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NEXT MEETING 31st MAY 2016

GUEST SPEAKER: JASON BOSLAND

"SUPPRESSION ORDERS AND MEDIA FRUSTRATION"

The *Open Courts Act 2013* (Vic) ('OC Act') came into force on 1 December 2013. It was introduced to 'strengthen and promote open justice' in Victoria following ongoing concerns that the use of suppression orders by the courts in that state was placing the fundamental principle of open justice into jeopardy. The media, in particular, claimed that too many suppression orders were being made in Victoria compared to other jurisdictions in Australia and that many were imprecise and overly broad in scope and often contained insufficient limitations as to their duration.

But is the *Open Courts Act* achieving its aims in reducing the number of suppression orders made in the Victorian courts? Has it resulted in improvements in their drafting? This presentation will share the

Meeting Responsibilities

WEEKLY ROSTER 31st May

Chair

LEBBOS, Elias

Presenter

THOMAS, Tony

Greeter

LOVE, Kevin

Reporter

SEALE, Alan

Photographer

JONES, David

Door

ROLLS, Russell

Director Report

THORNTON, Roger

Bulletin Editor

DRIVER, Allan

MARKET ROSTER 2nd June 2016

Bump In

SEALE, Alan

Bump Out

WALKLATE, Kevin

findings of an empirical study of all suppression orders made by the Victorian courts under the new Act in the two years following its commencement.



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Melbourne and the London School of Economics. His primary research interests lie in media law, including defamation and privacy, open justice and the media, contempt of court and freedom of speech.

WORKING BEES COMING UP SOON



QUEENS BIRTHDAY WEEKEND 11/12th JUNE.

- Echuca-Moama Annual Steam Rally - at Echuca
- More volunteers are always welcome. Possible members' billeting with RC Echuca-Moama members may be available.



Upcoming Events

[Echuca Moama Steam Rally](#)
Jun 11, 2016 - Jun 12, 2016

[VicPol Mentoring Program Graduation breakfast](#)
RACV City Club
Jun 21, 2016
7:30 AM - 8:45 AM

[Changeover Dinner](#)
Amora Riverwalk Hotel
Jul 01, 2016
7:00 PM - 11:30 PM

Speakers

May 31, 2016
[Jason Bosland](#)
Suppression orders and media frustration

Jun 21, 2016
[Police Mentoring Graduation breakfast](#)

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DONATIONS in KIND working bee has been postponed to 18th June.

For more information about either of the above please contact Frank O'Brien on mobile 0409 008 804 or email: pandfob@bigpond.com

DISTRICT CHANGEOVER - 26th JUNE **- INVITATION**

Rotary  Central Melbourne Sunrise

2016-2017 DISTRICT 9800
CHANGEOVER LUNCH
SUNDAY, 26th JUNE 2016



The Rotary Club of Central Melbourne-Sunrise invites you and your partner to join District Governor Julie Mason and incoming District Governor Neville John and Rebecca in an afternoon of fun, fellowship and entertainment.

WHEN: Sunday 26th June 2016 - 11.30am for 12 noon
VENUE: The RACV City Club, 17th Floor, 501 Bourke Street, Melbourne 3000
COST: \$75 per person (includes wine, beer, soft drinks, two course lunch and entertainment)
DRESS: Lounge suit
BOOKINGS: www.trybooking.com/198918

Central location with excellent access to public transport
Parking on site at a cost of \$21.40 per vehicle
RSVP: 10th June 2016
Enquiries: Marjorie or Bernie Gerlinger
Email: marbam@bigpond.net.au
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This is the changeover of Julie to Neville our own District Governor and the first from our Club to achieve this high office. It would be great if as many members, partners, friends as possible would be there to support Neville and Rebecca on this important occasion.

To book through Trybooking [CLICK HERE](#)



CENTRAL MELBOURNE CHANGEOVER **- 1st JULY - INVITATION**

Rotary Central Melbourne Sunrise

You are invited to join
President George and Julie Mackey
President Elect Justine Murphy
for our 29th Changeover Celebration
 Friday, 1st July 2016
 Amora Riverwalk Hotel, 649 Bridge Road, Richmond
 7.00pm for 7.30pm to 11.30pm – Cost \$100 per person
 • Dress Lounge Suit/After Five • Fabulous Entertainment •

PLEASE BOOK WITH ROGER THORNTON BY 21st JUNE 2016
 21 Carson Street, Kew, Vic 3101, PH: 0400 999 203 or 9853 0438 Email: piroton@connexus.net.au

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MEETING REPORT 24th MAY 2016

Posted by Anne KING

Chair of the day Rob Hines opened the meeting with a toast to Rotary International.

There was one visitor to the club this morning – soon to be inducted Sarah Overton

Announcements:

- **Frank O'Brien** advised that the new date for DIK was 18/6 after several changes in arrangements
- President **George Mackie** revealed that he had attended the launch of Tony Thomas' book and said that it was an elegant affair and that for the first time in his experience he had seen Tony lost for words. He also advised that the 7/6/2016 was the date for three events:
 - Sarah's induction
 - Vote by the club on the proposed new name for the club
 - A discussion on membership focus and a vote on the way forward.
 - President Elect **Justine Murphy** put a plug in for a screening of a movie on 2nd

June called Bringing the Light – the story of 7 women. It is being screened at 6.30 at the Nova Cinema and is an inspiring story of a sustainable social enterprise.

Club Forum:

President Elect Justine announced her goals for 2016/17 to be:

*A happy, productive club

*A proven, systematic process in place for attracting and recruiting members

*A new member mentoring program in place, with new members active and engaged



*A successful and well attended District Conference (March 2017)

*A sustainable fundraising program in place

*An ongoing commitment to humanitarian service at district level

The club's Focus Plan developed during this rotary year (strategy on a page) was displayed and then project managers / directors spoke about individual components of the plan.

Various matters were discussed and the full set of slides are on the web-site.

Justine also handed out a document to members asking them to indicate what area / project they were interested in being involved with for the year. Members who haven't completed the document can find it on the web-site.

Highlights were:

- The swindle is to remain
- Reports on club activities in future are going to be project based rather than avenue of service based.

- We need to determine a use for the trailer previously used for community village
- A reminder that DIK can be used for community projects not just overseas aid.
- Rob Hines is keen to continue to explore indigenous projects and/ or engagement opportunity with the indigenous community
- It was decided that we would probably not continue with the Fraternitas award as its value to international house has diminished since the quantum of the award has reduced to \$250

GALLERY

Club Strategy Meeting:



WARWICK EXPLAINING THE CLUBS STRATEGIC PROCESS.

TEAM LEADERS FOR THE INCOMING YEAR PRESENTING TO THE MEETING:







