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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



Past President Wayne, my sincere thanks for the contribution you made to Rotary in the past year and I look forward to your support in the coming year.

Thanks to everyone who contributed and attended our changeover on Sunday 1st July. Good venue, good food and wine and the added bonus of sharing the occasion with family and friends.

Thanks to PDG David Loudon who did a fabulous job as MC. The program was so organised and on schedule. It was also such a privilege to have PDG Peter Newman perform my induction. Many of you acknowledge how much you enjoyed the children's orchestra and young Emily Whitney who played the violin. They also enjoyed the rare opportunity of being asked to perform to an appreciative audience.

The Sergeants session with John Tame at the helm was hilarious and so appropriate for the day. Poet laureate in the making!!!

We have commenced the year with our first Club Assembly with Board Directors presenting an outline of our clubs plans for the year. My Board is very important in planning and leading what we all need to do to make this a successful year. There will be a strong focus on increasing our membership, raising our profile as a club, fund raising, participating in projects locally and further afield, working collaboratively / partnering with other clubs. And, of course, we will enjoy the fellowship whilst we meet the challenge. The aim is ensure members are kept informed and involved in all aspects of club activities throughout the year.

Our first Eastlink BBQ fundraiser was this week, the WEB site updates are already underway and our first vocational visit is scheduled. My thanks and a great start to the year.

Read Judi's blog at:- <http://www.rotaryfrankstonnorth.org/>

THIS WEEK'S PROGRAM

GUIDE DOGS VICTORIA

Joan Smith & Benson

Chair: PP David Hanlon

Cashier: TBA

Reception: PP Barry Dean

MILESTONES



BIRTHDAY

Margaret Capon— 17 July

The Rotary Club of Frankston North Inc is a caring group of people who apply their time & talents in providing humanitarian support to local & overseas communities & individuals while also caring for & involving their own members & families

LAST WEEK'S PROGRAM

Chair: President Judi McKee

Guests: Assistant Governor Brian Mellady & Lyn.

Apologies: PDG David Louden, PP Glenn Ellam, PP Con Demopoulos.

LOA: PP Doug Thompson, Robert Pill, Ron Cook, PP Brian Capon.

PRESIDENT'S ANNOUNCEMENTS:

President Judi welcomed members and Assistant Governor Brian & Lyn to the first for the new Rotary year. She gave a brief outline of meeting format and procedures— Each month we will have one monthly Club assembly to discuss issues, one night will highlight the Rotary monthly theme and our Club's current projects, and the other two nights will feature guest speakers. When there is a 5th night in the month we will hold a special program, possible inviting other clubs. On some nights the sergeant's session may be omitted if deemed necessary to meet program arrangements. Members are asked to use the microphone when speaking and speak to secretary Linda if there are any issues with catering. The Board will continue to meet monthly on the 2nd Wednesday. Finally, please invite friends to the meetings and help develop and support the membership project 300.

SECRETARY'S ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Linda thanked previous secretary Eric for handing over all the paperwork. Correspondence tabled, including DG Tony Spring thanking Club for support, thanks from raffle participants.

DIRECTOR'S ANNOUNCEMENTS:

PP David Cahill— If payment for a function is requested in advance members must make sure they pay, otherwise the Club is out of pocket.

PE Don MacDonald— The web page is currently off-line for maintenance. A calendar is being set up to be used for Club activities and information.

PP Eric Neill— "Cane Toad" is leading the footy tipping, there were several winners this week.

PP Wayne Peterson— The Peninsula Country Golf Club Charity Golf Day will be held 8 September. He is looking for sponsors and member support.

President Judi— There will be a Peninsula Ling BBQ this weekend. The District Directory is being distributed, thanks to AG Brian for bringing them, and the District newsletter "The Spring Times" is available.

SERGEANT'S SESSION:

Stand-in sergeant was PE Don (Con is in in Queensland). Don confessed that it was the first time he has run a session, but picked it up quickly. To save embarrassment, I will not record specific details.

CLUB ASSEMBLY:

President Judi led a presentation on the Club organisation. The Directors each introduced their committees and projects planned for the coming year. Details are available on the web page.

MEETING CLOSE:

President Judi thanked the speakers and members for their contribution and comments, and reminded members that due to the web page being off line, apologies are to be emailed .



LAST WEEK'S PROGRAM—continued



FUTURE PROGRAMS

- 18 July Freedom 2 Go Lifestyle—Trevor Davis and David Louden.
Chair: David Louden.
- 25 July Banyan Fields Primary School Literacy Program—Annette McArthur
Also our delegates to M.U.N.A. - Dysan Walker and Nelson Mulder from John Paul College.

"I Am A New Member"
 I see you at the meetings, but you never say "Hello."
 You're busy all the time you're there with the ones
 you already know.
 I sit among all the people, I'm only lonesome, not
 shy.
 I want to be your friend, you see but your old mem-
 bers just pass me by.
 You have all invited me in and you talk of good
 fellowship.
 You need only step across the room, but never both-
 ered to make the trip.
 Why can't you nod and say "Hello" or stop and
 shake my hand.
 Then go and sit with your friends. That's something
 I'd understand.
 I'll be at your next meeting. This message I want to
 send,
 Please introduce yourself to me. I really want to be
 your friend.

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"

Australians all let us rejoice
 For we are young and free
 We've golden soil and wealth for toil,
 Our home is girt by sea:
 Our land abounds in nature's gifts
 Of beauty rich and rare,
 In history's page let every stage
 Advance Australia fair,
 In joyful strains then let us sing
 Advance Australia fair.



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