

1st April 2014

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ROTARY
CLUB OF
GLEN EIRA

World's Biggest Sausage Sizzle to
celebrate joining of Rotary and Lions.



ROTARY & LIONS UNITE IN 2016

The Rotary Council of Legislation and the Lions International Board of Directors have announced the two organisations will merge in 2016 to become Rotary Lions

As of 1st April 2016, Lions Rotary International will become the world's largest service organisation with over 2.7 million members globally.

The announcement was made in Cape Town, South Africa as the Rotary Club of Cape Town South and the Lions Club of the Cape of Good Hope broke the World Record for the biggest ever sausage sizzle to signify the joining of the two bodies.



Over 1 million sausages were eaten at the BBQ, sponsored by Woolworths South Africa.

The announcement was made in Cape Town, South Africa, as the first world President of Rotary Lions International will be Hansie de Villiers, a member of both the Rotary Club of Cape Town South and the Lions Club of the Cape of Good Hope. He is also the first person to be a District Governor of both his Rotary and Lions District.

Hansie manages the Rotary Wild Game Park in southern Africa, which currently has over 100 lions in captivity.

The new organisation will be promoted using the theme "Hear the mighty roar", with its new logo (see left). Rotary Clubs around the world have been encouraged to have joint sausage sizzles with their neighbouring Lions Clubs to celebrate the union.

UPCOMING EVENTS

APRIL IS MAGAZINE MONTH

Tuesday 1st April

Guest speaker Maria Groner

Sunday 6th April

Annual Club Yum Cha Church Service

St Silas Anglican Church, Albert Park

Tuesday 8th April

Guest speaker Don Garden

Tuesday 15th April

First day of Pesach - no meeting

Tuesday 22nd April

Guest speaker Erik Zimmerman

Friday 24th April

ANZAC Service at Caulfield Hospital

Saturday 26th April

Fundraising Sausage Sizzle at

Woolworths Glen Huntly

Sunday 27th April

Pack Mother's Day Hampers

Tuesday 29th April

Guest speaker Danny Elbaum

MAY IS AUSTRALIAN ROTARY

HEALTH MONTH

Tuesday 6th May

Guest speaker Suzi Bamford

Tuesday 13th May

Guest speaker Tom Hartley

Mercy Ships

HEAR THE MIGHTY ROAR!!



DATE	GUEST SPEAKER	CASHIER	TOAST TO AUSTRALIA	TOAST TO OUR CLUB	CHAIRMAN
1st April	Guest speaker Maria Groner "Travellers Aid"	Keith Faiman	John Strong	Joan Luscak	Geoff Sussmann
8th April	Guest speaker Don Garden "Royal Historical Society of Victoria"	Garry Fabian	Max Sherlock	John Leske	Adrian Nelson
15th April	1st Day of Pesach No Meeting				

WHAT'S HAPPENING AROUND OUR CLUB?

MARCH IS WORLD LITERACY MONTH

Yum Cha & Church

Don't forget this Sunday at St Silas Anglican Church in Albert Park. With daylight savings finishing, you'll get an extra hour sleep in. To book for lunch, please contact Jan Hill.

Baby Clothes Collection

Our collection of baby clothes for mothers in East Timor is well under way. We have flyers available to be posted at your local kindergarten, church, supermarket or bulletin board. Please contact Adrian Nelson if you would like some more flyers. This initiative has a very real impact on new mums in Timor Leste.

BBQ at Woolworths Glen Huntly

On Saturday 26th April, our fundraising BBQs are more local, at Woolworths in Glen Huntly Village. If you are able to help, please contact President Alan. We are hoping that these BBQs will increase our local presence and enable us to interact better with the local community.

ANZAC Service

Our club has been invited by Caulfield Hospital to participate in this year's ANZAC Service at Caulfield Hospital on Thursday 24th April at 2pm. It will be held at the Memorial Stone on the Kooyong Road side of the hospital. If you can attend, please let President Alan know.

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Entertainment Books

It won't be long until John Strong will be asking how many Entertainment Books you'd like to purchase to help raise funds for our club. Now's a good time to start reminding your friends.

ROTARY PROJECT OF THE WEEK

Rotary First Harvest

Working in cooperation with growers and processors, Rotary First Harvest, a program of Rotary District 5030 (Washington, USA) gathers more than 9 million pods of fresh produce each year that otherwise would be wasted and helps deliver it to local food banks.



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Special April 1st Issue

Editor's Note: I hope you have enjoyed this special April 1st Issue. The information on page 2 is a bit more accurate than that on page 1.



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