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Jill Jameson, an intelligent, dedicated individual who it seems has spent more than one normal lifetime in the energetic pursuit of a peaceful humanity and is still travelling internationally, working with many teams in various projects to achieve change and improvement for many communities endeavouring to survive and even prosper against prejudice, tribalism and feudalistic boundaries. (see separate report)

Our guests on Monday were Jill and husband Graeme as well as Sandan Inturrisi. Hang in there Sandan we will pin you in the very near future.

Club Directors reminded members of the TWO BBQ's we are undertaking at La Trobe – Monday 24th and Wednesday 26th February – NEXT WEEK!

And of course the Bushfire Relief Fundraising Dinner on Tuesday evening 25th February at the Watsonia RSL Club.

As of last Monday, we still had 14 tickets available, however that changed on Wednesday (24hours before Try-Booking cut-off) and I write this small missive with a big smile on my face in the knowledge that the Fundraising Dinner is a 100% sell-out with all 200 tickets sold and already there is a waiting list! So - if for any reason one of your guests discover that they can no longer attend please contact Bruce Nichols who can arrange a sale of such ticket to someone on the waiting list.

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CLUB CALENDAR



24 February
NO MEETING but

BBQ 1
Latrobe University 9.30am

25 February
BUSHFIRE RELIEF DINNER
6.30pm Watsonia RSL

26 February
BBQ 2
Latrobe University 9.30am

Quote for the Week

“As long as we live, there is never enough singing”

Martin Luther



DATES TO REMEMBER

24 February: BBQ Latrobe Uni Pg3

25 February: Bushfire Relief Dinner Pg4
Athol Guy

26 February: BBQ Latrobe Uni Pg3

09 March: Labour Day Holiday

10 March: Board Meeting 6pm

15 March: Cattleyards Working Bee Pg3

19-22 March 2020: District 9790
Conference

23 March 2020: Annual Golf Day Pg5

ATTENDANCE 17 February

Members	17
Guest	1
Visitor	1
TOTAL	19
Apologies	13

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Please don't forget the District Conference in Albury 21-22 March, we already have 7 couples registered and taking advantage of the accommodation arrangements made just for our club by Leigh Aitken. We usually hold an informal RCH dinner on the Friday evening to get us in party mood before we take on the conference proper. So don't leave it too late to register and hopefully be accommodated along with your fellow RCH members.

Having made our presence felt at conference on the Sunday, we will be focussed and pumped to deliver another stunning Charity Golf Challenge on the Monday morning at Rosanna Golf Club – Remember for us to continue to support the various charities and those in need within our community we need funds and this annual Charity Golf Day is the only significant fundraiser we can rely on.

See you most of next week.

Noel

Guest Speaker Jill Jameson

The topic of Jill's presentation, "Peace Building and Conflict Transformation", was a close match for Rotary's theme for February. Jill has been a peace activist most of her life and she practices in the Zen Buddhist tradition. She has conducted training programs in Burma/Myanmar and the Mekong region over the last 15 years.

She works with refugees such as Karen communities from Burma in Melbourne at the Foundation for Survivors of Torture.

Jill explained the seeds, the nature and many facets of conflict before outlining strategies that can be employed to de-escalate conflict. She explained that the same principles apply in dealing with conflict in one-on-one situations through to those across international borders.

Jill demonstrated a knowledge of Rotary's active involvement in peace building and the way in which Rotary's 4 Way Test can be used for improved understanding.

The photo to the left shows Bruce thanking his sister Jill on behalf of the Club, and at the same time presenting her with a book about Rotary's work in Australia.



LATROBE UNIVERSITY BBQs at Orientation events on 24th and 26th February

Wayne has given detailed instructions and maps to all volunteers. Start time 9.30am

Our two catering events will be held in the same location at the AGORA, in front of the Borchardt Library.

Best parking is Car Park 6 from where it is only a short walk along Centreway to the AGORA.



Noel with new Club Banner



Meeting at the Bar



Will Graeme look as happy at tasting ?

BANYULE CATTLE YARDS

Working Bee NEW DATE!!!!

Sunday 15 March 9.30 am
Buckingham Drive, Banyule, (near the Banyule Tennis Club.)



Rodger has the water-based wood stain and brushes, but a few extra brushes and pots would be helpful.
Please reply to Rodger if you can help,
naringal@bigpond.com





BUSHFIRE RELIEF *Dinner*

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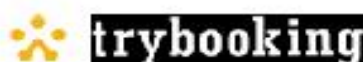
The Rotary Club of Heidelberg Bushfire Relief Dinner
Tuesday evening 25th February
Watsonia RSL Club
6 Morwell Avenue Watsonia 3087
Doors Open 6.30 pm
Entrees Served 7.00 pm sharp

"An Evening with Athol Guy presenting The Seekers' Story"
perhaps the most successful Australian entertainment export ever
Athol will be supported by Rod Hulls and Jenny Blake, providing live renditions of Seekers favourites

- \$50.00 from each ticket and all auction proceeds will go to the Relief Fund
- Rotary to assist with a variety of Aftermath Relief for communities affected by bushfires
- Rotary to obtain fodder, and ensure delivery to where it is most needed
- Rotary to supply fencing materials and labour to install it
- Rotary District 9790 to monitor all Relief Fund spending



Please arrange bookings via the trybooking link below
Bookings to be finalised by 5.00 pm Thursday 20 February 2020
Cost per person for 3 course dinner plus entertainment \$90, or \$900 for tables of 10
Drinks at Bar Prices
Dress: Evening Wear



<https://www.trybooking.com/BHTMD>



Ken Norman always seeks to finalise meal numbers by Monday 10.00am.

So please email/SMS or phone Ken by that time; and, at the same time, forewarn of any guests. If you can't come, please submit an apology
ken.norm5@bigpond.com or 0437 770 831

Rotary Club of Heidelberg

2020 Charity Golf Challenge



**MONDAY
23rd MARCH 2020**

The Rosanna Golf Club
54 Cleveland Ave
Lower Plenty



**GUEST
SPEAKER**

Bruce Reid

Bruce Malcolm Reid (born 4 April 1946) is the current club doctor of the Essendon Football Club and a former Australian rules footballer who played with Hawthorn in the Victorian Football League (VFL). Reid, who came from North Balwyn Methodists, played two senior games for Hawthorn in the 1966 VFL season and made one further appearance the following year. He was a member of Preston's 1968 and 1969 Victorian Football Association premiership teams. Having graduated from university with a medical degree while at Preston, he worked as a club doctor with Richmond from 1976 to 1979. One of the players at Richmond during that time was Kevin Sheedy, who had recently been appointed coach of Essendon when Reid joined the club in 1982. Since then he has been the Senior Medical Officer for Essendon.

and Graham 'Smokey' Dawson as MC

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