

The Pascoe Post

Newsletter of the Rotary Club of Pascoe Vale – June 20, 2024

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

Pascoe Vale
Rotary



A member of District 9790

Hello Fellow Rotarians,

The end of the Rotary year approaches. Our changeover will be held on July 11th at the Pascoe Vale RSL, with the Presidential hat being shared by 3 Rotarians over the next 12 months.

This week saw me attending the Merri Paddle water quality meeting as a representative of PVRC. There are 4 Rotary Clubs represented on this committee – Preston, Moreland, Coburg and Pascoe Vale. It is an environmental group who have as their agenda, the improvement of Merri Creek water quality to a standard where we may see platypus living there once again. It is a complex issue involving management of water run-off, emergence of large new housing estates further upstream, public litter and other industrial activity being dumped into the creek. Not a simple project but very worthy and one in which Rotarians can play a part. We must always be thinking of the future world we are bequeathing to our children's children. What we do today has an impact upon tomorrow.

Heather Harris PHF, President, PVRC

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Rotary Pascoe Vale enjoyed a pizza dinner meeting at RIMERN's warehouse on 9th May! Team Pascoe Vale is introduced to "linen land"!

For full newsletter:

https://mcusercontent.com/c6fddebb7a97do6oadf6cf73/files/1bo28578-d805-b125-8477-53f4f81f2224/RIMERN_09.pdf?mc_cid=95bc60db67&mc_eid=93do657897

This Week

Fellowship Meeting

Bunnings Coburg BBQ

Another great day at our BBQ at Bunnings on Saturday.

A big thank you to everyone that helped on the day.

Matt

WORKING BEE



July 13
Corpus Christi Primary
School

Widford Street, Glenroy
8.00am Start

Everyone Welcome!
Contact Gerard for details.



Upcoming Events

27 th June	Karen Quist, St Mary's House of Welcome
4 th July	Deborah & Bruno D'Aprano – RI Convention
11 th July	Changeover at Pascoe Vale RSL 6.30 for 7pm
18 th July	Peter Dell – Dream Cricket and Special General Meeting
22 nd July	Science and Engineering Challenge (on a Monday - help needed – contact Aaron)
25 th July	Amber – Youth Exchange
10 th August	DIK (Donations in Kind) Open Day
21 September	Hearing Tests
11–13 April 2025	District Conference Albury

THIS WEEK'S CELEBRATIONS:

Birthdays:

None

Anniversaries:

None

Last Week

Last Thursday we heard from Amy Smith who came to Australia as an Ambassadorial Scholar (Rotary Global Scholar) and has been working for Reconciliation Australia where she has been working on a Rotary RAP (Reconciliation Action Plan) Template.



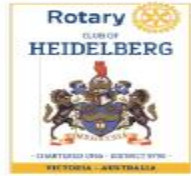
Amy started her Rotary journey in school by joining an Interact Club. She has been a member of a couple of Rotaract Clubs and intends joining a Rotary Club at some stage. Amy is from Canada and informed us about the differences between our two countries in reconciling with First Nations.

Bunnings BBQ Photos





Annual Wine Experience



WINERY & VINEYARD
MACEFON
RANGES
VICTORIA

Rotary Club of Heidelberg

**Annual Wine Experience Evening
with Hanging Rock Winery,
Founder John Ellis OAM**

Monday August 19th 2024

6.30PM Start

**\$35.00 per person – Supper provided
& 10% off all wines**

**East Ivanhoe Bowling Club
153 The Boulevard, Ivanhoe East
(plenty of parking)**

Bookings via Trybooking from June 9th 2024

“ Wine Experience Evening with Hanging Rock Wines”

<https://www.trybooking.com/CRVTY>





ALARE - REPORT
APRIL 2024
By social worker Aisha



Alare likes mobile phones so that he can play games. When you see him following someone and not being with animals as he prefers, you just know that there is a phone which there are games in it and he is allowed to play if a contractor is around or a staff member allows his or her phone to be used by the children. He used to follow me anywhere I go. Sometimes he pretends as if he is playing around me, but the real fact is that he is there because of the phone and within no time he will ask for it. He is very sharp when he is taught a game. He used to score more than me in several games and normally feels very happy. He likes always to be the one who scores the highest so that he can boast. Nowadays he is grown up. He doesn't cry when he is being scored low. Previously when you play any game against him and you score high, he either gets angry or even cries. Like in the picture, the other boys were not present while girls were playing games, but he was present.



Alare was used to grazing cattle before with the farm boys. When they were told that they will be grazing cattle's every morning, he was fine as he has been doing it before. He was happy and had his stick for grazing ready. He could also identify the cow which was pregnant. He can make a good veterinary doctor in future as he has lot of interest in animals. Let alone the cattle, the new puppies which were brought were like his own. He handled them very well and didn't want to see anyone

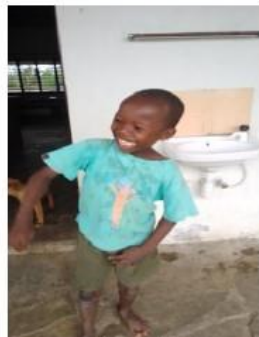




mistreating them. If the other child carries one and Alare sees they have carried it in a wrong way, he will complain and instruct that person to carry it well. The puppies are really loved.



When schools were about to open, I opted to shave the boys. Alare is much affected by the ringworms to the extent I can say they are drugs resistance. I don't know what might be the cause. There was a time when we thought it was maybe they have been stayed for long without being dewormed. He was then dewormed but still he was not healed. I am politely requesting, in the next volunteer group visit if we can have some drugs of the same from Australia. Every time he takes a bath, Aunt Lozi makes sure that he applies a good amount of oil in his scalp probably it could help but also it didn't work.





Alare can become a good farmer. During the planting season, he helped the farm boys plant maize together with the other children. He is also not lazy in the farm. When they were told to prepare their own farm, as Mamma Cathy suggested each child should have a small area where he or she can care for their own vegetables as a good learning experience.

Alare started immediately and completed digging the same day. It was as unfortunate as the first place which he cultivated was changed as it was not suitable for planting. He was shown another place where he dug immediately. He planted some greens and monitoring them very well without being told each day. As it is during the rainy season, then he is not required to do irrigation.



Zoom meetings on hold until camera is fixed

Club Messages/Cards –

If you know of any Current, Honorary/Past Member or family or friends of or Rotary Club who could benefit from a card or message, please get in touch with Pat Solibakke who will arrange for an appropriate card to be sent on behalf of our Club.

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