

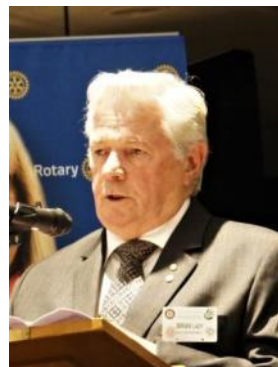


MEETING REPORT

Our Speaker for the night was our member Brian Lacy AO, and as we often find, autobiographies by our members are a memorable evening. Again this was the case as we heard Brian's life story which included:-

- * Joining the Australian Army as a young man and seeing active service in areas of South East Asia including Vietnam.
- * Being a mature aged student obtaining a Law Degree as a 40 year old followed by a Master's in Commerce [with honours] in 1992.
- * As an Administrator with the Indian Ocean Territories, Brian chaired the Christmas Island and Cocos Islands Emergency Management Committees during which there was a tragic asylum seeker boat disaster in 2010 and detention centre riots on Christmas Island in 2011.
- * Brian was appointed Senior Deputy President of the Australian Industrial Relations Commission in 2011

A very distinguished career as a solicitor and barrister led to a well deserved Order of Australia.



Our Host for the evening, Kinga Paulheim, with Brian.

Also around the club.

A group of Club Members spent some time playing golf at Moama.

And what's better than being serenaded at night by a couple of wandering minstrels!



NOTICE TO MEMBERS.

Because our next two meeting nights are on **Wednesdays**, please notify Hugo of Apologies and guests **by 5 pm Monday 15th** for the meeting at KGC, and **Monday 22nd** for the meeting at the Greythorn Community Hub.

Club Diary

Club Birthday Celebration 9 May 2019

Camp Getaway Working Bee 11-13 October 2019

Fellowship Weekend 15-17 November 2019

Read about Rotary in your area in The Progress Leader
<http://leader.smedia.com.au/progress/>

APOLOGIES FOR CLUB MEETINGS

Sign the "apology sheet" at the front desk at the prior meeting if you know in advance. Or E-mail to Hugo Goetze at hugogoetze@netspace.net.au or 9857 6701

Please apologise no later than 5pm on Monday.

Our Leadership



RI President
Barry Rassin



DG 9800
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President
RCNB
Nino Sofra

MEETINGS THURSDAYS

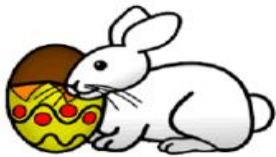
6 for 6.30pm
Kew Golf Club
120 Belford Road Kew
3102
Ph.
9859 6848

Hot Cross Bun Fund-Raiser

Buy your Hot Cross Buns from John Koa's *Bakers Delight* in North Balwyn Village and he will donate \$1.50 to the Club for each 6-Pack sold !



He has *Traditional, Apple & Cinnamon* and new *Cadbury's Dairy Milk Chocolate Chip Buns* and each cost \$7.50 per 6-Pack.



When you buy your buns just tell the *Bakers Delight* staff that you are from the North Balwyn Rotary Club.

Happy Easter.

Below is a request for help at DIK from Bob Glindemann.

Over the next 3 months, we will need some assistance at the store as at various times Laurie Fisher , David Dippie and Bob Glindemann will all be away taking some holidays.

Some of their dates overlap.

Laurie:- will be away from Friday April 19th returning Tuesday May 21st.

David:- will be away from Saturday June 1st returning on Saturday June 15th

Bob:- will be away from Thursday April 18th returning Wednesday April 24th and away from Tuesday May 21st and returning June 30th.

During this time can you spread the word?

"A couple of additional bodies each Tuesday and Thursday at DIK Somerville Rd West Footscray will be most appreciated as there are collections to be made and a number of containers to despatch."

We have at least 6 containers to consolidate and despatch.

Large collections from Sunshine Hospital and a nursing home at Caulfield are also scheduled.

Both have multiple hospital beds which we need for some of the containers coming up.

You can see here the over lapping periods in particular *but in any event, we need some extra hands on the Tuesdays and Thursdays*

Additionally in that period there are half a dozen Saturday Club visits/working bees.

So DIK is in for a very busy 3months from now to end June.

Bob will appreciate your advice of when *you* or some of your *fellow Rotarians and friends* may be available to lend a hand.

Call Bob on 0418 102 702 or

Laurie on 0428 550 574

e: dik.vic.rotary@gmail.com

MEETING ROSTERS

Wednesday 17 April

Greeters: David de Garis, Larry Fitzpatrick
Set Up: Adam Hillary, Ian Mollison
Desk: Rowan McClean, Kinga Paulheim

Speaker:- No Speaker required**Host:-****Topic:-****Note:- This meeting is a change of date and will be held at The Hub Community Centre.****Wednesday 24 April**

Greeters: Chris Flavelle Smith, Jeanette Leigh
Set Up: John Koa, Tony Hart
Desk: Jim Romanis, Anthony Stokes

Speaker:- No Speaker required**Host:-****Topic:-****Thursday 2 May**

Greeters: Phil Francis, Jim Romanis
Set Up: Estelle Kelly, John Koa
Desk: Jim Studebaker, Rob Head

Speaker:- Leigh Woodgate**Host:-****Topic:-** 7 Steps to Overcoming Adversity.

A champion jockey, Leigh's catastrophic fall was broadcast on national television.

With the racing world watching and fearing the worst,

Leigh survived and after 15 years repairing her shattered body and mind, Leigh's perseverance and dedication, is awe-inspiring. An inspirational and motivating evening as Leigh presents her "Australian Story" to overcoming adversity.

This is a Partner's night as we celebrate the Club's 39th Birthday**Thursday 9 May**

Greeters: Beatrice Ko, Rowan McClean
Set Up: Findley Cornell, Don Taylor
Desk: Joe Butler, Bronwen Dimond

Speaker:- No Speaker required**Host:-****Topic:-****Meeting No.39****Thursday, 11th April 2019****Present:**

Guest Speaker 1 Member Brian Lacy AO, an autobiography.

NB Members 38

Partners 4 Joan Lacy, Diane Goetze, Bev Sofra & Carol Studebaker

Members Present 38 = 54.3% ; Membership = 70

Apologies (on time) = 23, LOA = 6, late apologies = 2, No Show = 1

External Activities : 11 2nd Bite delivery to CamCare - 11th April Hugo Goetze & Steven Greatorex.

(Board Approved) Fareshare - Larry Fitzpatrick, Schools Reading Project - school holidays.

Camberwell Sunday Market, 7/4 Adam Hillary & Garth Symington;

Gardening Project - school holidays, next 26 & 27 April, Catering BBQ - next, Easter Saturday 20 April.

Men's Shed - David Cheney, Peter Elliott (2), Tony Hart (2) & Greg Matthews.

Birthdays and Anniversaries between April 15 to April 21

Weddings: Joe and Fran Butler, Ted and Margaret Wilkins, Larry and Karen Fitzpatrick

Birthdays: Peter Downton, Beatrice Ko

Inductions: Garth Symington

PARTY TIME!

The Rotary Club of North Balwyn turns 39
We've been very busy, now it's time to Party.
Put on your glad rags and kick up your
heels.

Sarah MacLaine and friends are coming to
entertain us.

Thursday 9th May 2019
6 for 6:30pm

Kew Golf Club
120 Belford Rd, East Kew

R.S.V.P. on 9857 6701 or
To Hugo Goetze hugogoetze@netspace.net.au

Model United Nations Assembly (MUNA)

This year, our Club has sponsored two teams to attend the District 9800 Model United Nations Assembly (MUNA). Daniel Moshopoulos and Edward Spink from Trinity Grammar School will represent North Korea and Balwyn High School's Leroy Floyd and Ned Lindenmayer have been allocated the United States of America.

During their debates, the positions held by both of these countries are likely to be very much at odds with the boys' personal opinions on a number of issues, so it should be an interesting and challenging experience for all four of our participants.

In past years, both Trinity Grammar and Balwyn High have performed very well, showing evidence of excellent research, which has resulted in a deep understanding of their allocated country's international position on issues such as world security, human rights, protecting the environment and other areas affecting the future of the planet.

Students dress in the national costume of their country and passionately argue their cases in the hope of winning the competition and progressing to National level.

This year, MUNA is being held at Swinburne University, in the AMDC building Room 301, on the weekend of 27th – 28th April. Resolutions will be discussed from 9:00am to 5:00 pm on the Saturday and from 9:00am to 3:00pm on the Sunday, with a lunch break from 12.45pm – 1:30pm on both days.

MUNA will close with an award ceremony at 3:30pm.

Observers are very welcome throughout the weekend and I would encourage any members and their families who have not seen the spectacle that is MUNA, to drop in to Swinburne for an hour or so.

You won't be disappointed!



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Geoff's Health Tip

Is 5G safe?

I have read that 5G networks are the next generation of mobile internet connectivity, offering faster speeds and more reliable connections on smart-phones and other devices than ever before.

5G should offer connections that are multitudes faster than current connections, with average download speeds of around 1GBps expected to be the norm.

Those interested in the 'Internet of Things' technology will know that the infrastructure is expected to carry huge amounts of data, allowing for a smarter and more connected world.

With development well underway and test-beds already live world-wide, 5G networks are expected to launch across the world by 2020 providing speedier connections that stay online no matter where you are.

HOWEVER, IT MAY COME AT A COST

In an article written by Alison Main "Should the Network Really Be Everything?", the author questions our almost blind embrace of this new technology along with its 5G network based in the "Cloud". She points out that health effects of the new 5G technology have not been adequately tested.

Recently the Belgian Minister for Housing, Quality of Life, Environment and Technology, Celine Fremalt, announced that Brussels is halting its 5G plans due to health effects.

Ms. Fremault accurately identified that a 5G pilot project of 95 megaWatts/square meter is not compatible with Belgian radiation standards. In the Belgian Building Biology guidelines, the threshold for extreme concern is 1 megaWatt/square meter.

Many scientists have called for a safety review. One such voice is Dr Martin Paul, Emeritus Professor, Washington State University, whose research actually lays out the mechanism of how wireless radiation causes harm to our cells. He calls 5G "the stupidest idea in the history of the world".

Are politicians thinking about the safety of 5G? More importantly, are you thinking about the safety of 5G?

Geoff





CAMBERWELL SUNDAY MARKET ROSTER – No 34

Sunday	6.45am – 10.00am	9.45am – 1.00pm
21 April Easter Sunday	Tak Yukawa	Janie Pirret
28 April	Kinga Paulheim	Estelle Kelly
5 May	Garth Symington	Eileen Toohill
12 May	Geoff Kneale	Geoff Steinicke
19 May	Don Taylor	Imre Lele
26 May	John Rennie	Russell Cooper
2 June	Neil Marshall	Nino Sofra
9 June	Estelle Kelly	Findley Cornell
16 June	Greg Cribbes	Larry Fitzpatrick
23 June	Bill Oakley	Colin Sharp
30 June	Tak Yukawa	Brian Lacy
7 July		Marcel Muntwyler
14 July	Rob Head	
21 July		
28 July		
4 August		
11 August		

Please let me know as soon as possible if you are cancelling

Geoff Steinicke Mob 0418 175 130 email gwsteinicke@bigpond.com

Second Bite Roster

The Roster to collect food from Second Bite and deliver to Camcare.

Date		Volunteer Driver	Team Members NOT available
18	April	Kris Walters	
25	April	Closed Anzac Day	
2	May	Steven Greateorex	
9	May		
16	May	Greg Cribbes	
23	May		
30	May		
6	June		
13	June		
20	June		
27	June	Greg Cribbes	

Catering Roster

Catering is one of major fundraising activities - help is always wanted!! so if you can help at any of the following, please email: jane.pennington@bigpond.com

20 April	Bunnings		8.30am to 12.00pm	12.00pm to 4.00pm
Saturday	Middleborough Rd	1	Sarah Hurst	Don Taylor
	Box Hill	2	Sandy Jayasinghe	Brian Lacy
		3	Jagarth Jayasinghe	Bill Oakley
		4	Emily Rowling	
		5	Tess Rowles	
		6	Emily Melinyk	
	Eftpos Machine Manager		Bill Oakley	
25 April	ANZAC Day		5.30am to 9.30am	
Thursday	Doncaster RSL	1	Greg Matthews	4 Bill Oakley
	Doncaster Road	2	Jane Pennington	5 Nino Sofra
		3	Greg Cribbes	6 John Gartlan
			Barista: David de Garis	David Cheney
8 June	Bunnings		8.30am to 12.00pm	12.00pm to 4.00pm
Saturday	Middleborough Rd	1	Sarah Hurst	Pirozek Family
	Box Hill	2	Jagarth Jayasinghe	Pirozek Family
		3	Emily Rowling	Georgia Suddick
		4	Bill Oakley	Brian Lacy
		5		Bill Oakley
	Eftpos Machine Manager			
29 June	Bunnings		8.30am to 12.00pm	12.00pm to 4.00pm
Saturday	Middleborough Rd	1	Bill Oakley	Bill Oakley
	Box Hill	2		Brian Lacy
		3		Janie Pirett
		4		
		5		
	Eftpos Machine Manager			
13 July	Miniatures		8.30am to 12.30pm	12.00pm to 4.00pm
Saturday	Glen Waverley	1		
		2		
		3		
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		8		

Rotary Gardens Project

This roster has been expanded to third term. Plenty of opportunities for volunteers.

Date	School	Time	RCNB Supervisor	Assisted by (1 or 2 pls.)
SCHOOL HOLS				
Fri 26 April	CGS, XC	3-5pm	R McClean	I Glenny
Sat 27 April	MLC	10-noon	S Hardikar	+ B Ormerod (C'care)
Fri 3 May	CGS, XC	3-5pm	G Haddy	I Glenny
Fri 10 May	CGS, XC	3-5pm	G Symington	I Glenny
Sat 11 May	MLC	10-noon		M Muntwyler, B Ormerod (C'care)
Fri 17 May	CGS, XC	3-5pm	G Cribbes	
Sat 18 May	MLC	10-noon		
Fri 24 May	CGS, XC	3-5pm	G Cribbes, G Symington	I Glenny, I Adams (at Eva T)
Sat 25 May	MLC	10-noon		
Fri 31 May	CGS	3-5pm	R McClean	I Glenny
Fri 14 June	XC	3.45 – 5pm	G Cribbes	I Glenny
SCHOOL HOLS				
Fri 19 July	CGS, XC	3-5pm	G Haddy	I Glenny
Fri 26 July	CGS, XC	3-5pm	G Symington	I Glenny
Sat 27 July	MLC	10-noon		T Yakawa
Fri 2 Aug	CGS, XC	3-5pm	R McClean	I Glenny
Fri 9 Aug	CGS, XC	3-5pm		I Glenny, I Adams (at Eva T)
Sat 10 Aug	MLC	10-noon		
Fri 16 Aug	CGS, XC	3-5pm		I Glenny
Sat 17 Aug (special)	CGS Spl	10-noon		
Fri 23 Aug	CGS, XC	3-5pm		I Glenny
Sat 24 Aug	MLC	10-noon		
Fri 30 Aug	CGS, XC	3-5pm		I Glenny
Sat 31 Aug (special)	CGS Spl	10-noon		
Sat 31 Aug	MLC	10-noon		
Fri 6 Sept	XC	3.45 – 5pm		I Glenny
Sat 7 Sept	MLC	10-noon		
Fri 13 Sept	XC	3.45 – 5pm		I Glenny
SCHOOL HOLS				

Please complete as circulated at meetings or advise availability to [Geoff Haddy](#)


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Direct credit payment to bank account - Rotary Rochester, BSB 633 000 A/c 1321 85521

Please label **Pie & Port** and your name and

email the names of attendees to:

: bryangriffiths4@bigpond.com

Or enclose payment with your snail mail reply.

Secretary (Pie & Port)

PO Box 74

Rochester 3561

*Would you like to come along?
 Bookings are open to reply now.*

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Attendance return for PIE and PORT

Number of persons attending at \$30 per person

Names:

.....
 Please indicate any specific dietary requirements

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Rotary
District 9800



FORUM DAY – Saturday 11 May 2019

Working Together to Address Homelessness

Corporate Membership and Raising Funds for Signature Projects

Calling all Interested Rotarians:

This is your invitation to a day of information sharing, learning and inspiration.

The day will be in two parts – you may attend both sessions or just one.

9.30am to 12.30pm: *Working Together to Address Homelessness*



This is your opportunity to network with members of other Clubs to discover what projects are currently being undertaken in the homelessness sphere and how Clubs could work together to address Homelessness in local communities. Come prepared to share your projects as well as gain information from others.

12.30pm – 1.30pm: *Lunch*

1.30pm to 4.30pm: *Corporate Membership & Raising Funds for Signature Projects*

Topic experts include:

- | | |
|-----------------------|--|
| • David Jones: | Sponsorships from Businesses & Corporates |
| • Leigh Wallace: | Philanthropic funding opportunities |
| • Gerrie Carr-MacFie: | Obtaining funds from Councils & Corporates |
| • Gary Goldsmith: | Online donations |
| • Philip Archer: | Corporate Membership & proforma sponsorship proposal |



The Details:

Date:	Saturday 11 May 2019
Venue:	DIK, Shed 39, 401 Somerville Road, Footscray West
Start Time:	9am for a 9.30am start
Cost:	\$12.00 which includes lunch
To book:	https://www.trybooking.com/BBTFI
Deadline:	Friday 3 May 2019
Questions:	To Jane Pennington secretary@rotarydistrict9800.org.au

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If so, the Rotary Club of North Balwyn is working to establish a Rotaract Club in Boroondara and is inviting interested people to come, hear and learn about Rotaract from current Rotaract members.

You might be a student, an apprentice, working in an office, working outdoors, working for yourself, at home ...everyone is welcome.

The details for your diary:

Date: Tuesday 14 May 2019

Time: 7pm to 9pm Light refreshments will be provided.

Venue: Greythorn Community Hub, 2 Centre Way, Balwyn North

RSVP: To Jane Pennington by 10 May, admin@rotarynorthbalwyn.com.au

Questions: To Jane on 0408 402 555

We would love to see you then!!

For more information:

Rotaract: www.rotaract.org.au

Rotary North Balwyn: www.rotarynorthbalwyn.com.au

Rotary International: www.rotary.org



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For some people there is a social stigma to presenting a voucher, especially in front of other people.

My experience of using the vouchers is positive, and the new digital membership app makes it easier to use (plus I never forget it as it is on my phone).

A discount is only a bargain if you are spending money on something you need or want; it can be easy to fall into the trap of going after deals just to make a saving.

My tips for maximising savings with an Entertainment Book membership:

– You don't have to redeem everything in the book for it to be worthwhile – even if you are only recouping the cost of the membership you are collecting good karma by supporting a charity or cause in your community.

Order your book from Geoff Steinicke 0418 175 130 gwsteinicke@bigpond.com

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 Rotary Club of North Balwyn
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