ASCOT ROTARY CLUB INC



MEETING DETAILS:

We meet twice per month

First time: Ingot Hotel, Belmont

When-2nd Tuesday of each month

What time: 7.00 for 7.30 am start. All over by 8.30 am

Second time: 4th Tuesday of each month

How: Zoom meeting

(contact our secretary for Zoom login details)

NEXT MEETING:

Will be at the Ingot Hotel at our usual time on Tuesday 11 August.

On Welcoming: Ron Alexander

Host Chair: Joanna Kendall

Guest Speaker: Noelene Scally

Topic: Living with Parkinsons

NEXT MONTH AT A GLANCE:

Aug 8 Event has been postponed.

Aug 11—Meeting at Ingot Hotel, Belmont Aug 25—Zoom meeting Each Sunday—Vic Park Markets

BIRTHDAYS/ANNIVERSARIES—NEXT MONTH

AUGUST

BIRTHDAYS

ROTARY ANNIVERSARIES

Michael Metcalf-27 years on 1 August

RYPEN APPLICATIONS NOW OPEN

FOR SEPTEMBER 2020

If you know of a suitable candidate (14—17 years old) that our club could sponsor please let Stuart know so he can follow it up.

President: Michael Metcalf; Immediate PP and Foundation: Hugh Langridge; Admin Secretary and Community Services: Michelle Kendall; Minutes Secretary: Roma Gehringer; Treasurer: Joanna Kendall; Club Services: Ros McLernon; International Services: Mike Bermann; Vocational/Youth: Stuart Rutter.



Unfortunately this event has had to be postponed. Watch this space for new date and location. In the meantime, chat to friends, neighbours and family and encourage them to come too.



BRICKTOBER IS ON AGAIN THIS YEAR

We will be asking for your assistance once again in making sure this year's event is the best we can provide under the current restrictions. Keep that weekend free and be available to help out in whatever capacity you are capable of. We want to make sure we can be ready to make it happen. If you know someone who might be interested in volunteering let Ann Bermann know.

VICTORIA PARK MARKETS AND SWAP MEET

Thank you to those who volunteered to pick up a time slot or two at the Vic Park Markets. Your support of the club is greatly appreciated. Help is still required either in the early morning shift to help set up; or in the midday shift to help pack everything away again or both if you are available. Remember if we are involved in running it, we get a share of the profits from it to help us run our programs. Let Peter Richardson know when you are available. Contact him either on 0419948417 or psricho@iinet.net.au

VICTORIA PARK MARKETS—ROSTER INFORMATION for AUGUST

August 2: Early shift (6.00—8.00 am) Stephen Kendall
August 9: Early shift—Stephen Kendall
August 16: Early shift—Fei & Richard from Starick
August 23: Early shift—Stephen Kendall
August 30: Early shift—Chris Merton

Late shift (11.45 am—1.30 pm) Ros McLernon Late shift—Di Reed Late shift—need a volunteer Late shift—need a volunteer Late shift—need a volunteer



A little birdie told me that Donna Stephenson won a Fremantle Dockers team jumper at the Football game on Monday night for being the 'best half time' dancer. (You probably did it to warm up.) Congratulations Donna.

NOTES FROM OUR ZOOM MEETING ON 28 JULY 2020

Guest: Jodie Sparks (we hear that Jodie is coming back to us as a transfering member) Welcome Jodie. Jodie's induction will occur at our next meeting at the Ingot Hotel on 11 August.

Reports:

Hugh—**Membership**: we all need to be alert to opportunities to invite new members to join the club. Mike B indicated that Glenys Godfrey might be interested in returning to the club. Mike to invite her to the next meeting at the Ingot Hotel.

Hugh—**Foundation:** expecting to receive our District Grant soon—so we can pass funds on to Starick for their Safe at Home program.

Michelle—Community: President Michael, Stephen and Michelle are heading to Maida Vale Primary School on Friday to present their Lego Play Tubs to them.

Stuart—Youth/Vocational: we have 2 nominees for NYSF in January; looking for applicants for RYPEN—for school aged young people. Rotary Youth Program for Enrichment is for 14—17 year olds. If you know of someone—let Stuart know. Better to phone him, or if emailing him—send a text as well.

Mike B—International—spoken with Eddie re finishing the current work. Likely we will get a request for more work that could be done for them.

Mike B—Bricktober—have had some issues with Vic Park (they lost our application); and if Stage 4 Covid-19 conditions continue there will need to be stringent cleaning done during Bricktober which could present some issues for running the show. Our back up plan is to run a "Virtual Event". It is a 'watch this space' until we know more about the easing of restrictions (which are due to be announced early next month).

Joanna—Finance—we should all have received our annual dues invoice, please pay as soon as possible into the club account.

Peter—Swap Meet—thank you to those who have volunteered; 8 spots still to be filled between now and end of September. Need volunteers to keep it going.

Guest Speaker: Chris Merton

Our newest member, Chris, spoke about growing up in the UK; backpacking in Australia and returning to Australia because he loved it here. Currently he is our Media / PR person for Bricktober. Check out our more detailed summary of what he said on our website.

MEMBERSHIP

Increasing our membership is everyone's business. Look out for people who might be interested in joining out club and let Hugh know so he can follow up on that lead. We can increase our membership. Let's see if we can grow our membership by a minimum of 3.





43rd ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT

Interested in attending the next annual AGFR (Australian Golfing Fellowship of Rotarians)? It will be held at Maroochy River Golf Club and hosted by the Rotary Club of Maroochydore. Check our their website at <u>www.agfr.org</u> to get details.

Submit your entry early and pay a holding deposit of \$100 to secure your registration, with the balance payable by close of business 16 April, 2021.

We know that our own member Aidan Wood has been helping out with the organisation of this event. He would love to see as many people from WA there as possible.

For the golfers out there: "Never keep more than 300 separate thoughts in your mind during your swing".

MICHAEL METCALF—MEMOIRS

President Michael indicated that he's now finished his e-book on 30 years in customs and 25 years in the funeral industry. He is willing to share the link if people are interested in reading it.

WANT TO KNOW WHAT OTHER ROTARY CLUBS ARE UP TO?

Check out Rotary BlogSpot to find out:

https://rotaryoutwest.blogspot.com/2020/07/527-hayley-edwards-hayley-edwards.html

Check out our Facebook page for photos and updates: <u>https://www.facebook.com/AscotRotary/</u>

Check out our Ascot Rotary Webpage for further articles, calendar items and updates: <u>https://portal.clubrunner.ca/7992/</u> <u>Page/ShowHomePage</u>

Check out Bricktober's website: <u>www.bricktober.info</u> and Facebook page: <u>www.facebook.com/Bricktober.Perth</u>