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District 9790

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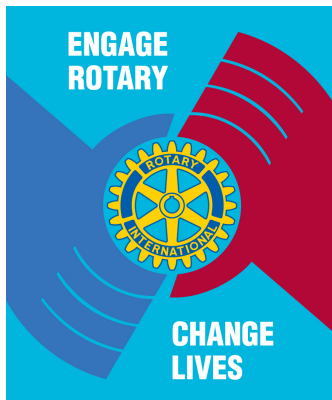
Meets Wednesday, 12.30pm
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Rotary Club of Preston – Past Presidents

1960-61	Alf Bean	1986-87	Reg Dick
1961-62	Bruce Connan	1987-88	Sandy Mead
1962-63	Oliver Roberts	1988-89	Max Kirwan
1963-64	Royce Kronberg	1989-90	Paul Smarrelli
1964-65	Perc Cleland	1990-91	Ted Begg
1965-66	Ron Grierson	1991-92	Paul Josephson
1966-67	Marc Crampton	1992-93	Peter Gilbert
1967-68	Ken Land	1993-94	Neil Grierson
1968-69	Ray Brabham	1994-95	Geoff McIlvenna
1969-70	John Hunting/ Dave Harding	1995-96	John McInnes
1970-71	Ian Cleland	1996-97	Constantine Panoussi
1971-72	Hilary Ellis	1997-98	Les Woodland
1972-73	Roy Kilkenny	1998-99	Rod Draper
1973-74	Keith Gibbs	1999-2000	Trevor Wilson
1974-75	Eric Thornton	2000-01	Rosemary Wilcox
1975-76	Vin Ross	2001-02	Ian Musgrove
1976-77	Arthur Morgan	2002-03	Peter Peyton
1977-78	Arthur Grubb	2003-04	Bernie Lamers
1978-79	Bryan Steele	2004-05	Lindsay Gale
1979-80	Laurie Bryant/ Don Andrews	2005-06	Carla Finocchiaro
1980-81	Bill Wonder	2006-07	Richard Gozdzik
1981-82	Jack Morris	2007-08	Les Price
1982-83	Keith Porter	2008-09	Les Woodland
1983-84	Norm Griffiths	2009-10	David Sullivan
1984-85	David Warry	2010-11	Rosemary Wilcox
1985-86	Vin Murphy	2011-12	David de la Coeur
		2012-13	Peter Fitz

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.

SPEAKER LAST WEEK



Our guest speaker at the evening meeting last week, **SUE FARNHAM**, was introduced to us by chair and President Elect, Elaine Price. Sue has many years

of experience in the field of Mental Health, completing a Masters Degree in Mental Illness, and her topic centred around this subject.

Mental Illness is very common in our society with 1 in 5 people experiencing some degree of the illness in their life time. It attacks everyday Australians and does not discriminate. It affects all types of people and their loved ones. The stays in hospital can often be rather lengthy due to the effects of the illness.

Many factors contribute to the illness. A current common factor is attributed to people arriving in Australia, experiencing a somewhat different culture and, being unaware of the facilities available to treat them, this can result in their being set up in accommodation away from the general public for their safety and the safety of others.



Where facilities in the originating country are poor, and, on arrival in Australia, being unaware of the benefits that exist, this creates fear in the individual, thus contributing to the break down in their mental health.

A failure in the current system in Australia is that Mental Health workers often only work with the person with the mental illness and fail to include the other members of the family in the picture. A further failure or problem is the lack of funds from the governments to provide interpreters, essential to the ongoing process, to enable good results to arise from the treatments.

It is essential that the person suffering from mental illness fully understands what the case worker is trying to do to help.

The Mental Illness Fellowships (MIF) across Victoria work with mental illness people to help them regain self esteem and confidence in living

normally, to help them get back to work, to get back to school and to try to keep them out of hospital.

The MIF provides a Helpline to lend a listening ear, to provide update information, tips and strategies to support a friend or family member with a mental illness and to help link people

The address by Sue was followed by an active question time which gave Sue the opportunity to expand on her topic even further. On behalf of those present, Chair Elaine thanked Sue for her thorough coverage of the Mental Illness topic.

- Report by Peter Peyton

NOTES AND NEWS

COMBINED BOARD MEETING: The next Board meeting at David De La Coeur's office is May 15. It will be a combined meeting of the two Boards - outgoing and incoming.

All members of both Boards are expected to attend.

Celebrating its' 21st birthday, **KIND CUTS FOR KIDS** is having the Annual Fund-Raising Dinner at the Hawthorn Arts Centre, 360 Burwood Road, Hawthorn on May 24th at 7pm. Lindy Burns from 774 ABC Melbourne will be MC for the night. More info and bookings with David De La Coeur.

A Rotarians guide to getting and keeping members.

Yes, it's a must read in the May edition of Rotary Down Under.

The Rotary Club of Greensborough Central is holding their inaugural **TRIVIA NIGHT** on Saturday the 10th of May 2014 at 7:00 for 7:30 at St. John's Anglican Church, 64 Main Street, Diamond Creek.
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FAMILY OF ROTARY



<i>Birthdays</i>	Chris Shields 8/5, Bernie Lamers 10/5, Gerry Lamers 13/5
<i>On the mend</i>	Two good news stories: Lyn Mogford is recovering well after heart surgery while Nicole Kirwan is back on the field. Best wishes to both Lyn and Nicole.



Another milestone!
Warm congratulations
go to **BERNIE AND
GERRY LAMERS.**

At last Wednesday's
Gala Dinner a special
Diamond Pin
presentation was
made by District
9790 chair of
Foundation Peter
Gilbert to Bernie and

Gerry. This was in recognition of their significant yearly contribution to Rotary Foundation. Well done Bernie and Gerry.

DIARY DATES

ON-SITE MEETING hosted by Vicki Clark who addressed the Club meeting on January 29 at the Aboriginal Catholic Ministry, 434 St Georges Road, Thornbury. The date in June is being finalized.

BELL BARDIA COMMUNITY MEAL ROSTER

May 14	Elaine price, Asha Pahuja, Rosemary Wilcox
May 28	Peter Peyton, Peter Gilbert

DATE		
May 7	Chair	David De La Coeur
	Speaker	Paddy Dewan
	Topic	Kind Cuts For Kids
	Welcomes	Carla Finocchiaro
	Sergeant	Les Woodland
	House	John McCarthy
May 14	Chair	Carla Finocchiaro
	Speaker	Isabel Thomas
	Topic	Preston Toastmasters
	Sergeant	Ian Musgrove
	Welcomes	John McCarthy
	House	Norbert Schaber
May 21	Chair	Paul Smarrelli
	Speaker	Jo Staunton
	Topic	North Bali
	Sergeant	Rosemary Wilcox
	Welcomes	Asha Pahuja
	House	Norm Pinder

LOOKING FORWARD

INCOMING AND OUTGOING BOARDS will be meeting May 15 at David De La Coeur's office.

UROLOGIST DR ANDREW TROY specializes on Prostate problems. He will be addressing the Rotary Club of Southern Mitchell on Thursday 29th May at Kilmore Trackside 7pm for 7.30pm.

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION 2014: Sydney Olympic Park, June 1-4, 2014.

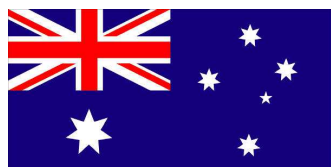
CHANGE-OVER NIGHT 2014: July 2 at the Manningham Hotel, Bulleen.

Rotary Club of Preston COMMITTEES 2013-14

INTERNATIONAL	YOUTH SERVICES & LIFE EDUCATION	VOCATIONAL	COMMUNITY	CLUB ADMINISTRATION
CHAIR: Asha Pahuja	CHAIR: Carla Finocchiaro	CHAIR: Chris Shields	CHAIR: Paul Josephson	CHAIR: Elaine Price
DEPUTY CHAIR: Peter Gilbert	DEPUTY CHAIR David de la Coeur	DEPUTY CHAIR Frank Smith	DEPUTY CHAIR Lenore Thornton	Attendance
Paul Smarrelli	Ken Kirby	Les Woodland	Joy Crampton	Peter Peyton
John McCarthy	Norbert Schaber	David Warry	Wayne O'Neill	Ken Kirby
Norm Pinder	David Sullivan	Ian Musgrove	Bernie Lamers	
Peter Fitz		Peter Peyton	Ben Bliss	Program
Kannan Subramanian	Bill Wilson		Rosemary Wilcox	Ian Musgrove
FOUNDATION	MEMBERSHIP & CLASSIFICATIONS	FUNDRAISING & CIRCUS QUIRKUS	Public Relations	Les Woodland
CHAIR: Lenore Thornton	CHAIR: David de la Coeur	CHAIR: Wayne O'Neill	CHAIR: Peter Fitz	Cashiers
DEPUTY CHAIR Peter Peyton	DEPUTY CHAIR Paul Smarrelli	Paul Donovan	Ian Musgrove	Joy Crampton
Rosemary Wilcox	Kannan Subramanian	Ben Bliss	Ken Kirby	Norbert Schaber
Ken Kirby		Les Woodland	Frank Smith	David Warry
Peter Gilbert	Fellowship	Rotary Information	Sergeants	Club History
Elaine Price	Paul Josephson	Paul Smarrelli	Rosemary Wilcox	Peter Peyton
House	Bernie Lamers	Peter Gilbert	Ian Musgrove	Paul Smarrelli
Norm Pinder	Chris Shields		David Sullivan	Paul Josephson
John McCarthy		Welcomes	Lenore Thornton	Family of Rotary
Norbert Schaber	Exodus	Bernie Lamers	Les Woodland	Peter Peyton
	Paul Josephson	Carla Finocchiaro	International Convention	Elaine Price
Bulletin		John McCarthy	Geoff McIlvenna	Lenore Thornton
<i>EDITOR:</i> <i>John McCarthy</i>	On-to-Conference	Peter Fitz	Carla Finocchiaro	
Peter Peyton	Geoff McIlvenna	Asha Pahuja		
Peter Gilbert				

Rotary Club Of Preston

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



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.