

President	Noel Howard	Rotary Foundation	Simon Wilson
Vice President/membership	Brian Jenkins	Community International	Kevin Safe
President Elect		Vocational Direct	Jenni Barke
Immediate Past President	James Dishon	Youth Direct	James <u>Dunn</u>
Secretary	Lyn Christie	Catering	Leo Cummins
Treasurer	Bob Cadden	Environmental Direct	Bruce Warburton
Bulletin/Social Media Program	Lorraine Wilson		Gerri Griffin
District Governor	John Main	Assistant Governor Group A	Darren Brown
	Ian McKay		RC Casterton
	RC Mount Gambier Lakes	Rotary Club of Queensferry	West Lothian Scotland
Rotary International President	R. Gordon R. McNally		

The email address for the bulletin@rotaryhamilton.org.au

News and Notes from our Meeting of 6 September 2023 at The Speckled Frog

President Noel welcomed members

We enjoyed a lovely roast pork dinner at the Speckled Frog. Just a couple of small reports re RAWCS, RLI catering and Brumley Park working bee. Volunteers were sought for selling Art Show Raffle tickets at Coles Thurs/Fri (Kevin Safe)

Visit to MRI at the WDHS (Western District Health Service)

Then it was off to WDHS Foster St for an insight into our new MRI machine. Bridgid Kelly who heads up WDHS Fundraising thanked us for our Rotary contribution. 1.6 million was donated by community. She then introduced Mark Lee of Bendigo Radiology who is manager of the MRI Unit. He also thanked Rotary and agreed it was phenomenal to have this state-of-the-art equipment in Hamilton.

This machine is top of range and is 70cm diameter cylinder where predecessors were only 60 cm This means less claustrophobia, anxiety etc leading to a more positive experience. So far approx. 600 patients have been scanned with less than 2 weeks wait time. Unit operates Tue/Wed /Thur and hospital inpatients in need can be processed on Mon or Friday.



Areas to be imaged are abdominal, spinal and brain. Also, sports injuries both acute and chronic. There is also a potential to build on these processes and attract more specialists. Machinery lifespan is approx 15 yrs. with an upgrade at 10 yrs. The reception, admission and preparation areas have been nicely upgraded using local trades persons. Safety checks on patients are very important for detecting pacemakers, metal implants as they need to be "Magnet Safe". This MRI is not as noisy as predecessor model and ear phones are provided- with music- to soften noise. Other scans are still in use e.g., Ultrasound and CT scans'

WHAT A WONDERFUL ADDITION TO OUR MEDICAL SERVICES PROVIDED IN HAMILTON. GERRI GRIFFIN

October 5th - 8th - ART SHOW.

Thursday 7 and Friday 8 September Raffle ticket to be sold at Coles More dates will be confirmed.

All members received two (2) raffle books and five (5) Preview evening tickets to sell. Bob Cadden has more I you need them.

Use your networks to promote this fundraising event,

Sunday 10th September. ROTARY LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE (RLI) will be meeting in Hamilton. Marg Moffatt will be organizing morning and afternoon teas and lunch.


Upcoming Calendar:

Date	Venue	Program	Other information
September 13	The Speckled Frog	Neil McLean	To be confirmed
September 20	The Speckled Frog	Art Show Update	
September 27	The Speckled Frog	Say No to Family Violence	Carolyn Millard
October 4		NO MEETING	
October 11	The Speckled Frog	Art Show Raffle Drawn	ALL TICKETS TO BE RETURNED (SOLD AND UNSOLD)
October 18	The Speckled Frog	Warwick Price	Principal Baimbridge College


Roster	Cashier	Raffle and Sales	Chairman when required	Computer Set up	Scribe
September 13	Bob Cadden	Bruce Wheeler	Ian Black to introduce guest	Simon	John Main

Remember to RSVP an apology on the shared drive prior to 1200 noon on the Tuesday before the meeting, otherwise you will be required to still pay for your meal. Partners and guests are welcome at every meeting. They need to be booked in.

Bike Riders
Thursdays - meet at Ansett Museum 9:00am
Coffee at 9:35 at Tosca Browns



Coffee @The Roxburgh
Fridays 10:30am



Celebrations in September Birthdays
Gillian Jenkins 7th
Wedding Anniversary
Betty and Murray Elliot 11th
Peter and Wendy Radley 11th
Induction Anniversary
Simon Wilson 9th 31 Years



Rotary Hamilton Art Show

Hamilton Performing Arts Centre
5 - 8 October 2023
Judge: Joshua White
Guest Artist: Carolyn Marrone

Enjoy over 300 original works from leading Australian and local artists

Gala Preview Evening
Thursday 5 October at 7pm

Tickets \$30 (valid throughout the Show)
Available at David Edwards Framing, Robson's Guardian Pharmacy, MUD Gallery, Glenn Howell Optometrist, Hamilton Performing Art Centre or at the door.

Open for viewing and sales
Friday 6 & Saturday 7 October - 10am to 5pm
Sunday 8 October - 10am to 3pm
Entry \$10 (Friday, Saturday, Sunday)

Enquiries - Art Show Secretary
0418 109 514
or artshow@rotaryhamilton.org.au
http://artshow.rotaryhamilton.org.au

Prize Sponsors
Finchetts, Sheds Galore, O'Keefe Schroeder Lawyers, Gramplans Investment Services, Sinclair Wilson, Hamilton Flooring Xtra, The Downs Family.






Major Sponsor


A fundraising event - supports Rotary Hamilton projects