

SAVE THE DATE !!

RYLA (Rotary Youth Leadership Awards) Dinner – Thursday 7 December 2017

Note from Paul S: The drive up to Mount Evelyn in rush hour can be a bit of a #\$\$&*! The drive home is without traffic is a breeze. I am quite prepared to organise a day of fun and fellowship up in the hills, as a lot of us enjoyed last year, and thereby avoid the rush our traffic.

Those who attended our BBQ and “walk” in the gardens had a great day. If you’d like to do something similar this year, please send me an email or talk to me at the next few meetings. I’d be happy to receive suggestions for activities too.

This year Camberwell Rotary have the privilege of hosting RYLA, and cordially invite members of Rotary Albert Park and guests to attend the RYLA dinner on Thursday 7th December.

This is an opportunity to meet and chat with the RYLA candidates (tomorrow’s leaders and Rotarians) get feedback on RYLA and just have a fun night with a great group of young adults. There will be Rotarians from many other clubs present, and it is always a fun and light-hearted evening. It is also a great way to show any potential members one of the best examples of Rotary at Work.

The venue is Oasis Camp, 66-72 Monbulk Rd, Mount Evelyn, VIC 3796, and the evening commences at 6:00 for 6:30 pm. To book, we prefer attendees to use the Camberwell Rotary website link:

<http://camberwellrotary.org.au/>

We will also accept cash (please try to have exactly \$35.00 so we do not run out of change) or credit cards at the door (MasterCard & Visa only please).

The cost of the evening will be \$35, and things should wrap up between 10:00-10:30 pm.

A few important points please:

Please email Peter Gray: peterg@lanyonpartners.com.au to make a reservation **only if you will not be booking via Camberwell Rotary website**, and please don't forget to include any dietary requirements you may have. For those using the **Camberwell rotary website**, the site will prompt you to reply to an email with your dietary requirements after you have paid.

Please note the RYLA dinner is an alcohol free event.

What is RYLA?

For new members who may not be aware, the Rotary Youth Leadership Award (RYLA) is a week-long residential program for young people aged 18 to 25, which focuses on personal growth, leadership development and community. In Rotary District 9800, RYLA aims to:

- Help participants gain a better understanding of their own strengths, passions and values
- Develop the leadership skills of young people through experiential workshops, involving teamwork, communication, motivation and introspection
- Foster an appreciation of the diverse abilities and unique qualities of those around them
- Provide an opportunity for young people to come together in a supportive environment
- Develop a set of resources and tools to facilitate the participants' ongoing development in their communities
- Create a greater awareness of social issues affecting young people

- Demonstrate Rotary's commitment to young people

We look forward to meeting Rotarians & guests at this wonderful event.