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ROTARY'S NEW THEME FOR 20/20

Rotary, providing us with the opportunity to make a difference



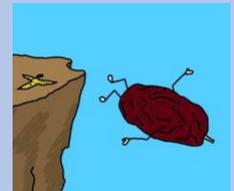
Hi Everyone,
Great P & P meeting on Tuesday, covering many projects that are progressing well. Telsa reported that the Bonfire night that was to be held at the end of May is being postponed to November when it will be warmer and the days a little longer, also one hundred Days for Girls packs are ready to be sent to PNG.

Our fundraising team is moving along well with our June/July raffle and Trivia night being held at the Geelong West Town Hall. Judy E explained the importance of collecting items for the silent auction, the auction and raffle prizes, plus spread the word to everyone you know about the trivia night and encourage all to come along and enjoy, because it will make a difference to the needy in our community. Tables of 8 at \$20 per person and everyone receives a free door prize ticket as they come through the door. We are getting close to the time of delivering all the collected items to DIK, for our Lucy Project, ready to be shipped to PNG. Fabulous effort from everyone, from pens to school uniforms and back packs to desks, Well done Shirley Marendaz for driving this project and keeping it moving along nicely

Thanks to all the volunteers this week for the Bunnings BBQ, David F, David W, David P (*yes it was confusing*) plus Ian A, Peter K, Brian M & Bev B. Couldn't do it without you all. Well done! The rain held off and was quite a nice day, a little quiet, but raised funds of \$442, a little lower than before Covid restrictions stopped our regular BBQ, but with the two held this month it's a positive \$949 profit. So, onward & upward from here



Take care, keep smiling
Jo



SOME EXTRA DATES TO SAVE.

Tuesday 18th May
7.30 AM an extra item on the agenda. We have been invited to join Rotary Club of Geelong Central with a visit to the Orphanage Museum in Moorabool St plus a spot of breakfast after if you choose too. If you would like to join us, please give Jo a call 0419155183

Tuesday June 8th
Membership night. Who will you bring along?

Thursday June 17th
A Joint Dinner Night with Corio Bay Rotary Club. With some fun thrown into the mix. This will replace our 15th June Social Tuesday.

A Movie night is being organized
Date TBA soon

Meeting Dates for your Diary

May 18th Its Social Tuesday. Plus, Bayside's Birthday Dinner at the Great Western and I have invited Luke Elliott from Road Trauma Support Services to join us for a presentation.

May 25th Guest Speaker evening with Polio survivor Gary Newtown, at Waurn Ponds Library 7.15 for 7.30 start

June 1st Board Meeting on Zoom

June 8th Membership Evening Guest event 7 for 7.30 start. Waurn Ponds Library. Detail's opposite

Thursday June 17th Social Evening with Rotary Club of Corio Bay, details opposite

Always feel free to invite friends or family to hear any of our speakers, and to see what Rotary is all about



LET'S SHOWCASE ROTARY
at
WAURN PONDS LIBRARY
TUESDAY 8TH JUNE
7PM FOR 7.30 START

Members, invite your guests to join us and discover why we believe in Service Above Self.

And to hear from our Guest Speakers
Luke Elliott

Road Trauma Support Services

Jan Mc Gowen

Christ Church Meals Program

Shirley Marendaz

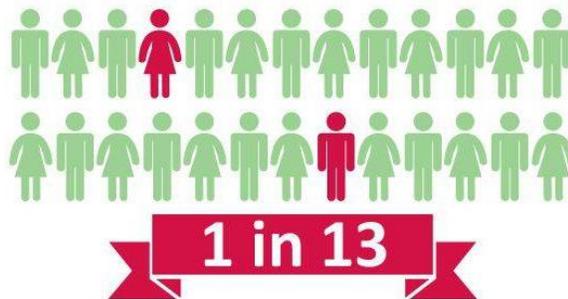
End Trachoma 2020

Wine & nibbles on arrival, plus join us for sweet treats and tea / coffee after.

BOWELSCAN MONTH, SEE PETER HYNES TO PURCHASE YOUR KIT TODAY.



You don't need any more information, Do It Now!



14,962 Australians are told they have bowel cancer each year, including 1,313 people under the age of 50.

WE HAVE BEEN INVITED TO JOIN THE ROTARY CLUB OF CORIO BAY FOR DINNER. PLUS

LET'S HAVE SOME

"LET'S GET TO KNOW YOU"

FUN, AND PLAY

BOTTLE BINGO

A GREAT WAY TO MEET SOME NEW FRIENDS

THIS WILL BE HELD ON THURSDAY 17TH AT THE CROATION CLUB 93 SEPARATION STREET BELL PARK 6 FOR 6.30PM RSVP TO JO 0419155183 BEFORE TUESDAY 15TH PLEASE

OUR END OF YEAR CELEBRATION

Let's Celebrate a fabulous but very different year.

All details will be sent soon, but please hold the date 25th June.

This is a special evening and as always, it's wonderful to have all our partners and friends join us.

THE LUCY PROJECT continues to go well.

This week Shirley Marendaz organized a time for Lucy Loko to meet the children of the Highton Primary School. That are collection goods for the project. Lucy shared with the children the reason she organizes items to be collected for children in PNG, the differences between schools here and there, and how important it is to their education.

A WORKING PARTNERSHIP BETWEEN CLUBS

From Scotland to Calcutta these two clubs are 4780 miles apart and they still managed to work as one.

40 Bore Wells and 400 Toilets

The **Rotary Club of Monifieth**, Scotland in partnership with the Rotary Club of Calcutta, India, completed three WASH projects that provided 40 boreholes and 400 toilets in 15 villages in West Bengal, India. This significant project ended the practice of open defecation in the area. Their excellent report provides a summary of the project and more importantly the lessons learned.

Click to read the report [or visit their website to see pictures and project details](https://monifiethrotary.club/washproject)
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MAY IS YOUTH SERVICE MONTH



CHECK IT OUT Interesting reading regarding all the youth articles in this month RD. With many teacher connections in Bayside Geelong, one of the standouts for me was the article **CATCH THE CLOUDS**. (Page 40) What a great way to help make some changes and give support to children, that because of health problems miss so many hours of school.

I have reached out the Janine Rogers and meeting with her on Monday to hear more about the program, will keep you all informed.

Also, The article **YOUTH EXCHANGE KICKSTARTS A LIFE OF SERVICE**, made me feel very happy that we at Bayside, have had a great history in Youth Exchange. And how youth exchange can change a life, like it has for District Governor-Elect Nick Woods. *Nick said, when I came home, I had an appreciation of different cultures and a better acceptance that everybody brings something to a conversation or a community.*

Wouldn't it make a difference if all young children could be involved with Rotary in some way