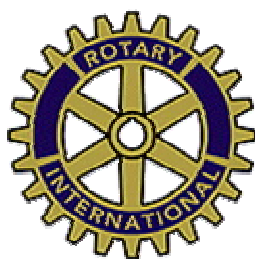


THE ROTARY CLUB OF  
**MOUNT WAVERLEY Inc.**

WEEKLY BULLETIN



DISTRICT 9810  
VICTORIA - AUSTRALIA



## **Mt. WAVERLEY CLUB BULLETIN**

**Volume 32, Number 2, 13 July 2016**

### **IMMEDIATE PROGRAMME**

<b>VENUE</b>	<b>SPEAKER / TOPIC</b>	<b>CHAIRPERSON</b>
This meeting: Wednesday 13 July 2016 6pm for 6.30pm start		
LOC	Teaching English in Vietnam – Chris Martin	Roger
Next meeting: <b>Thursday 21 July 2016 6pm for 6.30pm start</b>		
LOC	Joint meeting with Oakleigh RC Dianne Fisher - RYPEN and Phil McKenzie - Charter of new club in Timor	

### **IMPORTANT ADDRESSES & CLUB INFORMATION**

Club Postal Address: P.O. BOX 295 GLEN WAVERLEY 3150

**Web Address:** <http://mountwaverleyrotary.org/>

**FACEBOOK ADDRESS:** <http://www.facebook.com/mountwaverleyrotary>

Bulletin Copy Deadline: **5.00 PM.** Sunday to Glen Watkins.

Other Important Addresses:

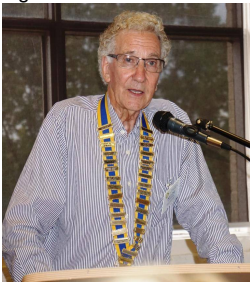
1. Oakleigh Market shifts are **6am-10.30am and 9.30am till 1pm.** The address is Corner Atherton Rd and Hanover Sts Oakleigh.
2. Mount Waverley Market shifts are **7am shift 1** (permanently Charlie/Beth) with closing **shift 1-2.30pm** (x 2 persons assisted by Charlie). The address is Hamilton Place Shopping Centre, 283 Stephenson's Road Mt Waverley (near Ritchies IGA).
3. Leighoak Club (LOC) is located at 1555 Dandenong Road Oakleigh. We meet upstairs unless otherwise indicated.

### **ATTENTION ALL MEMBERS**

**PLEASE CONFIRM YOUR MEETING ATTENDANCE TO CHARLIE KEIDGE 0439 816 733 AND BULLETIN EDITOR WOULD ALSO APPRECIATE ADVICES OF LEAVE DATES.**

**OUR FOOD DONATION BIN FOR MONASH WAVERLEY COMMUNITY INFORMATION & SUPPORT (MWCIS) IS AN IMPORTANT LOCAL COMMUNITY PROJECT FOR THE CLUB. PLEASE BRING TO ROTARY MEETINGS A SMALL DONATION OF NON PERISHABLE FOOD FOR THE DONATION BIN, WHICH IS LOCATED IN THE FRONT CORNER OF THE MEETING ROOM.**

CALENDAR OF UPCOMING CLUB/ROTARY EVENTS IS IN THIS BULLETIN. ROTARIANS PLEASE CHECK FOR YOUR MARKET/ROTARY PROJECT COMMITMENTS ON THIS PAGE AND MARK YOUR DIARIES ACCORDINGLY. IF YOU CANT MEET DESIGNATED COMMITMENT FOR THE MARKETS OR FOR MEETING CHAIR THEN PLEASE ADVISE ANDREW (FOR MARKETS) AND TERRY (FOR CHAIRPERSON).



**Presidents Report for 13 July 2016**  
None this week.

## PHOTOS FROM LAST MEETING



Geoff and Lou



Charlie, Fiona and Andrew



Pete and Andrew



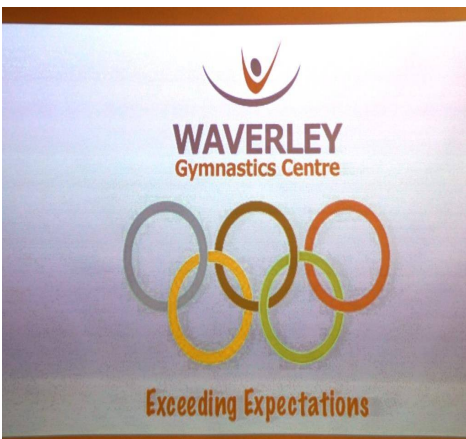
Glen and his friend!



Fiona, Lyn and Glen



Guest Speaker Cheryl and Geoff



Cheryl's topic



Cheryl Lacey



Certificate of Thanks

## CONGRATULATIONS & CELEBRATIONS

(Week of 13/7-19/7): Happy 75<sup>th</sup> Birthday to President Keith on 16<sup>th</sup>.

## **MEMBERS ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **ROMAC – Anton Da Silva - Returning Home**

Final update on Anton. A great story of success for ROMAC.

Dear D9810 ROMAC Team and Supporters,

We received wonderful news yesterday at our family meeting with Anton's oncologist, Dr Peter Downie. Anton's scans all came back clear and, as Dr Downie summarised in his final medical report, 'Anton has now completed treatment well - Fully recovered and is back to normal' – short and sweet but means a lot to all who have been associated with Anton and grandmother, Claudina, over their 7 months stay with us in Melbourne. He is now an active and inquisitive 2 5/12 yo little boy who is 8cm taller and 4kg heavier than when he arrived.

Arrangements are now being made for Anton and Claudina to return home on Tue evening. Home host, Dianne Sides, will be accompanying them as Claudina asked her to come to Timor Leste with them to meet Anton's extended family so that they could personally express their gratitude for everything that Dianne, and Bill, did for the family during Anton's 7 month stay. From my perspective, ROMAC 'lucked in' when Dianne agreed to host the family last December. This has been a most difficult and emotional case and to have Dianne, with her nursing background, by the side of the family keeping the medical and personal issues on track, has ensured that we have successfully arrived at where we are today. On behalf of ROMAC, I can't thank Dianne, and Bill, enough.

Various members of the Timorese Australian Community have also been of a great help with providing food, visits, outings, interpreter/translator duties and general support. Over the last few weeks many of them have dropped in, or rang, to say their goodbyes and on Wed many were able to attend a farewell luncheon at Dianne's home.

Support from the communities of our patients goes a long way to making them comfortable in a strange and, in some case, terrifying environment and it is most welcome.

After the meeting with Dr Downie yesterday, Anton and Claudina visited the wards at MMC and said their goodbyes to the medical staff who have been such a big part of their lives over the last 7 months. Fair to say, many tears were shed, on both sides, as Anton has endeared himself to them with his spirit and happy character.

Some photos taken yesterday are attached.

Regards

YIR

Graeme Chester



Final check Doctor Downie & Kate. Anton playing with presents

Farewell from Cancer Ward Nurses and the Team

### **FUNDRAISING: MT WAVERLEY MARKET REPORT**

It's now 3pm and I am still waiting for the rain and 45 knot winds. Never arrived, however it was an extremely cold winter day and for the life of me, I will never understand why stallholders and public don't rug up to keep warm. It's a given on a day like today.

Again the cold and prediction of wind & rain kept many regular stallholders away but as always there were newcomers. Tahitian Pearls, South Indian food, Mexican & Tibetan coats, Dumplings and Cakes & Biscuits by Year 11 Huntingtower students raising funds for South Africa. Charlie filled in for Adrian with the sausage cooking and Loretta assisted me with the money collection. Little lower in funds raised today - \$750. [plus \$263 from bbq]  
Beth Merkus

## CALENDAR/PROGRAMME

If you are aware that the nominated chairperson will not be available please let the bulletin editor know asap. For venue addresses - please refer page 1 of this bulletin.

<b>LEGEND:</b>		<span style="background-color: black; color: black;">    </span> Club Market	<span style="background-color: blue; color: blue;">    </span> Club Meeting	<span style="background-color: red; color: red;">    </span> Rotary/Club Project	
Date	Venue	Time	Event (or Topic)	Chairperson	
15 July	Pinewood Coles	9.30am-10am	MWCIS Coles Food Pickup		<b>Terry</b>
17 July	Oakleigh	6am-1pm	Oakleigh Market		Fiona/Michael
21 July	LOC	6pm-8pm	Combined meeting with RC Oakleigh – NOTE THURS NIGHT NOT WED Dianne Fisher - RYPEN and Phil McKenzie - Charter of new club in Timor.		
22 July	Pinewood Coles	9.30am-10am	MWCIS Coles Food Pickup		<b>Janine</b>
24 July	Oakleigh	6am-1pm	Oakleigh Market		Jeff/Glen
27 July	LOC	6pm-8pm	Our RYLA Candidates?		Geoff L-S
29 July	Pinewood Coles	9.30am-10am	MWCIS Coles Food Pickup		<b>Ros</b>
31 July	Oakleigh	6am-1pm	Oakleigh Market		?/Don
3 Aug	LOC	6pm-8pm	Banking in Australia 2016-Glen Watkins		Sean
5 Aug	Pinewood Coles	9.30am-10am	MWCIS Coles Food Pickup		<b>Malcolm C</b>
7 Aug	Oakleigh	6am-1pm	Oakleigh Market		Malcolm C/?
10 Aug	LOC	6pm-8pm	DG Carol Lawton club visit		Keith
12 Aug	Pinewood Coles	9.30am-10am	MWCIS Coles Food Pickup		<b>Don</b>
14 Aug	Mt Waverley	7am-2pm	Mt Waverley Market		Charlie-Beth/?
17 Aug	?	6pm-8pm	Social Night		NA
19 Aug	Pinewood Coles	9.30am-10am	MWCIS Coles Food Pickup		<b>David B</b>
21 Aug	Oakleigh	7am-2pm	Oakleigh Market		David B/Sean
24 Aug	LOC	6pm-8pm	Ashleigh Birch		Terry
26 Aug	Notting Hill		Bunnings BBQ		Beth
26 Aug	Pinewood Coles	9.30am-10am	MWCIS Coles Food Pickup		<b>Paul</b>