ACTING PRESIDENT’S REPORT

It was great to have local guest speakers again at our meeting. Although numbers were down, all who were there enjoyed hearing about the youth of our town showing their innovation and determination by building, preparing and participating in an event that hosted many schools with older students. The WSC students had great fun and appreciated the support of our Club. It was a great presentation by Peter and the students.

Our Christmas night, which will be held at the Palace Hotel, is fast approaching. Dinner will be catered but all are asked to bring a small sweet to share. Also bring a Kris Kringle gift of $10 - $15. The cost of the night will be in the bulletin before the night.

Australia Day organisers are still after nominations for the Young Achiever so if you can think of anyone you'd like to nominate please don't hesitate to get one to Wendy or John A. By the due date we didn’t have any for this category.

Car raffle tickets sales have also been well supported by the community, so if you can help to sell tickets down the street please contact Jean.

The Board meeting is this coming Wednesday and dinner at the Royal beforehand for those who can attend. There is also a CEF meeting at 6:30pm at the Rotary Shop.

See you all at the Christmas Dinner on the 18th.

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Inductions : Jack Daniel 5 Dec 2018 (one year)
Birthdays : -
Anniversaries : -

**Wed 4th December**

**REPORTS**

Australia Day Meeting – John Aitken: A number of nominations have been received for the awards but so far none for the Young Achiever. Trialling egg & bacon muffins at the Primary School Breakup Breakfast.

Programs - John Liersch. Thanks to all for ensuring a varied and interesting program so far this Rotary year. Please let John know before Christmas if you want to lock in anything for the remaining six months as the schedule will fill up quickly.

Fellowship - Bernie O’Connor: Christmas Party to be at the Palace Hotel on the 18th December. Meal will be roast beef, turkey etc with roast potatoes and salads. Members to bring sweets. Cost to be confirmed. Kris Kringle gifts from members.

Raffle - Jean Wise: Street raffle has been booked for Thursday, Friday & Saturday for next week. A roster sheet has been sent out. Help would be appreciated. So far I have:
- Thursday - Jean 9am to 11am - Bernie(Woodbine) 11 am to 1 pm - Nothing after that.
- Friday - Wendy 9am to 11am - Nothing after that.
- Saturday - Jean 9am to 11 am - Nothing after that.

Thanks to Sue, Megan and John L for backing me up last week, we sold 20 books over the three days.

If you can help please contact Jean.
Warracknabeal Secondary College Energy Breakthrough team
Mr. Peter Loy, Aylah Zanker and Harry Zwar

Warracknabeal Secondary College’s Energy Powered Vehicle Program participated in the Maryborough Energy Breakthrough Event in November. It’s the biggest event of its kind in Australia.

Warracknabeal has been participating for 11 years, concentrating on Years 7 to 9 students. The original vehicle was recycled for about 7 to 8 years, however they have since revamped it altogether, with last year’s model designed by student Lachlan Hicks and the cover being made by Loud Signs. This year’s was made from the Redhead signs donated by the Creekside Hotel, and thanks to Bells Farma Products, they also had the aluminium lid for the modified tricycle donated. This lid enable them to open it right up for maintenance & ease of getting in & out.

This year’s model is a hybrid model and was entered in the Energy Powered Vehicle section. The other section in the competition is Hand Powered Vehicle. Team Wiki (Hawaiian for fast), got right into the theme, wearing Hawaiian shirts, had blown up palm trees and a blow up swimming pool (pity they forgot the pump, having to resort to blowing up by mouth, not to mention carting water in a tarp to fill it!).

The drivers have to wear full gear – helmet, seat belts, gloves and goggles. Before they can compete they have to do a presentation on how they made the unit, the reason for the naming of the team etc. This is then followed by going through a scrutineer and testing process to ensure the vehicle is safe with good brakes, horn and working headlights.

The race goes for 24 hours with pit stops and change of drivers. The drivers are checked out for their driving ability before receiving their licence allowing them to compete.

Warracknabeal’s team consisted of 8 drivers, 2 emergencies and 2 pit stop helpers. There were approximately 150 vehicles competing over the weekend. Warracknabeal came about the middle of the Hydro Class competing against other students from anywhere up to year 12. The only crash they sustained over the 24 hours was by Harry, who received a pit stop sticker to return to the pit stop area for a check on not only the vehicle but a health check on Harry (he passed). Well done to Team Wiki and thanks to Ben Bentley for his generous donation towards next year’s vehicle.

Two Minute Talk- MY FIRST JOB  Sue Watts

Though her first job was as a check out chick, her best memory for a first job was with her brother delivering milk to Minyip, Jeparit and Rainbow. Getting up at 3am to get ready to head to the dairy to pick up the crates of milk bottles, before driving very carefully between the three towns. Sue’s job was to hop off and on the back of the truck with a basket of full bottles, exchanging them for the empties and gathering the money.
Executive:

President: Tony Gregson
President elect: John Aitken
Secretary: Sue Watts
Treasurer: Christine Gunn
Rotary Foundation: Sue Watts

Directors:

Youth: John Tonkin
International: Kelsea Wall
Fellowship: Bernie O’Connor
Vocational: ???
Community Service: David Drage

General Business:

The acceptance of the New Constitution/Bylaws in accordance with Rotary International to be held at an Extraordinary Meeting when such documents have been finalised with assistance from Hampton Rotary Club solicitors, Lindsay Morgan.

01/07/2018 - 30/06/2019 Financial report

Available on request. Please contact Treasurer Christine Gunn
The Rotary Club of Warracknabeal

Warracknabeal Australia Day Awards
2020

NOMINATION FORM

Criteria for all categories:
- Nominee must have a strong connection to Warracknabeal and district.
- Past winners can be nominated. Previous citation achievements can't be included.
- Nominee must have significant achievement and/or contribution to the community
- Nominees may be chosen for involvement in several organisations

Categories (please circle)
1. Citizen of the Year
2. Young Achiever of the Year (< 27 y.o.)
3. Sports Person of the Year (player, coach, administration etc)

NOMINATION: __________________________________.Contact number: ________________

NOMINATED BY: ___________________________ Contact numbers: ______________________

Other people who may be contacted for further information about nominee:
Name: __________________Position: _______________ contact ph.______________

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Citation

Please use more space than provided here. Expected length is around one page and computer-generated is preferred. Consider collaboration with other organisations to get the most complete citation. Please note: These are Warracknabeal and district awards. The Shire also has similar awards that you can nominate for, giving a double chance to be recognized.

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NOMINATIONS CLOSE: Friday 6th December 2019. Please forward to

Wendy Hewitt, Australia Day Committee, Rotary Club of Warracknabeal, Box 141, Warracknabeal. 3393 or c/o wbealsecretary@gmail.com

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