

Rotary
Club of Eaglehawk

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We meet every Wednesday at the Mechanics Facility, 8 School Street, California Gully for a dinner meeting.

The next fortnight		
24 June	Bookshop	Rita & Kim Kirkpatrick
28 June	Club dinner meeting	Bar- Mick Clean- Lindsay & Lynne
1 July	Bookshop	Rita, John G and Brian
5 July	Club dinner meeting	Bar – Geoff A Clean – Mick & John J

Happy Birthday to you

July

July 10 Deb Payne
July 23 Marie Lock
July 25 Tim Watts



President's report:

First President's Report



As you all know, we held our Change Over Dinner last Friday, which I think, went very well.

We had attendance of 63 that included the family members and friends from the Payne, Costello and Smith families.

I believe that everyone enjoyed themselves and with the leadership of MC. John Gurr we finished fairly much as planned.

It was pleasing to witness Paul Harris Awards being presented to, to Ron Payne (4 Sapphires), and the surprise ones to Alison Bacon (Sapphire), Mandy Costello and Debbie Payne. Most deserving recipients that were all a little speechless.

We were also pleased to be able to present the Sutcliffe Family, Eagle Award to Lynne Cooper (you could also say very near speechless).

Congratulations again to all the awardees, a job well done.

Well, the new term of office has commenced, the old Board thanked for their service, and the new Board welcomed. With a couple of new faces, being Tim Watts and Lindsay Walkington, along with a reshuffle of the others, we are able to fill all the positions.

As a new board we are looking forward to a rewarding, relaxed year with plenty to do and achieve. I also have no doubt that as members of the Rotary Club of Eaglehawk, together we will be able to make 'change in our community' whilst being part of the international theme for 2023-24.

Create Hope in the World

Regards-Eric

Meeting apologies: Trevor Lock, John Pearce, Jennifer Sanderson, Mary Preston and Gary Frank.

Meeting guests: Mandy Costello, Debbie Payne, Marg Walkington and Chris Smith.

Our meeting guest speakers:

Thanks to Lyndsay and Marg for sharing their European adventures with us.

They certainly packed a lot in on both land and water. They saw lots of amazing scenery, cathedrals, and sites steeped in history. The local treats made us all jealous! Thanks for your time preparing 300+ photos for us to enjoy too.



Youth Report:

We had 4 year 11 students attend from 3 colleges along with their parents and some teachers attend our NYSF Information Session. It was a very informative session, and it seems like they are all keen to apply for NYSF. Following the school holidays some of us will return to the colleges to meet any students who were unable to attend the Info Session. Five of our six 2022/23 students came along to talk to the new students which was a great help. It is always terrific to see how confident and enthusiastic they are about their Year 12 studies and future careers. Many thanks to Alissa Van Soest for enabling us to use the facilities at The Discovery Centre to hold this annual session. Alissa was a past NYSF student. Closing date for NYSF applications is July 31. Any year 11 STEM student is welcome to contact the Youth Directors for more assistance with their applications. Many thanks to Stewart Annan for running the meeting.

We are hoping to arrange a Zoom Information Session for the Rochester Year 11s next term, with past NYSF participant Emily Major. Emily is currently on a Rotary Research Scholarship having graduated last year.

Lynne Cooper

Update:

Our own NYSF BSSC student Saad Sabri is featured

in today's Bendigo Advertiser.

Saad is on the far left of this photo.

Please let Lynne know if you are interested in hosting a student as part of the home stay programme.





District Changeover this Saturday 24 June at Essendon Fields

Congratulations to Amanda and her team for their commitment and service for the last 12 months. We are extremely proud to be able to support Ron in his role for the next 12 months. It's great to see the support from our Eaglehawk Club members attending the changeover on Saturday too.

See you on the bus!

Club Changeover - Friday 16th June......

























Echuca Moama Changeover: Sat 5 August

President Kate Miller and President Elect Rob Foran invite you to attend the Rotary Club of Echuca Moama's annual changeover dinner. The dinner will be held at Radcliffe's Restaurant, 2-10 Radcliffe Street Echuca on Saturday 5th of August 2023 at 6:00pm for a 6:30pm start. Tickets are \$60 pp and include a two-course dinner. Drinks at bar prices. Dress is smart casual.

Tickets available at http://www.trybooking.com/CJGUL

Please join us for this evening of fun, food and fellowship. Please pass this information onto anyone who may wish to attend - all are most welcome. For further information, please see the attached flyer or get in touch.

Kind regards,

Rob Foran

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FYI and inspiration:

Attention Cricket enthusiasts – (a recent purchase at the Writers Festival). It's a great read and Lynne is willing to share her copy.





Trev and Marie Rockin and Rollin up north!

Sent in from Trevor and Marie – hoping they bring us back some sunshine....

One week to go of beautiful weather at Coolangatta. ("<u>Cooly Rocks On</u>" was a full week of Rock & Roll in the streets), combined with approx. 900 restored cars.

Photos: View from their unit, Marie's new car ('gotta be dreamin') and the Elvis Concert.





