



NEWSLETTER 21 NOVEMBER 12, 2024

#### Rotary meets weekly at Tosaria's Café 60 Henderson Rd Rowville

Tuesday 6.30 pm for 7.00 pm start

Meetings are hybrid unless indicated otherwise

Zoom meeting link

Visitors are warmly welcome Contact: President Jenny Moran 0404893870

#### ART SHOW ROUND UP.....



Congratulations to all those involved in the very successful 50th Knox Art Show, held last weekend. There were many pleasing aspects of this event, not least of which was the co-operation between the Rotary Clubs of Rowville-Lysterfield and Bayswater, with a few helpers from Knox Rotary Club, and the Casey-Cardinia Rotaract Club adding manpower to the bump-out.

Much preparation work had taken place to produce new white covers for the screens and the impact of this brighter

background for the art was very noticeable and commented on by many. The work on display was wonderful, from very talented artists. There was a long list of helpers and thanks go to all of those who devoted time to this event, either over the weekend manning the show or in the various jobs necessary to bring it to fruition.

Particular congratulations and thanks to Rajeev Wadhwa, as Chair of the committee, to Alan Lunghusen whose many talents cover construction and design, with a dash of innovation thrown in, and to Barrie Vickers and Ron Bridges from the Rotary Club of Bayswater, who are the powerhouses of this

event. (more photos on page 2)









OPENING NIGHT



Satellite Club meets at Tosaria's Café

Alternate Thursdays at 7:30am

Contact : President Kevin Harrison 0419919011

Home Club of PDG Daryl Moran









#### KNOX ART SHOW OPENING NIGHT













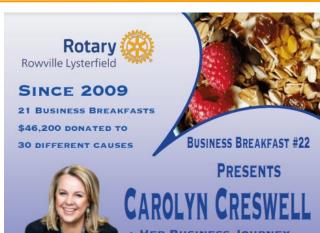








**BUSINESS BREAKFAST #22** 



HER BUSINESS JOURNEY BETTER WAYS OF WORKING

+ TOP BUSINESS TIPS

Carolyn Creswell is an Australian businesswoman and television host. distributed to 35 countries

Wednesday 20th November 6.30 - 8.30 am

Tickets - \$65.00 per person Churchill-Waverley Golf & Bowls Club, 82 Bergins Road, Rowville

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The next Business Breakfast is next week and it would be great to have the function room full and buzzing.

Spread the news to family, friends and business contacts to make this a memorable event.

Do some networking whilst enjoying a fine breakfast before heading off to work on Wednesday 20th November, 6:30-8:30am.

Come and hear our inspirational speaker, Carolyn Creswell, on various aspects of her amazing business journey.

**LATE BOOKINGS WILL BE ACCEPTED SO DON'T MISS OUT** 

> **BOOK NOW TO SECURE YOUR** SPOT!!

## Member news snippets...

#### **NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS**

9th - Murray, Corinne

19th - Neil W

22nd - Arshad





- Corinne and Les are off on another cruise, this time to New Zealand. Anyone would think that they don't like being home!!!
- In Corinne's absence, Claire will make sure that the Newsletter is published.

#### THANK YOU CLAIRE!!!!

The Washinton Post's Mensa Invitational once again invited readers to take any word from the dictionary, alter it by adding, subtracting or changing one letter and supply a new definition.

Below are a few of the winners:

**Intaxication :** Euphoria at getting a tax refund until you realise it was your money to start with.

Giraffiti: Vandalism spray painted very, very high.

**Decafhalon :** The grueling event of getting through the day consuming only things that are good for you.

**Caterpallor :** The colour you turn when you discover half a worm in the fruit you're eating

directed by Justin Stephens

Called 'the funniest farce ever written,' Noises Off presents a maric menagerie of itinerant actors rehearing a flop called Nothing's On. Doors slamming, on and offstage love triangles, and plates and plates of sardines all feature in the plot of this hilarious and classically comic play.

SEASON 6

14 November to 7 December 2024

An Amateur Production By Arrangement with ORGIN Theatrical, on behalf of Samuel French

Fundraising Night at the 1812 Theatre is on tonight 13th November.

Please join in for dinner at the Royal Hotel Upper Ferntree Gully from 6pm. If unable to come for dinner, please meet in the Foyer of the 1812 at 7:45pm to collect your ticket from Kaye.

Show starts at 8pm and promises to be an hilarious production.

#### Heartfelt thanks......

The following is a part of an email sent to Robin Yamaguchi (Uganda Family Care) from Patrick, whom we have supported with a scholarship to complete his Tertiary Education. It expresses a truly heartfelt thank you.

".....grateful for having connected to someone like you who is better than me.

A lot of men are failing in life because they are not mentored, they don't have even anyone whom they can sit down and listen to with obedience.

Am glad to have found you, you have and you are still mentoring me since you are making waves and impacting people in our community.

Through your marvellous mentorship, I was able to defend our family against hunger this year when I worked with census as a numerator. I utilised the pay I got for uplifiting the status of our home and this has expanded my being....

Am not only limiting myself to classroom work, I also do something practical to earn a living and I happened to cultivate a bean garden on top of Mount Morungole to generate some income and defend the family against malnutrition.....

May nothing stop you from making others great.

I LEFT HOME TO CHANGE HOME"

Patrick.



#### CLUB CHRISTMAS BREAK UP INVITATION



Please see to the left, an invitation to our Christmas get together, on Tuesday December 10th.

It will be fully catered for with a complimentary glass of champagne. (\$30 per head to Club Admin Account please)

This year we have decided to do a small KK, so everyone is asked to bring a small gift of under \$10 in value that would be suitable for either gender, preferably not wine or chocolates. So, thinking caps on!.

As the venue is in a gated community, there is a pin pad at the gate and the code is **0514#**. It is also possible to follow other cars in. Jenny suggests car pooling as there is not a lot of parking.

We will be using an area in the clubhouse, which is just inside the gate. There is a pool table and lawn bowls also available for those who want to partake.



#### INTERNATIONAL DAY

The International Day was held at Dandenong last Sunday. Alan, as Deputy International Chair for District 9815 had a role in introducing himself and also other duties introducing speakers and assisting handing out gifts to the speakers.

It was a great day with representatives from multiple clubs talking of their projects. The Magic of Rotary was truly evident with the incredible projects being undertaken in other countries and having so much impact in the lives of the people and communities there.

Alan had flyers printed to showcase Rotary Club od Rowville-Lysterfied projects in Kirawina and also Family Care Uganda.

There was opportunity to network and chat with people in the many clubs of District 9815.

Alan also promoted the work of RAWCS for people wanting to get involved with the many projects listed on this site.







### **ROSTERS**—Foothills muffins

25 November Muffins Heather, Jenny, Anita and Rajeev, Fiona

09 December Muffins Marg, Kaye, Corinne, Pete and Sue



# NEXT BUNNINGS BBQ THIS FRIDAY 15th NOVEMBER

The last BBQ for 2024 is on Friday 20th December and will be a busy one, being a few days before Christmas. Please add your name to the roster on Google Sheets if you can help.



#### **COMMUNITY**



As we approach the Christmas season, it is timely to think about those who will not have the Christmas that we will have and reach out to them with some Christmas cheer.

In the past, we have taken part in the Foothills Community Care Reverse Advent Calendar and provided individual hampers, following the guidelines on the right.

There has been a slight change to the Program and so we will need you to bring your donated items to the meeting on the 3rd December and then the packing will happen at Tosaria's on the same night.

It is not necessary to stick rigidly to the suggested items.



Simply place an item each day in a box and return to one of our donation points to get them to FOOTHILLS COMMUNITY CARE

Any Non-Perishable food items are welcome,
Please ensure items are within their best before dates.
We are unable to distribute medications or alcohol in hampers
FOOTHILLSCARFORG ALL

#### **PROGRAM**

Date	Registration	Chair	Setup and Production	Program			
OCTOBER - Economic and Community Development							
NOVEMBER - The Rotary Foundation							
19 November	Marg	Ian	Kevin	AGM			
			Ian	Lija Matthews - Change for Sam			
20 November	BUSINESS BREAKFAST #22 6:30-8:30am						
	Churchill - Waverley Golf and Bowls Club Bergins Rd Rowville						
26 November	Jeff	Max	Ian	Earlyact Club Visit			
			John	Wheelchairs for Kids - Russell Hayes			
DECEMBER – Prevention and Treatment							
03 December	Corinne	Marg	John	Reverse Advent Calendar packing, dinner and brief meeting			
			Daryl				
10 December	CHRISTM	IAS BREAK UP at	Jenny and Da	ryl's see details on page 4			

#### CLUB GOOGLE REVIEWS - HOW TO...



If unable to scan the QR Code, go to Google Maps and search "Rotary Club of Rowville-Lysterfield." Click on Reviews which will take you to the section where you can add your review by clicking "Write a Review."

When leaving your review, it would be very helpful if you could add some (BUT NOT ALL) of the following language:

- The Rotary Club of Rowville-Lysterfield
- Friendly
- Community focused
- Supportive of many local charities
- Focused on helping local and international projects
- Great supporters of local projects who work with families and individuals who are less fortunate than most
- Cook a great sausage at the Bunnings BBQs

### **UPCOMING DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

WED 20th NOV- Business Breakfast—Churchill - Waverley Golf and Bowls Club

**TUES 10th DEC—Christmas Break Up**—at Jenny and Daryl's. Stockland Halcyon Community, Sunset Boulevard, Berwick. Car pooling is strongly recommended



### Let's support our members....



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#### 2024-2025 COMMITTEE MEMBERS and OTHER ROLES

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	Kate Kidd		Carol Constantine
	Ian Vesey		Alan Lunghusen
	Ayanthi Gunatilake		Gary Forrest
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