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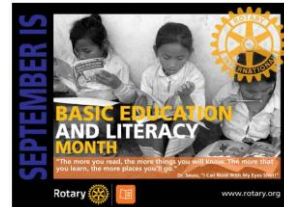
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What a great evening at the Old England - well supported by members and partners with guests aplenty - Jade and Larissa, two NYSF students we are sponsoring, who together with their respective mothers, Linda and Sharon, benefitted from a very informative and entertaining presentation from Professor Marilyn Anderson. Guests Jennifer and Allan also attended with their friend Chris Bowlen and her partner Tony! Oh! and our almost Honorary Member DG Elect Dr. Bruce Anderson was with us in support of Marilyn. Well done Bruce.

Marilyn's address drew some interesting parallels between her membership of a science society and Rotary. It is however so very encouraging to understand the growing influence of women in the Australian Academy of Science. (see separate report)

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CLUB CALENDAR

02 September
Speaker: Cameron Glover - Interplast
Topic: Repairing bodies and rebuilding lives
Chair: Greg Taylor

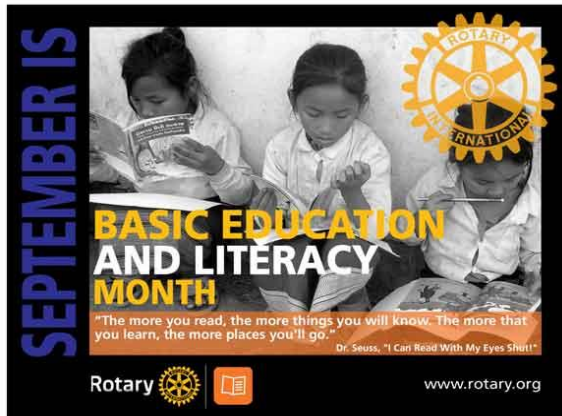
09 September
Topic: Club Forum
Chair: Noel Sturgeon

16 September
Speaker: Bonnie Miller - The Collaboration Group
Topic: TBA
Chair: TBA

Thought for the week

Life is a rainbow which also includes black.

Yevgeny Yevtushenko



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Cynthia once again demonstrated her excellent capacity as Chair of our meeting, a significant achievement given that at her table were such diverting “low-key” characters as Smokey, Geoff’s Brown & Cook, ‘Leadfoot’ Ray and “Moneybags” Openshaw.

Only just over a week away is our “tttbt” tantalising tongue & taste bud testing turnout, courtesy of Fellowship Fellow Bowlen – yea it’s Downunder Curry!! (see separate report)

Before then we will gather at Vasko when Greg Taylor will Chair the meeting wherein a presentation from Cameron Glover on Interplast will be the main focus.

See you then.

Noel

DATES TO REMEMBER

Sept 8 - Sunday 6pm

*Downunder Curry
417 high Street Northcote.*

A banquet meal costs \$31.50 per head. The restaurant is Nepalese based and is BYO and licensed.

Sept 10 - 6pm Board Meeting

ATTENDANCE 26 AUGUST

Members	19
Guest speaker	1
DG Elect	1
Guests	<u>16</u>
TOTAL	37



GUEST SPEAKER 26 August 2019

We were delighted to welcome Professor Marilyn Anderson AO, FAA, FTSE, FAICD at the Old England, who spoke on "What is being done to promote the careers of women in science".

Marilyn is a Fellow of the Australian Academy of Science. She outlined the changes the Academy has instituted over the years to achieve more of a gender balance amongst scientist members.

Interestingly one of the key success strategies has been for male mentors to assist and support established women scientists, at the peak of their careers, to navigate the nomination process.

Success has meant that Marilyn has witnessed an increase in the proportion of women scientists at the Academy from 6% of the total when she joined to 34% today. Marilyn ended by encouraging young women to pursue a career in science.

CB



WHERE ARE THEY NOW

Marcia and Laurie due back soon !

Peter and Helen off to Cook Islands

Laurie and Jane – Across the Nullarbor

Gordon – In Canada when I spoke to him last

Rodger and Aileen – Inland Australia

