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# Rotary Club of Chelsea WHISPERING WAVES



*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
2 <sup>nd</sup> February	Club Forum	
9 <sup>th</sup> February	No Meeting	Cluster Meeting Instead – Contact Kevin Harrison to let him know you are going. Wednesday Feb 10
10 <sup>th</sup> February	Cluster Meeting	Dingley International – Guest speaker : Ian Riseley RIPN
16 <sup>th</sup> February	Charmain Stothard	Wills, Estates and Powers of Attorney

## Message from the President

G'day folks,

I hope everyone had an enjoyable Australia Day (and long weekend if you were able to take an extra day or two off from work). It was pointed out by the Quiz Master at a Trivia night that Claire I went to last night (alas, despite the Quiz Master being from the State Library of Victoria, our local Library Legends team did not win) that Australia does not have an official language. No, not even English. It's a double-edged sword not having an official language, although it's probably a sign of our acceptance of different cultures to a great degree. I think that's one of the things I admire most about being Australian. The willingness to give everybody a fair go, especially when they're speaking, whether that be face to face, on the internet, through traditional media, or through groups or legislation. That's also one of the strengths of Rotary - that every member in a Rotary club has an equal opportunity to contribute ideas and have the potential to achieve great things, and to contribute to the effectiveness of Rotary worldwide. I would encourage everyone, especially Australians, to study and remember our last 200+ years of history, and learn lessons from it, but not to dwell on it, because the future is so much more exciting than what has happened in the past, and the only thing we can be sure of is that *many* changes will take place over the *next* 200 years. What those changes will be is largely up to us. *All* of us.

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.

## District 9810 Golf Day

**Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> 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.

Enquiries to: John Williams Mob: 0408 228 865 [jkwilliams24@optusnet.com.au](mailto:jkwilliams24@optusnet.com.au)  
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**"BE A GIFT TO THE WORLD"...RI Theme 2015/2016**

## Farmers Market Next Saturday

**Please contact Hans to let him know when you can help.**

**Hans - [hanswehmoller@gmail.com](mailto:hanswehmoller@gmail.com)**

## District 9810 2016 Conference Report

The Welcome signs will shortly be erected in Shepparton in anticipation of the “Heart of the Goulburn Valley” greeting the Rotarians and Partners of District 9810 to our 2016 District Conference between 18th and 20th March.

The Organising Committee report that all arrangements for the Conference are well advanced with an interesting, informative and entertaining array of Guest Speakers and Presenters.

With our Conference Theme “Power of the Past – Force of the Future” we are looking forward to hearing from such well-known and prominent Guest Speakers including Paul Sheahan, Caroline Overington, Brendon Nottle, Kate Carnell, Janine Mahoney, Mariam Issa and Wayne Leslie.

It will be interesting to hear from Professor Gordon Wallace who will explain and demonstrate the latest advances in 3D printing whilst it will be a pleasure to welcome back to our Conference Gemma Sisia from the School of St Jude in Tanzania who will be accompanied by one of the schools’ first graduates, Dorice Livingstone-Abel.

Terry Grant, Past Chairman of Australian Rotary Health will be on hand to welcome the “Ride for Rotary Dollars” cyclists who, this year, will achieve the outstanding total of \$1 million raised for ARH and we expect the message from Rotary International President Nominee Ian Risely to be inspiring.

We will also hear from Gordon Coote on the history of the Australian National Piano Award with the current ANPA Winner, Alex Raineri, giving a short recital during the Opening Session.

The Saturday Night Gala features the theme, “MY Favourite television Show” and, from what we have already heard, there will be some amazing outfits on display by some District 9810 Clubs during the Gala.

The Conference Committee is also inviting all Clubs in the District to submit details of Club Members who may have passed away since the 2015 Conference which will then be incorporated into the “In Memoriam” segment at the forthcoming Shepparton Conference. Relevant details for inclusion in the Segment, together with a photograph, can be submitted to Conference Committee Member, Lynn Whelan, at [lynnwhelanevents@hotmail.com](mailto:lynnwhelanevents@hotmail.com)

Further enquiries concerning Conference arrangements can be addressed to Conference Chairman, Robert Leach, at [jenandrob@bigpond.com](mailto:jenandrob@bigpond.com) or on 0439 938 833.

## District 9810 Conference



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

**Registrations now open!**

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



**February 21, 2016**

Come join us for the third annual Coast Guard Around the River Fun Run. Again, this year we offer 6km and 12km events. There will also be a full range of family entertainment including free 350m kids run.

All proceeds go directly to support the Carrum Coast Guard.

BBQ: Bacon, eggs, sausages and onions for sale.

Great Prizes for winners and best fancy dressed.

**Fees:**

Early Bird (before 2 February 2016)

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|--------------------------------|---------------|
| -Adult: 6 km \$30.00           | 12 km \$35.00 |
| -Child under 16: 6km \$22.50   | 12 km \$27.50 |
| -Young Runners (6 and Under) : | Free          |

Regular Entries: 6 km \$40.00 12 km \$45.00

Team Entries Available

Participant package pick up and on-day registration: 7:00 am

Start: 8:30 am

**Again this year : Electronic timing bibs, Enhanced Water Stations, Bouncing Castle and much more.**

**Register Online Now:**

<https://www.registernow.com.au/secure/Register.aspx?E=19152>





**ROTARY CLUB of  
MANNINGHAM.**

**District 9810  
Chartered 26<sup>th</sup> 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 8<sup>th</sup> 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 1<sup>st</sup> Feb. '16**

Anthony Fernandez  
Mobile: 0410 428 997. Home: 9458 3665  
Email: [flanderz@bigpond.net.au](mailto:flanderz@bigpond.net.au)

**For catering, pre-payment must be  
received by:**

**Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> 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 11<sup>th</sup> January onwards to  
Manju Mohandoss..*



## Don't forget the Farmers Market

Contact Hans Wehmoller - [hanswehmoller@gmail.com](mailto:hanswehmoller@gmail.com)

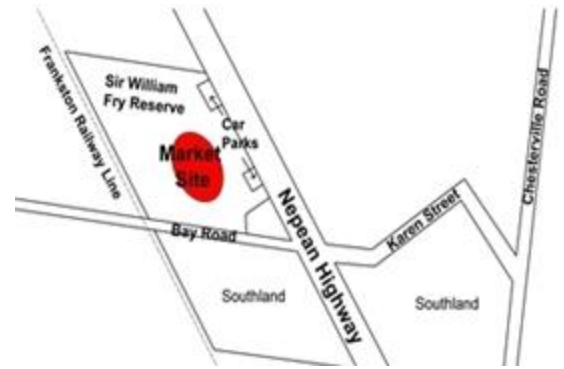
Time: 8am - 12:30pm

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 6<sup>th</sup> 2016**



# January

## INDUCTIONS

Brian Lowe	1989
Greg Caughey	2000

## BIRTHDAYS

Eunice Rooke	6 <sup>th</sup>
Graham Smith	18 <sup>th</sup>
Liz Lowe	20 <sup>th</sup>
David Healy	21 <sup>st</sup>

## ANNIVERSARIES

Simon and Joanne Person	19 <sup>th</sup>
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### Suggested Links:

[Rotary Home Page](#)  
[Rotary District 9810](#)  
[Rotary Home Exchange](#)  
[The International Travel & Hosting Fellowship](#)  
[NOVA - Vaccines - Calling the shots](#)  
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The Club meets weekly at the Chelsea RSL Thames Prom. Chelsea Tuesday Evenings  
6.15pm for 6.45pm start

Club Bank Details: Bendigo Bank BSB 633 000 Acc: 1424 861 33 (admin. acct.)