

Bulletin August 2023

A word from the President

We are looking forward to welcoming the returnees and hearing their stories. While they have been travelling we have been busy with gardening, clean-up, guest speakers and more.

Rotary Essentials is my weekly email containing the critical dates and times and contact details you will need. It will arrive Tuesday or Wednesday each week.

We will have a Teams meeting soon and work to establish the new structure.

Another date you could consider. Shepp Brewery is putting on a night for Flood Relief August 22. See poster below for the details.

Last month the Board reviewed the dues. It costs the club \$308 for each member in dues to RI, District and for the magazine. Our dues this year have been changed to \$22 per month. We are also not collecting \$2 at each meeting (\$42 per annum) so those costs will be funded by club activities such as BBQs. Set at \$22 per month this equates to a discount of \$86 per member which will need to be raised through BBQs.

Two new ways in which the Rotary Club of Mooroopna has been able to help make good things happen. Firstly we will auspice Corey Walker of Yalma Matha to apply for a grant to provide on country cultural training for 20 non-indigenous locals. We wish him well with his application. Secondly Steve Neff is working to establish a Suicide support group in Mooroopna and has asked for help to fund refreshments.

I have asked Bill Porter to work on Membership protocols. Statements of how we hope things will happen when visitors attend and when folk show interest in membership. Ken Faulkner is also working on brochures and a booklet we can use to explain to people why and how belonging to Rotary will be the very thing they have been looking for.

We have a lot to look forward to .

Rotary greetings
Richard Speedy

Save the Date:

Oct 21: Cambodia Dinner see poster below

Oct 29: Ladies who lunch

Oct 8 (Sunday) Visit Cactus Garden Strathmerton

Ladies who lunch *GV Health Foundation.*

Vicki Scott was the guest speaker at a recent meeting. She shared about her personal journey with illness and how she is very keen to see health related fundraising staying in the GV. She has taken on the role of Ambassador for the GV Health Foundation and is promoting the 'Ladies who lunch' fund raiser on October 29.

Here is Richard giving Vicki a donation towards the luncheon.



The LOCAL Lift

Following on from the visit by University of Technology Sydney students we did another Saturday of clean up on July . Three homes had massive garden clean ups with many trips to the Transfer station needed. Thanks to the CFA and other service clubs/organisations that helped alongside Rotary.



	Type	Monthly/weekly themes	Activity/guest speaker	Key Rotarian
M Aug 7	Club	Membership month	Vicki Scott: GV Health Foundation Ambassador.	
M Aug 14	Social		Scatter night	Betty
M Aug 21	Club/team		Meet at the Royal Mail 6.00	
M Aug 28	Board		Meet at the Royal Mail 7.00	
M Sept 4	Club	Literacy month	Meet at the Royal Mail 6.00	

Contribute to the Community Tree.

Donations gratefully received, however, no more names can be added.





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TICKET \$65PP
TABLE OF 10 \$600
ARRIVAL DRINK
3 COURSE MEAL

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FEATURING

Callum Gleeson &
special guest speaker
Neta Kirby

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