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Acting Sergeant Roger Leask welcomed the Vice President Dr Peter Condos to the podium, Peter welcomed the guest Andrew Johnston who was a guest of Tim Anderson.

Dr Peter Baker who was given the honour of toasting the Australian flag explained the significant details in the flag to the members before the toast.

VP Peter reminded the small group present for today's meeting of the following matters:

- District group vocational hosting in February
- Gateway cluster bowls night on the 28<sup>th</sup> February
- Australia day BBQ at the home of Boris Struk
- Relay for life – rosters which will be discussed at the community meeting tonight

The raffle was won by Daryl Lee but he failed to draw the joker.

VP Peter said that President Maria will be back next week

VP Peter opened the meeting to members to make suggestions for improvements/changes that can to be made in order to improve club attendance as well as attract new members.

Roger Leask expressed concern that some members do not take the trouble to attend and asked how these members could be encouraged to attend more often.



**“Making life long friends, serving others, growing personally and creatively helping build a better community and world.”**

Richard Lawrence - RC Essendon



Veronica O' Sullivan said that fellowship is not the only reason people join Rotary, some join for philanthropic reasons as well and there are others who may not necessarily attend but work behind the scene. Veronica also stated that if we want to get younger members to join then we may need to consider the following:

- Perhaps consider fortnightly meeting
- Fortnightly night meetings
- Better speakers, current and relevant topics of interest
- Ask members for suggestions for improvement

Maurice Mollica agreed with the above and stated that we do need to get some interesting speakers to be able to entice visitors who may then decide to join Rotary, it was agreed by all that before fellowship comes interest and this can only be aroused by have interesting events, including speakers.

Veronica also spoke about the upcoming Art show and requested help from members.

#### Thought for the day

The good Doctor asked – How many calories do you burn if you walk 1km as compared to running 1km .....same, said a small voice!

#### Another thought for the day

**“Too many people *spend money they haven't earned*, to buy things they don't want, to impress people they don't like.” —*Will Rogers***

#### Passing of Cathy Stanley

Older members will be saddened to learn of the passing of former Canadian exchange student, Cathy Stanley.

Cathy was in Australia in 1982 and prior to returning home was hosted by Ray and Irene Landgren. Irene had corresponded annually with Cathy since that time and discovered 13 months ago that Cathy had been diagnosed with breast cancer.

Cathy was a very intelligent lady who had completed a doctorate in mathematics. The university at which she worked has named a scholarship in her honour.

Cathy leaves behind a husband of 28 years and two daughters aged 21 and 23.



## TOYOTA MANUFACTURING FACILITY TOUR – ALTONA NORTH

**AN OPPORTUNITY NOT TO BE MISSED!** Come and tour the Toyota Manufacturing Facility on **Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> February, 2017. 8.45am for 9.00am start**

### Limited places!

The tour is of two hours duration and includes approximately 3kms of walking.

The guided tour includes:

- Press (where the body panels are pressed)
- Weld (where panels are robotically and manually welded to create the body shell)
- Paint Shop Foyer (explains the painting process of the vehicle)
- Assembly (where the engine, suspension components, and finishing touches are made to each vehicle)

**If you wish to attend please email Shirley Kukk providing names of those wishing to attend, limited places available.**

**Registration:** [kukkshirley0@gmail.com](mailto:kukkshirley0@gmail.com)

Once your registration has been accepted you will receive the following information:

- Plant Tour policy (which needs to be read prior to the tour)
- Conditions of Entry (which each participant needs to bring with them on the day of the tour)
- Clothing requirements
- Parking details
- Survey form to be completed at the end of the tour







**Rotary Club of Keilor Inc**  
**District 9800**  
**Chartered 31 August 1962**



## Gateway Cluster Annual Bowls Tournament 2017

**Date: Tuesday 28 February 2017**

**Venue: Keilor Bowls Club, Barcelona Ave Keilor** – plenty of parking at Keilor Sports Ground on Old Calder Hwy

**Time: 6pm for a 6.30pm (sharp) start for Bowling**

**Cost: \$20pp inclusive of BBQ & salad dinner for Bowlers & Supporters, use of bowls etc for Bowlers.**  
**(Children U15 \$10) Drinks at Bar prices.**

**Dinner at approximately 7.45pm – to precede Grand Final**

### Rules:

- Two bowl triples (3 bowlers per team with 2 bowls each - instruction available for first time bowlers). Wear flat soled shoes only - or bare feet (with socks).
- Preliminary round of 3 games per team (4 ends each) with random draw of cards/opponents.
- 5 points per winning game plus 1 point per winning end (any count back will be based on net shots).
- Maximum of one Pennant Bowler per team – cannot play as Skip.
- No “dead ends” – jack spotted on 2M mark.
- Top two teams to play off in Grand Final of 4 ends (with an extra end in the event of a tie).

*Would you please complete the details below and email back to Norm Draper ([DraperNorm@bigpond.com](mailto:DraperNorm@bigpond.com)) by **Wednesday 22 February 2017**. If you cannot fill a full team, or teams, of 3 players, just let us have names and we will fill your vacancy/vacancies with players from other Clubs who might also be short of players.*

**Rotary Club of .....**

**Contact Person .....**

**Email .....**

Team Nominations	<u>Team 1</u>	<u>Team 2</u>	<u>Team 3</u>
1. Lead			
2. Second			
3. Skip			

**Anticipated number of non-bowling attendees from your Club: .....**

**Norm Draper**

**Rotary Club of Keilor (mobile 0412 949 302)**

**It's a night of fun and fellowship – with some healthy competition. Don't miss it.**

**Get your Club's name on the Perpetual Shield**

**Past Winners: Keilor 2011**

**Keilor 2012**

**Keilor East 2013**

**Keilor East 2014**

**Keilor East 2015**

**Keilor 2016**



Australia Day Club BBQ  
Jan 26th 2017  
12 pm



8 Hull Crt Greenvale  
Cost \$10/ head , \$25/ family  
BBQ provided  
BYO- salad or dessert / couple  
BYO - drinks

RSVP Jane (carbone.jane@gmail.com)  
Or at lunch on Tuesday



# MOONEE VALLEY

## Art Show



As you are aware, the **3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Moonee Valley Art Show** is fast approaching. Once again it will be held at St Columbans North Park Mansion, 69 Woodland St Essendon.

**Volunteers** are needed for the following dates in March:

Thurs 23 – set up

Fri 24 – set up and Gala Opening

Sat 25 & Sun 26 – exhibition, sales, other activities

Mon 27 – pack down

Please consider volunteering for one of our major events of the year. Shifts will be approximately 4 hours, or more if you are keen, and tasks will be allocated in due course.

Please watch this newsletter or speak to a MVAS Committee member for further updates.

**Please email your availability** asap to Jane Odgers at [jjodgers@optusnet.com.au](mailto:jjodgers@optusnet.com.au) or call or text 0403 924389.

### Some interesting use of the English language

*"He has all the virtues I dislike and none of the vices I admire."*

- Winston Churchill

*"He has never been known to use a word that might send a reader to the dictionary."*

-William Faulkner (about Ernest Hemingway)

*"I feel so miserable without you; it's almost like having you here."*

-Stephen Bishop

*"He is not only dull himself; he is the cause of dullness in others."*

-Samuel Johnson



## EVENTS CALENDAR

DATE	SPEAKER/EVENT	VENUE
Thursday 26 <sup>th</sup> January 2017	<b>Australia Day BBQ</b>	Home of Boris & Ineka Struk
31 <sup>st</sup> January 2017	<b>Steve Roe &amp; Richard Lawrence – Kokoda Trek</b>	The Anglers Tavern 12.30 pm for 1pm to 2pm
7 <sup>th</sup> February 2017	<b>TBA</b>	The Anglers Tavern 12.30 pm for 1pm to 2pm
14 <sup>th</sup> February 2017	<b>Ladies day – Past &amp; Present</b>	The Anglers Tavern 12.30 pm for 1pm to 2pm
Fri 17 & Sat 18 February 2017	<b>Relay for Life</b>	
21 <sup>st</sup> February 2017	<b>Joint meeting RC East Keilor</b>	The Anglers Tavern 12.30 pm for 1pm to 2pm
28 <sup>th</sup> February 2017	<b>Walk Down Memory Lane – Steve Chandler</b>	The Anglers Tavern 12.30 pm for 1pm to 2pm
3 <sup>rd</sup> March 2017	<b>Delegation to Myanmar &amp; Cambodia</b>	
7 <sup>th</sup> March 2017	<b>TBA</b>	The Anglers Tavern 12.30 pm for 1pm to 2pm
14 <sup>th</sup> March	<b>St Patrick's day meeting</b>	The Anglers Tavern 12.30 pm for 1pm to 2pm
21 <sup>st</sup> March 2017	<b>Fellowship &amp; Veronica promote Art show</b>	The Anglers Tavern 12.30 pm for 1pm to 2pm
Fri 24 <sup>th</sup> March 2017	<b>Art Show Gala Opening</b>	
Sat 25 <sup>th</sup> & Sun 26 March	<b>Art Show</b>	
28 <sup>th</sup> March 2017	<b>Greek Night</b>	TBC
30 <sup>th</sup> March to 1 <sup>st</sup> April 2017	<b>District Conference</b>	
4 <sup>th</sup> April 2017	<b>TBA</b>	The Anglers Tavern 12.30 pm for 1pm to 2pm
18 <sup>th</sup> April 2017	<b>Easter Tuesday</b>	The Anglers Tavern 12.30 pm for 1pm to 2pm
25 <sup>th</sup> April 2017	<b>ANZAC Day</b>	<b>NO MEETING</b>
2 <sup>nd</sup> May 2017	<b>Military Presentation</b>	The Anglers Tavern 12.30 pm for 1pm to 2pm
9 <sup>th</sup> May 2017	<b>Charter Night – Speaker Neil Comrie</b>	Ascot House
16 <sup>th</sup> May 2017	<b>NO Lunch Meeting</b>	
23 <sup>rd</sup> May 2017	<b>TBA</b>	The Anglers Tavern 12.30 pm for 1pm to 2pm
30 <sup>th</sup> May 2017	<b>Rotary Presents</b>	The Anglers Tavern 12.30 pm for 1pm to 2pm





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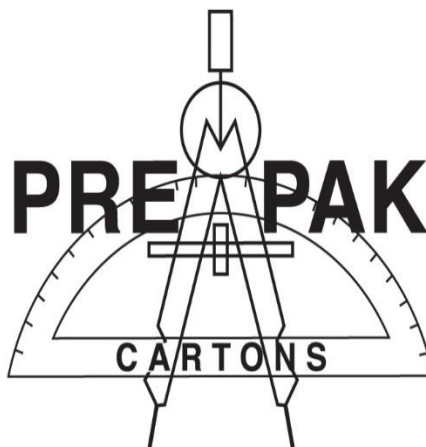
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Strathmore **Community Bank®** Branch



Help yourself and help the Club by banking with Strathmore Community Bank. For example, take out a home loan and the club will receive up to \$500. Take out a 3 month fixed term deposit and the club will receive up to \$50.

For more details drop into the branch at 337 Napier St or call branch Manager Philip Stewart on 9374-2607.



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