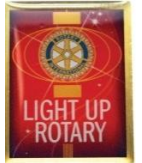


Rotary Club of Bright



The

Grapevine



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The Next Meeting Of The Rotary Club of Bright Will Be Held On The 5th February At The Group 5 Dinner At Remel 185 Whorouly

President's Message

The Club congratulates Stuart Hargreaves in being awarded Alpine Shire's Lifetime Achievement Award at the Australia Day Breakfast.

At last week's Club Assembly we discussed some of the issues raised in the Review of our Strategic Plan including the Club's meeting schedule, membership, and the level of expectation on members to give Service. The meeting schedule will remain as is and Patrick O'Shea, Michelle Chalwell and I will fill out the structure for the remainder of the Rotary Year.

I will prepare an Action List from the Review for the Club.

Yesterday I was advised by the Bright Chalet that our meals service will no longer be available at that venue. I will discuss this matter with the Chalet next week and work with the Board to investigate other options and report to the Club. Michael O'Sullivan has resigned from Rotary

The Club will advise Group 5 clubs that it is unable to participate in the Fundraising Theatre Night to be held on February 26 but will donate towards the initiative.

Registrations for Rotary Leadership Training for the three sessions Program which commences on Saturday February 22 need to be submitted by February 12. The sessions are held at Euroa between 9am and 1.30pm. In particular I encourage newer members of the Club to register for this Program to broaden their knowledge of Rotary. We need three members to register so please advise me if you will attend.

I thank members and members of the community for their work on the Waterslide during the summer vacation. We now need volunteers for the weekend roster which commenced on Saturday January 31 and will operate until Sunday March 8. The Club has always extended its operation to this period but this year it will also offset time lost during the school vacation period due to bad weather. Please advise Patrick where you can help ASAP.

We also need volunteers to assist "3 Peaks" cycling event on Sunday March 8. This is a relatively simple task which raises funds for the Club so please consider where you can help and be ready to slot into the roster.

Housekeeping... the Club will no longer provide for purchase of coffee at Service activities. Members are responsible to provide for their own requirements.

ROTARY GRACE "For good food, for good fellowship, and the privilege to serve through rotary, we give thanks." AMEN

"Light Up Rotary" in 2014/15

Looking Ahead". Club Programs for February

<u>Date</u>	<u>Activity</u>	<u>Roster/Responsibility</u>
Monday February 2	Grapevine	Terry Gibbons
Thursday February 5	Dinner Meeting Group 5 Clubs at Remel 185, Whorouly	
Saturday February 7	Sausage Sizzle	See Roster
Saturday Feb 7/8	Waterslide	Volunteers needed
Monday February 9	Grapevine	Lindsay Jolley

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



Date	Cook	Server	Cashier
Feb 7 th	John Martin	Lindsay Jolley	Michelle Sharpe
Feb 14 th	Andrew Mior	Allan Poyner	Sue Manning
Feb 21 st	Sid Dalbosco	Chris Young	Andrew Pook
Feb 28 th	Patrick O'Shea	Pony Club	Dee Hedley

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

Birthdays and Wedding Anniversaries

*Happy Birthday and Wedding Anniversary
 To all the
 Family and Friends of Rotarians everywhere*

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## Attendance for Thursday 29<sup>nd</sup> January 2015

|                |                |              |                |
|----------------|----------------|--------------|----------------|
| Ray Borschmann | Bruce McDonald | Stephen Webb | Diane Gibbons  |
| Allan Poyner   | Deree Hedley   | Ken Hart     | Steve Gilliver |
| Sue Manning    | Sid Dalbosco   | Ian Craig    | John Martin    |
| Patrick O'Shea | Terry Gibbons  | Bob Lease    | Wayne Phillips |

## Apologies

|              |                  |                   |            |              |
|--------------|------------------|-------------------|------------|--------------|
| Geoff Hall   | Bruce Kilpatrick | Rob Moore         | Ela Tually | Geoff Tually |
| Graham Cocks | Lindsay Jolley   | Stuart Hargreaves |            |              |

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Waterslide

Waterslide...we have the opportunity to operate the slide for up to 12 days on weekends for this Saturday until Sunday March 8 (weather permitting)...THIS IS NORMAL PRACTICE BUT FOR THIS YEAR IN PARTICULAR WILL OFFSET TIME LOST DUE TO BAD WEATHER... But to do this we need at least one Rotarian to be on duty from 1pm to 4.30pm on opening days. At this stage we have the following members available –

...WE NEED A MEMBER TO FILL THIS VACANCY URGENTLY TODAY SO THAT WE CAN BUILD A TEAM

Saturday February 7.. Bruce McDonald ; Ela tually: ???????

Sunday February 8...Allan Poyner: ???????? ????????

Saturday February 14.VACANCY ;

Sunday February 15. VACANCY

Saturday February 21.VACANCY ;

Sunday February 22.VACANCY

Saturday February 28.VACANCY ;

Sunday March 1..... VACANCY

Saturday March 7..... VACANCY ;

Sunday March 8..... VACANCY

Please advise Patrick where you are able to assist ASAP.



Mobile phone etiquette

After a tiring day, a commuter settled down in his seat and closed his eyes. As the train rolled out of the station, a woman sitting next to him pulled out her mobile phone. She started talking in a loud voice: "Hi sweetheart. It's Mary. I'm on the train".

"Yes, I know it's the six thirty and not the four thirty, but I had a long meeting.

No, honey, not with that Kevin from the accounting office. It was with the boss.

No sweetheart, you're the only one in my life.

Yes, I'm sure, cross my heart!"

Fifteen minutes later, she was still talking loudly. When the man sitting next to her had enough, he leaned over and said into the phone,

"Mary, hang up the phone and come back to bed."

Mary doesn't use her mobile phone in public any longer.