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## A Message from the Pres



### Hello everyone

Hope you are all enjoying your long weekend and the AFLGF.

It was great to have JT Pauley speak to us on Tuesday night about what goes on at the CSIRO facility at East Geelong. Such an interesting talk and lots of questions from members afterwards.

We have our monthly BBQ at Bunnings next Friday and there are some roles - cook and cashier- still to fill in the morning. If you are available, please pop your name onto the roster.

We have our board meeting on Tuesday night at the RSL.

Also don't forget our trivia night is quickly approaching on November 22nd . We need prizes for the trivia winners and also items for our Silent Auction.



### Save these dates to attend or assist at our conference:

Friday 21st, Saturday 22nd at 13th Beach Golf Club and Sunday 23rd March 2025 at The Sands, Torquay.

### Home Hosting

Richard Hawker is the co-ordinator for this - [rjhawker48@gmail.com](mailto:rjhawker48@gmail.com) This is an exciting opportunity for you to offer a room or two in your home for Rotarians coming to the conference to stay for the weekend.

If you have a room available , please complete the form on this link: [provide your details on this form](#)

Thank you to those who have already contacted Richard and offered rooms.

Enjoy the sunshine and football.

Aileen

THANK YOU TO  
OUR SUPPORTERS



DIZZY TOYS

SERGIO  
EST. 1985

## SEPTEMBER SPEAKER NIGHT from the Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation or **CSIRO**

We welcomed JT Pauley on Tuesday, what an interesting presentation. JT is the Bio Risk Manager at **CSIRO** Australian Centre for Disease Preparedness, here in Geelong and has held that position for 3years, before that was with the United States Centre of Disease Control for 12years.



JT spoke about the building on the Portarlington Road, saying it was the best of its kind in the world, and it is of radioactive standard, bugs can go in but nothing escape, very safe for us all.

It opened in 1985 costing \$185 million, built on the old [Corio Oval](#).

We heard about the **Hendra virus** among other things, that is found solely in Australia.

First isolated in 1994, the virus has since been connected to numerous outbreaks of disease in domestic horses and seven

human cases. Flying foxes have been identified as the host of this virus. CSIRO has developed a vaccine for the disease. Also their studies cover Breeding, Fisheries, Insects, Livestock, Marine Life, Pests, Veterinary and Wildlife. Not only what is happening in Australia but worldwide. Also our scientist from Geelong travel to many countries to help train local scientist, because that is also another way of keeping Australia safe.



The question was asked about a story going around East Geelong, that is said, Homes in East Geelong and Newcomb cannot keep chicken. Yes that's right JT said, if you live in either of those areas you cannot keep livestock, so no fresh eggs for President Aileen.

Member Judy Eyles thanked JT for joining us and his very enjoyable and interesting presentation and presented him with the Bayside boxed thank you Pen.

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## A School Holiday Program all about flight.

Member Daryll Webb and wife Diane spent last week volunteering with 67 primary school age children for their churches holiday program.

The Plane came from the Royal Flying Doctors program from Broken Hill.

What a wonderful experience for all concerned. Maybe a holiday for Daryll



and Diane at the end of the week might have been needed ,  
Well done to you both.





## DISTRICT 4 REGIONALISATION MEETING

On Sunday, President Aileen and Secretary Telsa attended the RCG (Rotary Community Group) meeting, along with other Presidents and Admin. Officers from the Geelong, Bellarine and Surfcoast area. There was lively discussion around Regionalisation and the growth of Rotary, capably lead by the ever vivacious and enthusiastic Tonie Thiel, DG Nominee, District Learning and Development Officer, Assistant Area Governor/Border and President RC Casterton. Tonie explained the Rotary Action Plan for change: to increase our impact and expand our reach (externally oriented) and to enhance participant engagement and increase our ability to adapt (internally oriented).



The energy emanating from discussion within the table groups of

like-minded Rotarians was amazing, and the next meeting is to be on Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> October. Our group has not yet found a leader, but by common vote the temporary name of our area will be Barwon. Other groups in our Pacific Area are Border, Southwest, Goldfields, and Wimmera. The role of Leader would include facilitating teamwork between clubs, supporting club leaders to engage members in RGC activities, and helping clubs access existing and new support and resources. There is a new Closed FB page to make it

easy to contact those from meetings. Rotarians of Geelong and Surrounds, which you can ask to join, and can share into but not out of.

Our Growth Plan: What can we do together? Show ourselves and attract people to want to join Rotary. What are the barriers: time, money, culture? Rather than the old-fashioned title of supper club, can we be wine and cheese, after dark, sunset club??? Last year's DG suggested a change when she visited us! As P. Tonie said:

**"If you always do what you've always done, you'll always get what you've always had."**

We looked at 'types of personalities': earth, fire, air, water, and realised we need all those types within a club, because we all enhance one another and keep the club well balanced

Who can we engage from the community? Include our members families, sponsors, corporate members, past members and friends, local scouts and guides, sports groups, students wanting 'community hours' and VPC (Vic.Pathways Cert.) or the old VCAL course in schools. Ask those wanting funding, what they can do for us.

Other attendees at the meeting included DG Lesley Shedden, Roseanne Kava D Membership Development, Pauline Stewart D.Public Image & Communications, Don Shields D.Insurance Officer and the wonderful PP Wally Walsh, Tonie's uber driver and bag carrier! Don laid on a delicious BBQ lunch and we thanked him for providing the great workplace space for our meeting.

Telsa Stubna

**ITS GETTING CLOSER**



<b>EARTH</b> Strong, decisive, quick to act, focused on results, likes challenges	<b>FIRE</b> Social, dynamic, enthusiastic, persuasive, creates excitement
<b>AIR</b> Risk-averse, formal deliberate, focuses on Facts, values logic, commits slowly	<b>WATER</b> Caring and encouraging, Seeks agreement, communicates trust, patient


The first of our Trivia Team meetings was on Thursday this week, and we realised there is much to do, but much has been organised already. Thank you to Andrew, Ian and Judy E for agreeing to join the team, and I am sure you will be hearing from each of them with some requests, over the next few weeks.

Tickets will be open on the Oct 15<sup>th</sup>, and I would encourage all members to invite family and friends to join your table, or make one of their own, for this fun evening and important fundraiser. We are still in need of donation for the Silent auction items, door prizes, and raffles prizes. so please handout the donation letter ( attached to last week's Bollard) to businesses you deal with. If you don't ask you won't receive, and you might get a nice surprise. Let's make it happen for Domestic Violence, Mental Health and Homelessness in our community.

Jo White Community Chair

**JOIN US**

**FOR THE ROTARY CLUB OF BAYSIDE GEELONG ANNUAL TRIVIA CHALLENGE**



**TRIVIA**

**FRIDAY 22<sup>ND</sup> NOVEMBER**  
7PM START  
DOORS OPEN AT 6:30PM  
\$25 PER PERSON

**TABLE OF 8 ARE AVAILABLE**


**BYO FOOD AND DRINKS OF CHOICE**

WILL THE ROTARY CLUB OF EAST GEELONG TAKE HOME THE TROPHY AGAIN THIS YEAR, FOR THE MOST INTELLIGENT CLUB IN THE DISTRICT



**IS YOUR CLUB UP FOR THE CHALLENGE?**

BOOK YOUR CLUB A TABLE AND COME AND HAVE SOME FUN

**THE CHRIST CHURCH HALL**  
CORNER OF LITTLE MYERS & MOORABOOL STREET GEELONG



A FUNDRAISER FOR MENTAL HEALTH AND OUR LESS FORTUNATE MEMBERS OF OUR COMMUNITY



**LIFT THE LID**  
*on mental illness*

Purchase your tickets on Trybookings  
<https://www.trybooking.com/CVNZU>

Bookings open on 15<sup>th</sup> Oct & close at 09:00 on Nov 22<sup>nd</sup> Any enquiries call Jo 0419155183

Wear your Favorite or silly hat and help **LIFT THE LID ON MENTAL HEALTH**, but it will cost you for the privilege. Put a gold coin donation into the hat for **MENTAL HEALTH RESEARCH**.

**OCTOBER IS**

**ECONOMIC AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT MONTH**

*"If we can make a difference in the life of one person in a community, it is a small yet significant step to empowering a whole community."*  
Loshini Naidoo



TAKE ACTION: Join Rotary, Get Involved



**Who do Bayside support in the community ?**

- Christ Church Meal program**
- Clean Up Australia**
- Friend in Me project**
- Dr John Birrell Road Safety Awards**
- Amber Community**
- Raw to Roar**
- Donate Life**
- and so much more**

**A THOUGHT OF THE WEEK FROM JUDY EYLES**

**WHY ARE YOU IN A MOVIE, BUT YOU'RE ON TV?**



**please read carefully as there maybe changes to the regular dates and times in this month's calendar**

**PLEASE NOTE: IF YOU ARE NOT AVAILABLE TO FILL YOUR JOB FOR THE NIGHT, PLEASE CONTACT & CHANGE WITH ANOTHER MEMBER.**

**MEETING ROSTER. SEPTEMBER**  
**SECOND AND FOURTH TUESDAY MEETING AT THE NAVY CLUB 90 SKENE ST NEWTOWN 6.45 MIX & MINGLE - MEETING 7.15 FOR 7.30 START. ALL WELCOME**

DATES	PROGRAM Mix & Mingle 6.45 meeting 7.15pm for 7.30	CHAIRPERSON	WELCOME/ CASHIER	ROOM DUTIES	SGT	SUPPER	Door Prize
1 <sup>st</sup> Oct	<b>Board Meeting RSL Belmont</b>	<b>PRES AILEEN &amp; SEC TELSA</b>	-	-	-	-	-
4 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Bunnings BBQ</b>						
8 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Club Assembly Lets hear it from the board</b>	<b>PETER K</b>	<b>PETER H</b>	<b>ANDREA</b>	<b>ANDREW S</b>	<b>JO</b>	<b>DARYLL W</b>
15 <sup>TH</sup>	<b>Social Tuesday Plus ticket go on sale for Trivia night.</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-
22 <sup>nd</sup>	<b>Guest speaker night TBC</b>	<b>RICK B</b>	<b>PETER H</b>	<b>JUDY E</b>	<b>DAN F</b>	<b>IAN A</b>	<b>PETER H</b>