

The Mordialloc Bulletin

News and Views of the Rotary Club of Mordialloc

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Club meets at Mordialloc Sporting Club
528 Main Road Mordialloc (Cnr. Epsom Rd)
Tuesday 6.00 pm for 6.30 pm

Meeting 1991
16 October
2012

THIS WEEK'S MEETING

Speaker: Carole Quayle
Topic: Rotarian behind the badge
Chairman: Helene Rogers
Duty Desk: Evan Johnson, Russ Hellier
Regalia: Rob Goode, Len Dawson
Fellowship: Brian Foley
Bulletin notes: Tim Fitton

Office Bearers 2012-13

President: Glenyse Guinan
Secretary: Brian Schauer
Treasurer: Malcolm Finlayson
District Governor: Brian Martin
Assistant Governor: Peter Murie

Message from President Glenyse Guinan

Hi Fellow Rotarians

It has been a really interesting week with a great guest speaker David Parkin last week, a visit to the Synchrotron on Sunday and, at district level, a farewell to the GSE team on their way to Malaysia.

David Parkin was full of energy and a very dynamic speaker. His is a very passionate man with a great love for life, not just with football, and also with his personal fight against prostate cancer. David believes in a healthy life balance and the development of his men outside of football. I particularly liked the story of how he handled the precocious Brendan Fevola as a seventeen year-old by giving him an ultimatum that if he wanted to play in the firsts he must remain in school. What a privilege it was to have David speak at our club and I would especially like to thank Catherine Harris for making this possible.

I must also thank Leon and Jo Quinn for organising the trip to the Synchrotron on Sunday. It was fascinating and the scientists managed to explain very sophisticated concepts into language that was comprehensible and highlighted just how far science has progressed. I was amazed at the range of disciplines that can be advanced through the technology from chemistry, medical research through to sport and art.

A warning though, I hope all members who came along took notes as the sergeant is preparing a test.

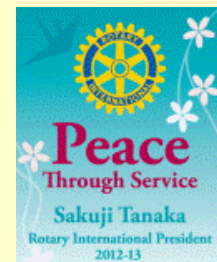
On Tuesday evening we will induct Jo Quinn into the club. Jo has been very active around the club and it will be a delight to have her as a Rotarian. Carol Quayle will speak about her life. I always enjoy members behind the badge nights and I am sure Carol will continue the tradition. Carol is in charge of social workers at Dandenong Hospital and still has time to be a very committed and hard-working "gnomologist" and board member of the club.

Hope to see you all on Tuesday. If you cannot make the meeting please contact Len Dawson by Tuesday morning. A reminder for Board members, that we have a meeting on Wednesday.

Glenyse



RI Founder Paul Harris



RI theme 2012-13

Last week's Meeting No 1990, 9 October at Mordialloc Sporting Club

Attendance: 27 members, 1 visiting Rotarian, 19 guests

Visiting Rotarian: Len Brear (Nunawading)

Guests: David Parkin (guest speaker) plus 18 partners and friends

Apologies: Maureen McDonald, John Hoffmann, Helen Rogers, David Brunt, Malcolm Finlayson

Make-Up: Keith Carpenter (Braeside)

Travellers: Clem reported again that Jack Pyziakos is still walking in Spain and has now covered 200km.

President's announcements

President *Glenyse Guinan* opened the meeting, welcomed the guest speaker and large number of guests and gave reminders for the following events:

- The farewell dinner for this year's Group Study Exchange team visiting Malaysia on Friday 12 October.
- The Synchrotron visit on Sunday 14 October.

John Fowler chaired the remainder of the meeting

Director and member announcements

Jo Quinn, on behalf of Leon, gave final details for the Synchrotron visit.

Carole Quayle called a community service committee meeting for this week (16/10).

Jeff Needham is coordinating members available to help with car parking at the Australian Masters Golf championship at Kingston Heath GC from 12 to 18 November. Assistance is needed for half or a whole day on these days. Jeff has sent further details to members by email. Please reply to Jeff if you can help.

Tim Fitton is still seeking sponsors for the bike ride he is undertaking next week to support cancer research. Donations can be made on the *Ride to Conquer Cancer* website:
<http://www.conquercancer.org.au>
or by contacting Tim direct.

A club Certificate of Appreciation was presented to Mike Woods for generous and continuing sponsorship of club golf days by Mike's company Sportsmart.

Former member Andy Lee has sent information regarding the Open Garden days at Earmil Gardens in Mount Eliza. The first opening for 2012 was held this past weekend and the second will be on the weekend of 10/11 November.

Sergeant-at-Arms

Sergeant Jack Cooper ran a short, sharp and lucrative session. All "the men" present were fined in response to recent political discussions. Jack continued his regular quiz session sessions – most members worked out the 4th Object of Rotary. Plenty of chocolate frogs were handed around.

Guest Speaker: David Parkin "Football – Then and Now"

David is a well known ex-AFL footballer and coach with over 50 years experience of the game. He played 211 games with Hawthorn from 1961 to 1974. After a short period in WA, he returned to Victoria and had a long coaching career from 1977 to 2000 with Hawthorn, Carlton, Fitzroy and back to Carlton. He is now a football commentator on ABC radio and has a role with the AFL working with coaches. He is also lectures in sports psychology at Deakin University.

As a child, David was a Melbourne supporter and ended up playing with Hawthorn because he was residentially zoned to that club. He attended his first VFL/AFL Grand Final as 7 year-old in 1949 and has been to every one since then.

David appears regularly on the speakers' circuit often combining football and men's health in his talks. He is a survivor of prostate cancer and is passionate about promoting the need for men to look after their health and to have regular checks.

On the theme of football, David made comparisons between the state of the game and the many changes that have come since he commenced in 1961. At that time, Hawthorn had one full-time employee – now the club has nearly 100 staff and other clubs are similar. While the skills of all players are so much better than in the past due to the professional nature of the game, David believes that some aspects of the game are not so good. For example, creativity and individualism of players is now lost as they have to conform to rigid team rules and structures.

The role of the coach has changed dramatically with the large number of assistant coaches and other specialists in many disciplines. The main role of the coach is now managing all these specialists who handle most of the player coaching.

David also believes that many AFL players lead unbalanced lives as they spend so much time training and playing. He strongly supports players undertaking some form of outside work or study and commends Port Adelaide's recent decision to make this mandatory for its players. David also believes that having more balanced lives will help them play better and also prepare them for life after football. He instanced Carlton player of the 1990s, Glenn Manton, the first player to thank him for helping get a balanced life through establishment of a program to assist young offenders.

David Parkin (continued)

In considering the current state of AFL, David says that the game is in very good shape and the recent Sydney - Hawthorn Grand Final would rank as one of the best ever with many "one on one" contests. Although player skills have improved overall, the one area that has not improved in 50 years is the accuracy of kicking for goal.

Recent history suggests that premierships are won by teams that have strong leadership skills and also a well funded football department. All clubs are now encouraging their players to think and play as leaders.

Another very good initiative of the AFL, through Andrew Demetriou, is the conduct of exit interviews for departing coaches. As an ex-coach who had been sacked four times, David thought this would have been a good thing to have happened in his time.

David responded to various questions from the audience covering areas such as video reviews of umpiring decisions, interchanges, scrums and congested play, loss of club loyalties due to player transfers and total professionalism of the game.

Mike Woods proposed the thanks.

Other announcements

APOLOGIES FOR NON-ATTENDANCE

Apologies for absences from the weekly meeting should be directed to Len Dawson on 0438892499 **by 12 noon on the day of the meeting.**

Wheel Chairs for Kids

Please remember to put \$2 in the box on each table each week to go to the "Wheel Chairs for Kids" program. Every \$125 contributed gives one child the freedom of mobility and also liberates a carer.

Rotary Club of Mordialloc

Call for Members of Nominating Committee

A nominating committee is required to nominate suitable members as club officers for 2013 -14. The committee will report to the Annual General Meeting scheduled for 27 November 2012.

The nominating committee consists of the President, President- Elect and two Past Presidents. Nominations are now called for the two positions of Past President and should reach me by 9 November 2012.

Brian Schauer
Secretary

Rotary Club of Mordialloc Annual General Meeting

Date: 27 November 2012

Time: 6.30 pm

Place: Mordialloc Sporting Club

Business:

- Confirmation of minutes of 2011 AGM
- Presentation of financial report for 2011-12
- Receive report of nominating committee and elect club officers for 2013-14
- Other business.

Brian Schauer
Secretary

The Bay Group for Visually Impaired Citizens

The group meets for social activity and lunch on the 2nd and 4th Thursday of each month at Allan McLean Hall, Albert Street, Mordialloc. Meeting dates for 2012 are:

October	25	
November	8	22
December	13	(Christmas luncheon)

The Rotary Club of Mordialloc has supported the Bay Group for many years. Members are invited to come along and assist the group in its activities from 11 am to 3.00 pm on meeting days.

The contact persons are:

Margaret Tye	9583 8929
Dorothy Capper	9585 5773

Special Invitation to Morning Tea

Mentone Primary School is proud to partner with
Rotary Mordialloc

Recently this partnership received an NAB Seed Funding Award to continue the implementation of its Volunteer Intervention Program (VIP).

This creates an exciting opportunity for us and we would like to celebrate with a morning tea. We would be delighted if you could attend and hear more about our partnership.

**Wednesday 17 October, 11:00am
In the Multi Purpose Room**

Enquiries & RSVP: phone Robyn 9583 2295 or
Email: Mentone.ps@edumail.vic.gov.au

NEW EMAIL ADDRESS – Kay Gordon

Kay's new email address is: kay.gordon@gmail.com

Group Study Exchange Home Hosting

Kay Gordon is seeking families to home host members of the incoming GSE team from Malaysia for one week commencing 16 February 2013. Please see Kay for application forms and details.

**ROTARY CLUB of NOBLE PARK ANNUAL CHARITY
GOLF DAY – KEYSBOROUGH GOLF CLUB
Thursday 15 November – 12.30 pm start**

Entry forms will be distributed shortly

Entry fee is \$80 per player (\$70 per player if you sponsor a hole for \$200) and covers green fees and a gourmet BBQ dinner in the Clubhouse after the game. The ladies of Rotary will have sandwiches and drinks available for lunch prior to play.

HOLE SPONSORSHIP is available @\$200 per hole and entitles the SPONSOR to enter a team of 4 players at the reduced rate of \$70 per player. Other benefits include hole signage and the opportunity to display a banner and merchandising products on the day.

Events include:

Best 18 Holes (Stableford) A and B grade
R/Up Best 18 Holes(Stableford) A and B grade
Best 18 Holes Callaway
R/Up Best 18 Holes Callaway
Nearest to pin on 3rd,8th,12th and 15th Holes
Longest Drive Men's and ladies
Straightest Drive

Contact: PP Bruce Hill (mob:0408525003) or
Gary Amott (mob:0413629425)

The Rotary Club of Noble Park

You are invited to:

The District 9810 Rotary Foundation Annual Dinner

Wheeler's Hill International
242 Jells Road Wheeler's Hill Vic 3150 (Mel 71 H 11)
Thursday 22nd November, 2012
Starting 6.30 for 7.00pm start, concluding by 9.00pm

**Guest Speaker - PDG Bruce Allen
Manager - The Rotary Foundation
South Pacific & Philippines Office**

Two course dinner (drinks @ bar prices)
We hope you can join us to make up tables of 10.
\$45 per person (includes a pre dinner drink)

Proceeds will support The Rotary Foundation
humanitarian & educational projects in Australia and
overseas

RSVP to:

Keith Maxwell by Thursday 15 November
keith_t_maxwell@yahoo.com.au
phone: 0418 647 064
Please bring your club name badge

**Rotary Club of Mordialloc
Club Committees 2012-13**

(First named member is chairman and second is the 2 in C).
Committee membership may change during the year.

Community: Carol Quayle, David Brunt, Don Butler, Drew Libbis, Sylvio Tang, Catherine Harris, John Hoffman, Lynette Spencer, Helene Rogers, Evan Johnson

International (Includes Rotary Foundation): Brian Foley, Barry Donaldson, Cliff Riley, Helene Rogers, Jack Cooper, Tim Fitton, Tony Gorbaty, John Hoffman, Carol Quayle

Vocational: Leon Quinn, Rob Goode, David Wright, Cliff Riley, Barry Donaldson, Damian West, John Dawe, Jack Pyziakos, Tim Fitton

Youth (New Generations): Maureen McDonald, Bob Travers, Len Dawson, Max Crimmins, Kay Gordon, Jill Brear, Tony Gorbaty

Club Service: Len Dawson, Jeff Needham, Brian Foley, Jack Pyziakos, Cliff Riley

Sergeant-at-Arms: Jack Cooper, Keith Carpenter, Bob Travers

Membership: Kay Gordon, Jeff Needham, Paul Taranto, Max Crimmins, Catherine Harris

Marketing: Len Dawson, David Wright, John Fowler, Jeff Needham, Robert Travis, Brian Foley (Bulletin and IT)

Fellowship and Fundraising: John Fowler, Clem Quick, Jack Pyziakos, Kay Gordon, Mike Woods, Russ Hellier, Len Dawson

Art Show: Jeff Needham, Jack Cooper, Don Butler, Max Crimmins, Cliff Riley, Len Dawson, Brian Foley

Golf Days: Barry Donaldson, Russ Hellier, Jack Cooper, David Wright, John Hoffman

Gnome Festival: Len Dawson, Jack Cooper, Jeff Needham, Carol Quayle, Cliff Riley, George Aivatoglou

Program: Rob Goode, Bob Travers, Tony Gorbaty, Carol Quayle

Raffles: Paul Taranto, Keith Carpenter

Footy Tipping: Russ Hellier, Rob Goode

Bowelscan: Cliff Riley

Attendance: Cliff Riley, John Dawe

On-to-Conference: Jack Cooper

Used Stamps Collection: Brian Foley

Almoners: Max Crimmins, John Dawe, Glenyse Guinan

PHF Committee: Jack Cooper, Brian Foley, Rob Goode

WHERE OTHER CLUBS MEET

A Rotarian can attend the weekly meeting of any Rotary club around the world. This is a "make-up" and counts as attendance credit when you are not able to attend a meeting of your own club. Meeting details of some local clubs are:

ASPENDALE: Tuesday 7.00 am (breakfast)
Doyles Hotel, 1 Nepean Hwy, Mordialloc

BAYSIDE: First and third Wednesdays 6.45 pm for 7.00 pm
New Bay Hotel, corner New and Bay Streets, Brighton.

BEAUMARIS: Thursday 6.30 pm for 7.00 pm
Victoria Golf Club, Park Road, Cheltenham

BENTLEIGH MOORABBIN CENTRAL:
Wednesday 7.00 am for 7.10 am (breakfast)
Hemisphere Centre, 488 South Road, Moorabbin

BRAESIDE: Monday 6.00 pm
Beaumaris by the Bay Motel, Bodley Street, Beaumaris

CHELSEA: Tuesday 6.15 pm for 6.45 pm
Chelsea RSL, Thames Pde, Chelsea.

CHELTENHAM: Wednesday 12.30 pm for 1.00 pm
Buckingham Motel, 1130 Nepean Highway, Highett.

CLAYTON: Monday 6.00 pm for 6.30 pm
L'Unico Restaurant, 319 Clayton Road, Clayton

DINGLEY VILLAGE: Wednesday 6.30 pm for 6.45 pm
Dingley International Hotel, Boundary Road, Dingley Village

HAMPTON: Tuesday 6.45 pm for 7.00 pm
Sandringham Yacht Club, Jetty Road, Sandringham

MOORLEIGH MOORABBIN: Monday 6.00 pm for 6.30pm –
South Oakleigh Club, 1 Victor Road, East Bentleigh.

NOBLE PARK: Thursday 6.15 pm for 6.30 pm. Sandown
Regency Motor Inn, 477 Princes Hwy, Noble Park

OAKLEIGH: Thursday 12.30 pm for 1.00 pm. Leighoak
Tabaret, 1555 Dandenong Road, Oakleigh (Cnr Atkinson St)
First Thursday in the month, meeting time is 7.00 for 7.30 pm

SANDRINGHAM: Tuesday 6.15 pm for 6.30 pm. Dolphin
Room, Sandringham Hotel, Beach Road Sandringham.

SPRINGVALE CITY:
Wednesdays: 5.45 pm for 6.30pm at Banksia Room,
Waltzing Matilda Hotel, 856 Springvale Road, Springvale
South

Details for all District 9810 clubs can be obtained in the district directory or website. Details for clubs around the world are available in the RI Directory (held by the club secretary) and on the RI website (www.rotary.org)

Details of make-ups claimed should be given at the duty desk on return to the club.

SUMMARY OF COMING EVENTS

Please note the following dates and events in your diary. It is important that all members support the club in these activities.

17 Oct (Wed)	Morning tea at Mentone Primary School Multi-purpose room. 11 am
17 Oct (Wed)	Club board meeting 7.30 pm
22 Oct (Mon)	Bunnings sausage sizzle 8 am to 4 pm See Clem Quick for further details
24 Oct (Wed)	Fellowship dinner at The Lobster Cave
2 Nov (Fri)	Fundraising event for Wheel Chairs for Kids at Mentone Grammar School
18 Nov (Sun)	SIDS Walk for Remembrance around Albert Park Lake. Details to come.
12-18 Nov	Golf parking at Kingston Heath GC
22 Nov (Thurs)	Annual District Rotary Foundation Dinner. Wheelers Hill International Hotel
27 Nov	Rotary Club of Mordialloc Annual General Meeting
18 Dec (Tues)	Club Christmas Dinner at Woodlands Golf Club. Further details to come
23 – 26 June 2013	Rotary International Convention, Lisbon, Portugal.

Members on Leave

George Aivatoglou – 5 June to mid October 2012
Graeme Bruce – 1 July to 31 December
Paul Taranto – 17 September to 9 December
Jack Cooper – 18 October to 20 November
Glenyse Guinan - 18 October to 20 November
Jack Pyziakos – 26 September – 6 November

If you plan to be absent for three weeks or longer, please request leave of absence through the secretary.

Bayside Kingston Prostate Cancer Support Group

WHEN: First Monday of each month
TIME: 9.30 to 11.30am
WHERE: Beaumaris RSL
489 Balcombe Road, Beaumaris
Melways Map 86 B5

Wives and Partners welcome, bookings not required

For further information contact Bob Wilson 9589 4282 or Max Crimmins 9555 4704

The Rotary Four-Way-Test

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?"

Forthcoming Meeting Program & Rosters

Next week.....

Date: 23 October
Speaker: Caroline Power
Topic: Alcoholics Anonymous
Chairman: Len Dawson
Duty Desk: Barry Donaldson, Lynette Spencer
Regalia: David Brunt, Clem Quick
Fellowship: Cliff Riley
Bulletin notes: Keith Carpenter

And the next.....

Date: 30 October
Speaker: Andrew Boast
Topic: Group Study Exchange visit to Texas
Chairman: Kay Gordon
Duty Desk: Tony Gorbatty, Maureen McDonald
Regalia: John Hoffmann, Len Dawson
Fellowship: Rob Goode
Bulletin notes: Jill Brear

No meeting on 6 November, Melbourne Cup Day

And the next.....

Date: 13 November
Speaker: Trisha Williams (Vic Roads)
Topic: Older Drivers
Chairman: Rob Goode
Duty Desk: Cliff Riley, Jo Quinn
Regalia: Bob Travers, Barry Donaldson
Fellowship: Carole Quayle
Bulletin notes: Tim Fitton

TOASTS:

Australia:

Please charge your glasses and assist me in toasting our great country, Australia
(pause) To our country: Australia

Rotary International:

Please drink a toast to our organisation:
Rotary International, (pause) Rotary International

ROTARY INVOCATION

For good food, for good fellowship, and the opportunity for
Service through Rotary, We Give Thanks



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George's Ski Hire
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George Aivatoglou, Manager

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The Object of Rotary

The Object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster:

FIRST. The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;

SECOND. High ethical standards in business and professions, the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations, and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society;

THIRD. The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business, and community life;

FOURTH. The advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.