Newsletter of the Rotary Club of Keilor East Inc.



Rotary Club 21222 - Charter granted 10th August 1983 October 22nd, 2018 - Volume 36 Number 17 Club Motto - "Fun and fellowship whilst helping others" Club Website - www.keiloreastrotary.org



On Monday 22nd October, our Guest Speakers were students from Buckley Park College and Keilor Downs Secondary College who have part of Personal Development and Leadership programs. They are seen here with Garnet Johnson from Anglicare which was the beneficiary of all their well-planned and successful fundraising.

President's Report

President Ginny Billson

Monday 22nd October 2018





- Alex and I visited the St Albans Secondary College Interact Club on Wednesday when we invited them to attend the Interact Conference next February the 16th. They were organising activities with the local primary school for the end of the year break up events. All seemed keen to collect food, run sausage sizzles and donut drives to raise funds for the local "Second Bite" organisation that supplies food for their breakfast clubs 3 times a week as a way "to give back".
- Later that day Cherrie, Marianne, Janice Young and I presented congratulatory Certificates to the 15 young ladies in year 12 from St Columba's College who worked on the Days for Girls Hygiene kits during the year.
- Two boxes of Rotary Cakes are being donated to the Royal Children's Hospital Auxiliary Committee for their end of year fund raiser for prizes with acknowledgement to our club.
- Marisa has requested us to collect packs of nappies for babies from 6kg and above for the Caroline Chisholm Society in Mount Road for mothers in need. She will collect them from the meeting.
- Just an early heads up that Bronwyn Stephens will be visiting our Club on Monday 29th October and will be the main speaker on "Being the Inspiration" so we want a great attendance that evening which will be a Partner's night.
- The next District Conference is being held in Melbourne details are in the Newsletter.
- Ginny Introduced Chairperson for the evening Athena Vass.

RYPEN Camp - Malmsbury 26-28th October 2018

• Sasha & Ada wonderful students from Rosehill College were sponsored by our Club at this weekend's RYPEN Camp at Malmsbury. They will be speaking about RYPEN to the club at a meeting soon. Youth Director Vanda is pictured with Sasha & Ada during her brief visit to the camp on Sunday. Thankyou to President Ginny & Alex for driving our RYPEN students to & from the camp". Photos and text thanks to Vanda Mullen.





The Rotary Youth Program of Enrichment (RYPEN) in Rotary International District 9800 is a Youth Leadership conference for young people who are between 15 and 17 and are year 9, 10 and 11 students. The conference is a weekend long camp designed at developing young people's potential through a mixture of lecture style sessions and adventure-based learning.



Message from President Elect Mark



Youth Award Presentations - Keilor Downs Secondary College and Buckley Park College

From our Club Facebook Page

On Monday 22nd October we presented Recognition Awards to students from Keilor Downs Secondary College and Buckley Park College. The Buckley Park VCAL students worked on a Community Project to aid Anglicare as part of their Personal Development subject. We are grateful that they helped us cook our busiest ever Bunnings BBQ. The Year 9 KDSC students are part of a Global Leadership program and have turned former Brimbank Rotary Club's \$500 float into a much larger amount for Anglicare. Through planning and running fundraising at their school, students developed new skills and friendships. Our congratulations go to all the wonderful community minded students and their proud families.





Youth Award Presentations - Keilor Downs Secondary College and Buckley Park College











Above left: Madilyn Brinsmead with her supervising teacher from Buckley Park College.

Above centre: Athena Vass and Coral Hassett of Keilor Downs Secondary College. Right: Michelle, Sebastian Sabrina and Glenn Smith.



Upcoming Events

*Click on posters to be directed to the 2019 Multi District Conference website.

The Multi District Conference will bring together 1500 Rotarians, 700 young people between the ages of 18-30 in a Youth Forum and Interactors/Earlyactors in a separate Forum.

A Showcase occupying over 3,000 sq. metres showing Rotarians and the public of Melbourne -

"What Rotary Does!"



REGISTER BEFORE OCTOBER 31ST

TO GO IN A DRAW TO WIN FREE **REGISTRATION FOR 2 PEOPLE**

ACCOMMODATION FOR 2 NIGHTS (UP TO \$500)



CONFERENCE REGISTRATION

Up to November 30th

Normal \$175 \$125

(New Rotarian (joined after Jan 2017), Rotaractor, YEX student)

Gala Dinner \$110 after November \$225



Victorian **Multi District** Conference

Districts 9790, 9800, 9810, 9820

www.rotaryconference.org.au



Registration is now Open

www.rotaryconference.org.au

TO WIN FREE REGISTRATION & **GALA DINNER FOR 2 PEOPLE PLUS ACCOMMODATION FOR** TWO NIGHTS (UP TO \$500)

Early Bird \$175, **New Rotarians** \$125 (joined after July 1 2016)

AFTER NOVEMBER 30TH \$225

Conference Dinner \$110

GALA DINNER





Featuring the Baker Boys, a 9 piece band covering a wide variety of music 3 course meal, Open Bar plus surprises all night

WHAT ROTARY DOES!



As well as a fantastic Rotary Showcase there will be "three hands on projects" where you can pack emergency food for disaster relief, pack birthing kits or kits for the homeless in our communities.

Always a great fellowship opportunity

Further details www.rotaryconference.org.au

More Upcoming Events







Shine On Recognition - Nominations NOW OPEN

Does you club know of somebody with a disability?

Do they provide outstanding support to others with disability?

Are they a community leader or involved in a community group?

Do you have a relationship with a local organisation that supports people with disability who may want to nominate somebody for Shine On?

Well it is time to get to it and reach out to your local community and identify people with a disability, who are worthy of Shine On recognition. Let's make this year better than ever for the selection panel and give them many outstanding nominees to consider.

RI Southern Districts 'Shine On' is a multi-district project covering all of Victoria (and small parts of SA and NSW), and acknowledges exceptional service to others by people with disabilities. Clubs may nominate people who meet the criteria and all nominees will receive recognition with a Certificate of Commendation.

To be eligible, nominees should:

- Demonstrate the active involvement of the nominee in community service for the benefit of others and have demonstrated a significant level of personal achievement whilst managing a specific medical disorder/disability, and
- Be endorsed by Rotary Club.

Examples of personal achievement may include:

- Leadership and/or mentoring of others with the disability
- Membership and/or leadership in community groups
- Service to the community and/or a history of community achievement
- Other special awards or forms of recognition

Nominations may be made anybody in the community, and, are open to people aged over 15 years.

Each Nomination must be endorsed by a Rotary club. The nominee must sign a consent form and include a small or passport sized photo, as well as other supporting documentation.

Go to our 'Shine On Recognition' page at https://www.rotarydistrict9800.org.au/sitepage/community-service/shine-on to download the nomination Form.

Nominations close on 15 December 2018.

The Shine On Recognition ceremony will take place on Sunday 7 May 2019 at the Italian Sports Club of Werribee, hosted by the Rotary Club of Hoppers Crossing.

If you would like more information about the Shine On Recognition 2017 please email Louise at <u>louise.b@internode.on.net</u> or call her on 0418 597 427.

What's Next?

| Date | Event |
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| Monday 29th October | District Governor Bronwyn Stephen's Visit (Partner's Night) |
| Wednesday 31st October | Days for Girls Sew In Day Essendon Baptist Church Hall 1.30-5pm |
| Sunday 4th November | Bunnings Watergardens BBQ |
| Monday 5th November | Cup Eve - No Meeting |
| Monday 12th November | Cycling Without Age - Julia Soldaini |
| Monday 19th November | Club Annual General Meeting - Alan Murphy OAM |
| Monday 26th November | Melbourne's Queen Victoria Market - Tim Webster - Books for Sale \$55 |
| Wednesday 28th November | Days for Girls Sew In Day Essendon Baptist Church Hall 1.30-5pm |

Our Club gratefully acknowledges the sponsorship we receive from the Keilor East Bendigo Community Bank and Smart Storage World to assist us in providing services to the Community.

Rotary Club of Keilor East meets on 6.30pm for 6.45pm at Keilor East RSL, Hoffmans Rd, West Essendon For Club Membership or Sponsorship information Contact: Past President, Joe Albioli (0438133123) http://www.keiloreastrotary.org Program Director 2018-2019 Joy Ryan









Rotary Thanksgivings

- *We give thanks for our daily food. May Rotary friends and Rotary ways, help us to serve all our days.
- * For good food, good fellowship, and the privilege to serve, we give thanks.

October and November Birthdays and Anniversaries

Birthdays

October 8: Lloyd Lancaster October 10: Marianne Potgieter

October 13: Jack Watson October 14: Tina Ballos October 15: Ian Wright October 18: Dawn Watson

November 1: Mark Tognon November 7: Lyn Mahoney November 19: Barbara Rafter

November 30: Phil O'Brien



Wedding Anniversaries

October 16: Yew Kong and Linda Lye October 20: John and Barbara Rafter November 11: Gerard and Lyn Mahoney November 17: John and Maryanne Walsh

Rotary Anniversaries

October 15: Chris Rundell 2012 October 21: Minh Nguyen 2002 October 26: Alex Billson 2015

November 4: Judith Maddocks 2004 November 17: Raj Vytilingam 2003 November 24: Daryl Cornish 2007





Member News -



A photo and message from President Ginny Billson.

Nice picture of the Days for Girls certificate presentations at St Columba's College including one for their lovely teacher Sandra Ciccotosto.



Left: Secretary Chris Rundell sent us a photo from his Kangaroo Island cycling trip. He is pictured in front of the Cape du Cuedic Lighthouse.



Our Deepest Sympathy goes to Bob and Janet McMartin, their sons, Andrew and David and the whole McMartin family upon the loss of Bob's mother Jean. Jean, who was a wonderful 101 years old, was a resident of Glenarm Aged Care in Kerang. Jean's funeral will be held on Wednesday 31st October at 2pm at St Andrews Presbyterian Church, 76 Victoria Street, Kerang. Our thoughts and condolences are with Jean's family at this difficult time.



A photo and message from Barbara Rafter.

John and I attended a new car release night at Lexus of Blackburn last night and they also had the 2018

Lexus Melbourne Cup on display and plenty of photos taken. Notice we are wearing the white gloves.



Well done to our Club Members who arose early on Sunday 28th October to cook the BBQ for the Cystic Fibrosis Great Strides Run or Walk around the Botanic Gardens.