



Rotary Club of Eaglehawk



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Meet Wednesdays
 6.00pm for 6.30pm start
 at California Gully
 Mechanic's Institute
 Eaglehawk.

APRIL

Birthdays
 9th Viv Osborne
 25th Jack Millonig
 30th Charlie Cunneen
 30th Leon Scott

Inductions

Anniversaries
 8th Graeme & Ann Lock
 10th John & Patricia Brook
 11th Mick & Mandy Costello
 19th Joe & Maria Cogo
 23rd Howard & Viv Osborne

Our Rotary meetings are currently being held online via zoom.

See below for details on the program for each Club meeting as well as some interesting District meetings.

Dates for Your Diaries	
April 20 th	Lien Trinh will present at the District Zoom meeting on the experience of being a Rotary Global Scholar, how she has formed a new Rotary club and the End Trachoma program. Log on using this link https://zoom.us/j/103410322
April 22 nd	A very special District Zoom meeting featuring District presentations to clubs and individuals. Log on using this link https://zoom.us/j/103410322
April 22 nd	Club General Meeting – Join us in this groundbreaking history making Zoom meeting and hear how expats, Melissa and Sophie Costello in the UK and New Zealand respectively are experiencing their own lockdowns and lifestyle changes. Log on using this link https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88102433477
April 27 th	Join in the District Zoom Meeting to hear Jess Wheeler who will present about her RYLA experience, the current program and upcoming plans as District RYLA chair. Log on using this link https://zoom.us/j/103410322
April 29 th	Join in the District Zoom Meeting to hear one of our Guest Speakers from the Conference – Andrew Crisp, Emergency Services Commissioner. Log on using this link https://zoom.us/j/103410322
April 29 th	Club General Meeting – Zoom – The night we will create yet more history for our club with the induction of a new member. Log in using this link https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88102433477
June 7 th	Chrysler Car Club BBQ 8am-1.30pm
June 24 th	RC Eaglehawk Changeover
June 27 th	D9800 Changeover

President John's Report

On Wednesday evening the Board held their first 'official' Board meeting and the technology, convened by treasurer Ron, worked beautifully. At the commencement of the meeting we noted the sad passing of Peter Ludeman, PHF. When Peter and Elaine moved to Eaglehawk from their farm in Kamarooka they took up residence next to Tom Rothacker who introduced Peter to the Rotary Club of Eaglehawk more than thirty years ago. Peter was a wonderful worker for the Club and his practical skills, generated through a life on the land, were of enormous value. A quiet man with a huge heart and generous smile and a wonderful friend and colleague. I have spoken to Elaine and she was very appreciative of the support she is receiving from the Rotary family and the broader Eaglehawk community. Unfortunately the current Covid 19 situation precludes us from having any formal representation at his funeral. We also noted the passing of Win Daniel, aunt of Brian and Gail Fitzpatrick, and again we extend our condolences.

On Thursday I had a brief conversation with Doug Harrison who continues to recover at home. Lyn, however, is still in intensive care and her condition is stable. It is hoped that she will begin to transition off the ventilator in the near future.

We have attended to the refrigerators at the mechanics, removed the perishables, defrosted and cleaned them and they have been turned off to cut down utility costs. Bar stock has been stored and those refrigerators turned off also.

Next week we will have our first club meeting on Zoom with members able to log on from 6:45 for a meeting to begin at 7:00. We will be joined, through the wonders of technology, by the daughters of PE Mick and Mandy Costello – Melissa and Sophie. One is in New Zealand and the other in London and it will be great to get a young person's perspective on Covid 19 in those countries and the strategies they are employing to manage.

Items discussed at the Board meeting included:

- A recommendation to donate \$2000 to the Students Association at LaTrobe (**Latrobe University COVID 19 Emergency Fund**). They are establishing a fund to support students experiencing hardship through the current restrictions. Many depend on part time and casual work to support their study and so have been severely impacted by the current economic situation. We also explored opportunities to support families in our local communities and I will be contacting school leaders to progress this idea.
- We have recommended that the shed currently occupied by RC Bendigo Strathdale be made available to RC Bendigo South through a lease arrangement.
- RC Bendigo Strathdale have a range of projects that they would like to see continue, including their Christmas trailer raffle and Christmas market – we resolved to express interest in both of these projects. Strathdale have also been leaders in a number of Youth projects and the local schools have been reallocated by the cluster youth committee.
- To supplement funds in the Admin account PP Alison has offered to run a weekly Tattsлото competition along the lines of that managed by Doug H a couple of years ago. Details are later in this bulletin and we encourage you and your families to support the initiative.
- The Board has agreed to be cautious with respect to discretionary giving for this year given current uncertainties.

We have also implemented a telephone tree to ensure that we keep in touch with each other but this is not exclusive and I encourage you to keep in touch with current and former members – social isolation can be very lonely.

Stay safe,

John P Jones
President 2019/20

Does anyone know if we can take showers yet or should we just keep washing our hands??

Member Announcements and Information

Virtual tattslotto competition comes to Rotary Club of Eaglehawk!

Pretty much the same as the other ones we've run but this time we won't see each other each week to brag about the winnings!

It's very simple to enter, simply email alison@bendigo.com.au and let me know your number (be quick to secure your favourite number/s), I will then give you the details of our bank account for you to transfer the payment.

Then each week for 10 weeks if your number is the first drawn supplementary number in Saturday nights Tattslotto draw you win \$40.

We've all had a few weeks off from our weekly chicken meals, so you will have plenty of 'Rotary Reserved Funds' to call upon – perhaps you could even shout family members a number or two – but be quick, only 45 numbers are available.

For those who like to know the odds, see the above information about when each number last came up as a supplementary. All numbers must be sold before Friday 24th April for the first draw to commence on Saturday 25th April.

AUSTRALIA SATURDAY LOTTO NUMBER DRAW FREQUENCY FOR SUPPLEMENTARY NUMBERS:

1 Drawn 81 times Last Drawn: 39 days ago (07/03/2020)	2 Drawn 95 times Last Drawn: 67 days ago (08/02/2020)	3 Drawn 74 times Last Drawn: 32 days ago (14/03/2020)	4 Drawn 95 times Last Drawn: 32 days ago (14/03/2020)	5 Drawn 80 times Last Drawn: 74 days ago (01/02/2020)	6 Drawn 78 times Last Drawn: 144 days ago (23/11/2019)
7 Drawn 84 times Last Drawn: 11 days ago (04/04/2020)	8 Drawn 93 times Last Drawn: 263 days ago (27/07/2019)	9 Drawn 74 times Last Drawn: 25 days ago (21/03/2020)	10 Drawn 80 times Last Drawn: 193 days ago (05/10/2019)	11 Drawn 87 times Last Drawn: 249 days ago (10/08/2019)	12 Drawn 66 times Last Drawn: 102 days ago (04/01/2020)
13 Drawn 80 times Last Drawn: 165 days ago (02/11/2019)	14 Drawn 82 times Last Drawn: 137 days ago (30/11/2019)	15 Drawn 89 times Last Drawn: 95 days ago (11/01/2020)	16 Drawn 66 times Last Drawn: 305 days ago (15/06/2019)	17 Drawn 74 times Last Drawn: 123 days ago (14/12/2019)	18 Drawn 66 times Last Drawn: 11 days ago (04/04/2020)
19 Drawn 66 times Last Drawn: 361 days ago (20/04/2019)	20 Drawn 77 times Last Drawn: 18 days ago (28/03/2020)	21 Drawn 73 times Last Drawn: 151 days ago (16/11/2019)	22 Drawn 78 times Last Drawn: 46 days ago (29/02/2020)	23 Drawn 102 times Last Drawn: 18 days ago (28/03/2020)	24 Drawn 63 times Last Drawn: 207 days ago (21/09/2019)
25 Drawn 70 times Last Drawn: 53 days ago (22/02/2020)	26 Drawn 80 times Last Drawn: 74 days ago (01/02/2020)	27 Drawn 69 times Last Drawn: 256 days ago (03/08/2019)	28 Drawn 88 times Last Drawn: 186 days ago (12/10/2019)	29 Drawn 81 times Last Drawn: 235 days ago (24/08/2019)	30 Drawn 77 times Last Drawn: 09/06/2018
31 Drawn 67 times Last Drawn: 03/02/2018	32 Drawn 78 times Last Drawn: 16/03/2019	33 Drawn 82 times Last Drawn: 109 days ago (28/12/2019)	34 Drawn 86 times Last Drawn: 60 days ago (15/02/2020)	35 Drawn 73 times Last Drawn: 4 days ago (11/04/2020)	36 Drawn 80 times Last Drawn: 95 days ago (11/01/2020)
37 Drawn 65 times Last Drawn: 4 days ago (11/04/2020)	38 Drawn 73 times Last Drawn: 39 days ago (07/03/2020)	39 Drawn 77 times Last Drawn: 67 days ago (08/02/2020)	40 Drawn 84 times Last Drawn: 60 days ago (15/02/2020)	41 Drawn 76 times Last Drawn: 312 days ago (08/06/2019)	42 Drawn 74 times Last Drawn: 137 days ago (30/11/2019)
	43 Drawn 78 times Last Drawn: 25 days ago (21/03/2020)	44 Drawn 73 times Last Drawn: 200 days ago (28/09/2019)	45 Drawn 76 times Last Drawn: 46 days ago (29/02/2020)		

Club Face Book Page – <https://www.facebook.com/EaglehawkRotaryClub/>

Never has there been a better time than now to make sure you use all the social media options available to us.

Our club's facebook page has been transformed into a resource of historical significance! We don't have a lot of new stuff happening at the moment, so what better time than to run a series of 'Blast from the Past' posts.

Posts that highlight our club's contributions to the local community will be showcased over the coming weeks, for some, it will be a 'trip down memory lane', for others it will be an opportunity to realise that many of the features in our community that are seen and used daily were the result of a lot of fund raising BBQ's and a great deal of voluntary hours by our members. From the Skatepark and the Playground, to the Log Lock Up and even to the interesting 'lookout' at Lightning Hill. All will feature in posts to share with the community the achievements of our club over the years and to remind the locals of the massive contributions our members have made to our 'Borough'.

So far we've covered the Eaglehawk Play Space, Canterbury Park Fountain and the Sound Shell in Canterbury Park.

Make sure you click the 'like page' and the 'follow page' buttons that appear directly under the photo header so you get the best chance of seeing these stories as they are posted.



Never in my whole life would I imagine my hands would consume more alcohol than my mouth!!

• ONLINE VIDEO CHATQUETTE •



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HIT THE MUTE BUTTON IF YOU'RE NOT TALKING

This gives whoever is speaking the space to be heard. It also means you can say 'ooh big stretch!' when your dog wakes up from their nap... and no one will hear it.



WAVE AT PEOPLE AS THEY ENTER THE CHAT

A friendly wave and a smile is a non-interruptive but welcoming way to greet people as they enter the video chat, especially if someone else is already speaking!



BE KIND TO ONE ANOTHER

This one probably seems a bit obvious, but it's important to recognise that some people are more confident with technology than others and for some, your gathering may be their very first. Be patient, gentle and kind. But probably don't blow kisses.



TAP YOUR EAR IF YOU CAN'T HEAR SOMEONE

There's a high chance that someone might forget they've muted themselves at some stage, so a gentle, non-intrusive way to remind them that they're muted is to tap your ears. Hopefully they won't think you're initiating a game of Charades.



RAISE YOUR HAND IF YOU WANT TO SPEAK

If there are quite a few of you on a video chat and the conversation is booming, it might be handy ('scuse the pun) to raise your hand when you have something to say. A bit like an invisible talking stick.



PROP YOUR SCREEN UP IN ONE SPOT

The last thing you want to do is cause your fellow video-buddies some sea-sickness by moving around too much. We recommend propping up your phone or laptop in one spot so you reduce the amount of motion and hopefully avoid seeing these kinds of faces looking back at you.

Our District Governer, Grant was recently contacted by RI and asked to contribute to the RI website MyRotary BLOG, Rotary Service. The link to the published post is

<https://rotaryserviceblog.org/2020/04/14/staying-connected-is-important/>

Stay in touch with your Club and District



Let's not allow
Social Distancing
to become
Social Isolation



- Facebook Community Groups can help you remain connected to your neighborhood and community.
- Facetime and Skype are great ways to see and talk to family and friends while staying at home.
- Zoom and other online meeting services can help clubs or even family groups catch up in groups and stay connected.



zoom

The Rotary Club of Morisset is going online with Zoom based meetings to ensure we stay connected and active Rotarians.

Staying Connected

To join this D9800 Zoom Meeting: Monday and Wednesday starting at 6PM

1. Your computer or phone can be used with a camera and microphone
2. Use this link <https://zoom.us/j/103410322> to open the Zoom window
3. You will soon see everyone who has joined the meeting



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La Trobe University COVID 19 Emergency Fund
Members are invited to donate to this fund and can easily do so by going to –

<https://www.latrobe.edu.au/giving/student-crisis>