First Quarter VII

Take a couple of dozen members and guests add an interesting speaker with more past success than the time allotted him and it feels like a different club.

Highlights from the meeting and the past week follow:

INDUCTION of Jenny Mulholland as our newest member was most pleasing. Welcome Jenny. Nice to see husband David attending in support.

ONJ BBQ and Walk. Many thanks to Wayne, Harry and Bruce for setting up our facility on Saturday and along with a good number of our members undertaking the Rotary BBQ effort on Sunday and then they packed up and restored our equipment.

RAY of sunshine. A long-term member who was not capable of joining us on the weekend, upon hearing that we had raised approx. $1,470 quickly made a $50.00 donation thereby ensuring that we had raised $1,500 plus to donate to the Wellness Centre.

Guest Speaker Paul Kathner took us on an artistic journey via Theatre Sets and Backdrops created by Paul and his small team for stage Musicals and Ballet in Melbourne, Sydney, Adelaide and Ballarat. Some backdrops measuring 100 feet long by 50 feet high and often stretched out on a floor and painted with a brush attached to a long bamboo pole!
In 2014 Paul was awarded an OAM for Services to Scenic Art and Stage Design. Thanks to Jenny O’Donnell for bringing Paul to our meeting.

Banyule Cattle Yards were inspected by a few members after the meeting and received a tick of approval as a potential long-term RCH activity in support of our community and the father and son team who have been restoring the cattle yards at their own cost and physical effort, with grass and weed management being provided Banyule Council Parks Dept.

Next Week’s Highlight will no doubt be Smokey’s Brownlower awards which we are advised are likely to provide for a close fought final tally.

Noel

And remember: Experience is something you don’t get until after you need it.
**PROGRAMME**

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**17 September 2018**

MEMBERS - 16  
GUESTS - 7  
APOLOGIES - 11

**DATES TO REMEMBER**

- 29th September AFL Grand Final
- 9th October – Safe Plate Day
- 21st October Greensborough 50th Anniversary Luncheon
- 7th November – Oaks Eve Calcutta

**SAFE PLATE DAY**

Tuesday 9 October  
10.00 am – 1.00 pm  
WEST HEIDELBERG MALL

Tools required to change vehicles over to “non-theft” screws: kneeling pads, Phillips head and large blade screw drivers

Please call Rodger if you can help  
9439 3304  
0414 943 627

**WHERE ARE THEY NOW**

- Laurie Rose – Brisbane heading south  
- Peter Carr – London  
- Brian Overton – Donvale Rehab post surgery  
- Giuseppe Amoroso - Epworth Richmond

Guest Speaker – Paul Kathner OAM
Last Monday saw the induction of our newest member, former Mayor and councillor of Banyule, Jenny Mulholland. Jenny was proposed by Leigh Wallace OAM, Vice President of the Club, and inducted by President Noel Sturgeon.

We are very pleased to welcome Jenny as a member of our Club, especially because of her long history of community involvement.

MAKE-UPS and APOLOGIES
Ken Norman always seeks to finalize numbers by Monday 8.30a.m.
Please telephone or email apologies or guest numbers to Ken by then. Predicting our numbers as closely as possible minimizes our catering cost. ken.norm5@bigpond.com OR 0437 770 831

Terrie strikes it lucky, but no Joker!
RECREATIONAL AND VOCATIONAL FELLOWSHIPS

Rotarians in District 9790 are encouraged to join Rotary Fellowships to link with other Rotarians nationally and internationally sharing common recreational or vocational interests.

Some International Fellowships:

- Motorcycling
- Beer Appreciation
- Bowling
- Cycling
- Geocaching
- Magicians
- Recreational Vehicles

Rotary Fellowships consist of members who share a common interest in recreational activities, sports, hobbies, or professions. These groups help expand skills, foster vocational development, and enhance the Rotary experience by exploring interests while developing connections around the world.

OVERVIEW

- Help participants make lasting friendships outside their own club, district, or country
- Advance Rotary’s public image and identity
- Serve as an incentive for joining Rotary and for maintaining active membership

ORGANIZATION

- Function independently of Rotary International by establishing their own rules, dues requirements, and administrative structure.
- Are open to Rotarians, their family members, as well as participants and alumni of all Rotary and Foundation programs.

STARTING A NEW FELLOWSHIP

If your recreational or vocational interest isn’t represented by Rotary’s current Fellowships:

- Join a discussion group or start a new one on My Rotary. It’s a great way to share your interest with other members.
- Use Rotary’s presence on Facebook, Twitter, and LinkedIn to promote your idea.
- Attend the Rotary International Convention or other Rotary events to network and find others that share your interest.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Visit www.rotary.org/fellowships for additional resources on Rotary Fellowships.
Contact rotaryfellowships@rotary.org with questions.