

ROTARY CLUB OF PRESTON Inc.

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Rotary Club of Preston 9790 COMMITTEES: 2021/2022

<p><u>International</u></p> <p>Chair: P Peyton</p> <p>I Musgrove J.Roose L Defazio P Byrne E Price</p>	<p><u>Youth Services</u></p> <p>Chair: M.Riel</p> <p>P Conte N Schaber N Pinder G Lyons Joe Morris</p>	<p><u>Vocational</u></p> <p>Chair: T Weir</p> <p>K Agarwal M.Alkanani C Finocchiaro</p>	<p><u>Community</u></p> <p>Chair: K Subramanian.</p> <p>G Mogford M Walsh D Sullivan D De La Coeur C Verrocchi P Smarrelli</p> <p><u>Police Awards</u> E Price</p>	<p><u>Club Admin.</u></p> <p>R McCall</p> <p><u>On to Conference</u></p> <p>G Mcllvenna</p>
<p><u>Foundation</u></p> <p>Chair: M Walsh</p> <p>D De La Coeur Julie Morris P Gilbert</p> <p><u>Special projects</u></p> <p>P Smarrelli</p>	<p><u>Membership</u></p> <p>Chair: Julie Morris</p> <p>G.Mcllvenna P Peyton C Shields</p> <p><u>Christmas Luncheon</u></p> <p>Volunteer wanted</p>	<p><u>Fundraising</u></p> <p>Chair: W O'Neill</p> <p>F Smith P Smarrelli C Shields</p>	<p><u>Sergeants</u></p> <p>Chair: D Sullivan</p> <p>C Verrocchi Julie Morris I Musgrove D De La Coeur</p>	<p><u>Cashiers</u></p> <p>Chair: N Schaber</p> <p>P Peyton M.Riel N Pinder</p>
<p><u>Environment & Conservation</u></p> <p>Chair: P.McGuigan</p> <p>C Shields L.Defazio G Mogford</p>	<p><u>PR, Website, IT</u></p> <p>Chair: P Conte</p> <p>L Defazio G Lyons R McCall E Price</p>	<p><u>Attendance</u></p> <p>Chair: G Mogford</p> <p>G Mcllvenna</p>	<p><u>Programmes</u></p> <p>Chair: Joe Morris</p> <p>I Musgrove</p>	<p><u>House</u></p> <p>Chair: N Pinder</p> <p>D. De La Coeur P Peyton M Walsh</p>
<p><u>Bulletin</u></p> <p>Chair: J McCarthy</p> <p>P Peyton C Finocchiaro</p>	<p><u>Club History</u></p> <p>Chair: P Peyton</p>	<p><u>Family of Rotary/ Fellowship</u></p> <p>Chair: E Price Julie Morris</p>	<p><u>On to World Conference</u></p> <p>P Gilbert</p>	<p><u>Welcomes</u></p> <p>P McGuigan M Walsh Julie Morris M Riel M Alkanani K Agarwal</p>

HAT DAY LAST WEEK



With the auctioneering skills of **Kannan Subramanian** and the obvious good will of members this was to be a great day for Australian Rotary Health and Mental Illness. **Jack and Julie Morris** had the prizes in their zoom hands and members had the cause in their hearts. There was a distraction when

Vandana, Kannan's wife, placed a bid. Was it her thirst for wine or maybe it was a conflict of interest!

Judged by **Ruth McCall**, Best 'Hat' For The Day went to **Elaine Price** with her saucepan and the Lift the Lid logo on her head.



Elaine Price R C Preston

Financially it was a great day

for ARH with over \$650 raised from the auctions. Also the online auctions of items Joe Morris had collected and other items Les Woodland gave before his departure for WA has so far raised \$1,000. President Chris thanked all both for their cheerful spirit and their contributive dollars.

COMING MEETINGS

October 13 on Zoom 6.30PM

Oct 13: D.G. Anne Reid Evening Meeting – Zoom @ 6.30

Chair: Claude Verrocchi

Oct 20: Club Assembly Chair: Peter Gilbert

Oct 27: Melbourne Cup Sweep & Foundation Update

Speaker: Max Walsh Chair: Ruth McCall

WELCOME DISTRICT GOVERNOR ANNE REID

Again N.B. - October 13, 6.30PM

THE ROTARY FAMILY



Ruth & Peter McCall 14/10

Jane & Tim Weir 15/10

Marilyn & Geoff McIlvenna 19/10

Lisa DeFazio 15/10
Joe Morris 19/10
Gerry Smith 19/10
Pauline Josephson 13/1



Erica Higgins 18/10

CLUB NEWS

FOODBANK - NEIGHBOURHOOD HOUSE:

Future deliveries are Oct 19, 26 and Nov 9, 23 and Dec 3.

ROTARIANS AGAINST MALARIA: RAM's Annual Conference will be virtual, live on Zoom. Dates: 11-12 Sat. 13 Nov. and 10-12.30. Sun 14 Nov.
Book now: Ram.rawcs.com.au/2021conference

NEXT WEDNESDAY NIGHT 6.30PM CELEBRATING:

**Gerry Lamers, Peter Lamers,
Suzanne Still, Ester Boateng**

DISTRICT CONFERENCE 2022: The Conference is programmed for 18-20 March at Marysville in the Yarra Valley. Hotel bookings with Sec. Geoff. ASAP. Also please send a copy of the original Conference receipt to Sec. Geoff. Site for Conference Bookings: [TRY BOOKINGS Marysville Rotary Conference](#)

OPENING SENTENCES OF ULURU STATEMENT FROM THE HEART

We, gathered at the 2017 National Constitutional Convention, coming from all points of the southern sky, make this statement from the heart: Our Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander tribes were the first sovereign Nations of the Australian continent



and its adjacent islands, and possessed it under our own laws and customs.

This our ancestors did, according to the reckoning of our culture, from the Creation, according to the common law from 'time immemorial', and according to science more than 60,000 years ago. This sovereignty is a spiritual notion: the ancestral tie between the land, or 'mother nature', and the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples who were born therefrom, remain attached thereto, and must one day return thither to be united with our ancestors.

This link is the basis of the ownership of the soil, or better, of sovereignty. It has never been ceded or extinguished, and co-exists with the sovereignty of the Crown

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Info to Ruth McCall or Lisa Defazio.



SAVE THE BOX! Till now – “Eggs out and box in the bin”. No more! The only way to distribute the wholesale eggs at Res. N. House is in boxes with lids. From now on please save the boxes with lids (doz or 1/2 doz). Sign up the neighbours, friends etc.

Each One, Bring One

The account details for the **Rotary Club of Preston:**

Bendigo Bank BSB 633 000, A/c 154 200 034

The account details for the **Australian Rotary Foundation Trust** for member donations

Bendigo Bank BSB 332 084, A/c 551 038 195

