

ROTARY CLUB OF PRESTON Inc.

District 9790

CHARTER GRANTED 21-12-1960
PO Box 299, Preston, 3072

Meets Wednesday, 12.30pm
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<u>Christmas Luncheon</u> L. Woodland	<u>On to Conference</u> G. McIlvenna	<u>RI World Conference</u> P Gilbert	

SPEAKER LAST WEEK

INTERNATIONAL FELLOWSHIP OF GOLFING ROTARIANS:



This year it was in Rotterdam and Rotarian Les Woodland was this Club's representative. Next year it will be in Vancouver, Canada. Les was one of 11 Aussie Rotarians at the tournament. In total 150 players attended coming from 22 countries.

Golfing in Holland seems a different game - all very flat but hundreds of lakes/ponds/pools/inland seas and the like. Many rounds but Les kept quiet about his scores! The Golfing Fellowship is basically fellowship. Easy to meet and greet and all totally sociable. Consequently, Les' friendships extend worldwide. Accommodation was aboard the SS Rotterdam.

Given that Les was speaking to many non-golfers, he outlined of his touring schedule starting from the Rotterdam docks to a six week itinerary around northern Europe travelling with the solstice - Oslo, Bergen, Helsinki, Berlin, Vienna, Heidelberg, Cologne. . . Les' three medals went to the fellowship, the mid-night sun and to Berlin.



CLUB NEWS

DISTRICT GOVERNOR'S VISIT NEXT WEEK, AUGUST 24

OPEN INVITATION: The Rotary Club of Euroa - 70th Anniversary of their Charter on Saturday October 15th 2016, 6.30 for 7pm, in Euroa. Bookings are essential by Monday 3rd October. NB: Major Mitchell camped in Euroa 1835 and Hume and Hovell passed through there in 1824.

<https://www.trybooking.com/217174> Enquiries: President Bill Sargood 0429 447 103 or euroa@rotary9790.org.au

Club Rotarian for eight years and this was to be his first-time role as sergeant.

DAVID WARRY enjoyed it so much he is contemplating applying for the job as a local council parking inspector.



NATIONAL YOUTH SCIENCE FORUM: Youth Services Director Elaine Price is thrilled to receive news that both applicants for NYSF 2017 have been successful. Louisa Luo (Mac Robertson Girls High School) and Sheldon McCunnie (Penleigh and Essendon Grammar) will be heading off to Canberra in January for the 12 day Forum. Later this year they will speak at a Club meeting.

SAM OWORI IS SELECTED AS 2018-19 ROTARY PRESIDENT:

Samuel Frobisher Owori, of the Rotary Club of Kampala, Uganda, is the choice of the nominating committee to be the president of Rotary International in 2018-19. He will be declared the president-nominee on 1 October if no challenging candidates have been suggested.

ANOTHER GREAT DAY for all involved - children with their challenges, parents with only travel expenses and Rotarians always in for a bit of entertainment.



The three sessions went well with the 2pm the best attended.

Thanks have come from various quarters - one from Dandenong, **WAYSS** Youth Refuge, - *"amazing and much enjoyed"*.

Ivanhoe Rotary has been aiding the **SUDANESE COMMUNITY** in its search for a local community

centre. A building in Chifley Drive is in planning and last week this Club was represented by Chris Shields and Peter Peyton at a meeting in loco discussing its feasibility.



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Rotary clubs throughout Australia have been instrumental in making Australia a significant contributor to the worldwide efforts of ShelterBox. Last year, together, Aussie Rotarians were able to provide lifesaving disaster aid to over 28,000 families in 19 locations around the world.



Contact Paul Josephson if interested

ROYAL SCOTS DRAGOON GUARDS with 25 musicians, dancers and singers, will be performing at Hamer Hall, 10th November. A group maybe?

A WINTERS MUSICAL EVENING is entertainment being offered at the Austrian Club, 90 Sheehan Rd., Heidelberg, 19 August, 8pm, \$20 a head. Organized by Rosanna Rotary. Music by Macleod College Music Academy. A Table maybe?

FAMILY OF ROTARY



Rotary Ann.	Gary Mogford 21/8
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TESTS AND TRIALS - all carry *HOPE* with them. Kathy Byrne has been in our thoughts for some time. Now it has to be reported that Kathy's health score has not been good.

We certainly reiterate to Kathy and Peter that we are all in there by your sides.

VISITOR LAST WEEK: Lisa Di Fazio

DIARY DATES

EXODUS ROSTER:

August 17 - Paul Josephson, Carla Finocchiaro

Sept 21 - Julie Morris, Joe Morris



DATE		
Aug 17	Chair	Asha Puhaja
	Speaker	Margaret Lane, Dale Atkins
	Topic	Aquabox
	Welcomes	Kannan Subramanian
	Sergeant	Ian Musgrove
	House	Les Woodland
Aug 24	Chair	President Geoff McIlvenna
	Speakers	D.G. Tony Bramley
	Topic	Official D.G. Visit
	Welcomes	Asha Puhaja
	Sergeant	Lenore Thornton
	House	Wayne O'Neill

LOOKING FORWARD

Membership and New Club Development Month

DISTRICT GOVERNOR'S VISIT: D.G. Tony Bramley and Pamela will visit the Club 24 August.

NOTE TIME CHANGE - DISTRICT 9790 COMMUNITY POLICE AWARD: Presentation of Highly Commended Award to Preston's nomination - Sergeant Steve Evans. At Rosanna Golf Club, September 14 at 9am to be seated to start by 9.30am.

DISTRICT CONFERENCE 2017: Planting Seeds of Change
Shepparton, 16-19 March, 2017

ROTARY GRACE

O Lord and Giver of all good, we thank Thee for our daily food.
May Rotary friends and Rotary ways help us to serve Thee
all our days.

Rotary Club Of Preston					
Paul Harris Fellows		Year Awarded	Paul Harris Fellows		Year Awarded
PP	Alf Bean	17/12/1976		Kevin Aylward	24/06/1998
♦ PP	Ron Grierson	22/11/1978	PP	John McInnes	15/09/1999
♦♦ PP	Perc Cleland	11/03/1981	PP	Rod Draper	15/09/1999
♦ PP	Roy Kilkenny	07/04/1982	♦♦	John McCarthy	05/07/2000
♦ PP	Mark Crampton	10/08/1983	♦ PP	Les Woodland	05/07/2000
PP	Bill Wonder	01/05/1985	♦	Rick Kirwan	26/06/2002
♦	Laurie Jones	01/03/1986	♦♦	Wayne O'Neill	26/06/2002
♦	Cliff Kendall	01/03/1986	♦♦♦	Frank Smith	26/06/2002
PP	Arthur Morgan	01/03/1986	♦ PP	Ian Musgrove	25/06/2003
♦ PP	Jack Morris	01/03/1986	♦ PP	Rosemary Wilcox	25/06/2003
♦ PP	Ian Cleland	24/07/1987	PP	Lindsay Gale	12/07/2006
♦ PP	Ken Land	24/07/1987	♦ PP	Carla Finocchiaro	12/07/2006
PP	Norm Griffiths	30/09/1987	♦	Peter Lamers	12/07/2006
PP	Keith Porter	30/09/1987	♦♦ PP	Elaine Price	04/07/2007
PP	Bryan Steele	16/12/1987	PP	Richard Gozdzik	28/06/2008
PP	Reg Dick	26/04/1989	♦	Pauline Josephson	16/06/2009
♦	Lyall Dexter	27/06/1990	♦ PP	Les Price	05/08/2009
α	Alf Osborne	26/06/1991	PP	David Warry	06/2012
♦	Gladys Morris	13/05/1992	PP	David Sullivan	06/2012
♦ PP	Vin Murphy	24/06/1992	PP	Hillary Ellis	06/2012
♦♦♦ PP	Peter Peyton	24/06/1992	PP	Eric Thornton	06/2012
♦ PP	Max Kirwan OAM	30/06/1993	PP	Vin Ross	06/2012
♦ PP	Paul Smarrelli	29/06/1994	PP	Arthur Grubb	11/2012
♦♦	Joy Crampton	29/06/1994	▲	Alf Armstrong	11/2012
♦	Jess Cleland	28/06/1995	♦♦ PP	David De La Coeur	17/04/2013
α	Peter Gilbert PDG	28/06/1995	♦	Gerry Smith	18/12/2013
α	Barbara Gilbert	15/09/2010	♦	Lenore Thornton	25/02/2015
PP	Neil Grierson	28/06/1995	♦	Kim West	24/06/2015
♦♦♦ PP	Paul Josephson	28/06/1995	♦ PP	Peter Byrne	26/8/2015
♦♦♦♦	G. McIlvenna PDG	26/06/1995	♦	Margaret Smith OAM	16/12/15
α PP	Bernie Lamers AM	08/05/1997	♦	Jack Wilcox	9/3/2016
α	Gerry Lamers AM	08/05/1997		Norbert Schaber	6/7/2016
♦	Norm Pinder	25/06/1997			
♦ Denotes Sapphire Pin ▲ Denotes Ruby Pin = 6 Sapphire Pins α Denotes Major Donor					



ADVANCE AUSTRALIA FAIR

Australians all let us rejoice, for we are young
and free; we've golden soil and wealth for toil;
our home is girt by sea;
our land abounds in nature's gifts of beauty rich and rare;
in history's page, let every stage Advance Australia Fair.