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District Governor 2021-22: Dr Daryl Moran Assistant Governor: David Cugley

Club meets at Woodland Golf Club, 109 White Street Mordialloc.
Winter schedule is first & third Tuesday 6pm for a 6.30 start.
Every second and fourth Tuesday is on Zoom.

THIS WEEK'S MEETING IS A HYBRID MEETING AT WOODLANDS

DATE AND MEETING NUMBER 21 June 2022 No. 2441

SPEAKERS: Michael Care and Eva Cumming from Barry Plant Real Estate

TOPIC: "The local real estate scene."

CHAIRMAN: Trevor Salmon

BULLETIN NOTES: Brian Schauer (via Zoom)

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.

Acknowledgment of Country

Our meeting is being held on the lands of the Bunurong people and we wish to acknowledge them as Traditional Owners. We would also like to pay our respects to their Elders, past and present, and Aboriginal Elders of other communities who may be here today.

President's message

This is our final club bulletin for the 2021-22 Rotary year so I will take the opportunity to reflect on the highlights and challenges of the past year. Like the experience of my immediate predecessors, Ernie and Paul, the year was dominated by the Covid 19 pandemic. In early July we looked forward to the year being free of major disruptions and a return to something like "normality." However that all changed in the second week of July when we went back into lockdown that continued almost to the end of 2021 when the restrictions began to be eased. We managed to maintain contact and engage with most of our members by using the Zoom system to run our weekly meetings. It was decided to postpone the celebration of the club's 50th anniversary of charter for six months until May.

When restrictions began to be eased in early 2022, planning proceeded rapidly and over the first six months of 2022 we successively completed the majority of our works that are normally spread over the whole 12 months. Thank you to all of our members, partners and friends of the club who contributed to this success. Our board members without exception have worked extremely hard in their portfolios. I will have more to say about this at the club changeover night on 28 June.

Our three major planned projects for the year, the Gnome and Fairy Festival, the Interplast Golf Day and the 50th anniversary dinner were all successful and enjoyable. In fact the Gnome and Fairy Festival proved to be the biggest and best since the event commenced in 2013. Thank you everyone.

My motivational quotation this week is from American businessman Peter Drucker. When I was studying engineering and management in the early 1960s, Drucker was a leader in the fields of change, leadership and communication.

"Management is doing things right; leadership is doing the right things." – Peter Drucker, American businessman, 1909 - 2005

Have a good week as we continue to *"Serve to Change Lives"*

Brian

Community Bank · Parkdale
 **Bendigo Bank**

**Club Meeting No: 2439
7 June 2022 2022
at Woodlands Golf Club**

Attendees: Jill Brear, David Brunt, Jennifer Cloke, Jack Cooper, Glenyse Cooper, Brian Foley, Jenny Pudney, Alan Opie, Di Taranto, Kathy Thompson, Don Van, Brian Schauer, George and Margaret, Don Van.

Apologies: Paul Taranto, Ernie Williams, Trina Williams.

Attendance: 13 members, 1 guest

Chairman for the evening: Brian Foley

**Club Meeting No: 2440
14 June 2022
Zoom**

Attendees: David Brunt, Jennifer Cloke, Glenyse Jack Cooper, Brian Foley, Alan Opie, Kathy Thompson, George and Margaret Aivatoglou, Trevor Salmon, Jill Brear, Graeme Bruce, Jenny Pudney, Brian Schauer, Di and Paul Taranto

Apologies: Don Van, Ernie Williams, Trina Williams

Visiting Rotarians DG Daryl Moran

Attendance: 16 members, 1 guests

Chairman for the evening: Brian Foley

**President announcements
7 & 14 June**

Last week we ran our first meeting using the hybrid format. We had a total of 18 people present, 12 in the room at Woodlands and 6 on Zoom, two of them tuned in from interstate. Overall, I thought it went well. It was new to all

of us and it might take some time adapting to changed procedures. Later in the meeting, depending on available time, if anyone has suggestions about using hybrid we can discuss them then

Club history. There are plenty more for sale

Congratulations to Cliff Riley who has achieved 40 years membership of the Rotary Club of Mordialloc. Induction date recorded as 1 June 1982.

There will be a board meeting at my house next Monday evening, the last of the 2021-22 Rotary year. Kathy and Jennifer who will be joining the board next Rotary year are invited.

Guest Speaker 7 June 2022

Matthew Brindle is an apprentice builder who had a midlife career change from small business owner to builder. Matthew spoke about his previous career in the fitness industry and his path to becoming an award winning first year apprentice builder. Matthew discussed the importance of work life balance and the ways in which staying physically fit has benefited his health and wellbeing.

**Executive and Committee
Reports - 7 & 14 June**

Executive Reports:

President: The Board will meet on Monday 20 June.

Community Service report (David):

- Covid has disrupted many Rotary and community activities
- Parkinson's group met last week with 30 attending. Di, Trina and Kay not present. Speech therapist was speaker and was well received. Last week was the third anniversary of the

group.

- Emerge project. Awaiting delivery of BBQ Men's Shed ready to install. Quote for electrical work will be presented to the board.
- Jennifer reported that 150 displaced persons from Ukraine are coming to Kingston. Will need assistance.
- Paul spoke about the Level Crossing Removal program in Parkdale. Residents are invited to view and provide comment on the design plans that were now available.
- ReLink invited the club to be involved in a community day at Victoria Park next Sunday. In view of the short time and other commitments (sausage sizzle on Friday 17th) we declined.

Foundation & International Report (Paul):

- Expect to have a similar program as current year covering Rotary Foundation, Polio Plus, Wheelchairs for Kids and other regular donations
- Centurion club donations to be encouraged for members

Youth report (Di):

- RYLA. District is seeking a suitable applicant for the club to sponsor. Possibility of an international student currently studying at Deakin University. To be advised soon.
- MUNA. We have a team to enter.
 - Nothing more under Youth at present.

Projects and Fundraising report (Ernie):

- City of Kingston has been approached with a tentative date of 19 March 2023 for the next Gnome & Fairy Festival. Awaiting approval from Council.
- The 50th Anniversary dinner was successful and enjoyable. There are still plenty of club history books for sale.
 - Interplast Golf Day. Committee is discussing possible dates and format.

Members Announcements:

- Some discussion on the Hybrid meeting held last week. Overall view was that it went well. The board will discuss options for meeting

venue and format.

- Jennifer suggested that we look at the Dingley Gardens centre as a possible meeting venue. Members could then have a meal at the Dingley International.
- -\$5000 grant from Bendigo Bank to organise the Parkdale Community Fair later in the year. An organising committee is to be established.

Summary of coming events.

Tuesday and Friday mornings	Breakfast Club at Yarrabah School
25 June (Saturday 9-12) in the nursery section	Friends of Karkarook Park
15 July (Friday)	Bunnings BBQ - email Di to confirm your attendance.

Meeting program and rosters

DATE	LOCATION	CHAIR
28 June	Zoom	Brian Schauer
5 July	Woodlands	Kathy Thompson
19 July	Zoom	Glenyse Cooper



Did you know that Mordialloc Rotary, the Rotary Club of Bentleigh Moorabbin Central and the Rotary Club of Moorabbin are financial organisational members of the Friends of Karkarook Park? Our cluster hopes that we can make an impact by attending the working bees on Saturdays to provide members with project work for helping the environment.

To be read in conjunction with the Zone 8 Regionalisation Pilot Fact Sheet and information on creatingtomorrowrotary.org

Why are we having a vote?

Our region, or Zone 8, which includes Australia, New Zealand, and several Pacific and other Islands, has been approved by the Rotary International Board to be one of two regions to pilot a regional approach to governance.

For the past three years a group of Rotarians and Rotaractors have been working on a pilot project to consider how we can enhance Rotary and Rotaract and ensure we remain relevant for the future, while also addressing some of the challenges we have been facing for a while.

As part of the Board's approval, the project can only proceed with the support of members and clubs, to be shown through a vote of Rotary clubs. We are clarifying the vote for Rotaract clubs.

What is the vote for?

In September 2022, the clubs and districts in our zone will be asked to vote whether they approve participation in a pilot to explore, develop and test new ways of Rotary operating in our countries and zone. A Yes vote would enable the pilot to develop a framework and pilot it, in full consultation with members, clubs, and districts. It should be noted that the aim of the pilot is to support the core work of Rotary and Rotaract clubs and their members, not to change things within clubs.

How will the vote work?

The vote will be by electronic ballot, managed by the Rotary International South Pacific and Philippines Office in Sydney. This will be a secret

ballot, held over a period of time in September and Clubs will be advised 15 days prior to the ballot opening.

Every club will have one vote. Club Presidents will receive an email to eVote and it will be up to clubs to decide how they come to their voting position. The process will be that two thirds of clubs in a district are required to vote Yes for the pilot to proceed. Clubs vote first then each District Governor will vote. As District Governors are the officers of Rotary International and will play an important leadership and advisory role during the pilot, their vote is an indication of their commitment. All Districts in Zone 8 will need to achieve the two thirds majority of clubs for a Regional Pilot to proceed.

From early June 2022, extensive club communication is scheduled to commence. **This is an ideal time for 2022 – 23 Presidents to ensure their email addresses are up to date.**

Every club will have the opportunity to have a representative of the pilot from their district come and speak to them, either in person or via zoom. There will also be online meetings held in July and August, open to all Rotarians in the zone, held at different times.

The website has further information, and the opportunity for you to send your questions to the pilot planning group. Visit creatingtomorrowrotary.org

Should you like a specific presentation to your Club, contact your local **Regionalisation District Representative** email rotaryregionalpilot@gmail.com if you need contact details.

Rotary Club of Mordialloc



*President Brian Foley
together with
President Elect Jenny Pudney*



Request the pleasure of the company of

*All Mordialloc Rotarians,
Partners, and Friends to the*

ONLINE CHANGEOVER VIA ZOOM

Tuesday 28 June 2022 6:15pm for 6:30 pm start

Please donate the money that you would have spent at the Changeover Dinner to

DAYS FOR GIRLS

through our Rotary Charities Account

BSB 633-000 ACCOUNT 140680661

*Please put '**DAYS FOR GIRLS**' as the reference.*

