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Rotary Club of Glen Eira—www.rotarygleneira.com.au

Meets at: London Tavern, 414 Hawthorn Road, Caulfield

We Meet at 6.30pm for 6.45pm each Tuesday evening

FELLOWSHIP MONTH

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President Garry takes the helm



President Garry with Past President Jan

It was a fun filled evening last week as the annual presidential change over took place at the London Tavern.

All the members, partners, friends and pets were present to listen to music provided by the local school children.

After the formalities of Rotary Toasts Jan began with going over good times during the year. By week 36 some of the older members were a bit fatigued but stuck with her nonetheless.

Jan then handed out achievement certificates to many members who had either bothered to turn up, bothered to stay away, or were just constantly

bothered. A special surprise was given to Kurt Langfelder and Max Sherlock for 100% attendance when they had spent more time away than at the club. The incoming secretary is going to have to look into RI-Cas and check its memory. :)

Finally it came to Garry Fabians time to become president.

Without much fanfare Garry was called up and the chains of office (more on that later) were placed around his neck.

With a big smile on his face Garry accepted his new role promising no carbon tax under his leadership. He thanked his wonderful wife for allowing his to have this honour and promised to always wear his sailors hat when ever she wanted.



Jan Hill sweeps all before her. Next Goal is to claim 10 Gold at Olympics.



In an emotional evening Jan Hill, who stepped down as president last week was awarded a presidential citation and a Paul Harris Fellow badge..

Jan Hill had worked tirelessly

driving the club toward perfection in everything thing we did. There was even a process document in which the raffle tickets were distributed.

Jan took the news in her stride thanking her team for a great effort promising at least 10 gold at the London Olympics.

But the real surprise came when the new president Garry Fabian called Jan back to the rostrum to be awarded a Paul Harris.

This time Jan needed the help of her friend to give her acceptance speech which was not only gracious but well received.

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Special points of interest:

- If you look carefully President Garry is wearing the Chains of Office.. Of the Sergeant.
- Thank you to the student who fixed the power point presentation.
- Welcome to the new look Gen, new layout and more club stories.



July is Club Fellowship Month	July 12	July 19	July 26	August 2
Speaker	Anshul Vijay	Christmas in July	PP Bronwen Stephens, RC of Melbourne South	Ernie Brigham
Topic	"Postmaster's Observations"		Eyes Wide Open	Probing Probus
Chair	David Heuberger		Jan Hill	Ian Marks
Toast to Club	Sam Binstock	G Oscar	Mark Preston	K Langfelder
Toast to Australia	John Strong	Ian Marks	Jeff Asher	D Panakos
Meeting		Board		
Cashier	Jan Hill	L Blode	J Leske	J Strong



Yoshiko Stynes and Jan Hill. We are going to miss you Yoshiko

Yoshiko Stynes storms out of club amid tears from members

In what could only be described as a larger than life career in Rotary, Yoshiko Stynes has hung up dinner badge and resigned from our club after 10 'Bruddy' great years.

Her resignation has caused great concern as it now leaves Jan Hill and Debbie Panakos as the only females to fly the flag for their gender.

Yoshiko always described herself as a fisherwoman from Swan Hill.

Yoshiko brought to the club, a love for different cultures, particularly Japanese, a love of cooking, particularly Japanese, and a love of alcohol.

I for one am going to miss her smiling face, her beautiful presentation, her jokes and her

zest for life. I will not miss her driving.



Yoshiko Stynes saying good bye—sayonara

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