

# DISTRICT DIRECTORS AND COMMITTEE CHAIRS

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## CONGRATULATIONS TO EACH OF YOU

District committees rely on the leadership qualities that have made you a successful club leader.

By appointing you to a committee, our District Governor Elect, Susan, has **recognised** that your skills, experience, and enthusiasm will help drive initiatives and support Club and District activities and functions.



## KEY MESSAGES

- You will support Clubs and District based on your committee's expertise and DG's goals
- Your committee is the key resource for clubs particularly those that are struggling
- You are a part of a mosaic – a **part of the team** that makes our Clubs and District a success



## WHERE DO I START?

**Bruce Nicholls**

**Membership Chair Elect**

**President - Rotary Club of The Ponds**

**David Clark**

**Youth Chair Elect**

**Rotary Club of Lower Blue Mountains**



- **What excites you about your role?**
  - group exercise on large sheet
  - report to all



- **What responsibilities do you have in common as committee chairs?**
  - Use large sheet
  - Report to all



- **What concerns could you have regarding your role? Challenges?**
  - Anonymous Post it notes on board
  - discuss



## DISCUSSION 4

- **How will you identify the clubs with which to work? How will you approach them?**
- **Facilitated discussion**





## WORKING WITH YOUR SUB-COMMITTEES – SOME THOUGHTS

- Contact the current sub-committee chairs now
- Are they effective chairs? How would you find out?
- Will they continue in the job?
- Regular meetings
- Regular updates
- Communication
- Celebration



## PETS AND DISTRICT ASSEMBLY PREPARATION

- DGN Kalma McLellan
  - PP Bobby Redman
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- Plan
  - Successes and pitfalls



## SOURCES OF INFORMATION

- **Previous committee chair**
- **Club members**
- **Assistant Governor**
- **Other Districts' committees**
- **Other Clubs**
- **Service manual**
- **My Rotary – subscribe to Newsletters, etc**



# SUMMARY

- **Plan**
- **Communicate**
- **Celebrate**

