THE MAGIC OF ROTARY

Rotary
Rotary Club of Cambridge
District 9423

CAMBRIDGE COURIER

Information about our next Rotary Meeting (usually held at Cambridge Bowling Club, 7.10 for 7.30 am):

Wednesday 13th November 2024

Activity: Suzanne Butler says Stay on Your Feet/Move Your Body

On Duty: Club Host: Mike Graham **Set up/Pack up: Rod Lane**

Coming up soon

Wednesday 20th November 2024

Activity: Dato Haniff – Farming In The Sky/Vertical Farming
Club Host: **John Gartlan**
Set up/pack up: **Stan Robins**

GENERAL NEWS ITEMS

- *Our Rotary WA Driver Education event is scheduled for 27th November at the Showgrounds.*
- *The Lake Monger Community Shed is having an Open Day on 23 November. Details will follow.*

NEWS ABOUT OUR CLUB MEETINGS, ROTARY GENERALLY, & OUR WORLD

Once again, we had no Guest Speaker or indeed no regular meeting, because our Social Committee organised a Melbourne Cup lunch at Jan and Max Puddey's house on Tuesday 5th November. And what a lovely get-together it was! About half of our Members were able to attend together with nine of our Wives, and a very relaxed and enjoyable time was had by all. Jan Puddey did much of the organising, and with people bringing a plate to share, we had a great spread of food fit for kings and queens!

We had a draw for the horses and everyone received a particular nag. When the race was on the excitement was palpable due to the closeness of the contest, and once decided, the winners received their just rewards. There were also prizes for the 'best dressed' man and lady, and each received a beautiful cheeseboard made from a variety of wonderful timbers by Max and the crew at the Lake Monger Community Shed.

A final bit of excitement was a game of bingo in which each participant had a board with a random selection of past Melbourne Cup winners dating back to the late 1800s, and after what seemed an excruciatingly long time, one of the players shouted 'bingo'. She also received one of those beautiful cheeseboards. No doubt the Sergeant will be on the prowl to tax all those winners at our next meeting! Many thanks to the Puddeys and all who contributed in so many ways.

I should have been sad when my torch batteries died; instead, I was delighted.

Birthdays: *Yvonne Graham (3 Nov); Jeremy Wood (13 Nov)*
Wedding anniversaries: *none this time*
Rotary anniversaries: *Peter Burns ('86)*

IF A MEMBER CAN'T ATTEND, OR WANTS TO BRING A VISITOR, PLEASE ADVISE LIBBY LARSEN BY EARLY MONDAY MORNING
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