



Rotary

Club of Eaglehawk



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

	December 11th	December 18 th	December 25 th /January 1 st / January 8th
Chair	Doug Poole	Christmas Club Night	No Meetings
Invocation	Geoff Adcock		
Duties	Brian Fitzpatrick Gary Frank		
Fellowship	Brian Gould Doug Harrison		
Bar	Graeme Lock Trevor Lock		
Program	Terry Jarvis		

Birthdays - November

5th Roy Parker
 12th Mandy Costello
 14th Gary Frank
 23rd Dean Pearce

Inductions - November

8th Howard Osborne (1981)
 11th Joe Cogo (1968)
 13th Brian Gould (2017)
 18th Doug Poole (2002)
 21st Dean Pearce (2016)

**For apologies or guests
 please advise President
 John Jones prior to
 10.00a.m. on the
 Wednesday of the
 meeting.**

Dates for Your Diaries

December 8th	Carols in Canterbury Park
December 10th	BBQ at Eaglehawk Secondary College Orientation Day
December 18th	Club Christmas Function

Special Requests to all Members

- Apologies to John via text or email only
- Reading the bulletin is strongly recommended (ironically if you don't you won't see this request).

President John's Report

A highlight at our dinner meeting was the drawing of our Great Grange Raffle, drawn by David Tyndall from Tyndall Eddy and Partners. Unfortunately it was not a local, the winner being Robert Chapman from Valentine (suburb of Newcastle), NSW. We now have the challenge of getting the wine to him.

The story behind the winner is most interesting. On our trip to River Isle Station earlier this year we met a retired dentist who was supporting the RFDS farmer's well-being weekend. He was very interested in our raffle and thought he had some friends who would also be interested – one of those friends is Robert Chapman who was understandably delighted as "I never win anything!" (I also had to cc confirmation of his win to his wife who would not believe him.) While not quite as profitable as last time it has still proved to be a very successful fundraiser for the club.



The Christmas season continues to be very busy. Last Sunday we erected the Nativity Scene on the balcony at Eaglehawk Town Hall and reports are that it again looks spectacular, especially the lighting.

On Sunday we have Carols in Canterbury Park with set up from 2:00 pm in preparation for the Carols at 6:00. The Christmas Stocking raffle is progressing very well thanks, in no small part, to the dedication of Fundraising Director, Leon McGlashan. There are still a few spots on the roster remaining so please let Leon know if you can help.

On Tuesday morning we have our annual orientation day breakfast at Eaglehawk Secondary College with set up at 7:30 and cooking from 8:00. Meanwhile we are awarding Junior Citizenship Awards to local primary schools and thank you to those who have offered to help out.



Our guest speaker next week is Terry Jarvis, a local artist who has been a very generous supporter of our club and many other groups and organisations in the local area. He leads an interesting and varied life and it is a chance to show our appreciation for his generosity. The following week we have our final gathering for the year with a three-course carvery dinner at the Mechanics (\$30.00 pp and half price for children).

John P Jones,
President 2019/2010

Member Announcements –

Leon McGlashan

Reported that the Christmas Stocking Raffle tickets were selling reasonably well, but we do need for the rest of the gaps on the roster to be filled and for members to return their sold books please.

Leon Scott

Announced that Dr. Skye Kinder will be the Australia Day Ambassador who will be attending the Rotary Club of Eaglehawk's Australia Day Breakfast Celebrations.

The nativity scene has again been erected and thanks to those members who assisted in the task.



Gordon McKern

Reported on having attended the Rotary Club of Rochester earlier in the week and expressed his admiration at how productive such a small club can be.



Australia Day Citizen of the Year Awards 2020

Do you know someone who works tirelessly for the community?
Maybe a friend who is always helping in organisations, sporting
groups, schools, or at community events?

Then we want to know about them too!

These are the people who we want to recognise with an Australia Day
Citizen of the Year Award.

Go to

www.eaglehawkrotary.org.au

And download a nomination form today.

Junior and Senior category available.

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Service Above Self



Nomination forms can be downloaded from our
website – www.eaglehawkrotary.org.au

Nominations for both Junior and Senior category close on

Friday 13th December



Eaglehawk UFS Dispensary

Canterbury Carols 2019



**Sunday 8th December
Canterbury Park Eaglehawk**



Commences 7pm

Free Sausage Sizzle from 6pm

Free Program & Glow Sticks

(Please bring your own seating)

**Join us for a night full of local entertainment
and an early visit from Santa!**

**Featuring: Bendigo Baptist Band, Guest Artists,
Eaglehawk Citizens' Brass Band, Sing Australia
Choir, Our Place Minstrels and Local School Choirs!**

(This is an alcohol & smoke free event)



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2020 DISTRICT 9800 CONFERENCE MESSAGE FROM DG GRANT & MELISSA

Rotary
District 9800



Hi Rotarians

Our District 9800 Conference is fast approaching and what a great experience we have planned for Rotarians from all walks of life.

Situated in beautiful Bendigo, the geographical centre of our great State of Victoria, you'll experience the city's renowned cultural and architectural heritage born from the lucrative goldfields of the 1800s that's become a destination of choice for thousands of visitors and "tree changers" in recent years.

This rapidly growing and prosperous regional city is home to six of our clubs: Bendigo, Bendigo South, Bendigo Sandhurst, Bendigo Strathdale, Eaglehawk and Kangaroo Flat. Each of these clubs are excited to welcome you and host you across our three-day conference from 27-29 March 2020.

Living in and working from Woodend, we appreciate the connection and contribution central Victoria makes to our regional and metropolitan communities. Our District 9800 communities embody the vision of Rotary and we're fortunate to uniquely connect to each of our 65 clubs, their members and activities. Afterall, that's Rotary to a tee – connected and collaborative – key themes of our District 9800 Conference in Bendigo next March.

Our conference is not just another Rotary Conference. We have planned an experience with a difference. One that connects us through conversation and collaboration. Most of all, a conference where we can celebrate the accomplishments across District 9800.

The internationally renowned Ulumbarra Theatre will be our home to the conference, and the historic and ornate Bendigo Town Hall will host our welcome registration event along with a Welcome to Country and Smoking Ceremony by our nation's First Peoples the Dja Dja Wurrung Clan.

We have 65 clubs in our district ... from Brighton to Bendigo. That's a lot of Rotarians! Melissa and I encourage you all to come together and represent your club in Bendigo next year.

We are delighted to share with you a snippet of speakers we've engaged who will not only inspire you but will demonstrate how "Rotary Connects the World".

To ensure our conference is a success, please register soon by booking online <https://www.trybooking.com/book/event?eid=520299>. Don't forget early bird discounted registrations end 30 November. Keep up to date <https://rotarydistrict9800.org.au/sitepage/conference2020>.

See you in Bendigo!



D9800 Conference 2020 – Here in Bendigo March 27th – 29th. Our outstanding guest speakers lineup will entertain, enthral and enlighten you. Don't miss out on this once in a lifetime opportunity to listen to such an amazing pool of talent, all gathered here in Bendigo participating in our very own district conference. This is the link you need to go to and register – don't miss out – this is your chance to attend the greatest D9800 conference ever!

Did you hear about the December ticket price – just \$325 to register for the conference – includes the welcome event and the conference dinner – that's amazing value. But, register prior to the end of the year, full ticket price of \$350 kicks in on January 1st 2020.

<https://www.trybooking.com/BDPRN>

Keeping us safe in our State ... hear from the person who knows how
...

Andrew Crisp is Victoria's Emergency Management Commissioner and has responsibility for coordination before, during and after major emergencies.



During his career, which includes experience in senior emergency management and policing leadership positions, Andrew has developed a passion for community safety across metropolitan and regional Victoria and while working overseas in Papua New Guinea and Timor-Leste.

Andrew has been involved in responses to a number of major incidents, such as the Ash Wednesday Bushfires, the 2009 Victorian Bushfires, Christchurch earthquake, Queensland floods and the 2017 Bourke Street Tragedy.

He is passionate about connecting communities, with a focus on building an emergency management sector that reflects and meets the needs of communities. Advocating for people and communities is a priority for him.

Hear how Andrew is committed to learning and listening so our emergency management sector and communities can work together to keep people safe.

Find out more about Andrew and how we can become more resilient <https://www.emv.vic.gov.au>

The Rotary Clubs of Australia Drought Appeal

Fighting for our farmers

Donate at any Bendigo Bank
branch or online at
bendigobank.com.au/rotarydrought



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