

Val Kelly, 4/1 Leone & Dick

ROTARY CLUB OF OCEAN GROVE

	Meeting Roster						
	Guest speaker	Chair	Greeter/ Assist. Sgt.	Thanker/ Asst. Cshr.	Raffle	B'days/Anniversary	
3-Dec	Senior Citizens Christmas Dinner.	Rod Greer.	Marion Walton.			4/12 Andrea & Paul Tierney, 6/12 Judy Greer, 7/12 Ann Hodgkinson.	
10-Dec	Barwon Sports Academy students	Janet Alexander.	Alex Magee.	Meredith O'Neill.	Chris Foster.	11/12 Kerri Ricchini, 14/12 Martin Fox, 16/12 Heather & Gary Willson.	
17-Dec	Club Christmas Dinner @360Q					21/12 Xenia & David Williamson, 22/12 David Carlson, 24/12 Geoff Brentnall, 28/12 Andrew	
						McKoy, 3/1 Tony Haines, 1/1	

Our Club

President: Marion Walton

Secretary: Pearl Macmillan

Where: We meet each Tuesday at the Ocean Grove Bowling Club:

18 The Terrace, Ocean Grove, 3226

When: 6 pm for 6:30pm

Visitors are Welcome

Apologies: 0457 315 900

Web: rotaryoceangrove.org.au

Theme: Rotary Foundation Month Lookout Reserve Maintenance Roster:

17/11/19 - 30/11/19 Geoff Chandler 01/12/19 - 14/12/19 Peter Cullen 15/12/19 - 28/12/19 Gary O'Donnell 29/12/19 - 11/01/20 John Paton

Past bulletins

- Available from our club website

Market contact: 0401 606 036 Art Show contact: 0417 319 465

Report of Meeting: 26/10/2019

Visiting Rotarian: Andrew Thornton, Geelong East Rotary Club.

Visitors: Colin Urguart; Bellarine Secondary College -Maddison Elridge, Tanya Quarrell, Gabrielle Giles, Karen Giles.

President's Report - Marion Walton

Judy Greer provided an update on the Sick List. Adrian Schmidt has had a shoulder operation and is on light duties. Heather Willson's shoulder is still sore but her broken arm is improving. Club members helped her out last week with food, personal care and transport. Kerrie Ricchini had operations on both knees last week and is still in hospital.

Marion thanked Andrea Tierney, John Calnin and others for organising the Family Violence meeting last week. She said that so far there had been 103 replies for the Seniors Christmas Party next week. Drivers were required. Entertainment will be by a Barber Shop Quintet from Belmont Senior Citizens Club.

Marion reminded members of these upcoming events;

17th December, Club Christmas Party at 360Q, 2 Wharf Street, Queenscliff.

24th and 31st December - no club meetings.

7 January, Caravan Park Raffle sales followed by a BBQ. **14 January,** Brewery Tour and dinner, Ocean Grove Industrial Area.

21 January, Movie at the Pivotonian Theatre (corner of Moorabool and Vernon Streets, South Geelong) followed by a meal in Geelong.

28th January, Fire Side dinners at members houses.

Members: Coming

Events: (See notes)

Saying of the week

If you're sorry, say so; if you're ready to forgive, say so.

Humour

I went to see the doctor about my short-term memory problems. The first thing he did was to make me pay in advance.

Links

Rotary International: www.rotary.org

Rotary District 9780: www.rotary9780.org Footy Tipping www.footytips.com.au

Please remember:

- APOLOGIES ARE NECESSARY! IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO ATTEND A MEETING. THOSE WHO DO NOT CONFORM WILL BE SENT A BILL, AS THE CLUB HAS TO PAY IF NO APOLOGY IS REGISTERED.
- Members are reminded if you have any used stamps, could you please pass them on to Martin Geerings.

Chair: Meredith O'Neill.

Reports

John Calnin thanked everyone who helped with the Art Show. There are funds to be donated to local charities and he asked members to nominate worthy recipients to Alison George. He thanked Alex McGee for organising supper at the Family Violence night. The surplus food went to a needy funeral and was much appreciated. The Quilt Show will be held on the 18th ad 19th January at the Community Centre. Preparations have been delayed by chief organiser Heather's accident and the need to find new display stands.

John Wynn reported on an email from Noel Emselle. There is an appointment with Council regarding the lookout reserve at 9.00 am to discuss the playground. Andrew McKoy agreed to go. The Surf Club have endorsed the idea for the sculpture to be placed near their entrance. It is currently being repaired.

John Paton reported that a corrected roster had been sent out to members for the upcoming market on Sunday. Please let John know of any required alterations. He also reported that Adrian needed help marking out the grounds on Saturday afternoon. Andrew McKoy and Martin Geerings agreed to help.

Lynne Carlson reminded members they were still looking for nominations for the Vocational Awards.

Martin Geerings said that the CFA were installing free smoke detectors and smoke blankets to households in the Ocean Grove area. If anyone knew of households needing this help, contact him.

Presentations to Recipients of the Bellarine Secondary College VCE Awards for 2020 and 2021.

Meredith O'Neill introduced these awards which involve a scholarship of \$1,000 for two students for two years of study in year 11 and year 12. The money is held in trust by the school to assist with costs for textbooks, excursions, extra studies and other fees during these years. The recipients are recommended by the school on the basis of the students efforts with their studies and their need for extra assistance to complete these years.



Gabby Giles has just completed year 12 when she studied English, maths, media and business studies. She used the money to purchase textbooks and attend external lectures. She was house captain during the year which helped her develop her public speaking skills. Next year she intends to take a gap year and visit Japan where she wants to investigate their film industry. She saved the money for the trip by working at Rivers in Geelong. After that, she intends to go to RMIT or Victoria University to study media and is looking to a career making movies. She was accompanied by her mother, Karen Giles.

Meredith reported that **Jeavyn Bullock** and his mother Danielle had been unable to attend tonight as his father had just had major surgery following an accident and they were at the hospital. He apologised for not attending due to this family emergency but would send a message for the next meeting. He said he now wanted to train as a paramedic and join the airforce rescue team as he felt the paramedics had saved his father's life.

Maddison Elridge is the new recipient of the award, starting year 11 in 2020. She lives at Curlewis. Maddison thanked Mr. Johannson from BSC and Rotary for their support. She plans to study English, biology, agriculture and horticulture for VCE. Maddison is lead singer for a band at school which has performed at the Brewhouse in Queenscliff and at the recent Queenscliff Music Festival. She is interested in studying mortuary science in the future. She was accompanied by her mother, Tanya Quarrell.

Meredith and Marion presented a cheque to the school for the recipients to draw against in 2020.

