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THE FOUR-WAY TEST

Of all 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?

FROM PRESIDENT JUDI



It was so pleasing to see so many Rotarians and partners attend last week's meeting to welcome District Governor Tony and Carla on their formal visit to their home Club. The earlier meeting with DG Tony gave the Board an opportunity to discuss governance and stewardship aspects of club management and to showcase new and innovative projects that are in various stages of development. The

Board presented DG Tony and AG Brian with a bound copy of a report which includes the Club Plan and describes the activities of the Foundation and Avenues of Service and examples of past, current and future projects of the Club.

I would like to commend the Board for their significant contribution in preparation for the visit, presentations on the day and the production of the written report. Team work was definitely at play.

Carla's project to purchase equipment to support the deaf and handicapped school in Tamil Nadu India is an extremely worthwhile cause. As Carla mentioned it is owned and run by GSE team leader Ganapathy who visited our club 4 years ago. I have taken the time to read the details of the project and will be discussing our donation with the Board at the next meeting.

The next few weeks we need to focus our energies on finalising the details for the Peninsula Link Community day a major fund raising opportunity for the club. To make this a success it is important that we have considered all aspects of the project and have sufficient people to resource activities that will mitigate risk to Club and reputation. The Board must ensure the project is

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THIS WEEK'S PROGRAM

U3A "KEEP THE WHEELS TURNING"

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Chair: Maureen Gillham
Cashier: PP Wayne Peterson
Reception: PP Barry Dean

MILESTONES



BIRTHDAYS

PP Doug Thompson - 5 November

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managed professionally and responsibly.

It is great to see a significant increase in the number people who have expressed an interest in becoming a Friend of the Rotary Club of Frankston North in the past few weeks. As mentioned previously, changes are be made to the WEB site to support our friends and our first monthly newsletter is well on the way.

Don't forget the farewell to the Peninsula Rotaract team departing for Timor Leste AND don't forget DG Tony and Carla's Cup Day celebrations in their new home in Mt Martha. Carla and Tony are even going to try to hang some of their paintings for the big day.

Once again thanks for your support. See you on Wednesday.

President Judi

LAST WEEK'S PROGRAM

CHAIR: President Judi

GUESTS: DG Tony Spring & Carla, AG Brian Mellady, Lee Stanford (RC Rosebud / Rye), Clare Burns (RC Rosebud / Rye), Gloria Burns (Peninsula Rotaract) and partners of members.

APOLOGIES: None

LOA: PP Doug Thompson.

WELCOME: President Judi welcomed DG Tony and Carla, AG Brian, visiting Rotarians and guests.

TOAST TO ROTARY INTERNATIONAL: PE Don MacDonald proposed a toast to Rotary International.

RESPONSE: DG Tony Spring thanked PE Don for proposing the toast and the Club for the way it was accepted.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Clare Burns:

- ✓ The Rotary club of Rosebud/Rye is holding a gala charity ball on 17 November in support of Rotary Interplast, Rosebud Hospital Emergency Upgrade and Sister Carmel's Cancer Support Group. Clubs are invited to make up tables of 10 at a discounted ticked price.

PP Mike Goonan:

- ✓ Looking for someone to organise a proposed children's Christmas party on 16 December at Blairlogie.

Mark Sammut:

- ✓ Lists are being circulated for the Peninsula Link Community Day on 25 November. We need all the support we can get - it will be a big day, and a great opportunity for us.

Maureen Gillham:

- ✓ We are on Facebook - please check out the page and be sure to "like" us.

President Judi:

- ✓ Steve Cernotta of Anderson's Removals is in Frankston hospital. Please sign the card.
- ✓ The Rotary Club of Berwick has a charity business dinner on 15 November - speakers are Olympians Michael Klim & Russell Mark.
- ✓ Remember to register for the conference by the due date.
- ✓ Our GSE applicant Shannon was unsuccessful - there was a very strong field. We thank her for her interest.
- ✓ Former member Bill Beaglehole is unwell.

PP John Tame:

- ✓ We wish Steve Cernotta speedy recovery. Steve supplied the furniture donated to the Naval Club recently.
- ✓ Attended a meeting with local schools and a representative from the Education department regarding the Junior Volunteer Award - things are proceeding well and the \$10k grant is looking good.
- ✓ John also met with the Council regarding the Frankston Future Kids project and there are good prospects of the \$30k grant being approved.

SECRETARY LINDA:

- ✓ Cup Day celebration at DG Tony & Carla's new house.
- ✓ Frankston City is seeking nominations for Citizen & Young Citizen of the Year.
- ✓ Mail folder distributed.

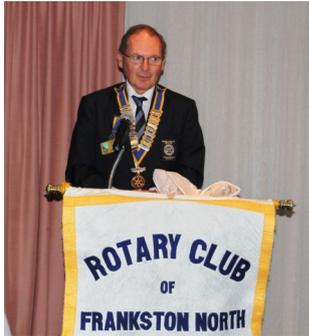
SERGEANT CON'S SESSION:

Con has found his chain and is a marshal no longer. Asked us which is the most densely populated place on Earth (It is Macau), then there was a fair bit of relationship building stuff from the partners present. The highlight was Loula's saga of Cons spit roast!

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DISTRICT 9820 GOVERNOR TONY SPRING:



DG Tony presented the Club with a “Home of The District Governor” banner, which was received with thanks by President Judi.

In his address, DG Tony began by mentioning that it was good to see that there was a lot going on in our Club, particularly in the Frankston North local community. Rotary is changing - if we did now what we did 15 years ago we would not be the organisation we want to be now. Foundation is also changing, matching grants are now District grants and will be easier to manage, GSE will be different. The Foundation seminar in November will have a lot of important information regarding these matters.



Membership is a matter of concern, and improved PR will attract members by making people aware of what we support. Funds from RI have been allocated to assist. Youth Exchange is in need of support, and there are ways some of the difficulties in hosting can be overcome.

Tony introduced Carla who spoke on her DG’s partner’s project to purchase equipment to support the deaf and handicapped school in Tamil Nadu India. Carla mentioned that it is owned and run by incoming GSE team leader Ganapathy who we met when he came to the Club 4 years ago.

DG Tony concluded by thanking the Club for running good projects, and also organising the conference, which was shaping up well.

PRESIDENT JUDI:

On behalf of the Club, President Judi thanked DG Tony for his kind words, and presented Carla with a Bouquet.



NEXT WEEK

CLUB COMMITTEES

- Chair: PE Don MacDonald
- Cashier: PP Wayne Peterson
- Reception: PP Barry Dean

KEY DATES

- 6 Nov**— Cup Day at DG Tony’s
- 10 Nov**— Peninsula Rotaract Farwell Luncheon
- 15 Nov**— RC Berwick Charity Business Dinner
- 17 Nov**— Mornington Peninsula Cluster Charity Ball
- 18 Nov**— District 9820 Rotary Foundation Seminar
- 25 Nov**— Peninsula Link Community Day

PARTNER’S DINNERS

Unfortunately, due to timing and the upcoming Conference, our Partner’s Dinners on the 1st Wednesday night of the Month have been cancelled until March 2013.

We look forward to catching up with all of you once more in March 2013.

Jan will forward an email and make the usual phone calls towards the end of February 2013 to confirm the date and place for the Dinner.

Jan Cahill and Carla Spring

THE INVOCATION
 “For good food, good fellowship and the opportunity to serve through Rotary we give thanks”

THE LOYAL TOAST
 “To Her Majesty the Queen, and the People of Australia”



FUTURE FUNCTIONS



THE PENINSULA ROTARACT CLUB INVITES YOU TO ATTEND OUR
FAREWELL LUNCHEON

We are about to embark on our first international adventure as a Rotaract club and would love your company as we say farewell and also a huge thank you to everyone that has helped make this a reality.



**Midday
10th of November
Caesar's on Nepean Highway, Frankston**

Dress code: Neat casual
Finger food provided
\$ 20

To book your tickets email peninsularcevents@gmail.com

ROTARY CLUB ROSEBUD-RYE

Charity Gala Ball

Enjoy a 3 course meal with beer and wine.
Complimentary Champagne on arrival.

50's Theme – Dress to Impress!
Dance to the fabulous sounds of
"Pippa Wilson Swinglet"
Silent auctions throughout the night

When: Saturday 17th November
Time: 7.00 pm
Where: Mornington Racecourse
320 Racecourse Road, Mornington

Tickets: Single – \$125pp
Table of 10 – \$115pp
(Tables of 10 must be purchased in one transaction)

All proceeds from the night go to:
Rotary Interplast
Rosebud Hospital Emergency Upgrade
Sister Carmel's Cancer Support Group

Hosted by Rotary Club of Rosebud-Rye and supported by the Nepean Rotary Cluster Group

District 9820 Rotary Foundation Seminar

**Monash University Campus
Monash Berwick Theatre
Sunday, 18 November 2012
Following the District Annual General Meeting.**

This is an invitation to all Clubs and members who wish to know more about Future Vision and The Rotary Foundation and how it will operate from 1 July 2013. For those Clubs wishing to participate in Foundation Grants in the future, attendance is compulsory.

Details of the new Future Vision programme will be provided as well as details of steps that need to be taken for clubs to qualify and the method of applying for grants.

There will be ample time for questions and the seminar will conclude by lunchtime.

**Ray Martin
District Rotary Foundation Chairman**

Major Charity Beneficiaries

St John of God Berwick Hospital
70 bed Modern Private Hospital with 4 Operating suites performing over 10,000 operations every year. Patient satisfaction is in the top 5% of all private hospitals in Australia. Your Healthcare Needs - "We have it covered"

Widernere Child & Family Services Inc
Providing emotional and practical support services, education, advice and counselling. The aim is to help all to realise their full potential, to build resilience and to feel a positive and meaningful connection to the community in which they live.

The Sport Australia Hall of Fame Scholarship Mentoring Program
The Rotary Club of Berwick will sponsor sixteen local school sport achievers at the prestigious Sport Australia Hall of Fame Annual Induction and Awards Dinner at Crown, Melbourne in October this year. Rotary supporting our youth.

Supporting Local Charities
The Rotary Club of Berwick is committed to working with and supporting local charities. Part funds derived from the Charity Business Dinner will be distributed accordingly.

Sponsors and Supporters

Major Sponsor	
Gold Sponsor	
Support Sponsor	

Michael Klim OAM

Multiple Olympic, Commonwealth Games and World Champion. He competed in three Olympic Games, 1996, 2000 and 2004 winning two gold, two silver and one bronze medal. Michael now focuses his energies on his business interests, in particular his skin care company MILK.

Russell Mark OAM

One of three Australians to compete in six Olympic Games from 1992 to London 2012. Won Gold in the Double Trap in Atlanta in 1996. From 1996 to 2000 he won four major world titles. When not competing he is a radio host, MC at events, sports commentator for the ABC and does public speaking.

The Rotary Club of Berwick Inc

Charity Business Dinner
Thursday 15th November, 2012
Cardinia Cultural Centre
Lakeside Blvd, Pakenham

'SPORT & BUSINESS'

RUSSELL MARK OAM
Olympian & Sports Commentator

MICHAEL KLIM OAM
Olympian & Businessman