

ROTARY CLUB OF ASCOT

Chartered 26 February 1969

District 9465

We meet at **Belmont Tavern**

174 Wright Street, **Cloverdale**, Western Australia, 6105

On 2nd and 4th **Tuesday's at 7:00 am for 7:30 am start** and finished by 8:30 am.



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Club website: www.ascotrotary.org.au
Club Facebook page:
www.facebook.com/AscotRotary
Bricktober website:
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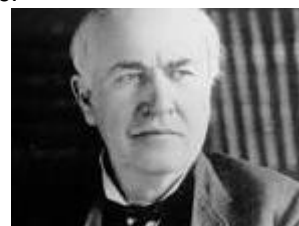
What's happening at Ascot:



12 Members, 3 Partners and 1 guest enjoyed a hearty breakfast at the Dome Café in Belmont on Tuesday 21 August. The only lull in the conversation going on was when everyone was eating their meals.

One interesting conversation that the editor heard occurred when Ron Alexander asked for the salt and pepper to be passed to him.

It reminded members what Thomas Edison did when he interviewed candidates for research assistant positions he offered them a bowl of soup. Why? He wanted to see whether they would add salt or pepper to the soup *before* they tasted it. Those who did were automatically ruled out. Edison wanted people who didn't make assumptions, since assumptions tend to be innovation killers.



Photos - Social Breakfast Dome Café Belmont



PROGRAM 2018-2019 - CLUB ROSTER

Please note the following dates and advice Michelle Kendall of details of your Guest Speaker and Topic or advice promptly if the dates are unsuitable.

Date	Welcoming	Informer	Host Chair	Speaker and Topic
28 Aug 2018	Peter Richardson		Roma Gehringer	Di Reed – Cruising
11 Sep 2018	Bev Poor		Christine Goss	Bricktober Briefing Meeting
18 Sep2018	Dianne Reed		Social EVENT	18 Sep2018
25 Sep 2018	Michelle Kendall		President Aidan	DG Visit
16 Oct 2018	Ron Alexander		President Aidan	TBA - AGM

MORE DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

1 September 2018	RYPEN applications close
6 -7 October 2018	Bricktober 2018 at Curtin Stadium, Bentley
14-20 January 2019	International Assembly, San Diego, California, USA
12-18 March 2019	World Rotaract Week

MEMBERS IN FOCUS

BIRTHDAYS:

Michael Evans 12 August



ROTARY ANNIVERSARIES:

Michael Metcalf 25 years 1 August 1993

Colin Peacock 40 years 1 August 1978

CLUB BANK ACCOUNT:

BSB: 036-078 ACCOUNT NO: 494404

COMMUNITY BANK ACCOUNT:

BSB: 036-078 ACCOUNT NO: 494420

CHARITABLE TRUST ACCOUNT:

BSB: 036-046 ACCOUNT NO: 156996

DISTRICT GOVERNORS

WHO HAVE Norm Bell 1970 – 1971

COME FROM Hugh Langridge 2004 – 2005

Paul Gianatti 2006 – 2007

ASCOT ROTARY CLUB: Jodie Sparks 2011 – 2012

Notes from Kathleen and Nicolle their Presentation of Starick's Safe at Home Program to members at the Clubs meeting on 14 August 2018

Kathleen spoke on the following:

This service provides safety planning, risk assessments and security upgrades to allow women to remain in their own home after a violent incident.

Ascot Rotary has made a huge difference to the women/children in the Belmont area with regard to safety in their homes.

With the money Starick have been able to provide extra security, cameras, new locks, sensor lights.

We thank the rotary for their kindness and for giving women and children a little bit of peace in their home.

Nicolle presented the following case studies on where Ascot's grant of funds to Starick assisted there Safe at Home Program:

April

- Young mum with 2 small children referred to Starick Safe at Home (SAH) by a Women's refuge where they had been staying following a violent assault from her partner; he broke several of her teeth and damaged the property they both resided. Her ex-partner had been living at the house whilst she was in refuge, although the rental was solely in her name and she was still paying the rent. She had a Family Violence Restraining Order (FVRO) served on him which excluded him from the house. Starick SAH liaised with Police who assisted in removing the ex-partner and his friends from the property. Starick SAH then completed a full security assessment and arranged for all the locks to be changed at the house and to replace two broken door handles to ensure the property was secure for the woman and her children to return home.
- A woman with two young children was referred to Starick SAH after leaving one of Starick's refuges, she had been in refuge for almost 7 months. Unfortunately her ex-partner located her very quickly after following her back to the house after she visited her parents. Starick SAH advocated with the Department of Communities (Housing) for extra security including a gate to close off the back of the house. Starick SAH provided window alarms and sensor lights and installed security cameras as her ex-partner continuously breached the FVRO by coming to the house.

May

- Starick received a High risk referral for a client with 4 children who were part of the MACM (Multi-agency case management), meaning that she had coordinated support from Police, Housing, Child Protection services and SAH due to the identified high level of risk. Her ex-partner had no regard for the law, ignored Violence Restraining Orders and was currently on bail for seriously assaulting her. Police had issued an arrest warrant due to the constant breaches of bail and VRO, including harassing her whilst she was in hospital following a car accident. Starick's Aboriginal Pilot Safe at Home program installed cameras and sensor lights at her property.

June

- Woman who had experienced over 20 years of violence perpetrated by ex-partner, despite leaving the relationship 10 years ago, he repeatedly breaches the VRO, and on the most recent occasion broke in to her house and sexually assaulted her. Her ex-partner always pleads not guilty, and often our client is the only witness that he has come to her house. Cameras installed to provide evidence in court of the multiple VRO breaches. Her ex-partner was known to enter her house through the roof by removing tiles and crawling into the roof space and then through the manhole. Starick SAH installed locks on the manhole, sensor lights and a bedroom door lock for added security. Window alarms and a personal alarm was also provided.

July

- Young Mum with a newborn baby was referred to Starick SAH by police following a violent public assault. She had recently kicked her ex-partner out of the home they shared after he violently assaulted her in front of their children. In the most recent incident she was physically attacked by her ex-partner and his family whilst holding her youngest child. Starick SAH completed a security assessment and assisted enhancing her safety by changing the locks, and replacing a broken handle. Starick SAH also advocated for the Department of Communities (Housing) to install security doors on the front and back door, as this would be beyond the SAH budget.
- Woman with 3 young children were referred to Starick Safe at Home by the Belmont Safeguarding families service after her ex-partner had come to the house and broken her kitchen window to gain entry. Prior to our engagement he had also broken in by breaking down the front door, including the security screen. Our client had gone without replacing the window for 2 weeks, as she could not afford it. SAH quickly arranged for the window to be replaced, sensor lights and new deadbolt locks on all external doors, and also the creation of a 'safe room', by installing a deadbolt lock on her ensuite as part of her safety plan with the children. SAH also advocated with the real estate/landlord to install window locks on the enclosed sleepout attached to the house as he has often gained entry via this room which was completely unsecured. SAH provided window alarms and dowel for interim security.

August

- A woman with a young child was referred to Starick SAH by the Police due to safety concerns as her ex-partner was constantly harassing her and breaching his bail conditions. He was previously charged with making threats to kill and threatening her with a weapon. Her ex-partner constantly stood out the front of her home just past the boundary that was stipulated in the Family Violence restraining order. He intimidated and harassed her by yelling obscenities towards her, harassing neighbours, abusing and threatening her employer and confronted her in public places when she would be alone. Starick SAH installed a security camera to capture the harassment and intimidation at her home for evidence in reporting to police and provided her with a personal alarm.
- A young mum with 3 children under 5 year of age was referred to Starick Aboriginal Pilot SAH for support as her ex-partner constantly harassed and intimidated her. He was on Bail for violently assaulting her in the presence of their children after breaking into her home. Starick Aboriginal Safe at Home assisted with providing a security camera, window/door alarms and sensor lights. Her ex-partner was eventually arrested and is currently in custody due to Bail breaches. Starick SAH are now working with the Department of Communities (Housing) to further secure the property including security doors and security grills on windows.

What's coming up

Ascot next breakfast is on the 28 August at the Belmont Tavern and members can meet the clubs successful candidate Gabriella Fitzpatrick for the National Youth Science Forum 2019. Gabriella will give a short talk about herself so the members can get to know her.

Di Reed will be the guest speaker and she will be enlightening the members with the Topic 'Cruising'

There are no further details you will have to come along to find what it all means.

RYPEN

Ascot have one participant Haidee Dodd attending RYPEN (Rotary Youth Program of Enrichment) camp to be held on 21 September to 23 September 2018. Haidee will be invited to speak about her time at the camp to the members during Term 4 of school.

Emails Received:

For those into Wine:

Dear Roma

I have a good friend (Mike Kerigan) who owns the Hay Shed Hill winery in Margaret River.

His son is seeking funds to complete a movie as part of his graduation.

Putting 2 and 2 together Mike is offering his wares at a very reasonable rate.

Could you pass on the attached flier to your club members who could be interested in the very fine produce of this winery?

My club "Cockburn" is also in the early stages of staging a wine tasting event in the not too distant future. If you are interested in this event please let me know

With best regards
Ray McKinnon
Secretary 2016 – 2019
Rotary Club of Cockburn

See attached Flyer to email.



INVITE FROM THE INNERWHEEL CLUB OF MELVILLE

AIRING of the QUILTS BY THE INNERWHEEL CLUB OF MELVILLE

SELECTED WORKS BY HELEN EDINGER, ROBYN METCALF, HELEN PARROTTE,
CATHERINE WHITELAW

The Innerwheel Club of Melville invites you to view our Beautiful QUILTS

Enjoy a Devonshire Tea, perhaps win a fabulous quilt in the raffle, and purchase a gift or two.

WHEN Over two fabulous days

SUNDAY 16 th SEPTEMBER 12pm to 4 pm

MONDAY 17 th SEPTEMBER 10am to 2 pm

VENUE RIVERSIDE APARTMENTS

RECREATION CENTRE

10 ROEBUCK DRIVE

SALTER POINT

Parking in the car park or street, entry and lift off the car park

COST \$ 25 includes entry, Devonshire Tea, and ticket in the raffle

COME AND JOIN US WITH YOUR FRIENDS AND FAMILY

All Proceeds to Charity

Meheret our sponsored child

School of St Yared, Ethiopia

Bricktober October 6th – 7th

Mike Bermann reminded Rotarians will be required to assist with Bricktober. Session times are listed below. If you can't be there the whole weekend please make sure you nominate the session you are able to do. Every little bit of assistance helps make the event run smoothly. Also make a note of the dates and time in your dairies.

Times:

Bump-in	Friday - 5 October	
Saturday	8.00 am – 12.30 pm	12.00 pm – 4.30 pm
Sunday	8.00 am – 12.30 pm	12.00 pm – 4.30 pm
Bump-out	Sunday	4.30 pm

IMPORTANT INFORMATION:

Rotarians are required to complete the Volunteer Application Form on line the link is:

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/friendsofbricktober>.

For Bump-in on Friday can Rotarians please indicate if you will be free on the Friday to assist if required and be sure to advise Mike Bermann.

Rotarians please have your Volunteer Application completed on line by the next Rotary Meeting Tuesday 14 August 2018.

