







Mt. WAVERLEY CLUB BULLETIN

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IMMEDIATE PROGRAMME

VENUE	SPEAKER / TOPIC	CHAIRPERSON			
This meeting: Wednesday 3 August 2016 6pm for 6.30pm start					
LOC	Banking in Australia 2016 - Glen Watkins	Sean			
Next meeting: Wednesday 10 August July 2016 6pm for 6.30pm start					
LOC	DG Carol Lawton club visit	Keith			

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).

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Presidents Report for 3 August 2016

Last week we had a good number for the night, even though many are away from the cold Melbourne weather. A very unusual sick member was Roger who never gets sick and was due to head north the next day. I hope you are feeling better Roger. We welcomed our AG Carol Shaw and our RYLA attendees Caitlyn Quinn and Netania Lim. Also 2 Team Leaders Shane and Tegan. Shane is an up and coming Shot-put champion. We also welcomed Caitlyns dad Phil and Netanias mum Ivy and dad David and sister Jess who is also keen to be part of the new Interact team at Mt. Waverley college. The girls gave a wonderful talk about their time at the RYLA camp and it shows what a great Rotary project it is. Next week our own member Glen is going to talk to

us about Banking, maybe some hints on how to beat the ever present bank charges.

PHOTOS FROM LAST MEETING



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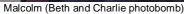






President Keith and Ros







Netania and Tegan



Caitlyn

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Netania Caitlyn & Netania Charlie, Loretta and Geoff

CONGRATULATIONS & CELEBRATIONS

(Week of 3/8-9/8): None this week.

MEMBERS ANNOUNCEMENTS

PROGRAMME

Note August's social night (17 August) is at Bensons Restaurant, 12 The Highway @\$27 ph - 2 courses - Drinks at bar prices.

DISTRICT MEMBERSHIP SEMINAR

D9810 Membership Workshop Thank you



What do Minions, the film Despicable Me 2, Pharrell Williams and Rotary D9810 have in common? Well the Minions were up to their shenanigans dancing to Pharrell William's "Happy" (a #1 single and theme from Despicable Me 2") and "greeted" 110 Rotarians as they arrived at last Friday's Membership Seminar!

The "modern Rotary" scene was set for this year's event, and representatives from 80% of the Club's in our District were there to hear "the how" to go about attracting more people to make Rotary the "volunteer organisation of choice" and join us make even more of a difference in our community and around the world.

Our speed dialogue session was outstanding. Everyone engaged to the extent that we have so much feedback that it will take a week or so to collate! Watch this space. From all accounts, there was something for everyone, and a number of Club's have expressed their appreciation with clear "can do" messages.

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Here's a summary of some of the key lessons they took from the evening:

- 1. Meetings need to be interesting, informative and not too bogged down in bureaucracy.
- 2. Whilst it is important to "balance the books", the essential truth is that without attracting new members over time we won't need to worry about fees, as there won't be any members to pay them.
- 3. A planned mentoring program to welcome new members, and retain them, is essential.
- 4. Create a clear sense of belonging with shirts, caps and other marketing tools add to the team feeling.
- 5. Whilst we need younger members, there are lots of 'not-so' young people who are enthusiastic, experienced and have time, just waiting to see what we do and to be asked!
- 6. We have to embrace public relations and social media in all its forms to advertise to our local community, including younger people.
- 7. That our Club needs to reflect the make-up of their community.
- 8. We need to be more visible in our community with relevant projects. People will want to join when they actually see what we do!
- 9. The undeniable truth from the Rotary Club of Frankston is that they lifted membership from 39 members to a possible 65 members which means that their strategy works.
- 10. That everybody in the Club is responsible for the Club vibe and membership drive.

There was also a great question of the "Frankston guys" regarding how they funded one particular membership strategy. They have since confirmed that they apply the proceeds of "fun fines, and table raffles and other creative ideas" that their existing members know will be invested into the Club's future.

Our Drop Box folder is full of goodies ready for club use. If you can't see it, let us know. We wish everyone well as you work together on our #1 project for the year - Membership! Please send your success stories to Russell so that we can share what is working with everyone.

Carol Lawton

District Governor

PS - If anyone lost a scarf or a Rotary badge on Friday, contact Russell

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.

LEGEND : Club M		arket	Club Meeting Rotary/Club Project	
<u>Date</u>	<u>Venue</u>	<u>Time</u>	Event (or Topic)	<u>Chairperson</u>
5 Aug	Pinewood Coles	9.30am-10am	MWCIS Coles Food Pickup	Malcolm C
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	Don
14 Aug	Mt Waverley	7am-2pm	Mt Waverley Market	Charlie-Beth/?
17 Aug Bensons Restaura		ant 6pm-8pm	Social Dinner	NA
19 Aug	Pinewood Coles	9.30am-10am	MWCIS Coles Food Pickup	David B
21 Aug	Oakleigh	6am-1pm	Oakleigh Market	David B/Sean
24 Aug	LOC	6pm-8pm	Ashleigh Birch – Club Sponsored Leadership	
			Programme Attendee	Terry
26 Aug	Notting Hill	10am-3pm	Bunnings BBQ	Beth
26 Aug	Pinewood Coles	9.30am-10am	MWCIS Coles Food Pickup	Paul
	Oakleigh	6am-1pm	Oakleigh Market	Bill/Pete
31 Aug	LOC	6pm-8pm	Alison Lyall – Lonely Planet – Cartography	Ros
2 Sep	Pinewood Coles	9.30am-10am	•	Charlie
	Oakleigh	6am-1pm	Oakleigh Market	Lyn/Ron (?)
	LOC	6pm-8pm	Sally Douglas, Women's Resource Centre, Ca	
9 Sep	Pinewood Coles	9.30am-10am	MWCIS Coles Food Pickup	Adrian
•	Mt Waverley	7am-2pm	Mt Waverley Market	Charlie-Beth/Robyn
14 Sep		6pm-8pm	Director David Godfrey "Melway Mapping"	Robyn
	Pinewood Coles	9.30am-10am	•	Terry
	Oakleigh	6am-1pm	Oakleigh Market	Lou/Andrew
21 Sep		6pm-8pm	Social Dinner	NA
	Pinewood Coles		MWCIS Coles Food Pickup	Geoff L-S
	Oakleigh	6am-1pm	Oakleigh Market	Theo/Geoff L-S
28 Sep	LOC	6pm-8pm	Cllr Rob Davies - "Current status of USA Elec	tions" ?