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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?

*The Rotary Club of Frankston North Inc is a caring group of people who apply their time & talents in providing humani-*

## Call to Higher Service—Vale

It is with sadness that PP **David Cox** passed to Higher Service early this morning at Peninsula Private Hospital. David had a long and successful Rotary involvement joining Rotary in 1973 as a Charter Member of the Rotary Club of Cheltenham. On moving to Frankston, David joined the Rotary Club of Frankston North in the Rotary year 1980/81. He was named a Paul Harris Fellow in March 1995 and was President of the Club in 1988/89. David filled many appointments in the Club including Sergeant at Arms on a number of occasions. In addition David was active with the Australian Army Cadets rising to the rank of Lieutenant Colonel (AAC). In this role David undertook the training of young people in leadership and adventure skills in a military setting. We can be most grateful and proud of David's service to Rotary and the Cadets. We will all miss his company, fellowship and his wise counsel and above all the friendship he displayed to us all.

## THIS WEEK'S PROGRAM

David Cahill—Rhine River Cruise

**Chairperson**

**David Cahill**

Cashier for February  
PP John Tame OAM

## MILESTONES



**ROTARY ANNIVERSARIES**  
None this week



**BIRTHDAYS**  
Robert Pill— 11th February



**WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES**  
None this week

## FUTURE EVENTS

District Changeover— Sunday June 24th 2012  
PETS Woorinyan—Saturday February 11th  
RI Anniversary Celebration at Mornington Community Theatre gardens on 23rd February  
Bowling Club night—Tuesday March 13th  
GSE Dinner Winconsin USA visit -Dinner Mar 15th, 2012

## LAST WEEK'S PROGRAM

**APOLOGIES:** David Cox, Patrick Lee, David Louden, Mike Goonan, Eric Neill

**LOA:** Nil

**GUEST ROTARIANS PP** Jim Baker who is down from the North

Special guests Shiori our youth exchange student of 2006 / 07 and her father Sasuma Tamura

**Toast** - To the Queen and the people of Australia.

**President Wayne** opened the meeting :

☞ Welcomed Rotarians and special guests

☞ PETS—a reminder volunteers are required for Saturday February 11th for the PETS forum to assist with setup and catering.

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**Secretary Announcements PP Rod Puls** in Eric's absence tabled correspondence / Reminder re Rotary Anniversary celebration to be held at the Community Theatre gardens in Wilson Rd, Mornington

**Directors Announcements**

**PDG Peter Newman** acknowledged the courage of David and his family when they gave Eulogy at Shirley's funeral and Viv Ellam's contribution when she spoke about her friendship with Shirley and presented tributes from many others who had experience Shirley's extraordinary courage in recent years and her special care and friendship over many years.

**PDG Peter Newman**—David Cox who sadly died on Sunday. Our thoughts are with Carol and the family.

**PE Don McDonald** confirmed that there will be a combined dinner of 3 clubs to host the GSE visit on Thursday 15th March at the Ranelagh Club Mt Eliza. The cost of the dinner will be \$35.00. This will be in lieu of meeting of the 21st March which will be cancelled. Members encouraged to attend with their partners.

**PP Geoff Magor**—announced preparation for the Community raffle—the approval for permit is underway / 90,00 tickets available / Commence selling from 14th March to 23rd May / tickets returned by 31st May / scrunching date TBC / draw on Wednesday 13th June at 7.30pm. Members encouraged to seek new avenues to increase tickets sales.

**Rotarian Mark Summit** acknowledged the strong commitment of the club in its presence at Shirley's funeral and support to David and his family today.

**Sergeant PP Glenn Ellam**—followed PP Charle's practice of the previous week by fining us all.

**Shiori Tamura**— filled us in on the past four years—attended university in Tokyo and is about to graduate in economics and finance and make a decision on her future career path. Shiori also spoke about her siblings who were growing up and making successes of their young lives. She also acknowledged the support that Australia had given during the earthquake. It was great to see that Shiori has grown into a fine young woman. President Wayne thanked Shiori and her father for attending the meeting.

The remainder of the meeting involved individual discussion within the various directorships.

*"When we in Rotary work for peace, we don't do it by negotiating treaties or demonstrating in the streets. Instead, we build peace by example – by working together, whatever our nationality or background, and putting others' needs above our own. We build peace by dealing with the problems that disrupt people's ability to live normal, peaceful lives – whether those problems are a lack of water, or sanitation, or safe, affordable housing; whether they stem from a shortage of education or health care, or a need to build productive and positive connections between communities. In everything we do, we rely on our good name."*

**Kalyan Banerjee President, Rotary International**

### Marketing of Rotary Clubs

**"For our clubs to continue to grow, encourage sponsors, receive community support for our projects, and increase and retain our membership, we need to tell the world who we are, what we do, and importantly how we can be contacted. In other words we need to effectively market ourselves. I therefore encourage clubs to develop their own marketing plan"**

**Message from our District Governor Kel Hobby**



### 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 PROGRAMS

15th February— Marley Angus presentation TBC  
22nd February—No meeting. (replaced by Anniversary) on 23rd)

29th February—PDG Peter Newman and PP J Tame  
Justice of the Peace operations

**FROM THE ACTING HO EDITOR**  
Welcome back Rod