

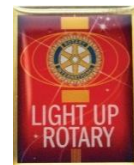
Rotary Club of Bright

Rotary



The

Grapevine



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At the next Meeting of the Rotary Club of Bright to be held at the Bright Chalet,
113 Delany Avenue, Bright on Thursday 13th November 2014 commencing
6.15pm for 6.45pm,

Members who cannot attend, or Members with Guests who haven't booked please advise The Chalet by telephoning 5755 1833 by noon on the day of the meeting.

Guests are always welcome at Club meetings but please book with the Club, telephone 5755 1696.

President's Message

Thank you to Patrick O'Shea and Michelle Chalwell for arranging last week's Oaks Party which was enjoyed by all in attendance. Everyone enjoyed John Dodd's race call, and Robyn Poyner and Ray Borschmann won the Fashions on the Field prizes from a strong field!

Michelle Chalwell needs more Members and Families to join Relay for Life on November 22/23 so please finalise your entry at this week's meeting.

Thanks to all Members who were able to assist at the various activities over the past two weekends.

Michelle Sharpe did a great job organising the Grand Fireworks Night in her first year in Bright.

This weekend SS was full on after a slow start...in particular thanks to Michelle Chalwell and Andrew Mior who opened the batting and were still there at stumps!

Last Wednesday the Deputy Premier, and the Minister for Health announced that if the Coalition is returned to Government it will provide funds for high care aged care beds for Bright in next year's budget. This result was exactly what our Hospital Community Committee has worked for since Rotary formed the Committee and I lead since May 2010. We have now written to the Opposition asking the Labour Party to match the offer and we are confident of a positive response.

While the work of the Committee has been frustrating at times we have persisted and have achieved our objective of getting this issue on the Government's agenda and obtaining Government funds.

The financial pledges we have been given by the Opportunity Shop, the Bright Charitable Trust, and the Rotary Club has been vital to achieving our goal. And I believe, some heavy lobbying I was able to achieve with the Deputy Premier, and the upcoming Election got us over the line.

I would have expected a positive response to the announcement but already I have had a couple of knockers pouring cold water on the proposal. I hasten to advise that the responsibility for planning facilities rests with the Health Department, and Alpine Health, and that our Committee plays little part. However, I believe that Rotary played a significant part in this Major Community Service Project.

At this week's meeting will have Guest Speaker Lisa Neville talking to us about Family Violence.

"Light Up Rotary" in 2014/15

Looking Ahead". Club Programs for October/ November

November 13...Guest Speaker , Lisa Neville on Family Violence

November 20...The Rotary Foundation, Presentation by Lindsay Jolley

November 27...AGM for the Election of Officers and Directors for 2015/16

Attendance for Thursday 25th September

Michelle Chalwell	Stephen Webb	Sue Manning	Ray Borschmann
Fraser McNaught	John Martin	Terry Gibbons	Bruce McDonald
Graham Cocks	Geoff Hall	Allan Poyner	Lindsay Jolley
Geoff Tually	Rob Moore	Bob Lease	Bruce Kilpatrick
Diane Gibbons	Steve Gilliver	Ron Kool	Patrick O'Shea
Syd Lewis - - - - (Honorary Student)			
Minori- - - - - (Exchange Student)			

Apologies:- Ken Hart, Dee Hedley, Wayne Phillips, Andrew Pook, Ela Tually
LOA:- Brian Edwards,

BRIGHT ROTARY CLUB SAUSAGE SIZZLE ROSTER Sept-Oct 2014.
SETUP by 9am CLOSE by 1pm (subject to sufficient business.)



Date	Cook	Server	Cashier
Nov 15	John	Bruce McDonald	Michelle Sharpe
Nov 22	Rob	Pony Club	Michael
Nov 29	Patrick	Diane	Elaine
Dec 6	Terry	Michelle Chalwell	Allan Poyner
Dec 13	Ken	Lindsay	Chris
Dec 20	Sid	Sue	Ron
Dec 27	Graham	Pony Club	Dee

Reserve.....Steve Gilliver

**IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO WORK YOUR SHIFT. PLEASE ARRANGE A SWAP WITH
 ANOTHER MEMBER ON THE ROSTER.**

Pony Club 4th Saturday monthly as per their Club's roster.

Chris Young volunteer please email roster to... y.chris@iinet.net.au

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*Birthdays and Wedding Anniversaries*

*A Happy Birthday to:-  
 Andrew Pook 11<sup>th</sup> November  
 My apologies for getting the date wrong,  
 Andrew*

**Could I Please have an email with the Birthday dates of our new members and their  
 Wives, Husbands or Partners, plus your Wedding Anniversary, so that I can keep my  
 records up to date. Thank you. My email address is [tezzagee43@yahoo.com](mailto:tezzagee43@yahoo.com)**

# Secretaries Report

## Correspondence

| From                     | Regarding                                     | Action  |
|--------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|---------|
| RC Albury                | International Night Nov 13                    | Club    |
| Rotary International     | Giving & Grants Newsletter                    | Lindsay |
| Rotary 9790              | PETS Info                                     | Bruce   |
| Rotary 9790              | RYLA 2014 Student with no sponsor club        | Graham  |
| Rotary 9790              | Disaster Aid Australia newsletter             | Steve   |
| Rotary 9790              | Timetable Resolutions 9790 Conf 2015          | Sec     |
| Rotary 9790              | Shelterbox Newsletter                         | Steve   |
| Rotary 9790              | Rotary Foundation Annual Dinner Burwood Dec 8 | Club    |
| Phil & Magda Macdonald   | Tafe Luncheon Fundraiser - Maura Kelly Nov 19 | Club    |
| Shelterbox               | Shelterbox Newsletter                         | Club    |
| Australian Rotary Health | Certificate of Appreciation                   | Bruce   |

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Our Winners and Caller of the Melbourne Cup



And Finally

For Our Golfing Friends

Golf can best be defined as an endless series of tragedies, obscured by the occasional miracle
...followed by a good bottle of beer.

Golf! You hit down to make the ball go up. You swing left and the ball goes right.

The lowest score wins, on top of that, the winner buys the drinks.

Golf is harder than baseball: in Golf, you have to play your foul balls.

If you find you do not mind playing Golf in the rain, the snow, even during a hurricane,
here's a valuable tip ...your life is in trouble.

Golfers who try to make everything perfect before taking the shot rarely make a perfect shot.

A 'gimme' can best be defined as an agreement between two golfers ...neither of whom can putt very well.

An interesting thing about Golf is that no matter how badly you play, it is always possible to get worse.

Golf's a hard game to figure. One day you'll go out and slice it and shank it, hit into all the bunkers
and miss every green.

The next day you go out ...and for no reason at all you really stink.

If your best shots are the practice swing and the 'gimme putt', you might wish to reconsider this game.

Golf is the only sport where the most feared opponent is you.

Golf is like marriage, If you take yourself too seriously it won't work, and both are expensive.

The best wood in most amateurs' bags is the pencil.

