

Rotary Club of Youngtown Weekly Bulletin



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Youngtown Rotary Club Website: www.youngtownrotary.org.au

Soggy Bottom Regatta Website: www.soggybottomregatta.org



Meetings - Mondays at 5:45pm for 6:15pm start at the
Launceston Golf Club, Opossum Road, KINGS MEADOWS on **6344 1154**

**Meal cancellations to Assistant Secretary Bernie Morgan by 10.00am Friday
on 6344 9569**

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			10th December 2018
RI President: Barry Rassin	District Governor (9830) Ross Carlyle	District Governor-Elect (9830) Michael Cooke	Assistant Governor (Group 4) Brett Williams



Graeme's gossip....

President Graeme welcomed all members to the meeting and thanked those who were able to help with the very successful barbecue at Bunnings on Saturday. As it was the AGM we did not have a guest speaker.

Directors Reports

Secretary Leigh spoke of the upcoming Caravan and Outdoor Expo on 1st, 2nd and 3rd February which we will be catering for. It is hoped to get 10,000 people to the event so we should be kept quite busy over the three days.

We will also be manning the two entry gates in two shifts ie: 9.00am to 1.00pm and 1.00pm to 5.00pm.

Leigh also expressed his and Judy's gratitude and thanks to everyone for their support and assistance during his recent serious illness.

Rotarian Gwen shared with us that screening by our guest last week, Ibrahim Jatau Abubakar, picked up atrial fibrillation in her test and on visiting her GP and having an ECG it was confirmed. She is now on medication and considers herself very lucky as she was previously symptom free.

Rotarian Marie is going well with the Christmas Boxes for the Elderly and is looking at being able to deliver them on the 18th or 19th of December.

President Graeme reported that his mother-in-law Marie was most grateful for the help she received from Club members in her recent house move and has kindly donated \$100 to the Club in appreciation.

Dates to Remember...

10 December - Club Christmas Function
8 January 2019 - BBQ Larry & Henny Goftons
12th January - President's Barbecue
1,2,3 February - Caravan and Outdoor Expo Catering
03 March 2019 - Soggy Bottom Regatta

Bunnings Barbecue Dates

January - Friday 4th & Saturday 12th (KM)
January - Tuesday 15th & Friday 25th (North)
February - Friday 1st & Saturday 9th (KM)
February - Tuesday 12th (North)
March - Friday 1st & Saturday 9th (KM)
March - Monday 11th (North)
Some of these dates will be offered to Punchbowl Community Garden and Men's Shed members for their fundraising.

Rotarian Liz shared photos of her recent plane trip to Antarctica. This trip has been on her bucket list for some years.

The special 747 aircraft took 4 hours to fly down and then 4 hours and several figures of eight by the pilot gave all on board a chance to share the magnificent scenery before returning.



Rotarian Liz reported that the final Youth Exchange camp was held at Camp Banksia, Port Sorell last weekend. Our Rotary Exchange student for 2019, Shontae Salzman, was given her official green Rotary Youth Exchange blazer by DG Ross Carlyle.

We hope to see her before she leaves so we can enjoy the PowerPoint presentation that she will give to her hosting Club in Japan.

We wish her well for her year in Japan and hope that she will be able to achieve all that she would like to with language and her cultural exchange.



The Rotary Youth Exchange Program (YEP) is for young people aged between 15 and 18 yrs. They spend up to 12 months living and studying overseas. During the exchange they learn about themselves, the culture of their adopted host families and the diversity of the host country. They become more confident, mature and independent.

Rotary Club of Youngtown - Office Bearers 2018-2019

President:	GRAEME DEAN	Vice-President:	
President Elect:	CHRIS WESTLAKE	Im Past President:	TAS RAINBOW
Secretary:	LEIGH ILES	Treasurer:	GEORGE MANIFOLD
Assist Secretary:	BERNIE MORGAN	Assist Treasurer:	VIV RAINBOW

Community Service:	Director:	Ian Smith Marie Bird, Bernie Morgan, Jan Beams
New Generations:	Director:	Brett Williams Henry Trevena, Gwen Nicholson, Jim Stewart
Vocational Service:	Director:	Leigh Dyson Dennis Turner, Craig Corsetti, Nettie Buckley
International Service:	Director:	Chris Ryan Liz Bulman, Ted Burton, Dave Morrison
Club Service:	Director:	Kevin Marnell Chris Westlake, Maurice and Judy Kingston, Viv Rainbow.
Agfest Committee:		Ian Smith (Chair), Leigh Iles, Paul Beams, Ted Burton, Chris Westlake and George Manifold.
Disaster Aid Australia		Ted Burton (Chair), Chris Westlake and Leigh Iles.
Bunnings BBQ's		Ted Burton
"Soggy Bottom" Regatta		Ian Smith (Chair)
Membership		Ian Smith
Men's Shed		Chris Westlake
Program		Theresa Dean
Bulletin		Judy Kingston, Viv Rainbow
Web Administrator		Brett Williams
Classification & History		Bernie Morgan
Family of Rotary		Liz Bulman
Spurr Wing Inc:		Ian Smith
Rotary Punchbowl Community Garden		John Heazlewood
Public Officer		Leigh Iles
Bowel Scan:		Gwen Nicholson

GRACE: For good food, good fellowship and the opportunity of service through Rotary, we give thanks - *Amen*

Birthdays and Anniversaries - December 2018



Birthdays

4th Ian Smith
9th Jeanette Ryan
31st Judy Iles
31st Jane Thomson

Anniversaries

Matthew & Jane Thomson



Rotary Club of Youngtown Board 2019-2020

President Chris Westlake
President Elect Viv Rainbow
President Nominee Liz Bulman
Secretary Leigh Iles
Assistant Secretary Bernie Morgan
Treasurer George Manifold
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Directors:

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ROTARY CORNER

Our next acronym is RYDA.
This stands for Rotary Youth Driver Awareness.

Our Club took part in this on the 29th October at Symmons Plains.

It is a community road safety initiative delivering practical road safety information and is directed towards year 10 students who will soon be driving, or a passenger in a car driven by one of their peers.

The program focuses on attitude and awareness with the aim of making students better people on the roads.

Presenters include Rotarians, Road Safety experts, driving instructors, Police, drug and alcohol educators and, importantly, recovering road crash survivors.

This program is delivered across the entire state.

MEETING PROGRAM 2018-2019

	Visits to other venues		Partners Nights
	Club Assembly or Board Meeting		Joint Meetings

Raffle Winner - Marie Bird again

Date	Chairperson	Guest Speaker	Subject	Sergeant & Thanks	Corporal	Attendance	Substitute
10/12/18	T Burton	CHRISTMAS FUNCTION (Dinner 6.30pm)		H Trevena	L Iles	V Rainbow	G Nicholson
17/12/18	T Rainbow	Cocktail party (finger food etc.) and bar open		Chris W	L Bulman	B Williams	B Morgan
8/1/2019 Tuesday	G Dean	BBQ at Larry and Henny Gofons, Scottsdale					
12/1/19 Saturday		President's Barbecue 12.00pm. 11 Summit Drive		Devon Hills			
14/1/19	B Williams	Club Vision Session Results	TBC	M Kingston	M Bird	J Kingston	L Dyson
21/1/19	V Rainbow	Vanessa Mitchell	Café Next Door at KM	L Bulman	T Burton	H Trevena	K Marnell
		Board Meeting					
28/1/19		No Meeting	Australia Day Holiday				
4/2/19	G Nicholson	Hillwood Berry Farm	TBC	L Iles	I Smith	T Rainbow	V Rainbow
11/2/19	I Smith	Leonie Williams	Senior Helpers	Chris W	J Kingston	C Ryan	G Manifold
18/2/19	L Iles	Board Meeting		V Rainbow	D Turner	M Kingston	H Trevena
25/2/19	J Beams	McKay Timber	TBC	B Morgan	K Marnell	Chris W	T Burton