

The Rotary Club of Dingley Village Bulletin



DISTRICT GOVERNOR: RUSSELL GURNEY

ASSISTANT DG: SUE CORNELISSEN

20th September 2018

From President David Cugley

Dear members

Last week our Club members enjoyed the fellowship of our Rotarian “cousins” from Noble Park, Keysborough at the Noble park RSL. The evening consisted of a guest speaker Carolyn Pethick who gave a very interesting insight into their experience, opportunities and challenges in the Police Force. After 25 years of dedicated service and with a passion to serve and protect the community, the Carolyn decided to have a change of direction in her life and became an author. She wrote about how her journey helped to set a new direction in her life. Rotarians showed a great deal of interest asked insightful questions wanting to know more about Carolyn’s adventures and her resilience to the obstacles she faced.

This week our Club is having its annual FOOTY Night with prizes, quizzes, come dressed in your team colours and a chance to reflect on lost opportunities of your favourite AFL Team. Partners and friends are welcomed to join us as we celebrate another footy season and dream of next year.

On 27 September, there will be a Board meeting only. Could those on the Board please send Sue their program reports and agenda items by the end of this week? For those not on the Board Rotary Club of Noble Park, Keysborough is having their annual local schools’ library fundraising night at the Sandown Greyhounds from 6.30 pm. Please contact John on 0408 228 865 if you are interested in attending.

On 4 October, our Club will be hosting our District Governor at our meeting in the Victoria room at the Mentone RSL. This is a terrific opportunity for DG Russell Gurney and his wife Shelly to visit and enjoy our fellowship and hear about the wonderful service projects we have been involved in and have planned to do in the future.

On 11 October, our Club will be cohosting with the Rotary Club of Noble Park, Keysborough, RYLA presentations at the Mentone RSL. This is another great opportunity to enjoy fellowship with other Rotarians and listen to the presenters share their experience in such a worthwhile program. The theme for the meeting will be a ‘Crazy Hat Night’ with a gold coin donation to go towards Rotary’s “Lift the Lid” with funds going towards vital **mental health research** at universities across Australia.

On 18 October our Club will have a presentation “Days for Girls” which is making a significant difference to girls in developing countries. This is a partners night and all members are encouraged to bring their daughters, daughters in law or a friend to hear about the experiences, challenges and success of this worthy and important project.

The Rotary Club of Box Hill has invited our members to join them for an evening dedicated to fun, delicious food and another wonderful art display. 2017 Victorian of the Year, celebrity singer Mike Brady will open the Art show at the Box Hill Town Hall on Thursday 1st Nov at 6.00pm followed by Dinner at 7.00pm. Bookings can be made through whitehorseartshow.com.au

Be good, be safe and be happy.

Active involvement in providing meaningful, valued activities that benefit and enhance the qualities of lives in our local community and beyond.

Can you assist?

No Child Deserves to go to School Dirty

No Woman deserves to die in Child Birth

When a family is struggling they cannot afford to buy washing machine powder, detergent to wash the dishes, or even a simple wettex to wipe down the benches.

Sometimes it is hard enough just to put food on the table, and cleaning products can seem like a luxury.

Can you help to give a family some pride? The Rotary Club of Dingley Village is asking for cleaning products, which will be distributed to disadvantaged families in and around Dingley. Some suggestions are clothes washing detergent, pegs, paper towel, dishwashing detergent, sponges and scourers, surface cleaners, dusters, microfibre cloths, soaps, cleaning wipes, disinfectants, toilet paper and toilet cleaner.



The club would be grateful for any donations that you can give. Drop off point is Ray White office Centre Dandenong Road, Dingley Village. Please help us to help keep a family healthy.



No woman should die while giving life

Over 300,000 women die annually from pregnancy or childbirth-related complications. The majority of these are in developing countries. BKFA is an organisation dedicated to improving the conditions for women all over the world by providing clean Birthing Kits. Its simple contents provide the resources to reduce infection and fatalities.

Come along; give your time to this great cause, make new friends and leave that afternoon with a warm fuzzy feeling. *Everyone is welcome.*

Venue:
SANDBELT HOTEL
630 South Road
Moorabbin

Mordialloc Rotary
Cheltenham Rotary

BIRTHING KIT ASSEMBLY DAY

SATURDAY 27TH OCTOBER 2018

12:30PM

Mordialloc & Cheltenham Rotary Clubs are proud to host their second Birthing Kit Assembly Day in support of Birthing Kits Foundation Australia (BKFA).

Last year we assembled 600 kits – this year we invite you to join us to assemble 1600 kits.

Ray Gordon 0447 437 950 / Colleen Rooth 0428 832 061

<p>20th September Club Meeting at Mentone RSL Footy night with partners MC/ Quiz master Kevan Thomas</p> <p>27th September Meeting at Mentone RSL Board meeting</p> <p>4th October Club Meeting at Mentone RSL DG Russell Gurney visit Chairman: David Cugley Sergeant: Norm Hurrey</p>	<p>11th October Joint meeting with Rotary Club of Noble Park Keysborough Mentone RSL RYLA participant presentation</p> <p>18th October Club Meeting at Mentone RSL “Days for Girls” Pam Davies Chairman: David Cugley Sergeant: Norm Hurrey</p> <p>27th November District Clubs Meeting Chelsea RSL RI President Ian Risely</p>
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Celebrations



21st September
Wedding anniversary
Dudley and Veronica Podbury

Club Positions

President: David Cugley
Secretary: Sue Hilton
Treasurer: Kevan Thomas
Assistant Treasurer: Steve Brough

Community: All members
Youth: David Cugley
Vocation: Malcolm Elliott
International: Zeya Poya
Foundation: Steve Brough

Sergeant in Residence: Norm Hurrey
Bulletin Editor: David Cugley

Program: Members are asked to contribute. Heather will maintain the program dates/speakers on our club website as well as in the Bulletin.

Dingley Dossier articles: Dudley Podbury
Fellowship: Ian Graham and Norm Hurrey
Club Protection Officer: Sue Hilton
On to Conference: Ian Graham

Did you know????...

- in eastern Africa you can buy beer brewed from bananas
- a giraffe can clean its ears with its 21 inch tongue
- the longest street in the world is Yonge street in Toronto Canada measuring 1,896 km (1,178 miles)
- if you add up all the numbers from 1 to 100 consecutively (1 + 2 + 3...) it totals 5050
- it's possible to lead a cow up stairs but not down

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Coins for Kids

Our Rotary club has collaborated with local businesses - the Bendigo Bank and World Destinations, to collect overseas coins and notes to benefit the most disadvantaged children in the world.

Did you know that 60 Euro cents could provide a child with a pencil and book for school? 180 Thai Baht (the equivalent of \$6) will provide 20 doses of potentially life-saving measles vaccine.

Foreign currency collected will be given to UNICEF's Coins for Kids program. UNICEF is a leading organisation providing help for the most vulnerable children. If you have foreign coins that may never be used again, bring them to our meeting or if you are in the shopping centre please drop them in to the branch of the Bendigo Bank or World Destinations in Centre Dandenong Road opposite the shopping centre.

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World
DESTINATIONS

Dingley Village Travel Agent

Club Meeting Information

Meeting: First three Thursdays of the month.
6:30pm
Dinner meeting

Venue: Mentone RSL
9 Palermo Road Mentone

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