



Rotary Club of Eaglehawk



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

	October 16th	October 23rd	October 30 th
Chair	Geoff Adcock	John Jones	
Invocation	Dean Pearce	Carolyn Robinson	Leon Scott
Duties	Peter Holden Walter Lourie	Gordon McKern Ken Martin	Ron Moss Rita O'Brien
Fellowship	Rita O'Brien Leon Scott	Alf Thorpe Geoff Adcock	Alison Bacon Charlie Cunneen
Bar	Alison Bacon Graeme Lock	Trevor Lock Leon McGlashan	Dean Pearce Carolyn Robinson
Program	Gary Frank – Kokoda	Club Night – Board Meeting	

Birthdays
 3rd Margaret Gallagher
 4th Beryl Adcock
 8th Robert Hansford
 12th Barbara McGlashan
 15th Mary Haugh

Inductions
 12th Charlie Cunneen (1994)
 14th Ron Payne (2009)
 16th Gordon McKern (1976)

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

Dates for Your Diaries	
October 11 th	Will 2 Walk BBQ – Lake Weeroona – 12noon – 3pm
October 12 th	Fitzpatricks Home Hardware BBQ
October 19th	Rotary Walk To End Polio – Lake Neangar
October 26 th	Silo Trip Club Fundraiser
November 15 th /16 th /17 th	Swap Meet – Combined Clubs Catering
November 22 nd	Bunnings BBQ
November 27 th	Cluster Foundation Dinner
December 8 th	Carols in Canterbury Park
December 18 th	Club Christmas Function Bunnings BBQ
December 26 th	Bunnings BBQ

Guests
 Luna Garnisjordet (Exchange Student), Richard Epskamp and Tee

President John's Report

It was a pleasure to welcome Norwegian Exchange Student, Luna Garnisjordet to our meeting and she shared with us some of her background and recent experiences in Australia.

Luna is currently staying with the Epskamp family and has settled in well to Bendigo Senior Secondary College.

On a sadder note we accepted with regret the resignation of David Kaye. David expressed his appreciation to the Club and members during his membership but a combination of personal and family circumstances have necessitated his decision. We are particularly indebted to him for his organisation of our trivia nights – these have generated many thousands of dollars for our youth programs. His organisation and attention to detail have been amazing.

David has expressed an interest in supporting events in the future should circumstances so enable and we look forward to those occasions. He will be sorely missed.



Leon McGlashan has circulated letters requesting donations for our Monster Christmas Stocking raffle. Members are encouraged to approach businesses and acquaintances so we can ensure we have a great stocking again.

It was also great to welcome Tee to our meeting again. Tee has been enrolled in and has commenced an English as a Second Language (ESL) course and has become much more comfortable in our environment.

Thank you to Glenyce Lourie, Ron Payne and Mick Costello with helping out with transport for Emma Lewis. Emma and her family really appreciate it.

We have been accepted into a series of workshops (Oct 17, 24, Nov 7 (9:00 – 1:00)) to support the strategic planning processes. This is a great opportunity and I would like to be joined by at least two other people – the first session is next Thursday so let me know asp if you are interested.



Congratulations to PP Alison Bacon PHF who has taken on the role of Treasurer for the Combined Clubs Swap Meet Committee. It seems running a business, bulletin editor, Mechanics Management, web designer and District Conference Secretary isn't quite enough. Thank you Alison

**LOOK FOR
SOMETHING
POSITIVE IN EACH
DAY, EVEN IF
SOME DAYS YOU
HAVE TO LOOK A
LITTLE HARDER.**

Next week we will hear about Gary Frank's recent Kokoda experience with some great photographs. Please note that The Board meeting will be adjourned to the following week.

John Jones
President 2019-2020

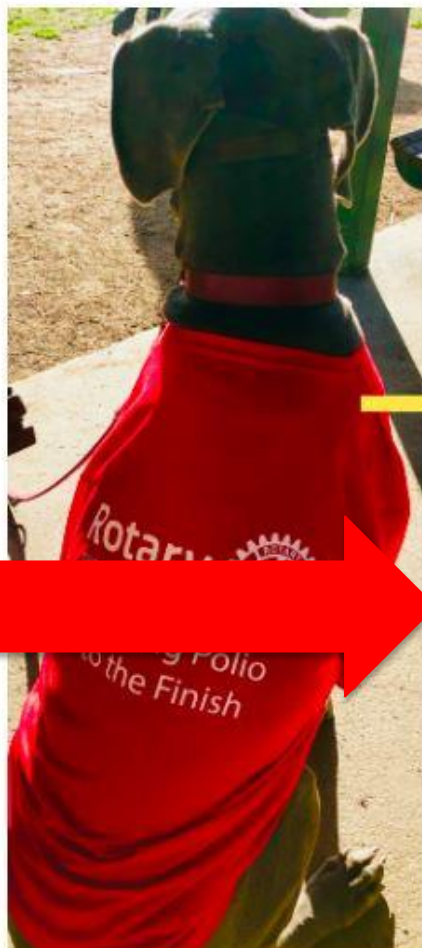
Member Announcements –

Ron Payne

Advised members that the list of tasks circulated at last week's meeting didn't quite make it around all tables, please pop your name onto this document this week to enable a good spread of the workload.



<https://rotarywalk.raisely.com/t/ronpaynesteam>



district 9800

ROTARY WALK TO END POLIO

Join us for a lovely
walk around the
beautiful Albert
Park Lake or
Eaglehawk's Lake
Neangar on
Saturday 19th
October @ 10am

Together, we can
eradicate Polio
from the world



Gordon McKern

Reminded members of the importance of our clubs recognition of his contribution to the BMDI facility from the year of 1992/93 when he was District Governor, and asked that we continue to regard the current efforts underway as an extension of the initial efforts.



Mick Costello

Advised the club that the proceeds from the club's car parking at the Vegecarian Festival was \$1,584.95. Congratulations and thank you to those members who participated in this project. A great community involvement and a handy little fundraising opportunity for us.

Alison Bacon

Advised that a volunteer was needed to open/close the facility for a casual hire for this Saturday. Thank you President John for volunteering.

Leon McGlashan

The winner of the evening's raffle was Graeme Lock – don't drink them all at one Graeme!



And from District this announcement –

Fantastic News from RI - Rotary People of of Action - Connectors Beyond Borders.

D9800 nominee Lucienne Heyworth is one of 6 inspirational people honoured for their work with refugees.

Lucienne was a D9800 sponsored Rotary Peace Fellow (Uppsala University, 2015-17) and will attend the Rotary Day at the UN Headquarters New York.

A happy day for Rotary District 9800 and congratulations to Lucienne.



Rotary Club of Eaglehawk Mallee Silo Bus Tour

When: Saturday 26th of October 2019

**Leaving from the Mechanics Institute Cal Gully
at 7.00am sharp and arriving back at
approximately 6.00pm**

**\$73 per person includes a 2 course meal (choice
of fish or chicken for main and dessert)**

There will be Lucky prizes to be won on the day

Limited seats available

To book please contact either:



Leon on 0407 044 127

Les on 0431 740 111

Dean on 0429 209 555



Date

Friday 11th October 2019

**Why**

Will 2 Walk is an annual fundraiser for the Stroke Association Victoria, 2019 will be the inaugural year for The Bendigo Stroke Support Centre. The walk will see members, friends and family embark on 20km walk along the The O'Keefe Rail Trail to raise funds to support the many programs and activities that make the Bendigo Stroke Support Centre so valuable to the stroke community in our region. The 20km journey is a gesture of respect, gratitude and encouragement for the stroke community. Our walkers, each affected differently by stroke, are united in the goal of representing each and every stroke survivor and carer and the daily hurdles they overcome living with the effects of stroke.

Where

The O'Keefe Rail Trail runs from Heathcote to Bendigo and is 50 kilometres long. Bendigo's Will 2 Walk event will begin at just over the half way point at the Axedale Golf Course and will weave its way through spectacular views of bushland, open fields and farms, finishing up at Lake Weeroona (Lake Weeroona Rowing Club Pavilion).

Start Locations & Times

20km Walk – Start time 7:30am (Meet at Axedale Golf Course Carpark)

10km Walk – Start time 9:30am (Meet at Bennetts Road, O'Keefe Rail Trail, Junortoun)

5km Walk – Start time 10:30am (Meet at Bendigo Baptist Church Carpark, Junortoun)

1.2km & 2.4km walk – Start time 11:00am (Meet at Rowing Club Pavilion & compete one or two loops of Lake Weeroona)

*Arrive 15 minutes prior to start time to allow enough time to check name off participant list.

Event Celebration

The event will be followed by a community BBQ & celebration at The Lake Weeroona Rowing Club Pavilion, hosted in partnership with Rotary Club of Eaglehawk (12pm – 3pm).

Transportation

Those requiring transportation, Axedale Coachlines are generously providing a coach to transport walkers to each start points. Please indicate on registration form if you require a seat on the bus, it will depart from Lake Weeroona carpark (behind rowing club) at the following times:- 20km = 6:45am, 10km = 9:00am & 5km @ 10:00am.

Amenities

There are toilet facilities at the following locations along the route:-

Axedale Golf Course, Axedale

Longlea Recreational Reserve, Longlea

Bendigo Baptist Church Carpark, Junortoun

Lake Weeroona Rowing Club Pavilion

Other Information

Dogs are to remain on leads for duration of event and will not be allowed on coach

Children are to be supervised by an adult

We suggest that participants carry a small pack with a bottle of water and snacks to remain hydrated.

All participants must register by completing the registration form and participant waiver, a copy of this is attached or can be requested by emailing bendigo@strokeassociation.com.au

If you haven't done so already head to the link below to register your fundraising page:-

<https://give.everydayhero.com/au/will2-walk-bendigo-stroke-support-centre>

Below is a link to the O'Keefe Rail Trail on Google Maps:-

<https://www.google.com/maps/@-36.7635658,144.3807841,9040m/data=!3m1!1e3!5m1!1e3?authuser=0>

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me.

Kind regards **Tamara Lalor**

Coordinator - Bendigo Stroke Support Centre

Loddon Mallee Region

Email bendigo@strokeassociation.com.au

Days of work Monday, Tuesday & Thursday, Friday (9:30am – 3:15pm)