



# ROTARY CLUB of CLAYTON Inc.

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## Rotary Four Way Test

"Of the things we think, say or do:

1. Is it the Truth?
2. Is it Fair to all concerned?
3. Will it build goodwill and better friendships?
4. Will it be beneficial to all concerned?"

## Presidents Report

Hello Team,

How are you all?

Last week we held our meeting at the Clayton Community centre as a trial to see what it would be like and to establish if it has any benefits for our Rotary Club. I would like to say thank you to Bob Millen who organized the venue and the night. The members attending all agreed that the venue had some positives and negatives, but overall it was decided after a quick discussion that the venue did not really suit us for what we needed. So the search is still on for new ideas and locations.

Those members, who were not at the last two meetings and have not received their Stafford's ARHRF Clothing Card, please see me tonight. For more information click the following link.

[http://www.rotarnet.com.au/users/9/98110/Community\\_files/Staffords%20ARHRF%20Clothing%20Card\\_2008.pdf](http://www.rotarnet.com.au/users/9/98110/Community_files/Staffords%20ARHRF%20Clothing%20Card_2008.pdf)

The board has finally signed off the approval to give our US\$800 District Designated Fund towards a matching grant for the supply and shipment of dental equipment into Rarotonga in the Cook Islands. The Rotary Club of Rarotonga is the host Club who will manage the project and the Rotary Club of Doncaster Sunrise will be the lead club with various other clubs in the district as support. This project has been given the full support by DG John Barnes & PDG John Glenn.

Last Friday night, Bob Millen and I went to the Annual Reporting & Presentation Meeting for the Monash District Scout Association. It was good to see another organization run an AGM besides a Rotary Club. It was also great to catch up with Stephen & Annette Cook again. During Annette's presentation, she mentioned how much the Clayton Rotary Club has supported the scouts by sending three Rover & Scout leaders to RYLA over the last two years. Hopefully this trend will follow over the coming years.

A quick reminder to let you know that on the 22<sup>nd</sup> September we will have Keith Maxwell speaking on INTEPLAST and this will be a partner's night (so please let your partners know). Also on this night we will be inducting two new members into the club.

Board members do not forget that we have board meeting tonight immediately after our meeting.

Other upcoming dates to keep in mind are: -

19/09 – Conference Launch (Volunteers required – contact Jim & Jean for details).

22/09 – Partners Night with Keith Maxwell speaking on INTEPLAST.

13/10 – Club Forum (This will be a closed meeting – Start thinking of subjects to talk about).

10/11 – AGM.

01/12 – DG John & Gaye Barnes visit (This is a partner's night).

That is all for now from the Prez for this week and team, keep up the good work.



## THE OBJECT OF ROTARY

1. The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;
2. High ethical standards in business and professions; the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations, and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society;
3. The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business, and community life;
4. The advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.

## Quote from Paul Harris

### THE MEANING OF THE SERVICE IDEAL

"Happiness comes from unselfish service. Lives of service are lives of happiness. Take two children of the same family: for one reason or another, one is taught to serve the other. Though the parents may not realize it, the one who learns to serve will have all the advantage in later years. In service there is happiness. In the vast number of human activities there are opportunities for all types of service. This from Anthony Adverse: ' One never realizes the fulfilment of life until he loses the sense of self in service. '

The professional schools teach the student that character is the most reliable foundation upon which to build a successful future; that success must depend upon the quality of service rendered." Paul Harris, page 142 "This Rotarian Age."

Why do we join Rotary? We join for we know that collectively we can make a difference. Like minded individuals joining together to serve society. Paul Harris envisioned that premise and from there onwards provided us through Rotary the vehicle and the road map.

And that's a History Minute from Rotary Global History Fellowship

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## Last Week

Good to see Ralph with a good sun tan after his trip to the USA; a short talk was given on his adventure.

## Our Golf Day Sponsor

Our major Golf Day sponsor this year is.



Just a reminder the Jefferson group sells most bands under their Umbrella of Companies.

For a fleet discount contact Peter Cochrane

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## Club History 1974~ 75



**International President:** William R. Robbins

(Miami, Florida, USA)

Theme: Renew the Spirit of Rotary

**President Ray Cain** was a Real Estate agent in Clayton urged us to renew the Spirit of Clayton. Meetings were initially at the Sandown Motel then later Deakin Hall.

The club hosted William Strahle from Indiana, a Foundation Awardee at Monash. The meeting venue was changed to Deakin Hall, the first meeting being on 5th August.

A Careers Night was held at Westall High on Sept 24 with over 3000 attending! Alan Fulton and Kevin Beaumont went to Japan. Alan's daughter Anne was reported as Clayton's Exchange Student in Ogaki Japan. Membership fees rose to \$25 PA.

A theatre night was held and over 500 people attended a BBQ at Gearons. Peter Seaborn was our exchange student in Tokyo.

Andres Victorio our exchange student gave an amazingly mature insight into Philippines history and culture the day that **Bill Sides, an ex Rotaractor, was inducted on Sept 2.**

Ray Thomas ran a Trots Night with 95 attending and John Goldspink was On to Conference, this time in Canberra and took off the attendance trophy! A ladies night on Dec 9 had wine tasting as a tempter. The ladies assisted at the District Exchange student briefing at Monash Uni, something that was done for many years.

Belinda Watt went to Bacolod and schooled in Cagayan De Oro City in the Philippines and left in January and was reported as coping well. A chicken and champagne Christmas breakfast meeting was held at Moorabbin, again a tradition.

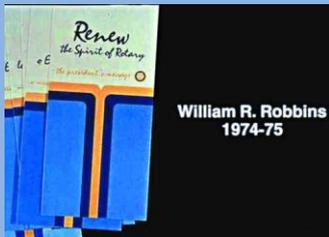
Cyclone Tracy hit Darwin, Bill Sides had a personal insight having spent months in Darwin leaving just days before. \$500 was forwarded to the Rotary Club of Darwin North. \$900 went to the District Village Project and FAIM \$150.

Westall, Oakleigh and Clayton Tech each got \$150 for student awards. Clayton was now 800% with Rotary Foundation.

A group of Epileptics from Sister Wallace's Home and some age from McCullough House were taken on a picnic to Maroondah Dam. Oakleigh Council helped fund our RYLA awardees attendance this year. Ray Brede and a Trash organized a fellowship evening at Edelweiss and Treasure stall raised \$ 196.25.

The 10th birthday of the club was celebrated a little late on May 19 at Deakin Hall with 89 present. DG Ted Atkinson was there and a Community Service Award was given to Eve Kelly for helping in the club fund raising for many years. PP Howard Price was awarded a Paul Harris Fellowship.

David Kajewski and Eileen Morgan were selected for the RYPEN camp at Scotch College.



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## Garage Sale

**Yes members it is on again and we will be making money for a great cause, VITAMAN "A" TO SAVE A LIFE start looking in those closets etc, ask friends, work colleagues and neighbors'. We need goods to sell and want to raise \$3,000. And as per usual have a lot of fun along the way**

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## SYNCHROTRON BBQ IS ON AGAIN

On Thursday we received confirmation we will cook the sausages at the Australian Synchrotron Family Day on Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> October. We will receive a donation and have the cost of food paid for.

Neil will start a manning roster and we will start organizing consumerables over the next few weeks.

In the past we have raised \$2,000 to \$4,000 from this event.

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## District Conference, Hobart

The next District 9810 Conference will be held at the Grand Chancellor Hotel, Hobart, Tasmania from Thursday 26 to Sunday 29 March 2009.

The official conference launch will be held on Friday 19 September.

**For all members who are considering attending this conference, now is the time to start planning booking holidays etc.**

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## Upcoming Events

**15<sup>th</sup>: T.B.A.**

**19<sup>th</sup> Conference Launch**

**22<sup>nd</sup>: Keith Maxwell  
Talking on INTERPLAST**

**Last Week**

**Apologies**

Neil Rickard  
John Barnes

Lesley Zucarro  
John Goldspink

Jim & Jean Cochrane  
Warren Frickie

**Guests**

Dianne Sides Guest of Bill Sides  
Margot Allchin Guest of Ed Allchin

**Make Ups**

John Barnes – District,

**Roster**

Chair PP Ralph Zuccaro  
Desk PP Dr Ed Allchin  
Visitors PP Neil Rickard

## Find the “Rotary Club of Clayton” words

Apologies to people who receive this and are not Clayton club members,  
Answers next week!

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1. Barracks for Essendon
2. Founding Club Member
3. They operate on children overseas
4. A number of members were in this organization
5. We name an award after this man
6. One of the golf trophies
7. President
8. Lots of fun and garage sales are held here
9. Club secretary
10. DG John & PP Warren have done this
11. New Paul Harris Fellow
12. Grows wine
13. Works in Clayton Road
14. We grew Pumpkins on his farm
15. Tries to make the bulletin interesting
16. Mad golfer and Pharmacist
17. Never too old for it
18. Collingwood tragic
19. Good things come in two + one
20. Great raconteur, part-time farmer
21. Radio-controller of yachts

## Upcoming Events in district

The Rotary Club of Glen Waverley  
together with Variety 'The Children's Charity'  
and The Jack Brockhoff Foundation invite you  
to join us for our

# Gala Charity AUCTION

DATE: Friday 19th September 2008

TIME: 7.00pm for a 7.30pm start

VENUE: Wheelers Hill International Motor Inn

242 Jells Rd, Wheelers Hill

COST: \$45 per person

Finger food served on arrival  
plus a sumptuous three course meal.

All proceeds raised on the night go to the Glenallen school,  
Waverley Rd, Glen Waverley to help modify the  
new sunshine bus for the kids.

RSVP: Contact Peter Nicolls

9800 0000 or 0418 311 048

or Margaret Riseborough

0418 992 017

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# Very Special Kids have Very Special Needs!



Jye, and all the kids at the Glenallen Special school are Very Special and they need your help to raise money to buy a new School Bus.



The bus will help transport children from their homes to the school and on excursions.



We are having a Charity Auction night to help raise this money, but we need items to auction.



If you or your company can help by donating Auction Items please contact Peter Nicolls 9800 0000

or 0418 311 048 or  
Margaret Riseborough 0418 992 017



Jye and his friends would be extremely grateful for any help you can give.



Thank You.

Cash donations to the Glenallen Special School are tax deductible.

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# Rotary Foundation Dinner Dance

With

## The New Melbourne Jazz Band



Friday 14<sup>th</sup> November  
6.30 for 7.00pm



Karralyka Centre— Ringwood East

3 course dinner - wine on arrival  
Beverages at bar prices

\$55.00 per person

Tables of 10 available

Proceeds to foundation in each clubs name

**Register your club now!!!!**

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