The Pascoe Post

Newsletter of the Rotary Club of Pascoe Vale – May 30, 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

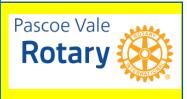Pascoe Vale
Rotary

A member of District 9790

Last week, the North West Metro Police held their Neighbourhood Policing Forum. This was held at the Merri-bek Council offices and was attended by over 100 people, including 9 Rotarians from Pascoe Vale.

The forum outlined the changes to policing methods and the ways data is used to be proactive in the battle on crime. Each year, the police conduct a Community Sentiment Survey. Data from this survey helps with planning. Last year, of the over 180,000 residents in Merri-bek, there were only 233 responses.

The forum asked residents to report anything unusual, so it can be put into the database, and a clearer picture can be created. Please send any observations, initiatives, or ideas to the address below.

Do you have any community initiatives or ideas?

Please email
MERRI-BEK-LAC-OIC@police.vic.gov.au

This Week

Trevor Moyle will speak to us about the Merri Paddle.

The Merri Paddle is a local group formed with the mission:

To lay the foundations for the eventual return of the platypus to Merri Creek, by working with existing organisations to promote restoration of the creek, with a focus on reversing the damage done by Urban Stream Syndrome.
The Merri Paddle works in assosiation with the Friends of Merri Creek

Upcoming Events

30th May	Merri Paddle
6th June	Police Award Presentation
13th June	Amy Smith – Rotary Scholarship
15th June	Bunnings BBQ
20th June	Karen Quist, St Mary's House of Welcome
27th June	Club Meeting
4th July	Club Meeting
11th July	Changeover at Pascoe Vale RSL
22nd July	Science and Engineering Challenge (on a Monday - help needed – contact Aaron)

Last Week

Last week, Steve Crosling, District 9790 ShelterBox Coordinator came to our Club to discuss Shelterbox and its current projects.
ShelterBox is more than just a roof – it's a home. It's the foundation for life, for families, for communities.
When natural disasters and conflicts rob people of their homes, we can't wave a magic wand to replace what was lost, but we can help create something new.
We can provide people with the tools to start the process of their own recovery.
Very inspirational project & one that Pascoe Vale has supported for many years!

42 lessons life taught me

Written by Regina Brett, of the Plain Dealer, Cleveland, Ohio.

"To celebrate growing older, I once wrote the 42 lessons life taught me. It is the most requested column I've ever written.

Part 2

8. Save for retirement starting with your first pay check.

9. When it comes to chocolate, resistance is futile.

10. Make peace with your past so it won't screw up the present.

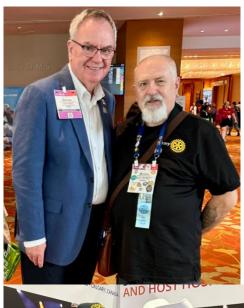11. It's OK to let your children see you cry.

Rotary International Convention

The convention is currently taking place in Singapore where we'll be Sharing Hope With the World!

PP Bruno is there, sharing the occasional photo with us.

12. Don't compare your life to others. You have no idea what their journey is all about.

13. If a relationship has to be a secret, you shouldn't be in it...

14 Take a deep breath. It calms the mind.

** Click on the link to join our meetings, everyone is welcome **

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84414016743?pwd=ckp0T1BNTjUvdTJNK2RVdU
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Meeting ID: 844 1401 6743   Passcode: 970776

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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