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Club meets at MordyHQ
MordyHQ 6 pm for a 6.30 start.

OUR NEXT MEETING IS AT MORDY HQ

DATE AND MEETING NUMBER 31 January 2023 No. 2466

Chairman - Ernie Williams

Bulletin Notes - Jenny Pudney

Sergeant - Trevor Salmon

Guest Speakers - Di and Paul Taranto

President's message

February is sure to be a busy month with the planning of the Gnome and Fairy Festival, and we have a Meet and Greet event in Parkdale on the 4 February and the RCH BBQ on the 12 February.

The Board met last week and approved donations to RAM, ROMAC, Every Child a Future, and \$2000 for flood relief. Congratulations to Di for her coordination of the End Trachoma project.

We received an email stating that our donation of 200 toiletry kits has greatly improved the incidence of trachoma and had an impact on the screening results.

Thank you for your continued support of our local and international community.

Jenny Pudney
President

Reports

Secretary report: The Board met on 24 January and reports will be presented in due course.

Treasurer: The finances are all in order.

Community and Youth: There is a district meeting in February. Hopefully, all of the pre-Covid programs will run this year. The update and report for EMERGE will be completed very soon.

Foundation: \$2000 approved for the flood relief for the Echuca-Moama area, \$1000 will be donated to the RCH Colorectal and Pelvic Reconstruction Service, plus the cost to put on the upcoming BBQ. \$500 donation was made to RAM, \$500 donation to ROMAC, and \$1000 to Every Child a Future.

Projects: Gnome and Fairy Festival - Next meeting is at Jack and Glenyse's house on the 1 February. The Reptile Farm was discussed and approved by the Board. Thank you to Ernie for investigating Square and other options to help us with Eftpos on the day of the event.

Members announcements:

- I emailed Rotaract to inform them that the Rotary Club of Mordialloc would be happy to sponsor a member to attend. I am waiting to get a response.
- Jamie is recovering from cancer, we will be sending him a get-well card.
- Paul and Alan will check over the BBQ prior to using it at the RCH event. Thank you to David Brunt for letting us use his garage.

Guest speaker: Matthew Sonnemann from Ord Minnett. Matthew provided a very interesting presentation on the state of the share markets. Matthew provided a PowerPoint for the members to peruse at their leisure. Matthew wished for a donation to be made to Wheel Chairs for Kids on his behalf.

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