Our first week’s meeting was full on – no going around in cervicals for RCH! Great to see so many around the table enjoying themselves whilst broadening our minds.

Eleonore kicked off the meeting with a well-constructed review of her 12 months in Australia and later presented us with a banner from her club - Parentis Pays De Born, District1690 France.

Cynthia “The Chair” then took over and introduced Sue Virginia O’Hanlon who provided up to date information related to addressing Cervical Cancer both here and overseas. (separate report follows)

Plates are Safe, number plates that is, courtesy of Rodger Tice and a small RCH crew who along with members of Neighbourhood Watch and SES put in four plus hours at Greensborough Plaza last Sunday fitting number plates with theft proof screws.

The Old England is 170 years old and Tom Payne is organising a breakfast to celebrate. Invitations will issue shortly – please ensure you either ‘accept’ or ‘decline’ the RSVP to allow catering/seating arrangements by our host.

Warrior Wayne will be managing our BBQ service for the La Trobe University Orientation Day – Tuesday 23rd July. Please mark this day in your diary as we’ll need a pretty full squad.

And so we move into our 2019-2020 Rotary Year. This next meeting will focus on determining what each committee and their Directors wish to address/achieve this year and what sort of budget will be necessary to support such community and international aspirations.

It will save time and lots of palaver if members arrive with a firm idea as to what they would like RCH to have achieved by June 30th, 2020 and how their particular committee can swiftly drive towards realising such goals.

Looking forward to it.

Noel
Editorial

It has been a busy and successful year under Noel’s active and enthusiastic leadership, and he has shown willingness to accept change where it has been beneficial to the progress of the Club. Thank you Noel for all your hard work in the year just completed and for continuing in the role of President for 2019-2020.

Last week’s COG pp 4,5 featured Harry’s Houses and his report on the Exodus emergency housing project. I urge you all to read it if you haven’t already. Harry has worked tirelessly to make this happen and last weekend the first family were due to move into one of the four houses.

On Friday 28th June Harry had a large team from Melbourne Polytechnic working on the houses. Rotary Heidelberg’s role on that day was to prepare and cook the lunch for the workers. In the Rotary team were Cynthia, Smokey, Rodger, Wayne and his granddaughter Lauren, and the author. Honorary member Neil is actively involved (as in he’s always there), in making the houses habitable.

Jeff Percy from the Rotary Club of Ivanhoe, is CEO of Olympic Adult Education Inc, through whose auspices the houses became available.

Thought for the week

Man was made at the end of the week’s work, when God was tired.

Mark Twain
Eleonore gave us a beautifully composed Powerpoint presentation in which she showed to us and described all of the activities in which she had been involved throughout her Youth Exchange year in Australia. Based on what we saw, Eleonore has possibly covered more of Australia than most of us. She went on the tours arranged for all the exchange students but in addition went on other trips with her host families. She compared her Harbour Bridge adventure with that of Australians at the Eiffel Tower. Although Eleonore was officially hosted by the Ivanhoe Club, she enjoyed her four-month hosting by Noel and Tracey and her involvement with the Heidelberg Club. A delightful young woman who impressed us all with her enthusiasm. She left Australia on 2nd July and by the time you read this she will be well and truly back home in Bordeaux.

Guest Speaker - Sue Virginia O’Hanlon
“The Australian Cervical Cancer Foundation achievements in Australia and developing countries”
Sue Virginia gave us a very informative and educational presentation about the program that ACCF conducts within Australia and in disadvantaged neighbouring countries. The predominantly male audience learned that it is equally important for males as well as females to be aware of the impact of Human Papilloma Virus (HPV) and what measures are available by way of vaccination and screening.
I commend you all to study the subject in more detail by visiting the ACCF web page https://accf.org.au
Thank you “SV” for your valuable presentation.
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There was a power failure in a Dublin Department Store last week and three hundred people were stranded on the escalators for more than two hours.

“O’Leary, your glass is empty, will you be having another one?”

And what would I be doing with two empty glasses?”

O’Leary replied.

“...We’re looking for a Treasurer for the Xmas fund”, said Paddy.

“Didn’t you take on a new one last month?” said Murphy.

“That’s the one we’re looking for”, Paddy replied.

PADDY: “Hey Shaun, what’s Mick’s surname?”

SHAUN: “Mick who?”

*PADDY: “If you can guess how many Pheasants I’ve got in me bag you can have both of them”.*

*SHAUN: Three.*

Murphy had a rope hanging from a tree in his garden. Shamus asked him what it was for.

“It’s me weather guide” said Murphy, “if it’s swinging back and forth, it’s windy and if it’s wet, it’s been raining.”
17 June 2019

Rotary Club of Heidelberg
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Dear Friends

On behalf of safe steps Family Violence Response Centre, I would like to extend our sincerest thanks for your recent donation that will be put to important use, supporting vulnerable women and children escaping life-threatening family violence.

With the continued support and kindness of organisations like yours, safe steps can ensure women and children at risk of serious injury and death are able to become – and stay – safe from abuse through a range of specialised support services including 24/7 phone line assistance, emergency safe accommodation and outreach initiatives.

Donations like yours also aid our important recovery services that help survivors of family violence thrive in lives of safety and security, and prevention efforts that aim to stop abuse happening in the first place through education and awareness raising programs.

Thank you sincerely for your contribution in helping provide these life-saving services; we are incredibly appreciative of your support and your commitment to ending family violence in our community.

Once again, thank you for your wonderful gift to women and children in need.

Yours sincerely

Rita Butera
Chief Executive Officer

PS: Your tax deductible receipt is below. If you would like further information on our services please call Marijana Andonovski on (03) 9928 9513 or email marijana.a@safesteps.org.au

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Received with thanks.