

The Western Port Channel Rotary Club of Hastings Western Port



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Details soon



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Hi all

When we last met we had a meeting dedicated to the upcoming 3rd Charity Golf Day on Wednesday the 11th March, and a decision was made to proceed with the event, it was a beautiful autumn day, and all went very well. On Mike's return from a short break we will hear a run down for the day and it looks like we have made a profit, excellent news for all the hard work the committee put in.

As a wind up for the day, a sponsor's breakfast will be organized, it would be great to see some members attend; I will let members know once we have the final details.

Mock interviews are at Westernport Secondary this week, if available, please see Bill, there were still some vacancies.

Anyone with some spare time I am sure Bill would also appreciate some assistance with the Bowel Scan program.

Also, the market is looming this Saturday, so our roster will be finalized on Monday night.

I hope you have had a good week,

Apologies to secretary@rotaryhastings.org.au

**This newsletter where possible does not use
acronyms! Lets RRA!
(Reduce Rotary Acroynms)**

**Become a member of RAAUIE.
Rotarians against acronyms unite in effort.
LOL**



Important Dates:



Rotary leadership Institute

The Rotary Leadership Institute

is a multi-district, grass-roots leadership development program of member districts organized into regional divisions in various parts of the world.

Rotary Leadership Institute is not an official program of Rotary International and is not under its control.

Rotary Leadership Institute seeks to have Rotary Clubs in its member districts identify those Rotarians who appear to have the potential for future club leadership (not necessarily as club presidents) and provide those so identified with a quality education in Rotary knowledge and leadership skills so important in voluntary organizations.

While at Multi Districts President Elect Training a session was held on learning leadership skills that will not only help in Rotary but also in day to day life.

A Message from Merv Williams (district governor elect)

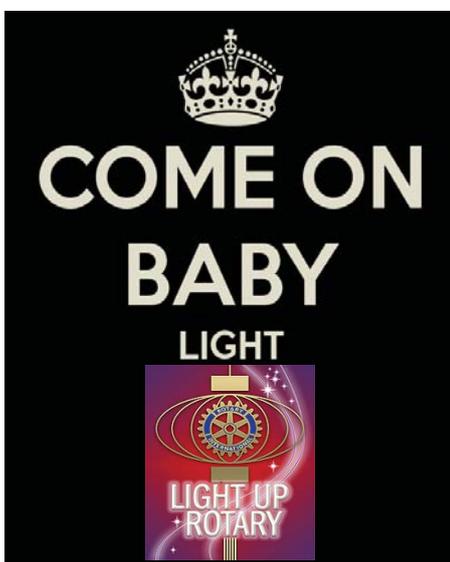


The Rotary Leadership Institute program is designed for those members identified within the club as current and future leaders. I am sure that each club has leaders worthy to be given an opportunity to learn about Rotary.

Mark, I invite you to liaise with your current President to –

- Identify at least two (2) members within your club who would benefit from attending Rotary Leadership Institute,
- Ask the potential applicant/s of their interest and availability in attending
- Then nominate them to attend one of the two locations using the attached registration form.

Apart from the learning impact on the club member there is opportunity for the continued growth of the club through enthusiastic membership.



Mock Interviews Western Port Secondary College Happening in March



**This is an audition for your career.
Make sure you know your lines.**

Our Year Panel Mock Job Interviews are fast approaching for our year 10 cohort, we will be hosting our interviews on:-

Wednesday, 18th March 8.40am arrival for an 8.50am start until 12.10pm - (morning tea will be held from 10.50 to 11.10am).

Thursday, 19th March – 8.40am arrival for an 8.50am start until 11:10pm - (morning tea will be held from 10.50 to 11.10am).

The students will be researching a position for their work experience placement and this will be the focus of the application letter and discussions.

We have 110 students to interview and we would like to allocate 20 minutes per student to make the interview a valuable experience.

Once again we value the ongoing support of the Hastings Rotarians and look forward to hearing from you with regards to volunteers dates and times.



Watch Huang's membership
message

<http://vimeo.com/102266910>



District 9820 News

District Governor: Charlie Speirs
2014 - 15



Foundation Grants

Local Grants

After another Rotary meeting full of acronyms, DDF, RIGF, GSE, VTT, MOU etc, we sat and listened to Paul Harvey explaining how Rotary Local Grants work, then we listened to Tony Spring explaining how to access Rotary Global Grants.

In a nut shell, local grants are in place for local community projects that will provide a direct benefit for local people.

How is fund distributed?

A local community project need to be identified, the club then needs to complete the district's memorandum of understanding (MOU), submit a grant application, once the application is approved the project gets underway, at the end of the project the club submits a report, receipts and photos. District will the make available the funds that we promised.

Grants up to \$2000.00 are available. If a project is approved to the value of \$3000.00, district will pay \$1500.00. ie projects are a 50/50 split

There are guidelines on how to apply for grants, these include what can and cannot be classified as a project, dates for when applications must be submitted and completion of the MOU.

Global Grants

Global grants are available and these start at \$30,000.00 and can go up to \$200,000.00. There are many ways that project can be approached, however at the end of the day there is a process that needs to be followed with many check and balances along the way.

A global grant can be done by the district, single club or a number of clubs.

A global grant needs to be sustainable, measurable goals, align with the 6 areas of focus, respond to local needs, actively involves Rotarians and community and meet eligibility criteria.

Although the process can be long, it is all done online through myRotary.

All grants local and global all require a MOU to be completed, application, approval given, report on completion.

District Events

Ride to Conference Tour
Mar 22, 2015 – Mar 26, 2015

Rotary Leadership Institute session
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Lakeside Lutheran College
Mar 22, 2015
9:30 AM – 3:00 PM

9820 District Conference Sheppar-
ton
Mar 27, 2015 – Mar 29, 2015
District Conference, Shepparton
2015 Online Registration Link

Mar 27, 2015 – Mar 29, 2015
APRIL is ROTARY MAGAZINE
MONTH

Apr 01, 2015 – Apr 30, 2015
Tarra Festival Art Show RC Yarram
Apr 03, 2015 – Apr 06, 2015
EASTER

Apr 03, 2015 – Apr 06, 2015
GSE (D2430 Turkey) Farewell Din-
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Apr 04, 2015
GSE (D2430 Turkey) Farewell de-
part for home

Apr 04, 2015
GSE (D9820 Australia) Farewell
Dinner
Apr 04, 2015



A message from Merv Williams DG Elect 2015-2016

For your Diary

Saturday, April 18 -
District President Elect Training Seminar

Sunday, April 19 –
District Assembly – For all club Presidents, Presidents
Elect, Directors & members.

Full details of these district events will be circulated
closer to the day.

St John of God Berwick Hospital Day Oncology Centre Fund-raiser

Looking for people to frock up (or see me in a KILT)
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I am writing to let you know that the Rotary Club of Berwick
and the St John of God Berwick Hospital are conducting a
Charity Gala Ball on Friday, May 22nd 2015; at The Grand,
90 Cathies Lane, Wantirna South

This is a fund raising event with proceeds donated to the
new St John of God Berwick Hospital Day Oncology Centre
at Kangan Drive, Berwick.

The event will commence with pre-dinner drinks and cana-
pes served from 7pm – entertainment until midnight. Silent
Auction, Raffles and Spot Prizes. (Dress: Black Tie/After 5).

Are you registered?

Visit the New Conference Website!



Speakers

Accommodation

Rotary on the move July 2014

Have a look at the latest Rotary on the Move newsletter

"NEW CLUB BREAKS THE MOULD" Australia's newest eClub is definitely different!



For more information: info@rotaryhastings.org.au



WOTS GOIN ON?

Sun 12 April	Gala Garden Party
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Fri 22 May	Gala Ball - St John of God Oncology

Rotary



**Come Join us in
Shepparton 2015**

for the 57th District Conference
MARCH 27th - 29th

REGISTER NOW!

Conference Newsletter July 2014
Ride to Conference Registration
Form

Useful Links

<https://www.rotary.org/>
<https://www.rotary.org/myrotary/en/rotary-foundation>
<https://www.rotary.org/myrotary/en>
<http://district9820.org/>
<http://www.rotaryaustralia.org.au/>
<https://www.rotary.org/en/give/>

The Rotary Four Way Test Of the things we do....

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



Rotary Grace

For Good Food, Good Fellowship,
and the opportunity to serve
through Rotary. We give
thanks.

Amen

HAPPY CLAP