

21st January 2014

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ROTARY CLUB OF GLEN EIRA



RI President-elect Gary Huang chooses 'Light Up Rotary' as the presidential theme for 2014-15

BURGERS WE ATE

We did it! We ate the most burgers at Grill'd in Elsternwick for the month of December and won \$300 for our club.



Our Rotarians and Friends have answered our call and have eaten the most burgers for the month of December!!

In conjunction with Grill'd Elsternwick and their Local Matters program, our Rotary Club received the most tokens for December and have won \$300. For every burger sold at Grill'd, the purchaser received a token to place in one of three jars. Our jar featured the most tokens.

We thank all of our Rotarians and friends who made this great sacrifice to eat all these burgers just for us!

UPCOMING EVENTS

JANUARY IS ROTARY AWARENESS MONTH

- Tuesday 21st January**
Guest speaker Mark Windsor
Board Meeting
- Tuesday 28th January**
Guest speaker Kim Ross

FEBRUARY IS WORLD UNDERSTANDING MONTH

- Saturday 1st February**
Fundraising Sausage Sizzle
- Tuesday 4th February**
School Program Project
- Tuesday 11th February**
Weekly Meeting
- Tuesday 18th February**
Guest speaker
Mr Myazoe of the Japanese School
Board Meeting
- Sunday 23rd February**
Birthday of Rotary International
- Tuesday 25th February**
Oakleigh SES
or GSE Welcome at Brighton Beach

MARCH IS WORLD LITERACY MONTH

- Tuesday 4th March**
Guest speaker Luz Restrepo

Welcome back to Rotary 2014!



DATE	GUEST SPEAKER	CASHIER	TOAST TO AUSTRALIA	TOAST TO OUR CLUB	CHAIRMAN
21st January	Guest Speaker Mark Windsor From Rowboats to Ocean Liners	Keith Faiman	John Leske	Geoff Asher	John Leske
28th January	Guest speaker Kim Ross Strategic Planning	Joan Luscak	Jan Hill	Marian Lau	Basil Ornellas
4th Feburary	Guest speaker School Program Project	Sam Binstock	Basil Ornellas	Max Sherlock	John Strong

WHAT'S HAPPENING AROUND OUR CLUB?

JANUARY IS ROTARY AWARENESS MONTH

Program Chair

We are looking to find a Program Chair to organise our weekly meeting schedule. Contact President Alan if you are interested.

District Training Seminars

Rotary District 9800 has introduced two new training seminars - one for new members and the other for future club leaders. They are both to be held in Gradudate House in Carlton. Contact President Alan if you are interested.

Upcoming BBQs

Our next BBQ at Woolworth Prahra is on Saturday 1st February 2014.

Woolworths has established a new community BBQ policy Australia-wide which we are still coming to grips with. The most obvious change is the pricing structure of our delicious sausages in bread. Please volunteer and help us on these BBQ days once a month.

GSE Welcome Dinner

The Group Study Exchange team this year is visiting from the Mannheim area of Germany. They arrive next month.

The Welcome Dinner is being held on Tuesday 25th February at Milano's Hotel in Brighton. The event is being hosted by our cluster's Rotary Club of Brighton Beach. We will gather interest at tonight's meeting whether we will cancel our weekly meeting that night to join the GSE Welcome.

ROTARY PROJECT OF THE WEEK

Women in Rotary

The Rotary Club of Southbank identified International Women's Day as a perfect day to hold their annual Women in Rotary Breakfast at Crown Palladium. Last year, over 1000 people attended. This year's event is to be held on Tuesday 4th March.



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Letter to the Editor

from Past President Larry Blode

As a follow up Geoff Asher would like to apologise to all those Tech Heads that have given him grief. All it took was one Rotarian to bring back all his years of hard work back to his outlook.

Best regards, Larry

Editor's note: Larry Blode is not an Essendon supporter.



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