The Pascoe Post

Newsletter of the Rotary Club of Pascoe Vale - September 29, 2022

The Club meets at the Pascoe Vale RSL each Thursday night at 6.30pm. We have some great speakers. Visitors* - Please join us for dinner – our shout!

Contact the editor for more details



Last Week's Speaker

No speaker last week – Public Holiday

Bunnings BBQ Report

On Saturday we had our BBQ at Bunnings. Another very successful day.





I would like to thank Bob, Chris, Heather, Pat, Denise, Kevin, Lois, and Steve, and a very big thank you to Fynn (Pat's grandson) for their help on the day.

A very big thank you to all and see you next Sunday, October 2nd at our next BBQ.

Upcoming Events

29 th September	Tom Wright, Candidate for Pascoe Vale
2 nd October	Bunnings BBQ,
	DAYLIGHT SAVNGS STARTS – Don't be late!
6 th October	Joan from Jacob's Well
9 th October	Moreland Rotary's "Lift the Lid Walk" at Coburg Lake.
	Pascoe Vale is cooking the BBQ!
12 th October	Mock Interviews, Pascoe Vale Girls High, see Kevin F.
13 th October	Club Meeting - tba
20 th October	Club Meeting - tba
28 th – 30 th October	Zone 8 Rotary & Rotaract 'BETTER TOGETHER'
	Conference - Canberra
17-19 March 2023	9790 District Conference
27-31 May 2023	Rotary International Convention -Melbourne.

THE PRESIDENTIAL DECREE

Hello Rotarians, Friends of Rotary, and Our Kind Sponsors! I do hope you & your families are all well.

- Great to see so many Rotarians at the Bunnings BBQ on Grand Final morning! Rotary commitment is taken seriously.
 Love you guys!
- We have all been invited to Rotary Broadmeadows 60th Anniversary! Exciting milestone for one of our close neighbours! Deborah & I are booked in & I hope our Club will be well represented.

Wednesday 26th October 6.15pm Glenroy RSL. (Might be a good opportunity to swap our meeting to Wednesday night.)

- PP Gerard will be taking leave of absence for some time, and we wish him a well-earned break.
- Rotary Southern Mitchell has an International Dinner on Saturday 29th October in Kilmore.

Guest Speaker: Jessica Redwood, CEO Children First Foundation. Again, Deborah & I will be there & I hope we may have a few more join us.

> Bruno D'Aprano PHF D'Prez







Christmas baskets for RIMERN clients

I picked up a couple of baskets today which I will bring to next week's meeting. As a Christmas gesture RIMERN is asking club members to donate non-perishable foods and household goods like soaps, hand steriliser, toilet paper, etc, anything which may be useful for someone just moving into stable accommodation.

Everyone, please bring something to put in. I'm happy to take them back to RIMERN when full and hopefully fill a few more!

Thanks Heather



Rotary Club of Strathmore

Invitation - Tuesday 4th October at Windy Hill

Hi All

I would like to invite you and your Club members to join us next Tuesday at Windy Hill for Dinner in the Bistro at 6.30 pm before going upstairs to listen to a fascinating presentation by Fiona Demark.

Strathmore Rotary would really appreciate your support in having sufficient numbers for these in person meetings.

THIS WEEK'S CELEBRATIONS:

Birthdays:

Nil

Anniversaries:

Nil

What's on this week

This week's speaker is Pascoe Vale candidate at the next state election, Tom Wright.



Quote "Even when it's cold and raining, it's a good day to be talking about the Liberal Party's positive plans to fix our health and cost of living crisis and invest in local schools."

Come along and listen to Tom this Thursday, 29/9.











Fiona will share her real-life experience overcoming adversity, building resilience and facing the world head on. Fiona has been legally blind since childhood and that has shaped the person she is today. We look forward to hearing about her journey - Friends, partners and other clubs very welcome.

If you are able to attend, please let us know for catering purposes.

Thanks, and regards,

Phil Lusher, Rotary Club of Strathmore at sqp-pal@yahoo.com



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The Rotary Club of Southern Mitchell takes pleasure in inviting you to our International Dinner on 29th October - invitation below.



A doctor, lawyer, and a Rotarian in charge of fundraising all die and arrive at the Pearly Gates about the same time. St. Peter tells them they may each have one thing to take with them to Heaven.

The doctor is first, and asks for \$1 million. This is given and proceeds to enter Heaven. The lawyer, not to be outdone, asks for \$2 million. "Very well," say St. Peter and opens the gate to Heaven for the lawyer.

Finally it is time for the Rotarian, who had just finished a fundraising project for The Rotary Foundation. St. Peter asks him what he would like to take to Heaven. The fundraiser moves up very close to St. Peter, and in a soft voice asks, "It it's not too much trouble, could I just have the names of those two people who were ahead of me in line?"













Hi All.

As many of you are no doubt already aware (if you follow Susie's Facebook posts), I collected our truck yesterday and it is now ensconced at the warehouse - ready to start work!

But to get it functioning efficiently we need a regular and consistent COLLECTIONS TEAM. And quite a few more on the list than we currently have for our Wednesday & Saturday rosters Until we get a reasonable roster established, we will remain with just the Wednesday & Saturday collections - but hopefully that will be for just the next few weeks.

Can you spread the message though all of your club members that we are looking for more volunteers, for this essential part of our operations, on <u>a regular commitment basis</u>. One day/month or one day/week - it doesn't matter, every little bit will help!

To streamline our process can I ask that all those interested in either Driver or Jockey roles send an email via wolunteers@rimern.org.au indicating the role (can be for both) & commitment time(s) that they are available. Also please advise if you are prepared to be a 'RESERVE' to be contacted to replace someone who is unavailable at short notice for some reason.

Even if you are already volunteering at the warehouse on a regular basis, but would like to be included on the truck roster, please send in a notice via **volunteers@rimern.org.au**.

This won't exclude you from your regular shifts but may just become part of what you do on the day.

For those wishing to become drivers the following policy will apply:

- 1. Copy current Driver's Licence provided
- 2. Confirmation of ZERO Demerit Points
- 3. Attend truck familiarisation & training session
- 4. Logbook to be completed for each & every trip

The first truck familiarisation session will be in early October. Only those registering as 'Driver' will be sent an invitation to this first training session.

Regards, David Gorman, Treasurer, RIMERN















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