At our last meeting we heard from Sindy Kwok and her co-fundraisers about the 2018 Run From Poverty program. They are aiming to each raise $10,000 to support the One Heart Foundation in Kenya. The funds will contribute to the construction of homes and classrooms in a Kenyan village which currently cares for 75 orphaned and abandoned children.

Our Club contributed $2000 and a member also contributed a further $1000. Sindy and partners will come back to the Club after their trip to Kenya in June. It appears to me that this would be a wonderful opportunity for us to engage in a worthwhile international project, where we can look to involve Foundation and potentially raise significant funds.

President Tony
DATES TO REMEMBER
April 08: District Assembly 9am Benalla
April 10: Board Meeting 6pm

ATTENDANCE 26 MARCH
MEMBERS 19
GUESTS 4
APOLOGIES 10
MAKEUPS 9

New Rotarian from Deniliquin, Seau, at Conference with Peter Tragardh and Ed

Guests Chris and James Bowlen

Tony presenting Cheque for $2000 to Sindy Kwok, who is accompanied by Courtney Smith and Gaston Nogues; “Run From Poverty” participants

Keppel wins another bottle
DISTRICT CONFERENCE 2018  YARRAWONGA MULWALA
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PAUL HARRIS BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION DINNER

Thursday 26th April 2018
Essendon FC Social Club,
Napier Street, Essendon
6.30 for 7.00 pm $45 pp

Guest Speaker: The Honourable Justice Irene Lawson

County Court Judge Irene Lawson, the daughter of a Broadmeadows truck driver was the only girl in her school year to go to university.

“My life in the law started serendipitously. I was in the foundation year of a new Senior Secondary College located in Broadmeadows. Legal Studies was offered as a subject for the first time and I thought it may interest me. This was during the Whitlam years and was at a time of great social change. Legal Aid was introduced as national scheme and I wanted to find out more about the legal system. I loved the subject and it was the start of a long, interesting and varied career..”

Judge Lawson was appointed to the County Court Victoria in March 2002. The County Court is the major trial court in the state. Currently she sits in the criminal trial division.

She was admitted in 1980 and has worked as both a solicitor and a barrister, practising in civil and criminal law. In 1999 she became an Accredited Specialist in Personal Injury Law of the Law Institute of Victoria. Prior to her appointment she was a Partner at Slater & Gordon where she specialised in civil litigation primarily medical negligence litigation.

Her past Directorship roles include the University of Melbourne Council (2001-2012), the Global Learning Village Advisory Board (Broadmeadows) (2003-2012), Melbourne University Law School Foundation and she has been a member of a number of community based organisations including the Brunswick Baths and the Gap Neighbourhood Community House, Alice Springs.

She was a member of the Victorian Forensic Institute of Medicine (2013-2017). She has had a varied legal career. We look forward to hearing Irene’s story of growing up in Broadmeadows and being one of those ‘Big Winners from Broadie’.

Bookings by April 20th:

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Friday
April 27, 2018

--- FEE ---
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--- Time ---
6:30 P.M.
To
10:00 P.M.

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