

Rotary Club of Eaglehawk

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We meet at the Mechanics Facility, 8 School Street, California Gully for a dinner meeting. However, as this sometimes changes, please see below for details on the program for coming Club meetings and activities.

Dates and duty to Remember		
22 nd April	Bookshop	Alison Bacon & Mary Preston
26 th April	Club dinner meeting	Bar- Trevor Lock Clean – John Gurr & Mick Costello
29 th April	Bookshop	Geoff Gallagher & Charlie Cunneen
3 rd May	Club dinner meeting	Bar – Geoff Adcock Clean – John Jones & John Pearce





Happy Birthday April 30th Charlie Cunneen

President Geoff's report 19/04/23

Hi all.

After a couple of weeks off I should be nice and refreshed however a bout of man-flu has laid me very low. Should get better soon.

This week we had apologies from Brian Fitzpatrick, Geoff Adcock, Jennifer Sanderson, Tim Watts, and Eric Smith

Visitors this week were:

John Poke and Mary Kelly. John is president of Boronia RC.

Greg and Janine Mossop, Boronia RC PE.

Neville and Janet Windebank also from Boronia RC.

Hector and Lara Bathurst from Axedale, where they run an animal assisted therapy business.

And of course, Marg Walkington and Alf Thorpe.

Thanks to past member **Gary Frank** for organizing the book stall at the Easter Fair, it was a successful day despite the inclement weather.

We start staffing the gate at Eaglehawk Football and Netball Clubs home games this Saturday. We are right for helpers this week and I am sure that many of you will assist me in making this a success.

Next Tuesday is Anzac Day and as mentioned last week we are cooking breakfast at 5.15 AM on Tuesday. Please help me out if you can. Let me know at the following Email or phone me.

geoffgallagher711@gmail.com or 0428127766. We should be finished by 7.30.

Our guest speakers this week were John Poke and Greg Mossop, who spoke on Boronia's very successful membership drive. Greg gave us a brief overview on how their club, led by himself, achieve their targets. They also have an enviable retention programme which really works.

We will be contacting Greg very shortly to get further details.



Get well soon Eric.

I hear you also have the flu.

Until next week.

Take care.

Geoff Gallagher

Please note:

It would pay to tell members that there have been some strange looking emails with my name attached. If anyone has any suspicions, they should not open them and delete them immediately.



CLUB HAPPENINGS

An enjoyable meeting was had by all members with special guests of Lindsay and Marg Walkington's. The speakers were John Poke and Greg Mossop. They were informative and gave us lots to think about for the future.







PolioPlus Society

Rotary District 9800 proudly recognises Alison Bacon Mills as an inaugural member of the PolioPlus Society.

Your commitment and generous annual donation to the PolioPlus Society is helping to create a legacy of a polio free world.

CONGRATULATIONS ALISON !

Youth Report from Lynne

from left to right

Bianca (RYLA), Owen, Stewart, Tait, Rose, Montana, Lynne and Tia...at RC of Bendigo Sandhurst meeting today.

An excellent presentation from them all which was very well received by the members.



Dates to Remember

April

25 th	ANZAC Day breakfast
28 th	Trivia Night

May

- 7th District Assembly
- 17th Board Meeting
- 21st Bunnings BBQ
- 27th International Convention





Judy Miatke, RC Bendigo Sandhurst President advises that the details of their club's meetings be amended to now reflect their new arrangements.

They are -

Wednesdays 7.30am (breakfast meeting) Pepper Green Farm 40-44 Thunder Street, North Bendigo

The Melbourne Convention – May 2027 It's coming soon!!



PLEASE PUT THESE DATES



