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IN GEAR

ROTARY CLUB OF BEAUMARIS WEEKLY BULLETIN | Number Week 15 10 October 2022

Presidents Piece

I really enjoyed our meeting on Thursday. It was good to be back at the Victoria Golf Club to induct Trish Yates into our club. We now have 43 active members and 10 honorary members. If you want to contact Trish her details are now available in ClubRunner and on the ClubRunner mobile app. We heard what I suspect is just part one of Tim Parson's story. The evening was in aid of Australian Rotary Health's Lift the Lid appeal to raise money for mental health research. The raffle raised $152.50 which will be added to the $1,000 we have budgeted as a donation and sent to ARH this month (hat photos on pages 7 and 8).

We also unveiled our new web site https://beaumarisrotary.club. You will find more information about the site in a separate piece in this week's edition of In Gear. Please go into the site, have a look around and let us have your feedback, preferably using the Contact Us button on the main menu bar.

An update on the Zone 8 Regionalisation Project vote. 89% of the clubs across Zone 8 voted Yes and 20 out of 21 districts voted Yes. The Zone 8 Regionalisation Group will now be consulting with Rotary International to map out a way forward. I will keep everybody posted on any new developments.

The planets finally aligned for our Black Rock Farmers market on Saturday. The rain held off until the afternoon giving us bright skies and it was not too hot and not too cold. The traffic through the gate looked impressive and the book stall did well. A big thank you to everybody who helped out. We still have some work to do to broaden the range of merchandise and services provided but I do think we are making real progress.

Talking of markets, I went to Sandringham's Sandy Twilight Market on Saturday evening. This is mainly a craft market that happens on the second Saturday of the month from now 'till April. It runs from 3pm to 8pm either side of the Rotunda on the Sandringham foreshore. It is a great place to buy some different

Next Meetings

Thursday 13 October
Ayles Llewellyn
Wellbeing Program (TBC)
Chair: Denise Grocke
Attendance: Tim Parson
Mark Perelaer

Thursday 20 October
Rose Paduano
Bayside Community Information & Support Service
Chair: Richard Jones
Attendance: Ken Mirams, Malcolm Sawle

Thursday 27 October
Pat Armstrong
Environmental Sustainability Rotary Action Group (ESRAG)
Chair: Richard Potter
Attendance: Clem Quick, Julie Reith

Venue is VGC, 6:30 for 7:00 unless otherwise noted.
Hybrid by request. See page 2.

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Future Events Calendar

gifts, especially as we are now on the run up to Christmas.

On Thursday we have our AGM and then we are continuing with the mental health theme. We have Ayles Llewellyn the Deputy Head of Senior School at Firbank Grammar talking about their Wellbeing Program. I think we are all aware of how tough the last couple of years have been for senior school students so it should be an interesting evening.

Enjoy your week. I look forward to your company on Thursday.

President Chris

Date / Time	Event	Location	Responsibilities / Contact
Club Hybrid Meetings VGC		**See bottom of page for link**	**David Lea**
4.00 to 6.00+pm	**Happy Hour**	**Black Drop Espresso & Wine Café, 615 Balcombe Rd Black Rock**	**Gail and Julie**
Tuesday 11 October, 6 pm	**Board Meeting**	Chris D'Arcy's	Trish Smyth
Thursday 13 October, 6:30 for 7:00	**Wellbeing Program (TBC) Ayles Llewellyn AGM**	Club Meeting VGC Hybrid by Request	Chair: Denise Grocke Attendance: Tim Parsons Mark Perelaer
Sunday 16 October, 10.00 am to 2.00 pm	**Bayside Community Safety and Wellness Day**	Beaumaris Secondary College	Tim Parsons
Thursday 20 October, 6:30 for 7:00	**TBD Rose Paduano**	Club Meeting VGC Hybrid by Request	Chair: Richard Jones Attendance: Ken Mirams, Malcolm Sawle
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Hybrid by Request Login

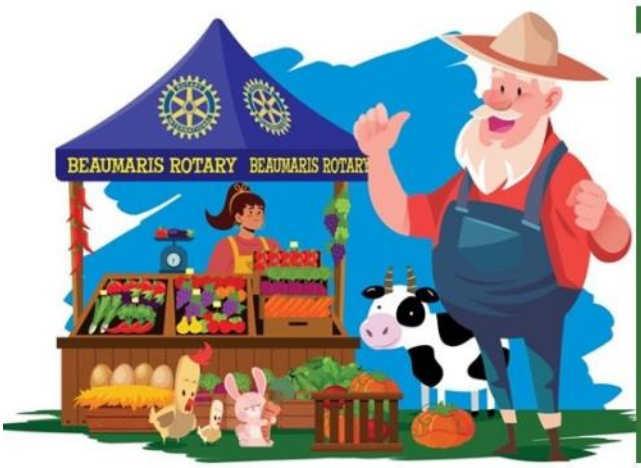
Future Hybrid Meetings will only be available on request.

So if you want to login to a meeting please advise Roy Seager at least 24 hours before the meeting.

To login just click on the image to the right and follow the prompts.

You can test run this beforehand if you wish. Just remember to end your session.

Club News



Black Rock Farmers Market.
When: 2nd Saturday of the Month
Where: Royal Avenue, Sandringham. 8am to 1pm
In conjunction with Regional Farmers Markets

Market Report

A cool Spring morning for our October Market that warmed up with them sunshine from around 10. 43 stalls and steady foot traffic from 9.30 till 12.30. Tim had the Rotary book stall again along side the entrance with the Rotary Gate Guardians - so plenty of Hi Vis Rotary Volunteers milling around the entrance.

Thanks to Michelle & Mark for stepping in at late notice, and to Roy (Downes), Malcolm, Viv, Julie, Trudy, David (Greenall) for all doing their bit to raise funds for Rotary Projects. Please check November's Market to see if you are rostered on.

Chris Mara

Bayside Community Safety and Wellness Day

Sunday 16th October, 10am -2pm.

Those not working as a Rotary attendee May wish to visit with family or friends as I believe that there is a lot happening. I am informed that the Blue Ribbon Foundation are doing the sausage sizzle so no need for Sunday Lunch :)

Those people who have put themselves forward will soon receive an email regards their attendance.

Message from Highlands Foundation

Hi Chris, Mark and Julie

We would like to say thank you for your continued support over the last few years, in very challenging times for everyone. We have recently held our AGM and I have attached our 2021/22 Annual report, sharing our success for the last year.

Thank you, Julie, for your generous donation of beautifully knitted blankets, such a joy to receive. We all talk about how precious these are for the women and babies in PNG and how they would be very overwhelmed to be receiving such beautiful gifts.

We have postponed our annual fundraiser from this month until March 2023. We would love for some of your members to be able to attend. Could you let me know if you have an event or markets scheduled for March on a Sunday, so we can make decisions about our dates that don't clash?

I am also available to come along and talk at one of your dinners (Shan and I could attend), if you are interested.

Thank you again and we hope to hear from you soon.

Kylie Stanley

Click on image below to view copy of Highlands Foundation Annual Report.

Black Rock RFM Market – Spring Rosters

Hi ***marketeers*** – Rosters for the Spring Markets at Royal Avenue. YOU MAY be ROSTERED?

Please check below if you are. Rosters will be ***In-GEAR*** for reference

Viv, Mark & I start at 7:30am. Gatekeepers (2 on each shift) - **first shift start at 7:30 until 10:30am**.

Set Up & Pack Up INDIVIDUAL(s) are rostered for this duty (one for each) for 1 Hour ONLY

Role. Other than greeting & collecting gate donations (cash & EFTPOS) from the public, includes helping set up with myself and one other Rotary volunteer on duty between 7:30 & 8:30am just for set up - and to put the 4 wheelie bins in place.

Gatekeepers on the 2nd **shift start at 10:30 until 1:30pm**. Role is same as above and includes helping pack up with myself and **IMPORTANT:** IF you are Rostered - AND YOU CANNOT DO YOUR ROSTER, FOR WHATEVER REASON!

***PLEASE* FIND A REPLACEMENT OR SWAP WITH ANOTHER CLUB MEMBER**

THEN, ADVISE ME OF WHO YOUR REPLACEMENT IS. Sooner rather than later.

Any queries, please call me.

Chris Mara

SATURDAY 8 October

Name	Surname	Mobile	Times	Role
Chris	Mara	0408107223	Open till Close	Market Leader
Viv & Mark	Zoppolato	0430240595	Open & Close	Transport
Max	Manks	0418 514 137	7:30 - 8:30	Set Up
Mary	Sealy	0412 397 675	7:30 -10:30	Gate
David	Greenall	95219531	7:30 -10:30	Gate
Malcolm	Sawle	0417 828 990	10:30 -1:30	Gate
Julie	Reith	0419 420 580	10:30 - 1:30	Gate
Roy	Downes	0497 445 226	12:30- 1:30	Pack Up

See next page for November and December Rosters

SATURDAY 12 November

Name		Mobile	Times	Role
Chris		0408107223	Open till Close	Market Leader
Viv & Mark Zoppolato		0430240595	Open & Close	Transport
Jim O'Brien		0447 447 357	7:30 - 8:30	Set Up
Soula de Ville		0421 175 635	7:30 - 10:30	Gate
Anthony Nixon		0407 812 100	7:30 - 10:30	Gate
Bridget Hage		0419 870 962	10:30 -1:30	Gate
John Sime		0404 822 256	10:30 - 1:30	Gate
Mark Perelaer		0407 002 256	12:30 -1:30	Pack Up

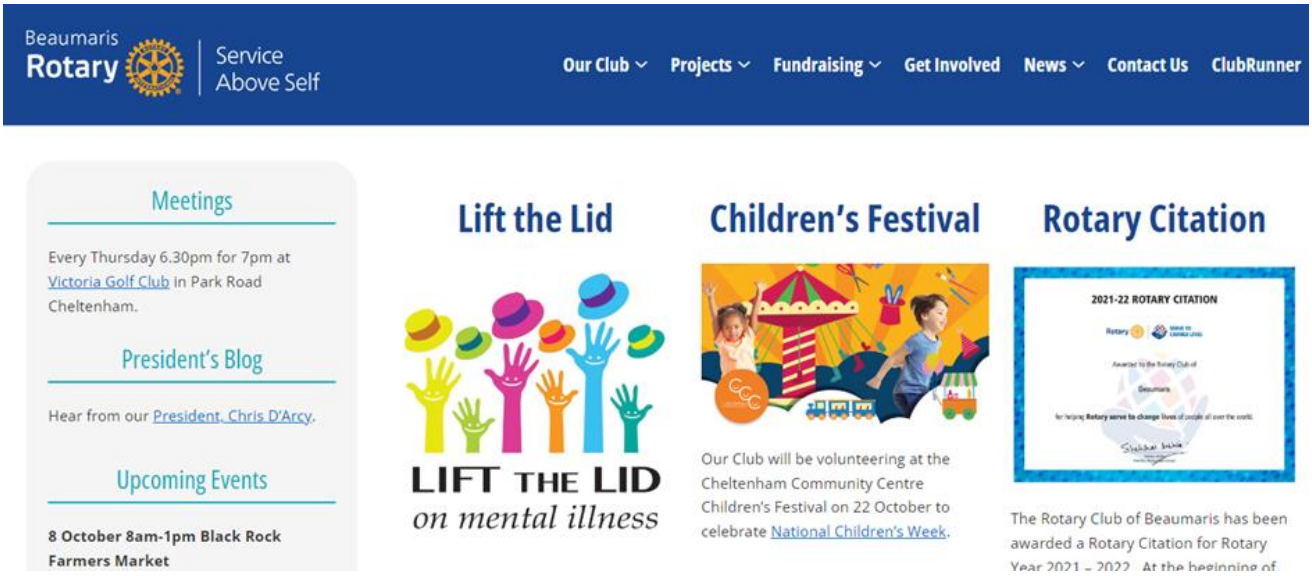
SATURDAY 10 December

Name		Mobile	Times	Role
Chris Mara		0408107223	Open till Close	Market Leader
Viv & Mark		0430240595	Open & Close	Transport
Richard Jones		0417 101 937	7:30 - 8:30	Set Up
Charmaine Janz		0488 355 433	7:30 -10:30	Gate
Mary Cunnington		0438 393 439	7:30 -10:30	Gate
Simon Kavanagh		0400 336 033	10:30 -1:30	Gate
Jude Kavanagh		0411 730 451	10:30 - 1:30	Gate
Fred Hofmann		0412 109 225	12:30- 1:30	Pack Up

Our New Website

On Thursday evening we unveiled our new website: **https://beaumarisrotary.club**

The design philosophy was to provide an excellent site for an excellent club. I hope you agree that we have achieved that.



Our new website is aimed at a number of Stakeholder Groups

- Interested Members of the Public
- Our Members & Partners
- Prospective Members
- Funding & Service Recipients
- Supporters & Sponsors
- Rotary International / District / Foundation

We intend to showcase the services and funding we deliver, rather than use the site for operational material e.g. rosters. We will continue to run the existing format In Gear and the Website in parallel for a while yet as we get used to beaumarisrotary.club. We will also be looking to make more use of the clubs Google Drive for operational documents like board minutes. Anyone accessing the old site will see a message telling them we have a new website and displaying a link to https://beaumarisrotary.club

It is important to keep the site current and active and we need members help with this. Please send feedback and ideas to: https://beaumarisrotary.club/contact-us or just click on the Contact Us tab while you are looking at the site.

https://beaumarisrotary.club

Chris D'Arcy

There is a permanent link to the new website on the last page of In Gear.

This Week's Speakers

Speaker: Tim Parsons
Topic: New Member's Talk

Well, we only really got part one of the Tim Parson's story, we will await the second instalment with great interest. Tim was born in a small town in Worcestershire in 1958 and mainly raised by his grandmother. Tim was working whilst he was still at school in a pub (he didn't like school very much) and that was one of the factors which influenced him to choose being a Chef in the Royal Navy when he was recruited aged 15 years and 11 months in 1974. Tim didn't fancy getting his hands dirty as an Engineer, so it was cooking and ironing, which stood him in good stead when he was recruited into the Police Force. Tim's time in the Navy was hard, he told a particular story about having to learn to swim and survive by diving off a 18'6' tower, swimming to the end of the pool, and back, and treading water for 2 minutes which he only achieved by dogged determination.

He left the Royal Navy in 1979.He then joined (courtesy of a kind-hearted recruiting Sergeant who helped with the Algebra) West Mercia Police Constabulary which covered the Counties of Worcestershire, Shropshire, and Herefordshire. His first posting was to a new town which had been filled with people transferred there from tough areas of Glasgow, Birmingham and the like. After a bit of time there, Tim thought that a change was needed and he went to a one person Police station in the country where he was at call 24X7, and seven miles away from backup, which wasn't any good when someone was assaulting the Policeman. Following periods of both uniform and C.I.D (Criminal Investigation Department) he joined the Force Drug Squad, followed by a period as a Drug Liaison Officer with the responsibility for three prisons. In 1995 he joined what was then known as the Regional Crime Squad in Birmingham and a stressful but rewarding career followed across difficult areas of Policing. This prepared him for the next stage of his career, security on Cruise ships, which we look forward to hearing about in the next instalment. Tim's talk was complemented by his special headgear as a ferocious crocodile, which may be a reflection of the true hearted, but fierce and determined, person he is.

Trish Smyth

John Beaty, centre, with the winners of the best hats, Viv and Tim.

Club News

Bring your Aussie pride to Melbourne

Dear Australian Rotary member:

When the Rotary world arrives in Australia for the 2023 Rotary International Convention, 27-31 May, your vibrant country will be in the spotlight. This is a rare chance to be an ambassador for Rotary in Australia and for the warm, welcoming host city of Melbourne, so register today!

The convention promises to be an inspirational event, with distinguished speakers, energizing breakout sessions, and abundant opportunities to brainstorm ideas for Doing Good in the World with Rotary and Rotaract members from around the globe.

Join us in Melbourne, the cultural capital of Australia, to Imagine What's Next as we form and strengthen connections and learn from one another.

Register now to get a reduced rate and encourage your friends to do the same. This offer expires 15 December.

Register Today

District Rewards Tally

Your club can earn points towards items that will benefit your club.
And it's easy to be part of the program.

What can I receive?

Your choice of free hoodies, polos, caps, mugs, and pens.

How many Points do I need?

10,000 points for hoodies for all members with your club's name
7,000 points for polos for all members with your club's name
3,500 points for 30 generic Rotary caps
1,500 points for 20 generic Rotary mugs
1,500 points for 20 generic rotary pens

Club Activity during the Rotary year	Points per club
Induct a new member, corporate member, 1000 points per member	
Judy Darby 25 August 2022	1000
Trish Yates 6 October 2022	1000
Members registered 9810 Conference Canberra, 500 points per member	
16 Members registered	8000
Reach Foundation Target of $120 US per Member, 400 points	
Will be achieved?	
Initial Visit to another clubs meeting, 400 points per club	
Whole of Club to Brighton North 29/09/2022	400
Chris D'Arcy to Cheltenham 13.07.2022	400
Chris D'Arcy, Di Zarro to Sandringham 02/08/2022	400
Members registered R.I. Convention Melbourne, 200 points per member	
7 members :	1400
Ken Mirams	
Roy Seager	
Trish Smyth	
Lynda Doutch	
Clem Quick	
Denise Grocke	
Chris D'Arcy	
Update club website with Imagine Rotary Theme & current logo, 200 points	
Achieved on 6 October 2020	200
An article published the DG's Newsletter, Highlights 200 points	
Members attend District Seminar/Training, 100 points	
Trish Smyth Grow Rotary 12.08.2022	100
Chris D'Arcy Grow Rotary 12.08.2022	100
A completed Service project, 100 points per project	
Tree planting Black Rock foreshore 17.07.2022	100
Book exchange Black Rock 01.08.2022	100
Impact packing afternoon 14.08.2022	100
A club marketing/public image Rotarian, 100 points	
Collect Stamps & Foreign Coins, 100 points	
Delivered to RC Glen Waverley 02.09.2022	100
Invite a District Chair to speak at your meeting, 100 points	
Total as at 10 October 2022	**13400**

Concert to support the people of the Ukraine

Beaumaris Rotary is supporting a concert in aid of the people of the Ukraine, to be held Sunday October 23rd at 2:30pm at the St Leonards College Concert Hall, 163 North Road Brighton East. You can purchase tickets at:

www.trybooking.com/CCFHV

If you can't attend the concert, it is possible to leave a donation instead. Please support this endeavour for the displaced people of the Ukraine. The performers are highly skilled musicians and dancers, and the concert will be suitable for people of all ages. Please come to show our support.

Denise Grocke

Cheltenham Community Centre Children's Festival

Volunteers are needed for Entrance control at this event – 2 shifts requiring 6 persons per shift – 9.45am – 11.30am and 11.30am – 1.15pm

Please advise Richard Jones if you are able to help.

Children's Festival 2022

To celebrate National Children's Week we have a fantastic day of fun, music, dance, rides, activities, food and shows for the family to enjoy!

Saturday 22nd October, 10am - 1pm

We will be running the below programs:

- Charlie Silly Pants
- Disco
- Teacup ride
- Fire Engine
- Bunning Workshops
- Face Painting
- Yoga for kids
- Music and Dance session for kids and Much more!

Club Sponsors

Bayside CITY COUNCIL

PKF

THE ROYAL MELBOURNE GOLF CLUB

Wilson Storage

The House of Golf.

Mentone

Club Sponsors

GREG HOCKING
BAYSIDE LIVING

Community Bank
Sandringham
Bendigo Bank

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Club Structure 2022-23

RCOB Board

President	Chris D'Arcy
Secretary	Trish Smyth
Treasurer	James Glenwright
President Elect	Denise Grocke
Past President	Lynda Doutch
Community	Richard Jones
International	Mark Perelaer
Youth	Tony McKenna
Markets	Chris Mara

International Committee

Chair Mark Perelaer

Max Manks, Geoff Stockdale, John Sime, Fred Hofman, Simon Kavanagh, Clem Quick, Richard Potter, Lynda Doutch

Youth Committee

Chair Tony McKenna

Anthony Nixon, Vivienne Zoppolato, Simon Kavanagh, Bridget Hage, Michelle Butt

Community Committee

Chair Richard Jones

Soula Deville, Mary Sealy, Tim Parsons, Malcolm Sawle, Ken Mirams

Indigenous Committee

Chair David Hone

Chris Mara, Robert McArthur

Club Service

Chair Denise Grocke

Foundation	John Beaty
Almoner	Max Manks
Membership	Gail Anderson
Marketing	Soula Deville, Tim Parsons
Support Attendance	Roy Seager
Club Protection	Ken Mirams
On to Conference	Lynda Doutch
Financial Review	Tony Phillips
Fellowship	Megan Glenwright
Program and Duties Roster	Bridget Hage
Club Communications	David Lea
Website	Trish Smyth, Liz Tanzimat

Community Support: Di Zarro, Judy Darby, Roy Downes, Trish Yates

District 9810 Roles

AG Monash Cluster	Trish Smyth
Youth Protection	Ken Mirams
Indigenous Chair	David Hone

Bayside Charity Golf Day

Chair James Glenwright

Peter Flude, Jim O'Brien, Richard Jones, Lynda Doutch, Tony Phillips

Markets Committee

Chair Chris Mara

Ken Mirams, Vivienne Zoppolato, Julie Reith, James Glenwright, Charmaine Jansz

Hon Members: Heather Chisholm, Adrian Culshaw, Greg Every, David Greenall, Brian Kimpton, Chris Martin, Malcolm Parks, Tony Phillips, David Rushworth, Liz Tanzimat

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