

# Rotary Club of Youngtown Weekly Bulletin



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Soggy Bottom Regatta Website: [www.soggybottomregatta.org](http://www.soggybottomregatta.org)

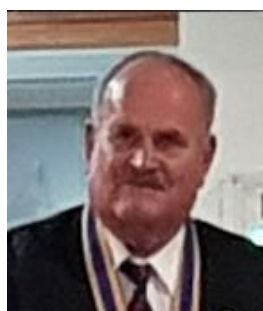


Meetings - Mondays at 5:45pm for 6:15pm start at the  
Launceston Golf Club, Opossum Road, KINGS MEADOWS on 6344 1154

**Meal cancellations to Secretary Leigh Iles by 10.00am Friday on 6343 5596**

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| RI President:<br><b>Barry Rassin</b>                                                                                       | District Governor (9830)<br><b>Ross Carlyle</b>                                                                                   | District Governor-Elect (9830)<br><b>Michael Cooke</b>                                                                     | Assistant Governor (Group 4)<br><b>Brett Williams</b> |

## Graeme's Gossip...



President Graeme welcomed all members to the first regular meeting for 2019.

He also thanked Rotarians Viv and Tas Rainbow for holding the annual President's barbecue at their house on Saturday 12th January. It was a lovely day with good weather and great

company, and of course fantastic food as always, provided by club members and partners.

## Directors Reports

Community Service Director Ian Smith advised that he has purchased a 3 phase power cord for the Club. Also the Caravan and Outdoor Expo plans and work rosters are being finalised and will be available soon. The Soggy Bottom Cardboard Boat Race plans are coming along with sponsorship and participants now being sought.

The Spurr Wing annual barbecue will be held on Thursday 14th February.

Treasurer George Manifold also advised that the Soggy Bottom website has been revised for this year and encouraged us to take time to visit the site at [www.soggybottomregatta.org](http://www.soggybottomregatta.org)

Vocational Service Director Leigh Dyson told members that the load of hay to Yass in NSW, that we are donating transport costs for, will be shipped in the next couple of weeks when TT Line has space.

Also the vocational visit to the Hillwood Berry Farm on the 4th February with a barbecue to follow should be very interesting. More details to follow in next weeks bulletin.

## Dates to Remember....

1,2,3 February - Caravan and Outdoor Expo catering

14th February - Spurr Wing Barbecue

03 March 2019 - Soggy Bottom Boat Regatta

2,3,4 May 2019 - AGFEST

## Bunnings Barbecue Dates

January - Friday 25th (North)

February - Friday 1st & Saturday 9th (KM)

February - Tuesday 12th (North)

March - Friday 1st & Saturday 9th (KM)

Rotary Youth Programs and Dates have been Published for 2019 and beyond.

A lot of these happen around April to May.

They include:

Tasmanian Youth Science Forum (TYSF) held on 15th to 17th April at UTAS.

Model United Nations Assembly (MUNA) on 18th and 19th May in Deloraine.

Rotary Youth Program of Enrichment (RYPEN) is held 17th to 19th May for the north.

Science and Engineering Challenge - Launceston on 23rd-24th May conducted by UTAS.

Details of all of the above events are further explained in your District Directory from page 37.



**Our Club Vision** session results were presented by AG Brett Williams at Monday 14th meeting.

These provoked a lot of discussion with some excellent ideas being put forward. It was felt that we needed to devote more time to suggesting ideas and solutions to the following points:

Club size - all members

1. Membership
2. Club Administration/Leadership
3. Avenues of Service
4. Club Fundraising
5. Rotary Foundation and Club Foundation
6. Public Image and Awareness

In light of this we will have a further meeting devoted to it on Monday 4th March, so if you wish to have a say in the future direction of the Club please set the date aside.



## Rotary Club of Youngtown - Office Bearers 2018-2019

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

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

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

