howell (2)	Noel Howard (1)
	Barry Little (2)	Brian Jenkins (1)	Lyn Christie (1)	Rose Howard (1)
	Michael Hartwich (2)	Heather Ward (1)	Bruce Wheeler (1)	Murray Menzel (1)
		Meg Watson (1)	Simon Wilson (2)	James Dishon (1)

Roster for coming meetings						
	Cashier	Chairman	Social/bar	Fellowship	Property	Bulletin
4 May Not required						Please send any photos

Student Presentations



Heather Ward introduced both guests. Our guests: Bayley Jervies who we sponsored to attend “Defying the Drift” program last year. He was accompanied by Science Teacher from Baimbridge Yong Nguyen. Steven Cunningham who has just returned from the RYLA program. He was accompanied by his parent Sally and Peter Cunningham.

Bayley Jervies

We sponsored Bayley to attend the Rotary “Defying the Drift” program last year. He comes from a farming family. In year 10 last year, he took Certificate II in Agriculture provided by WRIST and with day release from Baimbridge to Dunkeld Pastoral Co. His week at Longerenong College allowed him to

explore enterprises not familiar to him. In particular he was impressed by high-technology cropping using no-tillage with IT tractor control by GPS to avoid soil compaction, and spot spraying of weeds resulting in an 80% reduction in herbicide use. Bayley now has permanent employment and an offer of a different job. He is studying Certificate III in Agriculture. Friendships established during the week are maintained. He sees a future for himself combining both livestock and cropping.

Steven Cunningham

After being on Youth Exchange to the USA in Vermont, Steven completed year 12 during Covid lockdown. He continued with running and set himself and achieving a goal of exceeding 5 km daily.

He has since qualified as a Skydiver and is about to commence a ski-instructor internship in NZ. Adventure sports are his passion.

Steven attended a Rotary Youth Leadership Course a week ago, as the youngest of 27 participants. The course started at Cobden with a “getting to know you” for the participants before they went to Kangarooie Camp (near Princetown) for the week. Most of the activities were held in the recreation common room. Team events included an obstacle course, construction with straws, beach walks. Also, impromptu public speaking, a concert with group and single acts were part of the program. Self-awareness, Goal Setting, Values and Leadership were the purpose. Steven returns having made a family of new friends and a self confidence in his ability to manage his path in life ahead. And a commendation of RYLA.



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

Rotary Hamilton Family. A note of thanks from Meg McLarty for the “get well” plant delivered. She is improving every week after her surgery. Beth Wilkinson is at home and really loves to have a visit. Hoping Kevin Safe, Bruce Wheeler, Rose Howard and James Dishon make a speedy recovery from the dreaded COVID. Please all remember to stay safe.

Birthdays this week	Anniversary	Inductions
None	None	Heather Ward 27 April - 17 years



Some forward planning	
May - Youth Service Month	
4	Home Hosting Please add names to online attendance this week. See list.
11	Pride of Workmanship Awards Remember to submit applicants to James ASAP
18	Social Night at Pastoral Museum
25	Nicole Kerr Walking the Heysen Trail SA
June - Rotary Fellowships Month	
1	Changeover Venue TBC

A massive brag

Our Grandson, Evan Jenkins, did a reading at the Australian & New Zealand ANZAC Day service at Westminster Abbey yesterday



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/rotaryhamiltonvic>

From the President

