
ROTARY CLUB
of
North Balwyn

DISTRICT 980



CLUB REPORT
1987-88

ROTARIANS—
UNITED IN SERVICE—DEDICATED TO PEACE



THE YEAR OF POLIO PLUS

ROTARY CLUB OF NORTH BALWYN

1987/88

EIGHTH ANNUAL REPORT

OFFICE BEARERS

President
President Elect
Vice President
Immediate Past President
Secretary
Treasurer

John Robson
David Cheney
P.P John Reddish
P.P Geoff Steinicke
Ron Carnell
Alan Anderson

DIRECTORS

Club Service
Community Service
Fellowship
International Service
Vocational Service
Youth Service

Tom Wing Young
Peter Cook
Ian Lucas
Tony McLean
Murray Carr
Gerry Spencer

CHAIRMEN

Attendance
Grapevine Editor
Rotary Information
Public Relations
Sergeant at Arms
Program
Fund Raising
Membership/Classification
On to Conference
Almoner
Rotary Foundation
Club History
Honorary Auditor
Polio Plus
Bi-Centennial Forum
Exchange Student Counsellor

Ron Carnell
P.P Stan Hibbert
Don Pilgrim
John Mollison
Roger Benallack
Max Hunter
David Cheney
P.P John Etkins
David Cheney
Fred Pike
Lewis Lustig
P.P John Etkins
Ron Phillips
Morry Rubenstein
Bill Kneale
David Stockman

DISTRICT 980 REPRESENTATION

Club Bulletin Committee
Group Study Exchange Committee
Community Service Committee
Rotary Health Research Committee
Youth Service Committee
Peer Support Foundation and Interact Committee
Rotaract Committee and 28 Club

P.P John Etkins
P.P Paul Fitz
P.P Geoff Clark
David Doyle
P.P John Reddish
P.P Geoff Steinicke
P.P David Goldsmith

DISTRICT GOVERNOR

Ian Knight

DISTRICT 980 GOVERNOR GROUP REPRESENTATIVE

P.P Don Wilcox

DISTRICT 980 CONFERENCE AWARDS

Rotary Club of North Balwyn - Rotaract Involvement Award

Golf Trophy
Tennis Trophy

David Cheney
P.P Greg Ross

PAUL HARRIS FELLOW

P.P John Etkins
P.P David Goldsmith
P.P John Reddish

PAST PRESIDENTS

Stan Hibbert (Charter)	1980-81
Geoff Clark	1981-82
John Etkins	1982-83
Kevin Maunder	1983-84
John Reddish	1984-85
Paul Fitz	1985-86
Geoff Steinicke	1986-87

PAST VICE-PRESIDENTS

Paul Fitz	1983-84
Stan Hibbert	1984-85
David Goldsmith	1985-86
Geoff Clark	1986-87

PAST SERGEANT-AT-ARMS

Paul Fitz (Charter)	1980-81
Mervin Lewis	1981-82
Bernie Smith	1982-83
John Robson	1983-84
Marcel Muntwyler	1984-85
Ralph Lee	1985-86
Ian Collins	1986-87

PAST GRAPEVINE EDITORS

Rob Essery (Charter)	1980-81
Ken Proposch	1981-82
John Etkins	1982-83
Paul Fitz	1983-84
John Etkins	1984-85
Peter Kagan	1985-86
Ron Phillips	1986-87

PAST SECRETARIES

Bill Kneale (Charter)	1980-81
Kevin Maunder	1981-82
Ron Carnell	1982-87

PAST TREASURERS

John Robson (Charter)	1980-81
Arthur Dawson	1981-84
Geoff Perdriau	1984-87

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

This Rotary Year will be remembered as "Polio Plus" year, in which each and every Rotary club undertook the task of fulfilling a commitment to raise sufficient funds to immunize the children of the world against Polio and other vaccine-preventable diseases.

Our Club achieved its target of \$10,440, and we are one of twenty two clubs in the District to receive a 100% banner in recognition of our effort.

John Etkins and Geoff Steinicke are to be congratulated on the enthusiastic manner in which they steered the Club towards the ultimate target.

The Club embarked on a Hole-in-One competition as the principal fund raising function for the year. David Cheney accepted the role of Fund Raising Chairman, and under his guidance the project was the most profitable venture undertaken in the eight year history of our club. Apart from the money raised, the project will be remembered for the fellowship enjoyed by all members in the hands-on approach that we revel in.

With the injection of \$16,787 from the hole-in-one competition, supported by the Can Collection proceeds a very well organised Aeromodellers display, and our usual Christmas Stocking raffle, the Club was able to dispense over \$30,000 to various charities and organisations.

That figure reflects great credit on the club, and I believe that it confirms our standing as one of the top clubs in District 980.

It is pleasing to report on our involvement in all facets of Rotary service undertaken in District 980. The following list confirms that we practised the theme "United in Service - Dedicated to Peace".

- A. Hosting of the Indian group study exchange team. A most enjoyable experience for the Rotarian families who acted as hosts.
- B. We currently have Jacyl Shaw in Finland, and Shellie Wright in Canada as representatives of our club in the Youth Exchange programme. We have enjoyed hosting Charle Swanson who came to the Club from Nebraska, USA. Carolyn Greene was welcomed back after her wonderful exchange in Canada. As a fitting climax to the year for Youth activities, our latest nominee to go overseas in January, 1989, Carina Wilkes, has been accepted and will spend 1989 in Norway.
- C. Sponsorship of young lad to attend the RYLA Seminar. He has subsequently advised the club that the course gave him a new direction in his life.
- D. We have nominated and subsidised a young man to attend the next Science Summer School in Canberra.
- E. Our continued development of the Rotary Youth International Art Exchange project to the point that in 1988-89 it will be a District project, with Ron Phillips as Chairman.
- F. Our involvement with the Rotaract club has ensured its growth and stability. The District conference recognised our contribution to Rotaract, and although it was nice to receive an award, our greatest satisfaction comes from seeing the development of the young people in the club.

CLUB SERVICE REPORT 1988

1. *GRAPEVINE* - Editor Stan Hibbert has succeeded in producing an interesting an informative Bulletin. Out ladies and former members residing interstate appreciated the Club Gossip section.
2. *SERGEANT* - Roger Benallack started the year cautiously bu he soon warmed to his work as illustrated by his "HOT" jokes. His five sessions were Humorous and lively.
3. *PUBLIC RELATIONS* - John Mollison brought his professional expertise into his work and our various fund raising activities received good exposure through the media and distribution of pamphlets.
4. *TREASURER* - Alan Anderson kept the Board well informed on our financial state every month. Also the exact dispersement of our income and expenses were greatly appreciated.
5. *MEMBERSHIP* - The low new membership nomination were a concern. But John Etkins maintained a high profile in his investigations and interviews.
6. *ATTENDANCE* - Secretary Ron Carnell efficiently and diligently recorded the attendance or absenteeism of each member throughout the year.
7. *PROGRAMME* - Max Hunter realized the importance of maintaining a steady supply of interesting speakers. At the same time he had to slot in speakers nominated by other committees, fit in Ladies Nights and vocational visits. This difficult job was competently handled/
8. *MEALS* - The meals at our weekly meeting deteriorated, complaints to the hotel management were falling on deaf ears. We then proposed to the Hotel Manager to raise the price of our meal, this he did and the quality has improved correspondingly.

I would like to thank the members of my committee for their support and work in executing their duties for the year 1987-88.

Tom Wing Young
Director



PRE DISTRICT CONFERENCE FELLOWSHIP

"YARRAWONGA"



AT THE ALBURY DISTRICT CONFERENCE

"THE SMILES TELL IT ALL"

TREASURER'S REPORT 1987/88

1. Administration Account

The Account began the year with a balance of \$1,118.20.

<u>Receipts</u>	<u>Estimate</u> <u>1987-88</u>	<u>Actual to</u> <u>31/5/88</u>	<u>Comparison</u> <u>1986-87</u>
Meals & functions	-	28,090 ✓	33,587
Fines	660	659 ✓	671
Copper Pot (Aust. Rotary Health Research Fund)	-	268 ✓	270
Entrance Fees	120	20 ✓	60
Subscriptions	6,825	6,432 ✓	5,628
Donations	500	Nil	45
Bank & other interest	360	285 ✓	349
Badges Banners etc. sales	-	51 ✓	56
Wing Auction	-	766 ✓	919
Safari Dinner Profit	-	181 ✓	604
Horse Racing Night	-	492	368
Crazy Whist Night	-	153 ✓	
	<u>8,465</u>	<u>37,397</u>	<u>42,557</u>

Payments

Australian Rotary Health Research fund (86/87) copper pot	-	270	276
Meals & functions	-	27,655 ✓	32,974
Grapevine printing	850	772 ✓	798
Grapevine postage	850	593 ✓	930
R.I. per Capita Fees	2,100	1,717 ✓	1,827
District 980 levy	750	682 ✓	638
Rotary down under	1,088	992 ✓	952
Rotary publications	120	270	222
Badges,pins,banners & caps	550	489 ✓	634
Stationery & Secretarial	350	338	342
Insurance	450	386 ✓	351
Gifts for Guest Speakers	330	56 ✓	498
Donations - Charter nights	300	100	350
Flowers	330	135	289
Polio Plus	-	160	-
Federal tax on debits	50	42	50
President's expenses	300	130	502
	<u>8,418</u>	<u>34,787</u>	<u>41,633</u>

The Bank Balance at 31st May, 1988 was \$66,74.

2. Service Account

The Bank Balance at the beginning of the year was \$1,022.17

<u>Receipts</u>	<u>Actual to 31/5/88</u>	<u>Comparison 86/87</u>
Aeromodeller Display profit	5,685 ✓	3,621
Christmas stocking profit	2,838 ✓	1,888
Bank & other interest	838 ✓	537
Boroondara cake stall	316 ✓	326
Profit from sale of aluminium cans *	4,200 ✓	620
Hole in one profit	16,787 ✓	-
Profit from sale of Christmas puddings	71	100
	<u>30,735</u>	<u>7,092</u>

* This amount is an end of June estimate.

Payments

Exchange students	1,710 ✓	2,505
Blood pressure & diabetes testing	650 ✓	814
Mittagundi Youth Committee	147 ✓	141
Federal Tax on debits	46 ✓	26
Greythorn Primary School	125 ✓	125
Guest & students meals	980 /	1,140
Rotary Foundation	1,500 ✓	-
Odyssey House	8,265 ✓	-
Brotherhood of St. Laurence	2,000 ✓	-
Life Education Centre	2,940 ✓	-
AIDC National Science Summer School	250 ✓	-
Balwyn High School	50 ✓	-
District 980 RYPEN Committee	100 ✓	-
District 980 RYLA Committee	600 ✓	600
	<u>19,363</u>	<u>5,351</u>

The Service Account Bank Balance at 31st May, 1988 was \$626.67.

Further Payments to be made during June

Paravics Sports Club	250 ✓
Life Education Centre	3,000 ✓
Box Hill Hospital	2,000 ✓
(For Clinical School Service)	
City of Camberwell library	500 ✓
(for Australian Section re Bicentennial)	
Rotary Health Research Fund	1,000 ✓
Club Equipment	250 /
	<u>7,000</u>

Deposit with Partnership Pacific \$10,000

Alan Anderson
Treasurer

Rotary Club of North Balwyn

Membership - Annual Report - 1987-88

1. It is disappointing to have to report upon the first year in which our Club has suffered a nett membership loss of four members.

We commenced the year with 64 members, four of whom had already moved away from Melbourne, but who were still on Leave of Absence, pending invitations to join other Clubs. These four were:-

		<u>Resigned</u>
Ron Coates	to Main Ridge	31.12.87
Tim Ford	to Perth	16. 5.88
George King	to Noosa Heads	31.12.87
Ray Zuccala	to Perth	31.12.87

During the year we further lost

Rob Fletcher	pressure of work	7.12.87
Geoff Ross	workload	11. 7.87
David Wornell	workload	14.12.87
Eric Witts	ill health	16. 2.88

2. Gains. During the year we inducted four new members, with the Classifications shown:-

		<u>Inducted</u>
Terry Keyhoe	Pigments	5.11.87
John Moyle	Metallurgy	19. 5.88
Arfon Jones	Salvation Army	16. 6.88
Alf Gunther	Ambulance Service	16. 6.88

The Board approved two further nominations, one of whom declined membership, whilst the other showed indifference such that the matter was not pressed further. The investigation of one further nomination proved his unsuitability, and was dropped with the approval of the nominating member.

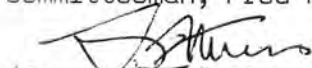
3. We therefore end the year with a membership of 60.

4. Our Club has traditionally relied upon members' nominations of persons known - albeit perhaps sketchily - to them - with tremendous results, both in numbers and in quality.

Our members have been reminded during the year in the Grapevine (twice), verbally by the President (twice) and by this Chairman (thrice) of the need to replace our losses as a minimum, and of the need for us in fact to continue to grow steadily.

We are firmly of the belief that despite apparent setback we are still moving along the right recruiting path for this Club, and that the nett loss of four members this year is only a hiccough brought about by the unusually high interstate movements.

5. We would record our thanks for the tremendous support of our Committeeman, Fred Pike.



(John Etkins) Membership Chairman

ROTARY CLUB OF NORTH BALWYN

YOUTH SERVICE COMMITTEE

ANNUAL REPORT

YOUTH EXCHANGE

Charles Swanson from Nebraska has been our incoming Exchange student. The families Robson, Cheney, Matthews, Steinecke and Perdriau have been his hosts.

It has been a reasonably good exchange, but due to various circumstances, the idea of a members' Entertainment Roster has not proved successful.

We have had two outgoing Exchange students, in Shelley Wright to Canada and Jacyl Shaw to Finland. The Counsellors are John Robson and John McBride. From all reports, both girls are extremely happy in their new countries.

We had 21 applications, of whom 17 were interviewed, for the outgoing Exchange in January 1989. Two girls were sent to District interviews, and Carina Wilkes has been nominated by District, as the Club's student, subject to her passing the District Camp in June. It is worth noting that the student we chose as third, and were able to transfer to Ashburton Club, was selected by them and subsequently by District.

We do not have an incoming student until January 1989, so it will be the responsibility of the new Committee to organise the details for that Exchange.

R.Y.L.A.

Darren Smith and Ross Dennis were chosen by the Club to represent us at the R.Y.L.A. Camp in May.

MITTAGUNDI

We were unable to find a suitable candidate within the local area, but were keen to sponsor a youngster for this experience. As a result, Matthew Oxford was sent to the Camp at the instigation of Mittagundi. A letter of appreciation has been received from Matthew.

R.Y.P.E.N.

This is the first time that the Club has been involved with this scheme, which is aimed specifically at the "also-rans" as opposed to the leaders. Sarah Singleton and Laura Lanzon, of Greythorn High School, attended the Camp, and letters of appreciation have been received.

SUMMER SCIENCE SCHOOL

Craig Downes represented the Club at the School in Canberra, early 1988. It seems likely that we will have a representative this coming year.

VERN McCONCHIE AWARD

Greythorn High School requested the background to the Award, and this has been given to them. It is intended that a permanent plaque will be erected at the School, to commemorate this annual award, which is currently being held at the school.

YOUTH DEBATE

After considerable discussion, it was decided to hold the Debate again this year, but for Year 10s. M.L.C., Carey, Marcellin and Greythorn were the four schools taking part. The Semi-Final is being held at Carey, on 23rd May, with the Final planned for 1st September.

PEER SUPPORT

Considerable work was done to persuade Greythorn High School to be active in this project. We believe there is a basic desire for it in the school, but it will not be introduced, at the earliest, until 1989.

"THINK TWICE"

This video was presented to Greythorn High School.

RAFT RACE

The work before the Raft Race was all done by the Rotaract Club, and there was minimal participation by the Rotary Club.

ROTARACT

The Rotaract Club organised the District Conference, and at the time of writing, a report is anticipated.

The Statement of Accounts is also awaited, but it is understood that there is a credit balance of \$1500 in Admin., and \$200 in the Service Account.

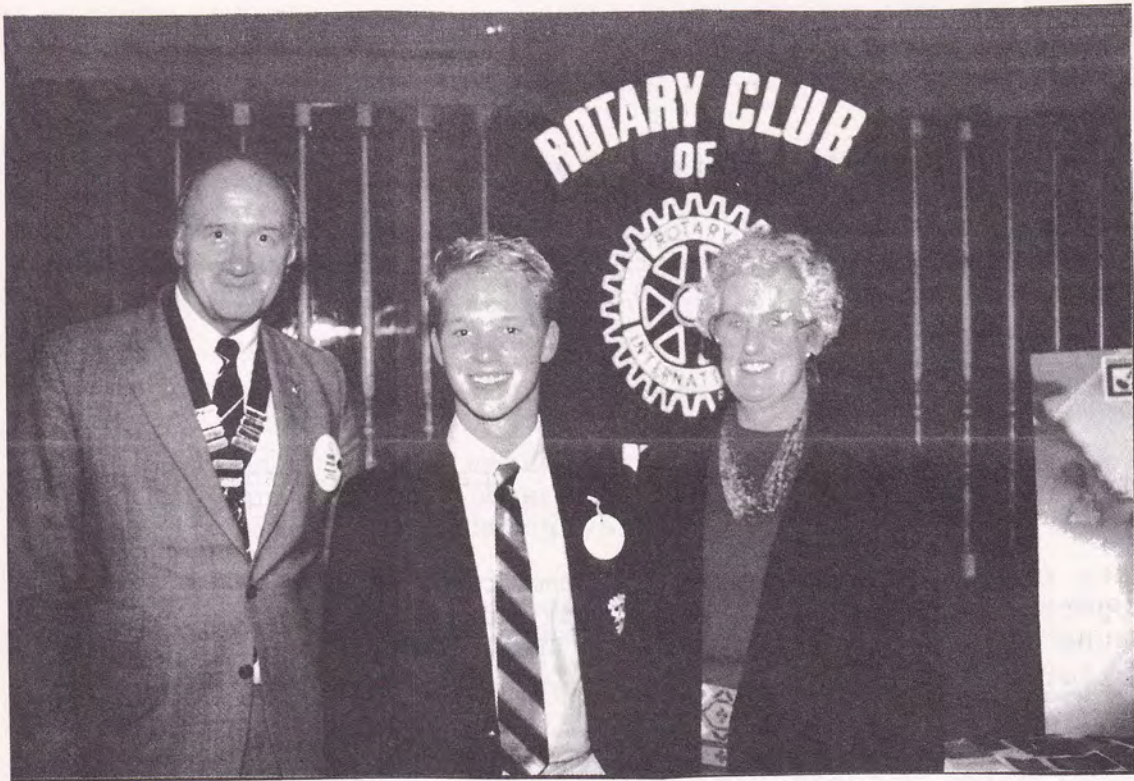
The new Board for 1988/89 has been selected, with Catherine Donkin as President.

I should like to thank all members of my Committee, for their tremendous support throughout the year, and particularly Ron Phillips, for the enthusiasm with which he has tackled, and supported, the Rotaract Club.

Gerry Spencer

YOUTH SERVICES DIRECTOR

16th May, 1988



U.S.A. EXCHANGE STUDENT - CHARLES SWANSON

WITH THE PRESIDENT AND HIS WIFE



PRESENTATION OF BLAZERS TO JACYL SHAW AND SHELLIE KNIGHT

ROTARY CLUB OF NORTH BALWYN

CLUB REPORT 1987-88

COMMUNITY SERVICE COMMITTEE

The members of the Committee were:

PETER COOK	Chairman
DAVID STOCKMAN	Deputy Chairman
RUSSELL FYNMORE	
BILL KNEALE	
GREG MATTHEWS	
OM PAHUJA	
GREG ROSS	
BERNIE SMITH	

The Can Collection Centre at Camberwell continued to be the major project of the Committee and under the excellent leadership of Greg Mathews achieved a steady increasing revenue for the club.

In the period 1 July 1987 to 19 December 1987 4201 kg of cans were collected and these yielded a profit of \$1034.

Camalco increased the price paid for cans in 1988 and the profit margin for Rotary is now 22c/kg.

During the second half of the year the amount of cans collected each week continued to increase and up to 31 May 9570 kg of cans were received with a club profit of \$2,105.

Containers Packaging Pty Ltd again agreed to match our profit dollar for dollar up to \$1,000 and this gave a yearly total from the Cans Project of \$4,140.

The club gratefully acknowledges the generous support of Containers Packaging.

The Committee arranged the purchase of an IBM Personal Computer and Printer at a cost of \$2,940 from the can collection funds and this was presented to the Life Education Centre on 18 February.

The Salvation Army Door Knock was held on 21 June 1987 and was conducted by the previous committee. The current Committee will be responsible for the 1988 collection in July.

The EDAR Fete was held on 10 October with David Stockman in charge and although held only 1 week before the Hole-in-One was well attended. The Trash and Treasure stall produced \$475 and Geoff Steinicke's Peanut Butter stand yielded \$135. The total day resulted in \$9,623 for the EDAR Centre.

Bernie Smith organised the Blood Donors project and 8 members attended each of the our donation sessions.

The club again ran a cake stall at the Boroondara Shopping Centre Festival on 21 November. The ladies under the guidance of Sue Fitz raised \$316 and receive our grateful thanks for their efforts.

This year it was decided to locate the Health Survey Units at the Camberwell Shopping Centre. The new location attracted a large crowd and 692 people had blood pressure tests, 680 diabetes and 614 chest x-rays, a total of 1986 testes over the 2 days. Many thanks to Bill Kneale who was in charge of the project.

A tree planting working bee was held at Marwall Ave in October and the annual clean up evening on 10 March. An excellent turn out of members on both occasions produced an excellent result.

The club again supported the Yooralla Special School Art Show on May 27-29 by providing assistants during the exhibition. This Art Show raises over \$9,000 for Yooralla and is an excellent opportunity for Rotary to assist the community.

The Committee examined a number of possible projects during the year and due to the pressure of existing commitments was unable to meet requests for assistance or initiate new schemes.

The City of Camberwell continues to co-ordinate the Service Club Liaison Committee. Two meetings were attended but participation by other clubs has been poor.

I would like to thank the Committee for there efforts during the year and especially acknowledge the help and guidance of Deputy Chairman David Stockman who represented the Committee at Board meetings on occasions.

Peter Cook
COMMUNITY SERVICE DIRECTOR



HEALTH SURVEY PROJECT



BENDING THE BACK - MARWALL AVENUE

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VOCATIONAL SERVICE COMMITTEE

Committee Members

Chairman: Murray Carr
Rob Head
David Goldsmith
David Doyle
Imre Lele
John Reddish
Glen Walmsley

Report on the Year's Activities

Following the untimely resignation of Roger Wiggill, the Director of Vocational Service, prior to the commencement of the year, this Committee got off to a somewhat uncertain start. I am pleased to report, however, that the Committee, with a good mixture of Rotary experience and enthusiasm, the members saw the uncertain start as a challenge to not only achieve a good year, but to put Vocational Service on the map with some worthwhile projects.

Job Counselling - O'Dyssey House

Under the leadership of Rob Head who was assisted by Imre Lele and John Mollison, advice and counselling was provided to level 4 people at O'Dyssey who are about to graduate from the program and search for work. These sessions were received with enthusiasm and were conducted on two occasions and it has been suggested that these discussions will need to be held about every three months. It is suggested that this most worthwhile and satisfying project be maintained, drawing on the experience of members to provide counselling.

International Vocational Exchange

At the suggestion of John Reddish, the Committee introduced this project as a variation of the R.O.V.E. (Rotary Vocational Exchange), which calls for the exchange of trades people or workers, with their employers paying the cost of the exchange. It was found that if an employer wanted an employee to gain experience through a transfer, the employer was content to organise and control the event. The Committee decided that there must be some organisations which could benefit from an exchange of staff and the cross fertilisation of ideas however lack the where withal to originate and fund the transfer.

It was decided to offer the Box Hill Hospital the opportunity of gaining experience from the above scheme through an exchange with a New Zealand Hospital on the basis that Rotary stands the cost of transporting the staff in the exchange.

At the time of this report, Box Hill has allocated a nursing sister to transfer to N.Z. and we await a positive response from that country within six months.

SITE VISITS

During the year, two site visits were arranged at Police Headquarters D24 and A.P.M. at Heidelberg. Both visits were followed by most convivial dinners which sealed these nights as successful occasions.

ADVANCES IN MY VOCATION

Stan Hibbert, Ron Phillips, Clive Hughes and Murray Carr spoke to the Club in entertaining and lively talks on their vocational activities.

RON CARR ENTREPRENEURIAL AWARD

The Hawthorn Club has run this award over the past three years with a great deal of success and decided to involve the clubs in our area to ensure the ongoing activity. Murray Carr represented North Balwyn on this committee which initiated entries for this year and subsequently chose a winner for the award which was presented at a dinner at Leonda Restaurant on the first of June 1988.

M.D. Carr

INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE - 1987/8

- Committee Members were Tony McLean - Chairman, Ian Collins, Terry Keyhoe, Lew Lustig, John Magor, Geoff Perdriau and Ken Proposch.
- Our objectives for the year were to retain and enhance the major initiatives being pursued by the previous committee such as the Rotary International Youth Art Exchanges and in addition, to inject on an ongoing basis, a greater awareness in the Club of international events. At the same time we determined to promote and to fulfil our commitments to Rotary Foundation, Ipac, FAIM, etc.
- The major project pursued during the year was the R.I. Youth Art Exchange. North Balwyn R.C. is proud to have initiated the project and we wished to ensure it's continuance.

Painting exchanges during the year were as follows:-

<u>FROM</u>	<u>TO</u>
Broxton Park, Stony Plain, Canada	Hallam Primary
Hong Kong	Brentwood Primary
Hallam Primary	Stony Plain, Canada
	Hong Kong
	North Platte, Nebraska
PLC	Broxton Park, Canada
Doncaster Park	Meridian Heights
	Stony Plain, Canada
Forest Green School	North Balwyn State
Stony Plain, Canada	Deepdene Primary

In addition, letters have been written to our exchange students, Jacyl Shaw in Finland and Shelley Wright in British Colombia requesting their help with further exchanges.

Special thanks are owed to Caroline Greene for her help in arranging Canadian contacts.

On a district level, incoming D.G. David Wills has requested that a District R.I.Y.A.E. Committee be formed and Ron Phillips has kindly consented to be the inaugural Chairman.

- Rotary Foundation - the highlight of the year was the hosting of the Indian Group Study Exchange team for 3 days in March, 1988. Six host families looked after the team who were treated to a trip to the zoo, a tour of the Ford plant, a barbecue, a reception with the Camberwell Mayor and a night of football at V.F.L. Park.

Two requests for applications were received for the Rotary Foundation Scholarship but no further contact has been made.

WORLD UNDERSTANDING

- Our contribution in this area included brief announcements to N.B.R.C. whenever international holidays of importance took place - to inform members of the meaning of the holidays.

Also several articles were contributed by the committee to the Bulletin giving brief histories of the men and women depicted on our Australian currency notes - and speakers were arranged, such as the Chilean Consul to speak to the Club.

INTERNATIONAL HOUSE

- Representatives of N.B.R.C. attended Cafe International night - a variety night produced entirely by students for Rotary clubs in July 1987.

Endeavours were made to have students to our Thursday meeting for dinner to give them an opportunity to enjoy a different type of night. We were not successful due to exams, holidays etc. but the idea, we believe, is sound.

IPAC, FAIM, INTERPLAST

- Guest speakers for each of the above projects were arranged during the year and gave members an insight into the activities being pursued. Because of the emphasis on Polio - Plus the projects tended to be placed somewhat on the "backburner" during 1987/8 but can be advanced in 1988/9.

SUMMARY

- An interesting entertaining and informative year with worthwhile ongoing projects. The Committee thanks members for their generous support during the year.

A. McLEAN



HOSTING THE INDIAN GROUP STUDY EXCHANGE TEAM



100% BEHIND THE PLAN TO IMMUNISE THE CHILDREN OF THE WORLD

FELLOWSHIP REPORT 1987-1988

On behalf of my Committee, I have pleasure in reporting on the following activities held during the past year.

July - Crazy Whist Night

Held at Marwall Avenue this year and again proved to be a popular night with over 40 players trying their skills with cards.

August - Cinema Night

A night out at the Village Balwyn to see the heart-warming Australian film 'Travelling North'.

September - Corowa Weekend

Golf, tennis and even ballooning for some on this weekend away.

October - Melbourne Cup Racing Night

Thrilling horse racing and all the fun of owning and backing your own thoroughbred. A highlight of the night was the Ladies Parade of innovative and original Hat Fashions.

November - BBQ

Held again at Banksia Park where some 50 people christened and approved John McBride's superb barbecue.

December - Christmas Meeting

An excellent evening as usual with some traditional decor and a singing competition supported enthusiastically by all.

December - New Years Eve Party

Held again at the Reddish's and although dampened by an evening shower, it was a happy way for us to bring in the New Year.

March - Conference - Albury

Many opportunities for fellowship as members and wives journeyed to Albury for the annual district conference.

April - Golf Day / Bush Walk

Beautiful weather, wonder scenery and an appetising midday meal, all combined to make this a pleasant day for those who ventured to Marysville.

May - Safari Dinner

Seventy plus people traversed the municipality to enjoy the home cooking of our ladies. A highlight of the Fellowship Year.

May - Club Birthday

Over 100 members and wives celebrated the Club's 8th Anniversary Dinner in '88, enjoyed the renditions of a singing duo and applauded the presentation of three Paul Harris Fellow Awards.

June - Wine Auction

A successful fund raiser and a fun night with some bargain purchases.

June - Changeover Dinner

At the time of writing, the arrangements are well in hand. We look forward to the usual entertaining night on this official occasion.

In addition to the above events, we had many opportunities for Club Fellowship with, for instance, the Hole-in-One Competition, the Aeromodellers Display, Edar Fete, Yooralla Art Show, Salvation Army Door Knock, Health Testing Weekend and our regular Cash-a-Can Collection stand. All of these 'working' activities give us the chance to get to know our fellow Rotarians and I encourage all our members to utilise the similar opportunities which will present themselves in the coming year.

I offer my sincere thanks to all my fellow Committee Members for the assistance in taking responsibility for planning and handling the events during this past year. Special thanks to the ladies for their assistance and support and particularly to those who offered their homes for Club functions throughout the year.

Finally, to Peter Cook who is about to take up the reins with a new Fellowship Committee, we wish you the best for 1988/89.

Ian Lucas
Director



SINGING THE BLUES - 1988 CHRISTMAS FUNCTION



AT THE BAR

FUND RAISING REPORT

COMMITTEE - DAVID CHENEY (CHAIRMAN)

CLIVE HUGHES

PETER KAGAN

GRAEME SMITH

TOM WING YOUNG

Following the lead from the previous year, the committee's role was to serve as a co-ordinating and supervisory body, whose aim was to involve all members of the club in fund raising:-

Emphasis was placed on raising funds from the public, rather than from the members, with the overriding desire to develop a major fund raising project that will prove to be ongoing on an annual basis.

"HOLE-IN-ONE"

With this in mind, the "hole-in-One" committee was formed, with representation from each club committee, and with specific areas of responsibility assigned to those committees.

The highly sponsored event proved an outstanding success, from the fundraising, public relations and fellowship viewpoints.

Net proceeds amounted to \$16,800.00

CASH-A-CAN

Under Greg Matthews (Community Service Committee), this project has continued to grow, and it can be expected to contribute around \$3,000 annually.

CHRISTMAS STOCKING

With Graeme Smith in charge, the Christmas Stocking effort proved a great public relations exercise, and raised a profit of \$2,800.

POLIO PLUS

Geoff Stienicke was given the task of continuing to elicit the club's support for "Polio Plus", and his committee's efforts saw over \$1,500 raised by Chocolate Bar sales, and collection tin distribution. The club's obligation of \$10,490 was met with the final donation being made at the District Conference.

BOOROONDARA FETE

The cake stall, organized by the Community Service committee and Om Pahuja, with great assistance from Sue Fitz and the ladies, raised over \$300 at the Fete.

AEROMODELLERS DISPLAY

With Glen Walmsley in charge of an enthusiastic committee, this proved another great success, with prior publicity coming from a display at Doncaster Shopping-town, and beautiful weather on the day. A net profit of \$5,700 was achieved.

SUNDRIES

The sale of a Panda, and sundry Christmas Puddings, raised \$85.00, and the annual Melbourne Cup Dinner festivities added a further \$500.00 to the clubs funds.

Participation of club members was also evident at the Edar Fete and Red Cross calling, door knocks.

SUMMARY

In all, the club's fund raising efforts amassed over \$31,000. Distribution of these funds is detailed under the Treasurer's Report.

I would like to thank Clive, Peter, Tom and Graeme for their individual contributions. Equally important however, has been the involvement of the majority of the members, and all of the club committees.

Finally, I wish my successor, Greg Matthews all possible success in the coming year.

David Cheney



HOLE-IN-ONE COMPETITION

"THE THREE WINNERS"



HOLE-IN-ONE COMPETITION

"CLEANING THE BALLS"



AEROMODELLERS DISPLAY AT SHOPPINGTOWN, DONCASTER



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CLUB PROGRAM

1987 - 88

Meeting Date	Subject of Program	Member in charge of Program	Name of Speaker/Notes	Avenue of Service
July 2	Club Forum	J.B. Robson	---	---
July 9	G.S.E. Trip to U.S.A. Bus.	Don Haycraft	Jill Earnshaw	
July 16	Aust - China	Alan Anderson	Russ Fynmore *	
July 23	Youth Exchange Farewell	David Goldsmith	Matti Paljakka	
July 30	Stress Management	Tony McLean	Carol Gannon	
Aug. 6	D.G. Visit	J.B. Robson	Ian Knight	---
Aug.13	International Physician World Congress	Bill Kneale	Dr. David Lancaster	
Aug.20	Auto Diographics	David Willshire	Imre Lele, Graeme Smith*	
Aug.27	Teaching students with disabilities	Geoff Clark	Ian Collins Eve Lustig, Prue Goldsmith. ø	
Sept.3	Tax Effective Investment	Tony McLean	John Magor *	
Sept.10	Youth exchange	David Stockman	Charles Swanson	
Sept.17	Youth work in Camberwell	Gerry Spencer	Steve Baxter	
Sept.24	V.F.L. Grand Final	John Mollison	Max Hunter Quiz & Fun	
Oct. 1	Vocational Talks	Murray Carr	Ron Phillips, Stan Hibbert *	
Oct. 8	Diabetics Foundation	Tom Wing Young	Graham Wilcee	
Oct.15	Experiences in Golf	David Cheney	Doug Bachli	
Oct.22	Rotary Foundation	Ian Collins	Sister Veronica Rosier	
Oct.29	Mini Melb. Cup	Ralph Lee	Races, Hat Parade	
Nov. 5	Footlight Follies	David Goldsmith	Greg Ross *	
Nov.12	Spastic Society	Rob Head	Derek Nelson	
Nov.19	Stock Market & its ramifications	Glen Walmsley	Ralph Lee *	
Nov.26	Laryngotomy	John Reddish	Dr. Brian Costello	
Dec.3	Year for shelter for homeless	Peter Cook	Bishop Peter Hollingworth	
Dec.10	A.G.M. & Forum	J.B. Robson	Duncan McKenzie Jack Nankervis Stan Hibbert Ron Wilcox Singing Carols	Forum
Dec.17	Christmas Dinner	Ron Phillips		
Dec.24	Fellowship Breakfast	J.B. Robson	---	
Dec.31	New Years Eve	---	Fellowship	

* Club Members

ø Rotary Ladies

Jan 7	Club Visit to	East Kew	---
Jan 14	Rotary Quiz	Tom Wing Young	Quiz Master - Stan Hibbert
Jan 20	Visit to D24	Murray Carr	Snr. Sergeant Graham Thiesseo
Jan 27	Rotary	John Etkins	Ray Chambers
Jan			
Feb. 4	Odyssey House	John Robson	Visit and Presentation
Feb. 11	Chile	Russell Fynmore	Consul-Roland Stein
Feb. 18	Life Education Centre	Geoff Clark	Colin Martin.
Feb 25	Youth Exchange - Canada	Tony McLean	Carolyn Greene
Feb			
Mar. 3	Flying - Wartime, postwar	John Thwaites	Ron Carnell *
Mar. 10	Community Service	Peter Cook	Working Bee - Marnall Avenue
Mar. 17	A.P.M.	Imre Lele	Vocational Visit
Mar. 24	G.S.E. Visit	Paul Fitz, Om Pahuja	Indian G.S.E. Team
Mar. 31	Property Development	Alan Anderson	Clive Hughes *
April 7	Club Forum	John Robson	Open Discussion
April 14	"Inter Plast"	John Magor	Mrs. Rose Ravech
April 21	Jewish Religion & Culture	Lewis Lustig	Rabbi Danny Schiff
April 28	Wheeling & Dealing	Bernie Smith	Murray Carr *
April			
May 5	The Law and You	John Mollison	Ian Dunn-President Law Institute
May 12	Modern Marriage	John Etkins	Bernard Boas
May 19	Investing your taxes	Greg Matthews	Bob Ede, Gary Andrews
May 26	8th Club Birthday	Ron Carnell	Duncan McKenzie Presentation - 3 Paul Harris Awards
May			
June 2	Wine Auction	Ian Lucas	Clive Hughes - Auctioneer
June 9	V.F.L.	Stan Hibbert	Alan Schwab
June 16	Law and Order	Ron Phillips	Paul Delanis
June 23	Youth Exchange - Farewell		Charles Swanson - U.S.A.
June 30	Changeover	Tom Wing Young	John Robson

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