



ROTARY CLUB of CLAYTON Inc.

District 9810 Victoria, Australia

Weekly Bulletin 2018-2019

Meets every Monday from 6:30pm at The Clayton Hotel
319 Clayton Road, Clayton (Melways 79C2)
(No meeting on public holidays)



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Upcoming Club Program

Date	Speaker	Chairperson
3 rd September	Bill Norling Awardee – Doug Bauer (Chisholm recipient 2018)	Warren Fricke
10 th September	Club Promotion & M/Media - Amir Maleki (City of Kingston)	Jon Breisch
17 th September	Luang Prabang Library – Gaye Barnes	Jon Breisch
24 th September	Board Meeting	Jon Breisch
1 st October	Sustainable Communities (Tree Planting Project - Pat Armstrong)	Jon Breisch
8 th October	Club Planning & Reports	Committee Chairs
15 th October	Speaker (TBA)	Jon Breisch
22 nd October	Board Meeting	Jon Breisch
29 th October	Membership Social	Glenys Pattison
5 th November	Melbourne Cup Eve – No Meeting	
12 th November	AGM, Planning & Reports	Committee Chairs
19 th November	Speaker (TBA)	Jon Breisch

Presidents Report

To all

Welcome our guest speaker tonight Doug Bauer and guests.

Many thanks to the scouts for their help at the BBQ on Friday night which went well after a few hiccups.

A few of the Rotarians from our club also went to a trivia night held by the satellite club of Nunawading (NewGen Rotary) and we ended up with the wooden spoon

Yours in Rotary,
Jon

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?"

Last Meeting & Notes

Last Meeting (27th August):

Apologies = Val Manuelpillai and Glenys Pattison

Make Ups = None.

Leave of Absence = None.

Visitors = None.

This week we held a Board Meeting.

Our guest speaker on the 3rd September will be Doug Bauer (pictured with his Mum) who was the Bill Norling Awardee.



Meeting Notes:

- Reminder that the club has one more sausage sizzle for Metro Trains at Dandenong Station on, Friday 7th September (4:00 pm to 7:00 pm). If you would like to support at this BBQ's please let Ralph know.
- We had a reminder of the Multi District Conference to be held at the Melbourne Convention Centre on the weekend of 15-17 February 2019. If you are interested in attending please let John Barnes know. For further information, click the link: <http://www.rotaryconference.org.au/>

Foundation Facts

THE ROTARY FOUNDATION WEEKLY MESSAGES (By Rotarians for Rotarians)

WHAT IS A ROTARY FOUNDATION SUSTAINING MEMBER?

A Rotary Foundation Sustaining Member is an individual who personally contributes US\$100 or more each Rotary year to the Annual Fund. These contributions also count toward Paul Harris Fellow, Multiple Paul Harris Fellow, Paul Harris Society, Major Donor, and club recognition. After donating \$100.00 per year for 10 Rotary years, he/she becomes a Paul Harris Fellow.

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.

Upcoming Dates

Friday 07/09/18 – Sausage Sizzle at Dandenong Station (4:00 to 7:00 pm).

Sunday 09/09/18 – Oakleigh Market (Rostered on are Lesley Zuccaro at 6:00 am and Warren Fricke at 9:30 am).

Thursday 20/09/18 – Foodbank Collection.

Saturday 22/09/18 – Bunnings BBQ at Oakleigh South. Please let Warren know if you can help.

Sunday 14/10/18 – Oakleigh Market (Rostered on are Bill Sides at 6:00 am and Val Manuepillai at 9:30 am).

Thursday 18/10/18 – Foodbank Collection.

Thursday 01/11/18 – Centenary of Armistice Dinner. (6 for 6.30pm) at the Oakleigh-Carnegie RSL at 95 Drummond Street, Oakleigh.

Thursday 15/11/18 – Foodbank Collection.

Thursday 06/12/18 – Foodbank Collection.

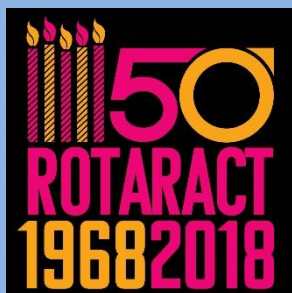
Friday 15/02/19 to Sunday 17/02/19 – 2019 Victorian Multi District Conference at the Melbourne Convention Centre. For more details and bookings click [here](#)

Club Positions for 2018/19

President	Jon Breisch	Board
Immediate Past President	Warren Fricke	Board
Secretary	Michael Ellinger	Board
Treasurer	Warren Fricke	Board
President Elect	TBA	Board
Membership and Public Relations	Glenys Pattison	Board
Community Chair	Dianne Sides	
International Chair	Sha Rijal	
Youth Services Chair	Bill Sides	
Vocational Chair	Lesley Zuccaro	
Foundation	Val Manuepillai	Board
Club Protection Officer	Tom Portelli	
Sergeant	Sam Oddo	
Bulletin	Michael Ellinger	
Program	Warren Fricke	
Fund Raising	Jim and Jean Cochrane	

Club Vision

Clayton Rotary is an energetic, fun-loving, forward-thinking Rotary Club that wishes to continue to grow strategically and provide all its members with opportunities to serve while undertaking worthwhile and sustainable projects locally, nationally and globally.



District 9810 News

Rotarian Action Group for Family Safety - Call for Expressions of Interest in a District Committee

A Rotarian Action Group (RAG) is an autonomous group of Rotarians, family members, program participants and alumni who are interested in a particular field, such as microcredit or water and sanitation. Group members share their expertise and interest by collaborating with clubs and districts on service projects.

The most recent RAG to be approved by the Rotary International Board is the RAG for Family Safety - the aim of which is to encourage and support clubs and districts in the prevention and elimination of family violence.

District 9810 is represented in this RAG by PDG Tony Monley. We now wish to create a network of interested Rotarians in our District to encourage and support local projects in the area of family violence prevention. If you would like to be involved, please contact Tony at acmonley+rotary@gmail.com

Rotaract Club of Monash



Club Meeting Details:

The Club meets on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of the Month at 7:30pm for a 7:45pm start (Optional social dinner at 6:30, please order your meal by 7pm to ensure you can be there for the start of the meeting) at Waverley RSL (Upstairs in the Sunset Room) 161 Coleman Parade, Glen Waverley.

Upcoming Rotaract Events:

Rotaract Roster:

Date	Rotarian to Visit
5 th September	Warren Fricke
19 th September	Glenys Pattison

If you cannot attend on the night you are rostered, please organise a replacement to take your place.

Special Announcements

**8th September – Bill &
Dianne Sides
Wedding
Anniversary.**

Where other Clubs Meet

A Rotarian can attend the weekly meeting of any Rotary club around the world. This is a "make-up" and counts as attendance credit when you are not able to attend a meeting of your own club.

Details for all District 9810 clubs can be obtained in the district directory or website www.9810rotary.org.au Details for clubs around the world are available in the RI Directory (held by the club secretary) and on the RI website (www.rotary.org)

Reminders

Club Fees are now due and should be passed on to Warren Fricke

Please ensure that the club is aware if you will be missing a meeting. Contact **Michael Ellinger by 4 pm** on the **day of the meeting**, if you are not going to be present.

Contributions for inclusion into the Bulletin should be passed to info@claytonrotaryclub.org.au by Thursday evening of each week.

Please remember if you cannot perform your rostered job, it is your duty to find a replacement to take your place.

Visit our new Facebook page at [@ClaytonRotaryClub9810](https://www.facebook.com/ClaytonRotaryClub9810) or click 

Joke of the Week

A blonde was on holiday and driving through Darwin (Australia).

She desperately wanted to take home a pair of genuine crocodile shoes, but was very reluctant to pay the high prices the local vendors were asking.

After becoming very frustrated with the "no haggle on prices" attitude of one of the shopkeepers, the blonde shouted, "Well then, maybe I'll just go out and catch my own crocodile, so I can get a pair of shoes for free." The shopkeeper said with a sly, knowing smile, "Little lady, just go and give it a try!" The blonde headed out toward the river, determined to catch a crocodile!

Later in the day, as the shopkeeper is driving home, he pulls over to the side of the river bank, where he spots the same young blonde woman standing waist deep in the murky water, a shotgun in her hand. Just then, he spots a huge 3 metre croc swimming rapidly toward her. With lightning speed, she takes aim, kills the creature and hauls it onto the slimy banks of the river. Lying nearby were 7 more of the dead creatures, all lying on their backs. The shopkeeper stood on the bank, watching in silent amazement.

Struggling, the blonde flipped the Croc onto its back. She rolled her eyes heavenward and, screaming in great frustration, she shouts out

"SHIT! SHIT! SHIT! THIS ONE'S BAREFOOT, TOO!"

Rotary International News

Rotary partners with Mediators Beyond Borders to bring local solutions for lasting peace

By Rotary News

EVANSTON, Ill. (Aug. 17, 2018) — Preventing conflicts from escalating into violent crises is 60 times more cost effective than intervening after violence erupts, according to the Carnegie Corporation of New York. A recent partnership between the membership service organization Rotary and Mediators Beyond Borders International (MBBI) aims to bring community-based solutions to prevent conflict in more communities.

Rotary has worked with MBBI – an impact organization founded on the principle of people-centered peacebuilding – since 2013 to advance our common goals for peace. This new, partnership will enable Rotary members to train with MBBI to sharpen their mediation, dialogue and other conflict transformation skills. Rotary’s 1.2 million members, located in over 200 countries and regions, will help MBBI expand its network of trained mediators – potentially transforming conflict in communities not previously reached.

“We are excited to continue our collaboration with MBBI to build local capacity for lasting peace in more communities,” said John Hewko, general secretary of Rotary International. “As trusted leaders attuned to the needs of their communities, Rotary members are well positioned to help find grassroots solutions to local conflicts.”

“We are honored to partner with Rotary and thereby enhance our ability to build a 'peace able' world through 'service above self,’” said Prabha Sankaranarayan, CEO of MBBI. “At this critical moment in time, we tackle three major factors contributing to violent conflict in the world: the largest migration of populations in the history of mankind, climate change, and economic inequality. Together with Rotary International’s extraordinary global network of committed volunteers, we hope to have the dangerous dialogues and courageous conversations that can make a difference, that can not only prevent violent conflict but also build thriving communities.”

MBBI’s members are at the center of a movement for global peacebuilding through advocacy, capacity building and consultations. Rotary members take action to address underlying causes of conflict by providing access to clean water and sanitation, supporting education, preventing and treating disease, saving mothers and children and growing local economies. More than \$221 million has been awarded over the past several years through The Rotary Foundation to support these programs.

MBBI joins a list of Rotary service partners including, Ashoka, Habitat for Humanity, the International Agency for the Prevention of Blindness, and Peace Corps.

About Rotary: Rotary brings together a global network of volunteer leaders dedicated to tackling the world’s most pressing humanitarian challenges. Rotary connects 1.2 million members of more than 35,000 Rotary clubs in over 200 countries and geographical areas. Their work improves lives at both the local and international levels, from helping families in need in their own communities to working toward a polio-free world.

About Mediators Beyond Borders International: MBBI’s mission is to build local skills for peace and promote mediation worldwide. Recognizing that the only lasting peace is the one built by those involved, MBBI advances the objectives of its 125 global partners by delivering services and enhancing skills for evidence-based context assessment, trauma-informed peacebuilding, post-conflict reconciliation and recovery, cross-sector and network collaboration, project design, implementation, evaluation and peacebuilding leadership that prioritizes the elevation of women and youth as leaders. Since 2007, more than 250 distinguished MBBI professional volunteer mediation, conflict transformation, trauma recovery and academic specialists have been catalyzing the success of local partners working to build a more peace “able” world in 33 countries on five continents.

Leukaemia Foundation Light the Night – Yarra Valley



Thursday 27 September 2018

- 5.00pm – Event opens, registrations, lantern collection, food and drinks
- 5.30pm – Entertainment commences
- 6.20pm – Official Opening
- 6.30pm – Light the Night Walk commences
- 7.15pm – Event closes



**Lillydale Lake Park,
435 Swansea Road, Lilydale**

Light the night is a **Leukaemia Foundation** inspiring twilight walk. Bring your families, friends and colleagues to shine a beautiful lantern of Hope as we walk around the Lillydale Lake:

- o **Gold** to remember a loved one
- o **White** to reflect on your life with blood cancer
- o **Blue** to support others.

Funds raised by your purchase of lanterns and merchandise will support the Foundation's outstanding work in supporting those with blood cancer and facilitating research.

\$30 for your support which includes a lantern. Pay now, pick up on the night.

Payment and further sponsorship opportunities on:

<https://lightthenight.org.au/event/lilydale>

Please don't forget to donate as soon as you register

For more information contact

Brian Hodgson (mobile: 0419 397 650, email: brianhodgson47@gmail.com)

Challenge to Lead Program



How many sausage sizzles do you need to earn \$500?

The **Rotary Club of Doncaster** is seeking referrals from District Clubs for participants in their *Challenge to Lead* Program. With each successful referral, the RC of Doncaster will pay the referring club **\$500**. [That's a lot of sausage sizzles!](#)

Why?

Throughout the District there is a pool of contacts and potential participants in management and professional positions who would either benefit themselves or recommend others who would benefit from the Program. It's an easy fund raiser for a Club.

There is a high demand for good leadership. It is a must-have capability for any individual or organisation wanting to get ahead in the world and achieve and earn more. Leadership can be taught, learnt and developed and this course will help in this regard.

What is it?

The *Challenge to Lead* Program is a 3-day [residential leadership program](#) run by the Rotary Club of Doncaster on **11th, 12th and 13th October, 2018**.

The Program is delivered pro bono by dedicated professional facilitators including the former Director of HR for HP and Telstra, a Senior Fellow Melbourne Business School, an advisor to Mt Eliza MBA program and a Principal Fellow of the Melbourne University Business School.

In 2014, 2015, 2016 and 2017, participants came from a wide range of organisations including local government, multinational companies, not for profits (NFPs), statutory authorities and small to medium sized businesses (SMEs) and the program received many ringing endorsements.

For endorsements see this link – <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9YngYuml29o>

For more details see website – www.challengetolead.com.au

If you have any queries, please contact David Grieve on 0488 480402 or david@5-dimensionz.com.au Note: attached is a brochure.

Registration

Open July 1st 2018
EarlyBird closes November 30th 2018

Provisional Program

Friday February 15th
Evening Club Dinners
Daytime Various tours of Melbourne as well as golf and other activities

Saturday February 16th 9:30 – 4:30
Evening Gala Dinner

Sunday February 17th Conference closes 1:30 PM

Provisional Registration Costs

First Time Conference attendees	\$125
EarlyBird Conference attendees	\$175
Normal (after Nov 30)	\$225

(note Gala Dinner is at a separate cost)

Further Information

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www.rotaryconference.org.au



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2019 Victorian Multi-District Conference

15 -17 February 2019
Melbourne Convention Centre

Follow this link to the conference page - <http://www.rotaryconference.org.au/>