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## ROTARY CLUB OF CESSNOCK DISTRICT 9670

## **CESSNOCK ROTARY AT WORK**



#### FREE LUNCH FOR THE NEEDY IN OUR CESSNOCK COMMUNITY

The Rotary Club of Cessnock is continuing the free lunch at TAFE park near the cenotaph every Tuesday from 12 to 1pm, for the needy and vulnerable people in our community.

The number of people taking advantage of this Rotary initiative is slowly growing after the front page story in a previous addition in the local "The Advertiser"

We are also having extra support from members in the community who are coming along to help us prepare and hand out the free lunch. In the photo we have Rotarians Greg Bevan, Vicki Steep and Harma Hill along with Rotary friends Carol Hale and Penny McNaughton.

We are going to be at TAFE Park in Cessnock until further notice. There are proceedings under way to possibly change locations to the car parking area behind Allira House Op Shop. This may make it a bit easier for those people that visit that location already.

#### CESSNOCK ROTARY BIKES FOR KIDS

This is our latest project from the Rotary Club of Cessnock, Sponsored by the Cessnock Bicycle Company

Cessnock Rotary is about to release its latest Project

• Recycled Bikes for Kids

In the first instance we need bikes to be repaired

- Do you have an old bike sitting in your garage/ shed that you no longer use?
- You might see a bike dumped somewhere

Rotary can collect and put to good use

• We fix up donated bikes and give to those kids in need of a bike

Thank you to the Cessnock Bicycle Company who are sponsoring this project

Please note we do not have any bikes right now, however you can put your name down

• we are also looking for volunteers

to help restore the bikes- u can be trained in this role.





We have already received quite a number of bikes so that we can start on this project soon after Covid restrictions have been lifted.

# EXTRA DONATION FROM CREIGHTONS



Creightons who are one of our major sponsors have kindly become a Co Sponsor of the free lunches, by donating \$1,000 towards this need in our community. Nicole Kutyanov is pictured handing over this donation to our President Vicki Steep. Lyn Parkes, Community Liaison Manager, Creightons Funeral Service said "As a supporting sponsor of Cessnock Rotary we are aware due to the current restrictions the difficulties to fundraise. After becoming aware of Tuesday's free lunch in the park, we wanted to help. So we have provided a further donation to this worthy initiative to assist, and to continue our support of Rotary in the interest of the community"

## FUTURE EVENTS

#### Club meetings are Thursdays 7pm via ZOOM until further notice.

Please note that President Vicki will notify about future meetings and venues.



2CHR (Central Hunter Radio) is a community radio station based in the Hunter Valley, New South Wales, Australia.

The station serves as voice media for the community of the Central Hunter area. It is operated completely by volunteers from the non-profit organisation - Central Hunter Community Broadcasters Inc.

Sponsorship and Membership are welcomed and actively sought as the powerhouse of the station.

The station broadcasts from Bimbadeen near Cessnock on 96.5M.

Programs include a wide variety of musical tastes interspersed with hourly News and Weather. There is also pertinent local information and bulletins, regular community notices and many specialty shows of cultural and social interest.

Broadcasts cover an area that includes the renowned vineyard areas around Pokolbin and Rothbury and out to the coal mining and agricultural areas of Cessnock and Maitland as well as historic Wollombi and the Quarrobolong valley.

The Rotary Club of Cessnock is now a sponsor on the station, so listen in and let's hope our

message is well received and maybe even encourages some to come along to our meetings.

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Our new sponsor is Optus. I use them for my Iphone and mobile phone and they are always very friendly and helpful in the Cessnock store if you have a problem.

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70% of the world's poorest people live in rural areas and depend on agriculture and related activities for their livelihood. -Rotary International

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I've been GOODER and I've been BADDER. I've been many times THINNER and lots of times FATTER. There's stuff I remember and stuff I forget.



But, I've ALWAYS been AND ALWAYS WILL be me and WHATCHA SEE IS WHATCHA GET!



Harma busy in the kitchen preparing meals for Allira House. Not just cutting, sorting, cooking but packing and delivering finished meals that can be frozen as needed. Great job Harma

