

The Warracknabeal Bulletin



Rotary



Club of Warracknabeal

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PRESIDENT'S REPORT

This week has been one of highs and lows in our Rotary Club with the passing of our esteemed friend of Rotary Olive Hewitt, and on the other end of the spectrum, the celebration of Past President Stan Deans 'fifty years of contribution to Rotary.

Olive will be sadly missed in our Club as she, together with Gwen, Margaret and Ruth have long been regular participants in many of our functions.

Past president Stan celebrated fifty years of Rotary membership this week and although I was unfortunately unable to attend, sixteen of our members were present at his special night. Stan has been a member of three Rotary Clubs over the years and in each Club has been awarded a Paul Harris Fellowship. The Warracknabeal Rotary Club certainly congratulates Stan on his many years of service to the Community and his long contribution to our Club.

On Friday, Rotary provided a BBQ in support of the 'We Love Warracknabeal' shopping promotion. Thanks must go to Peter and his team of workers for their hard work. The BBQ was a great success.

The Board meeting on Wednesday night, highlighted several events planned for the next couple of months. Proposed events include a visit from Kyneton Rotarians at the end of October, a curry night to raise funds for the Ellie Martha Fund, the release of the 'Freddie Mercury' movie in conjunction with Horsham Rotary Clubs and a Men's Health event. So watch this space for further details.

Have a great week. Chris.



Club Meets:

Creekside Hotel

Scott Street, Warracknabeal

Unless otherwise noted

Contact Jean to confirm venue

Wednesdays

6.00 for 6.30 p.m.

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COMING DATES

Wednesday 3rd October

Fundraising Curry Night at RNH

Thursday 11th October

Warracknabeal Show

Sat 27th-Sun 28th October

RC Kyneton visit

Fri 9th November

RC Horsham 90th Anniversary celebration

**Membership Fees are now
over due for 2018/2019**

Fees are \$210.00 p.a.

They can be direct deposited

Acc. Name:

Rotary Club of Warracknabeal

Bank: CBA BSB: 063 544

Account No: 1002 1494

Note Surname / Invoice Number
when paying via bank transfer

See Treasurer if you wish to pay in
instalments.

Breakfast 2018

Tuesday 11th September

John Aitken (pick up)

Tony Gregson

Rob deVries



DUTIES	Wednesday 12th September 2018	Wednesday 19th September 2018	Wednesday 26th September 2018
Venue	Creekside Hotel	Creekside Hotel	Rotary Community Shop
Time	6 for 6.30 pm	6 for 6.30 pm	6 for 6:30pm
Reception/Visitors	Tony Gregson	Ben Bentley	Jean Wise
Chairman	John Aitken	Ian Penny	Rob deVries
Invocation	Ian Penny	Helen Peters	John Liersch
Heads & Tails	Christine Gumpula	John Tonkin	Wendy Hewitt
Two Minute Talk "Something funny/ interesting happened at work"	Julie O'Brien	Peter Martin	Footy Night
Program	Yarriambiack Youth Council	Laura Daniel Youth Exchange	
Vote of Thanks	Christine Gunn	Sue Watts	
Birthday: Leo Casey 5th September			

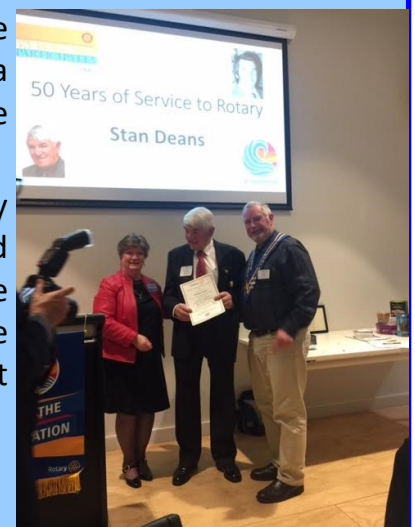
STAN DEANS' 50 YEARS IN ROTARY

Thirteen Warracknabeal Rotarians and their partners travelled to Geelong on Tuesday 4th September to participate in the 50th anniversary celebration of Stan's induction into Rotary. As well as family members and members of his home club of Geelong East, there were Rotarians representing the Warracknabeal, Beaufort and Beaumaris clubs.

As well as a slide show depicting Stan's rotary and other involvements, members from each Club present read out achievements from Stan's 50 years of service with President David presenting Stan with his second Sapphire recognition saying Stan was probably the only Rotarian in Australia to receive Paul Harris Fellow recognitions from three separate Rotary Clubs.

In Stan's response he thanked Carol, his family and the many Rotarians for their support during his 50 years of service. He did however decline to respond to a question during question time from Rob de Vries when asked about a colour TV raffle the Warracknabeal Club ran back in 1975 mentioning something about contravening the Four Way Test.

All in all, it was a great night of fellowship. *Rob deVries*



REPORTS:

Youth Committee (John Aitken)

Due to popular demand, numbers for Defying The Drift were filled before the closing date, so, unfortunately, our three candidates are now on a waiting list. This coming Wednesday we look forward to hearing about the Yarriambiack Youth Council. Three councillors including Kylie Zanker will be coming too.

Laura Daniel has completed all paperwork for her Rotary Exchange Year and it has been submitted to Germany. She now waits anxiously for a club allocation. Laura will be our guest speaker on 19th September to tell us about herself.

Fellowship Committee (Rob DeVries)

Sept 26 is our Footy night, and we'd love every member to think about bringing friends or colleagues to the night. Get out your club scarves and beanies. Please confirm your attendance with Jean ASAP for catering. Funds from the night will go towards the Tri State Games Warrack Warriors team. The games will be in Adelaide in November.

A stock take of the Shop fridge and freezer has been taken, and out-of-date items have been cleared out.

Vocational Service (Bernie O'Connor)

Curry Night at RNH on Oct 3 as previously advertised. Book ASAP.

A vocational tour is planned in the future to visit Foodworks under the new owners, Amit and Tina.

CEO Jessie Holmes will be our guest speaker on Oct 10.

Community Service (Peter Martin)

Thanks to those who helped at the BBQ in Scott St on Friday for the 'I Love Warracknabeal' promotion organised by MIX FM & The Weekly Advertiser. Rumour has it that Karen O'Connor won a very hand prize as a lucky shopper! You've got to be in it to win it... Well done, Karen.

Australia Day (Wendy Hewitt)

The committee will be meeting in coming weeks to start planning for the 2019 event. If anyone has any suggestions for the day. Please contact Ian, Wendy, John Aitken or Chris Gunn.



Stan Deans– 50 years of service in Rotary



