

Rotary Club of Bright



The Grapevine



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The next meeting of the Rotary Club of Bright will be held on Thursday November 12th 2015 commencing at 6.15pm for 6.45 pm at The Bright RSL Club

Confirmation of your attendance or an apology must be received by Steve Webb by mid-day on the TUESDAY prior to the meeting either by

email: s.wdd@bigpond.net.au

or by phone 0419 611 405

Guests are always welcome at Club meetings but please book with the Club, telephone 03 5755 1818

ROTARY GRACE

**"For good food, for good fellowship,
and the privilege to serve through Rotary,
we give thanks." AMEN**

President's Message

LAST WEEK:

1. A BIG THANK YOU to Michelle and Allan for their efforts for our Oaks Day meeting.
2. A BIG THANK YOU also to all who assisted over the weekend with the Hot Rod BBQ's, Market and the Sausage Sizzle...A big weekend again for everyone.

3. **CPR UPDATE:** The Course has been cancelled due lack of numbers, however, the Alpine Institute shall advise us of when they are conducting CPR Courses so that anyone interested can then enroll.
4. **WATERSLIDE:** The roster is being prepared with the goal of having it finalised by the 3rd December.
So please give some thought to your availability for this roster.
You shall get a tap on the shoulder shortly.
A request for expressions of interest from volunteers has been put on Facebook to help bolster our volunteer numbers available for the roster.

THIS WEEK:

There shall be no guest speaker and the Acting President shall be Secretary, John Martin.

REMEMBRANCE DAY: RSL BBQ – Wednesday 11th November.

MEETINGS: As No meetings are scheduled for Thursdays; 24 December 2015; 31st December 2015 and 07 January 2016 (Twilight Market) **ALL** planning for events through to the end of January need to be finalised prior to Christmas, which include;

WATERSLIDE – Roster preparation.

CAROLS – Saturday 19th December – Setup required that afternoon.

MUSIC IN THE PARK – Commencing 27th December

TWILIGHT MARKET – Thursday 7th January (No Meeting)

AUSTRALIA DAY BBQ – Tuesday 26th January 2016.

As can be seen we still have a very busy time ahead.

REMINDERS:

1. **CLUB AGM:** The Club AGM is scheduled for Thursday 19th November 2015.
2. **CHRISTMAS DINNER:** Our Christmas Dinner shall be held at The Red Stag Restaurant, Eurobin on Thursday 17th December 2015 at 6.30pm for 7.00pm with the cost of \$35.00/head.
3. **CHRISTMAS CAROLS:** Christmas carols shall be held on Saturday evening 19th December, 2015 at the Sibley Sound Shell.
4. **CLUB MAJOR PROJECT?:** Do Members have any thoughts for a largish Community Project that the Club could consider? **If so please advise Geoff Hall or myself with your thoughts.**
Lions are also looking for a local project that is of benefit to the community and have suggested that both Clubs **may** be able to work together on such a project, if suitable.
5. **GROUP 5 DINNER:** Group 5 Dinner at “Remel” is scheduled for 20th February 2016 with proceeds going to ROMAC.
6. **DISTRICT CONFERENCE:** This year’s Conference a month earlier on 25-28 February 2016 @ Bendigo. **Who shall be attending from this Club? Registration can be made now.**
7. **LIONS CLUB 40TH ANNIVERSARY:** The Lions Club of Bright shall be celebrating their 40th Anniversary on 18-20 March 2016 at the Bright Entertainment Centre. They have asked if we have anyone with an RSA ticket and if so would be able to

manage the Bar on the Saturday night 19 March, similarly to what they did for us.

Thank you Dianne Gibbons has put her hand up for this task, however we shall need at least 2 others (not necessarily with an RSA) to assist on the night. To be finalised nearer the event.

**BRIGHT ROTARY CLUB SAUSAGE SIZZLE ROSTER November 2015.
SETUP by 9am CLOSE by 1pm (subject to sufficient business.)**



Date	Cook	Server	Cashier
Nov 14	Sid Dalbosco	Dee Hedley	Michelle Chalwell
Nov 21	Geoff Hall	Chris Young	Terry Gibbons
Nov 28	Allan Poyner	Pony Club	Graham Cocks
Dec 5	Sid Dalbosco	Steve Gilliver	John Dodd
Dec 12	Patrick O'Shea	Jason Reid	Ron Kool
Dec 19	Rob Moore	Diana Feltrin	John Dodd

If you are unable to work your shift please arrange a swap with another member on the roster and advise Stephen Webb of the swap – 0419611405 or s.wdd@bigpond.net.au

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

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



The Rotary Four Way Test

1. Is it the truth?
2. Is it fair to all concerned?
3. Will it build goodwill and better friendships?
4. Will it be beneficial to all concerned?



DINNER ROSTERS



<u>DATE:</u>		<u>CHAIRPERSON:</u>	<u>CATERERS:</u>
November	12	Dee Hedley	Geoff Hall; Kathryn Levy; Steve Gilliver.
	19	Diane Gibbons	Sue Manning; Dee Hedley; Diana Feltrin.
	26	???	???
December	3	Allan Poyner	Diane Gibbons, John Dodd, Terry Gibbons
	10	Geoff Hall	Sue Manning; Dee Hedley; Diana Feltrin
	17		Christmas Dinner Red Stag Restaurant at Eurobin
	24	No Meeting	
	31	No Meeting	
		TBA	



The Board of Directors for 2015/16

President: *Graham Cocks*
President Elect & Club Administration: *Michelle Chalfwell.*
Past President: *Bruce McDonald*
Secretary: *John Martin.*
Treasurer: *Wayne Phillips.*
Community Service: *Geoff Hall.*
International Service: *Stephen Webb.*
Public Relations: *Sue Manning.*
Membership: *Patrick O'Shea.*
Foundation: *Sid Dalbosco.*
Vocational Service & Youth Service: *Graham Cocks.*

Month	Day	Date	Venue	Activity/ Guest Speaker
NOVEMBER	Wed	11	RSL	Remembrance Day RSL BBQ
	Thur	12	RSL	General Meeting/ Board Meeting
	Sat	14		Sausage Sizzle
	Thur	19	RSL	General Meeting
	Sat	21		Sausage Sizzle, Relay For Life
	Sun	22		Relay For Life
	Thur	26	???	General Meeting
	Sat	28		Sausage Sizzle
DECEMBER	Thur	3	RSL	W/slide Roster Finalised, CPR Training & Briefing
	Sat	5		Sausage Sizzle
	Thur	10	RSL	General meeting/board Meeting
	Sat	12		Sausage Sizzle
	Thur	17	???RSL???	?? Christmas Dinner??
	Sat	19		Sausage Sizzle/ Carols By Candlelight
	Sat	26		Sausage Sizzle. Start of Waterslide
	Sun	27	Waterslide	Music in the Park
	Mon	28	Waterslide	
	Tues	29	Waterslide	
	Wed	30	Waterslide	
	Thur	31	Waterslide	No Meeting

Secretaries Report

31/10/2015	Lindsey Jolley	Change of Address
2/11/2015	Bob Gindemann	Funding for Timor Liaison Office
2/11/2015	Rotary 9790	District Financial Papers for District AGM
2/11/2015	Bright Fireworks Night	Thank you for support
3/11/2015	RC Milawa Oxley	Bulletin
5/11/2015	Australian Welsh Choir Concert	Alexandra 7pm Nov 14th
5/11/2015	Ringer Reef	Help with weekend in January
5/11/2015	Vic Gov Environment Land Water	Spring newsletter
5/11/2015	Dickens Real Estate	2016 Calendar
5/11/2015	Bright P-12 College	Request for support re Cultural Exchange



Birthdays and Wedding Anniversaries

*A Happy Birthday To
Andrew Pook 11th November
Ron Kool 13th November*

A good time was had by all at our Oates day Partners meeting last Thursday Night



The Two Di's were the winner's and runner-up of the Oates day draw



If anyone has anything of interest they would like to be included in the Grapevine please send it to me at my email address above. Providing the material will not offend anyone I will endeavour to include it in a future edition.

Thanks

Terry

And Finally

One Sunday morning, a priest decided to do something a little different.

He said 'Today, in church, I am going to say a single word and you are going to help me preach.

Whatever single word I say, I want you to sing whatever hymn that comes to your mind - the pastor shouted out 'CROSS.'

Immediately the congregation started singing in unison, 'THE OLD RUGGED CROSS..'

The pastor hollered out 'GRACE.' The congregation began to sing 'AMAZING GRACE, how sweet the sound.'

The pastor said 'POWER.'

The congregation sang 'THERE IS POWER IN THE BLOOD.'

The Pastor said 'SEX'

The congregation fell into total silence.

Everyone was in shock.

They all nervously began to look around at each other afraid to say anything.

Then all of a sudden, way from in the back of the church, a little old 87 year old grandmother stood up and began to sing

'MEMORIES.'