

ROTARY CLUB OF BAIRNSDALE INC

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Monthly Theme: Vocational Service Month

What's On

Our Meetings 5.45 pm for 6.15pm start

- 9 January Social fundraiser for Hariti Scholarships at Rex & Cec Estoppey's 34 Harnham Drive Bairnsdale Italian Food \$25.00 per head BYO Drinks and glasses Plus insect repellent
- 16 January Ian Cartney Drug Rehabilitation
- 23 January Chris Dungey Travels in Japan
- 30 January Board Meeting

Advance Notice

- 30 March Royal Childrens Hospital Good Friday Appeal Counting the money etc

Other Clubs

Mitchell River ~ Bairnsdale RSL
Monday 5.45pm for 6.00pm
Leave Message 9517 1220 before 11.00am Mondays

Bairnsdale Sunrise ~ International Motel
Wednesday 6.45am for 7.00am
Call Sue 0438 278 258

Lakes Entrance ~ Central Hotel
Wednesday 6.00pm for 6.30pm
Call Lesley 0419 871 197

Orbost ~ Orbost Club
Thursday 6.00pm for 6.30pm
Call Gillian 0429 591 012

Christmas Breakup

I think that we can all agree that the Christmas breakup was a huge success, what a fabulous night we had with our fellow Rotarians and friends from the Rotary Club of Mitchell River. Once again the Bairnsdale Club gave us a delicious traditional meal complete with Christmas pudding.

Thank you to Cec, Margaret and Michelle who bought all the gifts for the Kris Kringle and wrapped them for the evening. A lot of thought went into making them surprising, plus thanks to all the members who entered into the spirit of the night and causing much hilarity.

I think it could become an annual event and as always it is great to catch up with fellow Rotarians.

See the page two for pictures

Marquee Dates

- 13.1.2018 MLC Bdale
25.1.2018 St Kevins Bdale
3.3.2018 Jackie Billing Lucknow

Vice Regal Reception

Tuesday 13 March 2018

The function will be an afternoon tea with gates to Government House opening 2.00pm and formalities commencing at 3.00pm with parking in Government House grounds.

Please let Gillian know ASAP if you would like to attend, only four places available to each club and we already have three Rotarians with their name on the list.

Celebrations

Birthdays

Martin van Elst ~ 11 January
Geoff Johnson ~ 12 January

Anniversaries

Rex & Cec Estoppey ~ 9 January 52 Years
Ken & Ula Sheather ~ 11 January 49 Years
Brett & Kae Roulston ~ 13 January 50 Years



- President RI: Ian H. S Riseley
D9820 Governor: Don Ripper
D9820 EG Assistant Governor: Judy van der Vlugt
Club President: Tony Murray
Past President: Helen Crosby
Corres Secretary: Gillian Reeve
Treasurer: Gillian Reeve
Membership & Vocation: Brian Ross
PR, Bulletin, Facebook, Web: Bonnie Walker and Gillian Reeve
Youth Service: Ula Sheather
Community Programs: John Ariens John Walker
International Foundation: Margaret Macfarlane Margaret Macfarlane
Club Meets at Tuesdays 6pm: The Bairnsdale Club 68 Nicholson St Bairnsdale PH: 5152 4301 Phone Club before 12 noon

Web Sites to visit:
Our Facebook Page – rcbairnsdale
Our Webpage – rcbairnsdale.org
Youtube.com/rotary
Rotary International - rotary.org.au

Marquee Hire: John Crawford 0412432325
Marquee Volunteers are welcome



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DOOR & WELCOME ROSTER

- January Tony Desio Brian Ross
- February New roster to be organised

If not available please organise a replacement

We received this thank you for supporting Fly for the Kids when we hosted a dinner for Professor Andrew Kornberg

Dear Members of Rotary Club of Bairnsdale

Thank you for your generous support of Fly for the Kids and the Complex Movement Disorders Program at The Royal Children's Hospital (RCH).

I am writing to let you know that thanks to generous supporters like you, *more than \$1 million has now been pledged for this pioneering program*, fully funding it for five years.

The Program, a paediatric first within Australia, brings together a multidisciplinary team of neurologists, neurosurgeons, rehabilitation specialists, orthopaedic surgeons and allied health professionals, all working



together to provide comprehensive and world leading care to children with disorders such as cerebral palsy and acquired brain injury.

The Program has now been running for five months and I am delighted to share this impact report with you, please find attached. Here, you can read about how your support of the Program is changing the lives of children and their families.

The Complex Movement Disorders Program is just one of more than 200 initiatives supported by philanthropy at the hospital.

I wish you and your family a happy and safe festive season and look forward to working with you in 2018 to continue supporting ground breaking initiatives within the Neurology Department at the RCH.

Warm regards,

Sue Hunt

Chief Executive Officer

