Thursday 12th June 2025



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FROM THE PRESIDENT'S KEYBOARD

Last week PP PHF Barry Henwood gave us an interesting talk about de-icing of planes and his own experiences during his flights around the world. It was fascinating to learn of the numerous processes that have been and are used at different airports to de-ice the aeroplanes, and the very grim outcome if not done properly. After listening to Barry's talk I am sure that we will be all looking out the windows to check when next to fly to ensure the wings have no ice and that it is safe to fly.

BBQ at Goodmayes Orchard last Sunday part of the Harvest Festival \$1,603 was raised. Sunny, and windy, but BBQ'ers soldiered on which did us proud. Thanks to PP PHF Jim Katrakilis and Geoff Vincent who organised the event, and to all members who spared some time to help feed the multitudes.

Heads & Tails won by PP PHF Nev Barrett and Joker draw won by PP PHF Warren Bolton, jackpot now stands at \$187.

David Boardman

UPCOMING EVENTS

Thursday 12th June 2025

Sean Devlin First job

Tuesday 17th & Wednesday 18th June

Science & Engineering Challenge

Thursday 19th June 2025

Sandy Hunt-Sharman Brisbane Water Historical Society

Thursday 26th June 2025

Changeover (\$40 per head)



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MEMBERS BIRTHDAYS

28 June Max Rixchardson **PARTNERS BIRTHDAYS**

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

3 June
David & Lorraine
Boardman

ROTARY INDUCTIONS

1 June
Lester Marquet (44 y)

16 June
David Nichols (20y)



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Oh, Lord and Giver of all good, We thank thee for our daily food. May Rotary friends and Rotary ways, Help us to serve thee all our days.