GLENHAVEN ROTARY CLUB NEWSLETTER

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TONIGHT'S PROGRAM



Warrah School Visit

Tonight we will visiting Warrah School and hearing about the great work they do with children and young adults with disabilities.



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President Jan's Weekly Words ...

President's News

Well Melbourne Cup is over for another year. Again many many thanks to all the members for their great effort in selling all the trifecta tickets. I am delighted



to say that we have the 2 winners. Jean Elborn sold the winning ticket to one of the volunteers at Fagan Park and he was so excited he could not wait to let Jean know The other ticket was sold by Ros Lassau (she won last year) to a man who has bought tickets every year, so again he was delighted. Using modern technology, the winners scanned through their winning tickets to me and once verified their winnings the money was transferred by internet banking!! They were both invited to our club for dinner by unable to attend.

Thanks to all the ladies and gents who "dressed up" for our Melbourne Cup evening and to Jo & Annette entertaining us with "RaceHorse or Rock Band" Congratulations to Stephen & Barry Wailes for winning the chocolates.

The AGM is to be held on December 10th and nominations for Board positions are now open. There are a few vacancies as the "old Guard" is standing down after a few years in their position. If you want to discuss any of the positions please do not hesitate to contact me. Nomination forms have been sent by email to all members from our secretary. Remember we need you.

Tonight we are going to Warrah to look around the farm and other buildings, and also look for a project that we could take on. During the evening, the principal of the school will give a short talk and we shall also hear from a parent. Thank you Annette for working hard in the kitchen providing the meal tonight and organising the evening. The cost will be the usual \$32.00

Jan Duffy

It's Christmas



CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION

BAREFOOT BOWLING

17TH DECEMBER CASTLE
HILL BOWLING CLUB
\$15.00 FOR BOWLING
\$25.00 FOR BBQ

COME ALONG AND BRING
FRIENDS AND FAMILY

6pm Start

Community & Fundraising Update

A huge thank you to every club member who either took tickets to sell or helped sell tickets at shopping centres.

It was a massive ask of everyone and I am pleased to say we sold them all, and the two lucky winners have been identified.

In a few weeks we will be having a strategic planning meeting for upcoming fundraisers ie. Golf Day & Trivia Night and any ideas you may have!! Please come along with your ideas what we do well and ways we can approve.

There was no Oztag this week.

Jenny & Annie

Board Meeting Summary - October 2019

- 1. President Jan advised that she has taken over as chair of the golf committee and a meeting will be held very shortly.
- 2. Membership continues to be a concern.
- 3. Fighting for Farmers- Bendigo Bank is receiving donations for the drought relief, and it was suggested that the monies we are receiving in our bucket at the BBQ's be put into this account.
- 4. Resignation from Bill Smith accepted, and a motion carried to award him Honorary membership as a thank you for all the dedication he has shown to be club in the last 25 years.
- 5. Meeting attendance has improved, but attendance at social nights has been poor
- 6. Vocational Visit to Warrah on 12th November
- 7. Christmas carols at Warrah on 5th Dec, Glenhaven Carols by 6th December
- 9. 3 students from St. Bernadettes who represented their school in the Voice of Youth will present their speeches.
- 10. Two boys from Oakhill College will be attending the Conoco Philps Science Forum next year and we have two excellent candidates for RYPEN & RYLA
- 11. Claire Willacy attended the board meeting and spoke about a Run or Walk program she is involved with which is something that our club could get involved with. It is held at Fagan Park with a 5 km track. It was suggested that we may be able to produce a certificate for some of the participants. Claire will follow up.
- 12. Application for next year's Bunnings BBQs has been sent through and additional dates are given to us when they come up.
- 13. Clean up Australia Day in March will be organised nearer the time
- 14. Website had 90 independent views for the month of October.
- 15. Trifecta tickets being sold at Round Corner, Cherrybrook, Castle Towers & Kellyville.
- 16. There will be a fundraising brainstorming session on 3rd December.
- 17. The Board resolved to adopt the Special Purpose Financial Report for the year ended 30th June 2019 subject to the signing of the auditor and authorised the President and Treasurer to sign the report and present it to the Club members at the AGM
- possible project was suggested involving the elderly and young people HR in the community. Helen to contact Glenhaven Primary to see if they would be interested.
- 19. Admin A/C as 16/10/19 \$2,088.22 / Project A/C as 18/10/19 \$7,514.02

Bush Fires - NSW

I love a Sunburnt country, a land of sweeping plains.

But I've gotta tell ya mate, I like it better when it rains.

The countryside is dying and there's just no end in site, and just to rub salt in the wounds, the bush has caught alight.

The landscape is on fire from Brisbane to the Gong

And everybody's asking "where the hell did we go wrong?

But we can get through this one if we help each other out, take care of your neighbour, that's what Aussies are about.

The rain is going to fall again , the good times will return. But living in Australia means at times it's going to burn.

So if you need a helping hand, just give a mate a call. We're all hear to help you out and catch you when you fall.

The RFS, the SES, the firey's, and police, all put their lives upon the line to help to keep the peace.

So hats off to these hero's and thanks for all you do And I hope when this is over we can make it up to you!

By Troy Gerdes



Upcoming Meetings

12th November

Warrah - Vocational Visit Meeting Cost \$32 Meet at Warrah

19th November

Kendall Murphy
Debbie & Ashlee Diabetes Alive

26th November TBA

3rd December

Fundraising Brainstorming

Attendance Policy

If you are unable to make a meeting and you have already indicated you are attending you must inform Jean by **noon Monday**. If you are a no-show you will be required to pay the \$30.

Please pay by bank deposit BSB 112879 A/C 125276086

Club Details

Meetings are held every Tuesday, 6.30pm for 7pm start

Springfield House 245 New Line Road, Dural

PO Box 117, Castle Hill 1765, NSW

Club number 4259 District 9685

This Week's Setup & Pack Down

Vocational



AGM

The AGM will held on Tusday 10th Dec 2019.

A nomination form for board positions for 2020/21 was attached.

If you would like to discuss the positions please speak to Annie or Jan

Attendance Policy

Club members are assumed to be attending weekly meetings unless

they are on LOA or have advised otherwise.

Please notify Jean by noon Monday of any guests, dietary requirements or non attendance.

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Board Members & Committee Chairs 2019/2020

President Jan Duffy
President Elect Annie Bradley
Immediate Past President Mentie Knowles
Club Administration Jean Elborn
Secretary Rhonda Radfod

Treasurer Joyce Kouw / Jenny Nicholson

Sergeant Barry Wailes / Jennifer Philps / Marie Campion

Bulletin Editor Annie Bradley
Community Chair Jennifer Nicholson

International Chair Hoda Cham

Vocational Chair Marie Campion

Youth Chair Helen Games

Fundraising / PR Chair Annie Bradley

Membership Chair Barry Philps

Social Committee Chair Jo Norton / Annette Waterson

Foundation Chair Vino Dullab

Welfare Chair TBA

Technical Support Vino Dullab / Annie Bradley

Risk Assessment Stephen Nicol
Golf Day Chair Bill Smith
Glenhaven Carols Chair Annie Bradley
Club Historian Vino Dullab
Children Verification Officer Jean Elborn

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