



The weeks ahead, get quacking...

**TIN RATTLING : Saturday 1 September 2007
Caulfield Racecourse (about 11am -1pm & 3-5pm)**

	Aug 14	Aug 21	Aug 28	Sept 4
Speaker	Errol Rink Our Business of the Year	Barry Norman Snowy Mountain Engineering	Johannes Kemmer Fmr Exchange Student	Paul Zaidman and Partner
Topic	Toys Toys Toys	Carbon Trading Water in Australia	Our very special family member	Dancing With the Stars
Chair	Ian Marks	John Strong	Geoff Asher	Marian Dimand
Toast to Club	Berndt Nolle	Rob O'Donnell	Geoff Oscar	Robert Alford
Toast to Australia	Geoff Asher	Ros Michelson	Jack Dimand	Max Sherlock
Job Talk	John Leske Vocation	Adrian Nelson Website BOARD MEETING	Ros Michelson New Generations	PARTNERS' NIGHT Kick off your shoes
Cashier	Ros Michelson	Marilyn Faiman	Keith Faiman	Jack Dimand

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Rotary Club of Glen Eira

14th August, 2007 - Week 7

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Meets at: London Tavern, 414 Hawthorn Road, Caulfield 6.45pm



**"Rotary Does Good in
the World."**

TONIGHT: Our Business of the Year 2007: Errol Rink



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12pm Tuesday*

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Education:

FOUNDATION

Dollar for
Dollar
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Join up with
Clubs around
the World

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Foundation
created in 1917

Adrian Nelson:
our Club's
Foundation
person

Foundation
does "Good In
the World"



FOUNDATION: A Real example...

Bringing Clean Water and Hope for a Better Future: A recent Foundation Matching Grant allowed Rotarians in India to provide 36 hand wells to rural villages in Andhra Pradesh state where there is a severe shortage of water. Access to clean water will improve the quality of life for those living in these villages by helping to prevent disease and alleviate poverty. In partnership, the Rotary clubs of Vinukonda Central, India, and Castle Hill, Australia, have not only brought safe drinking water to these communities but improved health and hope for a better future as well. Every Rotarian, every project, and every contribution makes a difference every year. **Rotary Shares** as it does good in the World!



CINDERELLA: The problems of Cinderella are more than those nasty sisters. If at midnight she turned back to her original state, then why was a glass slipper left behind? Shouldn't it have been an **old** slipper or shoe? The version written by Charles Perrault, has the slipper as glass. There are many versions of this story with differing materials being used for the tale. The Grimm brothers have a golden slipper. Still the vexed question at midnight remains? (Left) Gustave Dore's illustration of *Cendrillon*.

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TOYS, TOYS, TOYS



A **toy** is an object used in play. Toys are usually associated with children and pets, but it is not unusual for adults and some non-domesticated animals to play with toys. Many items are manufactured to serve as toys, but items produced for other purposes can also be used as toys. A child may pick up a household item and 'fly' it around pretending that it is an airplane, or an animal might play with a pinecone by batting at it, chasing it, and throwing it up in the air. Some toys are intended primarily as collector's items and are not to be played with. The origin of toys is prehistoric; dolls representing infants, animals, and soldiers, as well as representations of tools used by adults are readily found at archaeological sites. The origin of the word "toy" is unknown, but it is believed that it was first used in the 14th century. Toys and play in general are an important part of the process of learning about the world and growing up. The young use toys and play to discover their identity, help their bodies grow strong, learn cause and effect, explore relationships, and practice skills they will need as adults. Adults use toys and play to form and strengthen social bonds, teach the young, remember and reinforce lessons from their own youth, exercise their minds and bodies, practice skills they may not use every day, and decorate their living spaces. Toys are more than simple amusement, and they and the way they are used profoundly influence most aspects of life.

FUN ALERT: It's STILL coming!
Dancing With the Stars "Paul Zaidman and Partner"
TUESDAY 4 September 2007. Here at our Club

And now a very special thank you:

FELLOWSHIP:

Ros Michelson, take a bow! A huge thank you for organizing a superb Yum Cha on Sunday 5 August. Two full tables. About 20 members and partners enjoyed wonderful fellowship. Fun was had by all — and our thanks to you Ros. Thank you to all who attended and ensured a successful get together. More fellowship planned.

**Hanging on for Rotary
But this is NOT the Editor (right)!**

