

Bulletin 2977 January 24, 2016

Rotary Club of Chelsea WHISPERING WAVES



Club President: Ian Buffon
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Guests, family and friends are very welcome.

PLEASE book them in by contacting Kevin Harrison 0407 772 225

The following is our upcoming program. Meetings are at the Chelsea RSL unless otherwise stated.

Date	Speaker	Description
26 th January	No Meeting	Australia Day
2 nd February	Club Forum	
9 th February	No Meeting	Cluster Meeting Instead
10 th February	Cluster Meeting	Dingley International – Guest speaker : Ian Riseley RIPN
16 th February	Charmain Stothard	Wills, Estates and Powers of Attorney

Message from the President

Hi folks,

We're very grateful to Cr Tamsin Bearsley for taking time out from her busy schedule to visit and speak at length to us at our last meeting about her role as Mayor of the City of Kingston, and updating us about the major projects that are happening in our city. We were especially interested in plans to develop Bicentennial Park, and to improve the Southern Poles facility. This structure was built using funds from the City of Kingston and a major contribution of over \$40,000 resulting from a Rotary Club of Chelsea project (involving 200 people from Chelsea cleaning the Commonwealth Games Village in Parkville in 2006). Our own Kevin Harrison was the driving force behind organising the 200 people (and transport to and from Chelsea) for a Rotary Project to clean the Commonwealth Games Village during the games! The proposed permanent roof and park improvements should make the facility easier and more economical to use, and make it more amenable. This will hopefully attract more people to use the park, which is apparently rated very highly amongst municipal recreation reserves (4.5 stars on TripAdvisor).

Welcome to our newest member Hazel! It is our pleasure and privilege to induct you into our club, and we will do our best to enable you to enjoy your time in Rotary as much as possible.

We will reschedule our presentation to the Lighthouse Foundation for a future date. Also, don't forget to register for the District Conference if you plan on going (and please let Claire know so we can know who is going).

We do not have a club meeting on 26th January (Australia Day). Our next meeting will be on 2nd February when we will have a Club Forum. We will have a Board Meeting after the dinner meeting.

Cheers
Ian.

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**ROTARY'S MOTTO
IS "SERVICE ABOVE
SELF"**

The object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster:

FIRST: The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service.

SECOND: High ethical standards in business and professions, the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations, and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society.

THIRD: The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business and community life.

FOURTH: The advancement of international understanding, goodwill and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.

New Member

We were pleased to welcome Hazel Kewin as our latest member last Tuesday night. Hazel has been trying Rotary out for a few weeks and after enjoying the fellowship she decided to make the jump to being a Rotarian. Hazel has already helped out at a few fund raisers and is a tireless worker!!

Please welcome Hazel to the Rotary Club of Chelsea.



District 9810 Golf Day

Thursday 14th April 2016

Keysborough Golf Club

- Open to all Rotarians and Partners of District 9810---A Fellowship focused event
- Total Cost Per Player.....\$50
Includes: Sandwich lunch on arrival
Green Fees
Trophies: D.G's Perpetual Trophy
\$500 Ford Davis Memorial Award
Gourmet Buffet Dinner in Club Dining Room after Golf by Chef David
Drinks at bar prices.
- Rotarians and partners not playing golf are welcome to attend Buffet (\$20 a head)
- Competition is Ambrose Team Event
(AGU H'caps & Callaway players welcome)
- Shotgun Start at 12.15pm using all tees
- Entry Forms will be distributed early in 2016

District Governor David wants the event to be a relaxed enjoyable fellowship focused event open TO ALL Rotarians and Partners of District 9810 (especially the Ladies) to come together share each others company and have some fun.

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District 9810 News

Welcome back everyone to the second half of this Rotary year. I trust that you all found some time to relax and spend some quality time with family and friends. I know that Alison and I have had some time away to reenergise in preparation for what lies ahead.

There are many activities and events in the next few months, the most important of which, of course, is the District Conference in Shepparton from March 18 to 20. The conference committee have worked very hard to produce what looks like a most promising event. Every Rotarian and partner is welcome to attend.

Whilst talking about Conference, remember that the International Convention this year will be almost (?) on our doorstep in Seoul. Many folk say that they discover the final bit of the Rotary jigsaw when they attend an International Convention. The timing in the last week of May is also very appealing. I encourage all Rotarians to visit the Convention site www.riconvention2016.org/2015new/en and become inspired by the idea. Perhaps make up a small group from your club for the ultimate fellowship activity.

On the learning and development front there is to be another series of Rotary Leadership Institute being held, starting in February. Contact Diane Fisher for details. This is a most informative program for any Rotarian to undertake.

This year a different slant has been taken in regard to our District Golf Challenge. Rather than link it to the conference, this year we are having a stand alone event designed to cater for golfers of all standards: the serious golfers; social golfers; and a special encouragement to lady golfers. The event will be held on April 14th. Details are contained within this newsletter, or enquiries can be made to John Williams.

As I write this column, DGE Carol is in San Diego attending the International Assembly for Incoming District Governors. This of course means that in the next few months there will be various preparation activities for incoming club leaders. I ask and encourage all relevant members to participate in their respective programs to ensure that within our District there will be a solid base of planning and preparation for the next Rotary year.

Alison and I look forward to seeing many of you at various events over the coming months.

Cheers
David Tolstrup
District Governor 2015-2016
Rotary District 9810, Australia

District 9810 Conference



District 9810 Conference
Shepparton 18-20 March 2016

Hear leading industry experts on how Rotary is achieving real world outcomes locally and globally.

Registrations now open!

<http://www.9810rotaryconference.org.au/contact/>



**ROTARY CLUB of
MANNINGHAM.**

District 9810
Chartered 26th June 1985



Be a gift to the world

**President Anthony Fernandez
And
Club Board**

cordially to invite you to attend the
Rotary Club of Manningham
CHINESE NEW YEAR DINNER
Year of the Red Monkey

at

Wealth Garden Restaurant
866 Doncaster Road
Doncaster East 3109

Monday 8th February 2016

6.30 for 7.00pm

Cost: \$40.00 pp

BYO WINE ONLY

BEER & SOFT DRINKS at Bar Price

R.S.V.P.

Monday 1st Feb. '16

Anthony Fernandez

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For catering, pre-payment must be
received by:

Thursday 4th February, cheques payable to:

"Rotary Club of Manningham"

Mailed to:

Anthony Fernandez

10 Northwood Drive,

Pre-payments can be made at Rotary meetings
from Monday 11th January onwards to
Manju Mohandoss..

Don't forget the Farmers Market

Contact Hans Wehmoller - hanswehmoller@gmail.com

Time: 8am - 12:30pm

Date: The first Saturday of each month (except January)

Location: Sir William Fry Reserve, Nepean Highway, Highett

Cost: \$2 donation on entry

Next Market is February 6th 2016



January

INDUCTIONS

Brian Lowe	1989
Greg Caughey	2000

BIRTHDAYS

Eunice Rooke	6 th
Graham Smith	18 th
Liz Lowe	20 th
David Healy	21 st

ANNIVERSARIES

Simon and Joanne Person	19 th
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6.15pm for 6.45pm start

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