



Rotary Club of Drouin

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Guests:

Diane Wallace CEO of Fairview Homes in Warragul -Guest of Pauline Maunder

Lois Ryan Guest of Dick Van Leeuwen.

Both Lois and Diane have indicated an interest in Joining Rotary. We did our best to make them welcome.

Roger was particularly keen to sign on these members to prevent our club from becoming more "male, pale and stale"

"male, pale and stale" ***

*** *Editor's Note: As one who resembles this remark, I personally, was deeply hurt*

Market Report:

David Veal Expressed his thanks to everyone who helped out at the Market

He emphasised that it is our MAJOR Fund Raiser and needs our continued support.

He did express some frustration at Stall Holders who turn up without pre-booking a site.

The Market made \$989

Bar B Que made \$488

The Next Market is on Sat 20th August

This Week's Program – Scrap Metal for Cash

Ian Symons (previously from Rotary Club of Cranbourne) introduced

Scott Pinxt – President of Rotary Club of Cranbourne

Scott spoke of the opportunity their club seized upon to become Scrap Metal Merchants in 2020 and how they have made a considerable amount from their efforts.

The Schreurs Celery growers in Clyde near Cranbourne had many items of old machinery to be removed from their farm when they sold the land and moved to Tarwin.



Over a period of time Rotarians from Cranbourne sorted the scrap metal ready for sale to Sims Metal recyclers.

They were also able to collect scrap metal from some other sites and arrange collection and sale.

For a project like this it is important to have a central site

where the metals can be gathered and the sorting and breaking down of oversize items can be managed.

Access to some type of front-end loader or heavy lifting equipment is also needed.



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This projected as one idea of ways Rotary Clubs can generate incomes for our communities.

Right: Ian Symons presents Scott Pinxt with our signature Rotary pen as he thanks him for his presentation



August & February

Group 2

David Proposch
Jane Playdon
Leigh Bates
Josh Denehy
Miceal Ambrose
Rob Stewart

September & March

Group 3

Pauline Maunder
Dick van Leeuwen
Ian Haughton
Rob Coustley
Keith Cook
John Franklin

October & April

Group 4

Gary Scanlon
Ray Howe
Russell Ford
Glynn Fankhauser
William Wong
Max Hine

Upcoming Programs:

Date	Group	Detail	Description When known
Wed-27-Jul	Dinner at DSC	Group 1	Anita Hermans – Child Psychologist and Ex-Student of Drouin Secondary College
Tue-2-Aug	Di Harrison		Rotary Regionalisation Project
Tue-9-Aug	No meeting		Roger in QLD 12-19 Aug
Tue-16-Aug	Group 2		
Tue-23-Aug	No meeting		
Tue-30-Aug	5th Tuesday		Social event to be arranged by Group 2



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Please let Roger or Jane know whether you are coming or not, if you have not already informed them .

Wednesday July 27th

6:00 for 6:30 start

Salubrious 2 Course meal for \$25:00 per head

BYO Drinks Glasses provided.

Upcoming Events:



Live for Life BBQ on

Thursday 4th August

At Lardner Park

1000 Secondary Students to be fed sausage and bread. Other Service Clubs have been asked to assist.

Further details to follow from Bill Petschack

Volunteers to be at Lardner Park at For a start

Serious Rotary Stuff

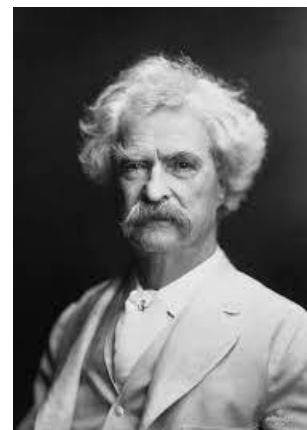
Your fees are due.

You should have received your invoices.

Roger's Quote for the week:

"The secret of getting ahead is getting started" - Mark Twain

Trivia: What was Mark Twain's REAL name??





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QUIZ: You have another week to find it

This clock was on the Public Buildings Precinct adjacent to the Police Station opened in 1890.

*This Clock is still visible in the main street of Drouin. **Where is it?***

Content for the Bulletin

Members who would like something put in the Bulletin, contact the Editor or email the material to me.

Legible Handwritten content can also be submitted.



Drouin
Opened in June 1890 the foyer below the triple arches was later enclosed and had a glass façade. This building was part of a public buildings precinct with the Police Station and residence alongside.
W & DHS Collection

Office Bearers, Directors and Service Committees 2022-23

President:	Roger Playdon
Secretary/Admin:	Tim Wills
Treasurer:	Mark Howes
Immediate Past President:	Gary Scanlon
Community Service/Projects:	Bill Petschack
Work Force and Resources:	Kevin Roberts
Club Rejuvenation:	Ian Symons
Rotary Foundation:	Bob Vogt
New Generations/Youth:	Sharryn Marshall
Insurance & Risk Management:	Ian Haughton
Sergeants-at-Arms:	Rob Coustley



Assisted by: Russell Ford

Administration Assist Secretary in all areas of administration

Club Protection Officer:	Ian Symons	Rotary Family:	Pauline Maunder
Attendance:	Peter Konjevic	Property Master:	William Wong
Club Historian:	Don Blackley		
Bulletin Editor	Ian Haughton		



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Rotary Projects for the 2022 to 2023

Project	Date	Coordinator	
LIVE 4 LIFE BawBaw Shire	4-Aug	Bill	BBQ CATER FOR 400-500
BIG BLOKES BBQ CLEAN UP	14 OCT 22	Kevin	TBC
AUSTRALIA DAY	26 JAN 23	Kevin	Planning Starts October
MULTICULTURAL FOOD FESTIVAL	Proposed	Ian S.	Possibly Australia Day
SWAP MEET	7-11 APRIL	Ian H ??	Possibly Change Date
FARM WORLD	24-26 MARCH		TBC
GIRLS DAY OUT CLEAN UP	7 MAY 23	KEVIN	TBC

Members Suggestions for Projects for the Upcoming Year.

	PROJECTS & SUPPORT
1	MULTICULTURAL FOOD FESTIVAL
2	SHELTER FOR TWO TOWN TRAIL
3	PATH END LAKE ON JACKSON TO MCNEILLY ROAD
4	BILLS TROUGH (Committee for Drouin)
5	FOOD/COFFEE TRAILER WITH D.S.C. CONVERSION OF COFFEE VAN OR PIZZA TRAILER WITH DSC
6	SCHOOLS VOCATIONAL DAYS (6 & 5)
7	PEACE POLE IN CIVIC PARK (Committee for Drouin)
8	MAINTENANCE AND/OR REPLACEMENT OF AED
9	ONGOING FOOD-BANK DELIVERIES
10	ONGOING DE-BADGING OF AMBO SHIRTS (DSC?)
11	See 5
12	PATHWAY FROM McNEILLY PARK TO BALMORAL PARK
13	ONGOING SUPPORT GROUP FOR YOORALLA
14	ONGOING SUPPORT OLIVIA'S PLACE (DSC)
15	WELCOME PACK FOR NEW RESIDENTS OF DROUIN



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PROJECTS & SUPPORT	
16	STAR BASH WITH VARIETY CLUB @ WARRAGUL TROTS
17	PAINTING TOWN ENTRY GANTRIES
18	JACKSON DRIVE PLAYGROUND
19	SCHOOL BUILDING FIJI \$2,000
20	METAL COLLECTION AND SELL ON
21	WORK FOR HOMELESS
22	TEACH YOUNG PARENTS SIMPLE HOME REPAIRS
23	REFURBISH MARKET PAVILION
ALL OF THESE OPTIONS WILL BE DISCUSSED AT OUR BOARD MEETING ON 9TH AUGUST. ALL MEMBERS WELCOME TO ATTEND	
WE WILL CHOOSE THE ONES WE ARE CAPABLE OF DOING AND THAT ARE THE HIGHEST PRIORITIES	



Saturday August 20th, at [Lardner Park](#) from 6:30pm

2022 Gala Dinner & Charity Auction Night!

Get glammed up, walk the red carpet, and enjoy a fun night out with dinner, auctions, raffles, a guest speaker PLUS dancing to 70's to 00's and beyond rock band [Lionel Loves Vinyl!](#)