

Date	15th August	22nd August	29th August	5th Sept
Speaker	Our very own Sean Kain	Our Great Debaters	Alan Lily, Caulfield General Medical Centre	Les Twentymen
Topic	6 weeks in the Merde	This generation has gone too far	Mobility Garden	Victorian of the Year
Chair	Jacques Süßmann	Bev Fookes	Jan Hill	PP John Leske
Toast to Australia	PP David Nettelbeck	PP John Strong	PP Geoff Asher	PP Kurt Langfelder
Toast to Club	Veronika Martens	Sue Aarons	Marian Dimand	Jan Hill
Job Talk	New Generations Report	PP Geoff Asher	International Committee Report	Youth of the Year Award
Cashier \$\$\$	Sam Binstock	PP Max Sherlock	Sue Aarons	Sue Nolle
Other meetings	Board		Vocational	<b>PARTNER'S NIGHT</b>

Trivia Night coming soon on Saturday 14th October. Mark your diaries now!

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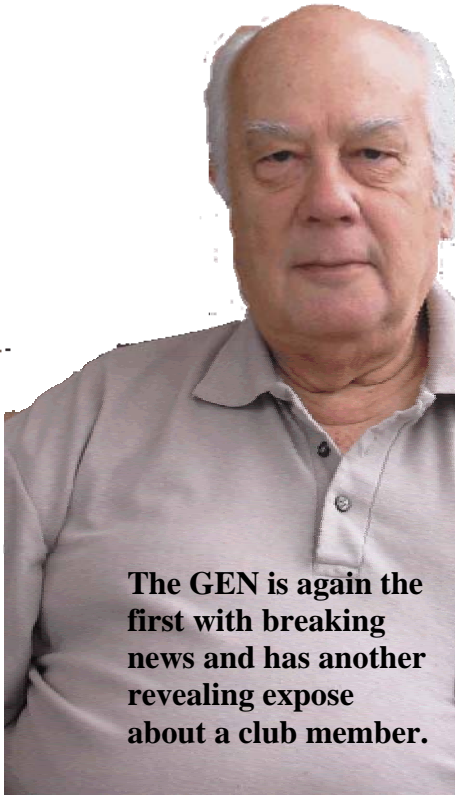
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**THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK**

Isn't making a smoking section in a restaurant like making a peeing section in a swimming pool?



# Out of the closet

Süßmann's Wardrobe Malfunction

The GEN is again the first with breaking news and has another revealing expose about a club member.

**EXCLUSIVE**

Paul Harris Fellow and current International Services Director Jacques Süßmann thought it was time to open up to the GEN. "Yes, I can confirm I have come out of the closet!"

**INSIDE:**  
Sam Binstock exposed!

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Absent next week or bringing guests? Call John Leske on 9528 4355 before 12pm Tuesday for catering purposes.

Süßmann recently purchased a new wardrobe from IKEA and was locked up inside for several minutes. Fortunately after some groping around, Süßmann found the right knob and let himself out.

## EDITOR'S CORNER

E-mail articles, photos, information to the editor at [adrian@nelsonbros.com.au](mailto:adrian@nelsonbros.com.au).  
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Editorial. Our tabloid scandals continue in a week when eight members of our club ventured to Glen Eira College to assist with mock job interviews. We expose a breaking scandal involving Jacques Süssmann, only a week after he told us in his job talk about his translation skills with 5 Cameroon athletes seeking asylum. Marian Dimand showed some excitement over the bike seat of our guest speaker Stephen Hart from Gran Prix Cycles, whilst President Larry wore his Stack Hat™ to the meeting. This week our club's very own Sean Kain reports on his travels in France. Ooh-la-la!

## Glen Eira College Interviews



On Thursday 10th August, eight intrepid Rotarians led by Vocational Director Ian Marks went to Glen Eira College to assist with mock job interviews for the students.

This new initiative provides students with an opportunity to build necessary skills for when they apply for their first jobs. Careers Advisor at the school, Elizabeth Allen was very excited by the initiative and hopes to expand it to lower year levels.

The Rotarians involved were Marian Dimand, Geoff Asher,

Sam Binstock, Sue Nolle, Adrian Nelson, John Leske, David Nettelbeck and Ian Marks. All agreed it was a great thing to do. Hopefully when we do more, other club members can get involved.



## The Almoner

*From PDG Alana Bergh, D5010*

Today's Australian Rotarians call it the Almoner, and our International Presidents talk about the Family of Rotary. Whatever we call it, we need a working mechanism for truly taking care of our people if they are to be long term members of a club. When we talk about family, caring and being together is not an option, it is a given. When you are part of a family, you don't just "wander away" with nobody noticing. You can't be sick without someone calling to check on you, and you can't be in pain due to loss of a spouse, job or hope. It's hard to believe that retention of members in our clubs would be a problem, if each and every member were truly treated as family.



Our Club's Almoner: Eva Kalinski

## September Partner Night moved!

Next month is New Generations month and on **Tuesday 5th September** we celebrate all of our club's New Generations initiatives.

*Please remember to bring an extra partner for Sergeant David Heuberger on the night*

second Tuesday.

These include special guest speaker, Victorian of the Year, Les Twentyman, the presentation of our annual Youth of the Year Award, and celebrations

As a result, in September our Partner's Night will be on the first Tuesday rather than the normal

of our other youth projects, including the new Interact Club at Glen Eira College.

## Behind the member: Sam Binstock

### *In the Kitchen*

**Most cooked dish:** BBQ/Chops

**Most used appliance:** Frypan/Wok

**Greatest accomplishment:** not burning the salad

### *At Home*

**How I unwind:** Listening to music

**Currently reading:** Groucho Marx Memoirs

**Favourite film:** Shawshank Redemption

**Favourite song:** You're getting to be a habit with me (Frank Sinatra)

**Favourite form of exercise:** Walking

**If I was an animal, I would be:** a panda



This is not Sam Binstock