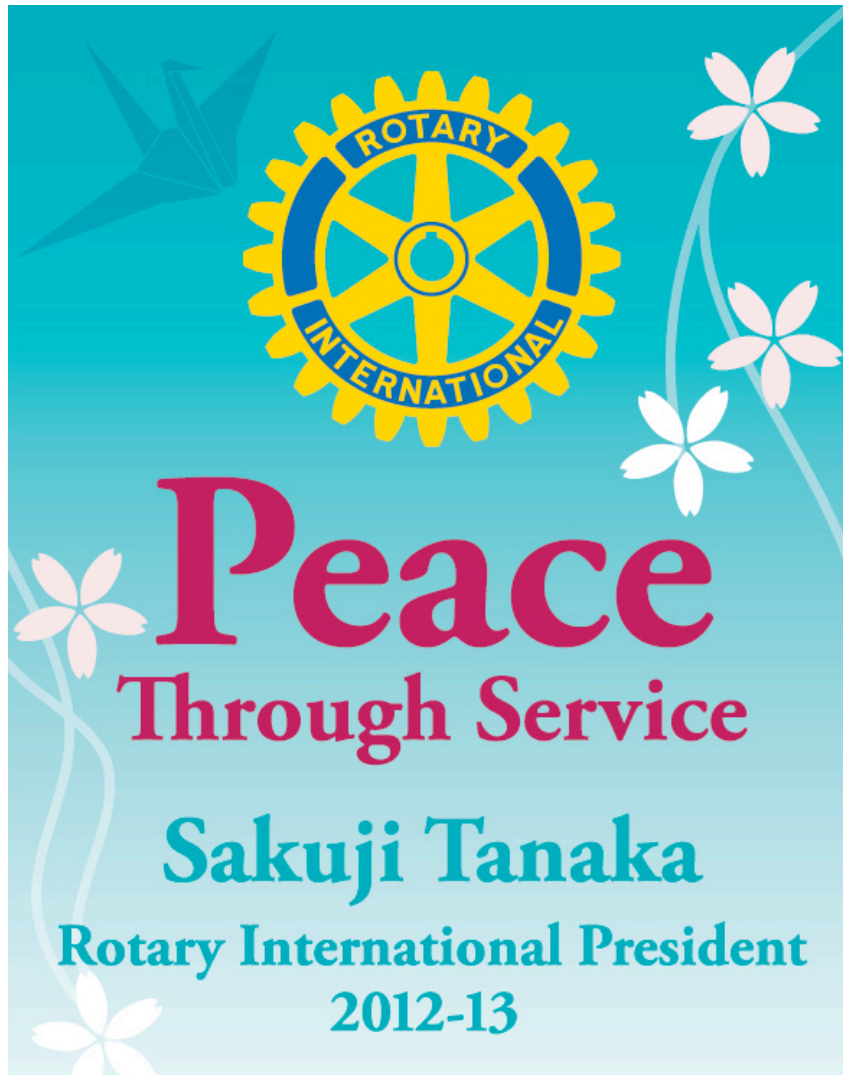


Rotary Club of Ocean Grove Inc



Annual Report
2012 - 2013

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Officer Bearers and Directors

President of Rotary International	Kalyan Banerjee Vapi (Gujarat, India)
District Governor	Helen Trigg (Ocean Grove)
Assistant District Governor Group 9	Jane Cox (Geelong Central)

Board of Directors

President	Richard Clay
Immediate Past President	Margaret Campbell
President Elect	Gordon King
Vice President	Geoff Chandler
Secretary / Club Administration	Victor Harnath
Treasurer	Fred Andrews
Publicity	John Flett
Rotary Foundation	Trevor McArdle
Membership	John Patton
Service Projects	Phil Edwards

Special Purpose Committees and Other Roles:

Community Service	Geoff Eglin/Peter Cullen
International Service	Geoff Brentnall
Vocational Service	Geoff Chandler
New Generation (Youth Service)	Ann Hodgkinson
Bulletin Editor	Alison George
Sergeant –at –Arms	John Paton
Market	James Ricchini/John Paton
Attendance	Victor Harnath
Family of Rotary	Norm Elliott/Judy Greer
Property	Rod Birrell
Risk Management	David Tyrrell
Public Officer	Tony Haines
Fund Raising	John Eyles
Club Historian	Bob Osbourne
Public Access Defibrillator Project	Wal Kelly
Programme	Noel Emselle
Health Programmes	Peter Hawthorne
Social	Marion Walton
Merchandise	Alison George/Martin Geerings

Past Service & Service Recognition

Past Presidents

1983-84 Wal Kelly
 1984-85 Frank Mountford
 1985-86 Henry Hudson
 1986-87 John Calnin
 1987-88 Jim MacDonald
 1988-89 Hans Franken
 1989-90 Trevor McArdle
 1990-91 Maurice Barwick
 1991-92 Peter Robinson
 1992-93 Geoff Morphett
 1993-94 Eric Bare
 1994-95 Geoff Chandler
 1995-96 Gerry Spencer
 1996-97 Barry Reid
 1997-98 Coral Barker
 1998-99 Martin Geerings
 1999-00 Peter Cullen
 2000-01 Hans Franken
 2001-02 John Powell
 2002-03 Colin Brown
 2003-04 Geoff Brentnall
 2004-05 Tim Kemp
 2005-06 Helen Trigg
 2006-07 Richard Grimmett
 2007-08 Alison George
 2008-09 John Calnin
 2009-10 Rod Greer
 2010-11 Noel Emselle
 2011-12 Margaret Campbell
 2012-13 Richard Clay

Past Secretaries

Alan Kilpatrick
 Alan Kilpatrick
 Denis Joseph
 Denis Joseph
 Maurice Barwick
 Maurice Barwick
 Jim MacDonald
 Geoff Brentnall
 Bob Osbourne
 Bob Osbourne
 Ken Thibou/Bob Osbourne
 John Dodgshun
 John Dodgshun
 John Dodgshun
 Mark Donehue
 Mark Donehue
 Mark Donehue
 Geoff Morphett
 Tony Haines
 Tony Haines
 Tony Haines
 Dennis Saliba
 David Cornwell
 Rod Greer
 Rod Greer
 Victor Harnath
 Victor Harnath
 Victor Harnath
 Victor Harnath

Service Recognition:

Four Avenues of Service Citation

Rotary Foundation Meritorious Service Citation

PDG Henry Hudson, PP John Fox

PDG Henry Hudson

Paul Harris Fellows:

Moyia Armstrong
 Graham Bath – Sapp. Pin
 Colin Brown
 Geoff Chandler

Eric Bare
 Rodney Birrell
 John Calnin – Sapp. Pin
 David Cooke

Coral Barker
 Geoff Brentnall
 Margaret Campbell
 Marian Coppins

John Dodgshun
 Jan Fox
 Hans Franken
 Judy Greer

Norm Elliott
 John Fox – Sapp. Pin
 Martin Geerings
 Rod Greer

Charles Dawborn
 Noel Emselle
 Geoff Ford
 Alison George
 Richard Grimmett

Tony Haines
 Henry Hudson – Sapp. Pin
 Wal Kelly – Sapp. Pin
 Geoff Morphett
 Bill Penna
 Gerry Spencer
 Helen Trigg
 Dennis Wooten

Victor Harnath
 Isabella Hudson
 Gordon King – Sapp. Pin
 Frank Mountford
 Peter Robinson
 Bill Steains
 Richard Trigg
 John Wynn

Peter Hawthorne
 Tim Kemp
 Trevor McArdle
 Bob Osbourne
 Roy Rose
 Ron Todd
 David Tyrrell

President's Annual Report

As this busy rotary year comes to an end, we can reflect on what has been a most enjoyable and successful one in Rotary International's theme of 'Peace Through Service'.

The 2012-13 list of activities is obviously headed by the district conference [a most outstanding success] but also boasts a vast range of activities and projects both in the local community and beyond.

I wish to thank the chairs, and the relevant committees, for their committed work in achieving some very sound results.

Conference

Our hugely successful 2012-13 Rotary District Conference was due in the main to the work of the conference committee, headed up by John Calnin & DG Helen Trigg.

The committee's thorough research and preparation, and professional approach to detail ensured the weekend event would be a winner.

The venue was an absolute 'gem' ticking all the boxes, the catering was to a very high standard, and all of our guest speakers received rave reviews from everyone present.

And to our members, I thank you all for your participation in setting up and pulling down, and your assistance in the final clean up on the Sunday after noon, it certainly was a great team effort.

Meetings

The Ocean Grove Bowling Club continues to offer us a very comfortable and workable venue for our weekly meetings, as well as a varied menu of fine, quality food, plus a nearby bar to keep us refreshed. Thanks go to John Paton our sergeant for his fines sessions, his jokes, and for keeping his troops in order, Rod Greer, Rod Birrell and Gordon King ably assisted John throughout the year.

Program

Noel Emselle ensured we had a continuous list of speakers for our entertainment, education and enjoyment. Many enjoyable evenings resulted from the quality speakers who gave their time to entertain and amuse us.

Some of those highlights were:

On roads without lines-----Graeme Robin
Organ transplant experience-----Aaron Habgood
Sariri Village Project-----Andrew Thornton
Living with the shame-----Marion Pederson
Going north by light plane-----Bill Steains and John Calnin
G.S.E team from New York State, USA
Well-done Noel, on a great annual program

Foundation

The foundation year began with an address from PDG Chris Sims, who spoke of the need for Rotarians to make regular donations to the foundation, to enable it to achieve its aims of doing some good in the world.

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In April this year we were accepted as the hosts of the visiting GSE team from New York State, USA, several members acted as billets, and the visitors were treated to a trip along the great ocean road to Lorne, a meal at McGlashan's winery, a beach walk and coffee at Barwon Heads, a BBQ at the Kings, and a grand send off in a limo to the airport.

Good job Trevor and the billets for opening their homes, and giving of your time to make sure our visitors had a memorable stay with us in oz.

Donations to Interplast, Shelter Box, women's fistula program, plus postage on sporting and clothing items to the 'Ngambalanga' school in the NT, capped off an active and productive year in foundation. As usual, very capably handled Trevor.

Youth

Ann Hodgkinson seems to enjoy being 'flat out busy' in her role as chair of the Youth Committee. The committee's aim this year was to involve local Bellarine students in rotary programs as part of their self-development process at this very vital stage in their life.

Also they have especially attempted to support disadvantaged students to participate in these programs by providing financial support.

Some of the other Youth Committee's endeavours include:

The Graeme Bath Junior Community Awards

The Roy Rose Citizens Award

RYPEN camp near Creswick

Students Kyla Denham, Jasmin Davis attended the science experience program at the University of Melbourne in Jan. 2013 and spoke to members of that experience.

Thank you, Ann and your committee.

Vocational Service

It was pleasing to have the experience and commitment of someone like Geoff Chandler at the helm of this important portfolio, his work on the Gordon Institute Scholarship, the Davidson Awards Dinner and the Pride of Workmanship Awards were all sorted very effectively and without fuss, well done Geoff and to the Vocational Committee.

Membership

From a starting base of 52 we set the bar fairly high by anticipating an increase of 10 new members. After a topsy turvey year, our membership now stands at 54.

John Paton organised two new member nights during the year to create a Rotary awareness of what we are about.

Welcome to our new members and best wishes to those departed.

International

Geoff Brentnall and John Wynn were responsible for several 'transfers' of bikes, bike parts, and schoolbooks to DIK, Geoff continued the good work of the International committee by donating to ROMAC, Interplast, Sariri Village, Shelter Box and RAWCS, thank you Geoff.

Community Service

Many thanks to Peter Cullen for taking over the chair of this committee from Geoff Eglin after his resignation from Rotary, Peter oversaw the erection of a chook fence at Surfside Primary School. John Calnin and Marion Walton for organizing the seniors Xmas dinner and the ANZAC Dawn Service breakfast respectively. Peter Hawthorne continued his great work on Red Cross, and Wal Kelly just kept on keeping on with his Defibrillator education.

Mega Swim

With the introduction of our first swim team, a very successful 'Mega Swim' to aid 'Multiple Sclerosis' was held over the weekend of 25th 26th August 2012 which raised the fantastic amount of \$22,000.00.

Congratulations to Trevor McArdle, the swim team, and the Rotary helpers who made this event a wonderful Rotary effort.

Publicity

Its all happening in the publicity committee, with the advent of the clubs website, the introduction of our own 'Facebook' page.

John Flett deserves a big thank you for opening up this big new world of social media to us all.

Many thanks also to Alison George and assistant Rod Greer for preparing the bulletin each week, it has been both informative and humorous, well done.

Thanks to Alan Barber and the 'voice' for their continued support, to marg. Campbell [Art Show] John Paton [markets] and to Richard Grimmett for the production and hosting of the weekly bulletin

Fundraising:

Markets

Kind weather, a steady increase of stallholders and a greater effort to encourage new and homegrown product resulted in a figure of \$23,169.90 of income. John Paton and James Ricchini going great guns with the markets

Car raffle

Although the net amount of \$9,645.00 is still seen as a worthwhile figure for the annual car raffle, two [2] major factors kept this figure under last years effort. One was the foul weather on the 'caravan park night, the other was that the members were not required to take a book.

John Fox and Gary Golding did a very professional job in overseeing this successful Rotary fundraiser.

Weekly raffle

The weekly raffle continues to be an entertaining and financially successful segment of our weekly meetings returning approximately \$6000.00 for the year 2012-13

Art Show

After a change of venue to the Point Lonsdale school the rotary club of ocean groves annual Art Show was once again a success, benefitting three very worthy local charities i.e. Cottage by the Sea, Riding for the Disabled and Surfing for the Disabled.

Many thanks Coral and for your committee, congratulations on bringing to the local art community an Art Show of quality and excellent prize money, which we hope will only grow bigger and better in the future.

Administration

I would like to pass on a huge thank you to Vic Harnath for his Rotary knowledge with which he was able to assist me on numerous occasions. It was great to work with you Vic and I appreciated your guidance immensely. To our treasurer Fred Andrews with his quirky sense of humour and a sharp eye when it comes to numbers. [Must be the Scottish background] Fred carries out his duties admirably, so thank you to the both of you.

Social

Well done to Marion Walton and her committee for arranging several social outings, which resulted much fun and fellowship for those taking part. A few examples of these were, a Sunday afternoon of music in the gardens in Geelong, a bus trip to Colac for the Birregurra Cup, and after at the Birregurra Hotel. [An hilarious day out] ten pin bowling and a meal. Leone Clay organised a ladies trip to Melbourne by train to view the Hollywood costume exhibition and then lunch in the city.

Family of Rotary

I extend a big thank you once again to Norm Elliott for the magnificent job he does in visiting the sick and wounded members of our club. I believe he has a most calming bedside manner and a devilish personality, which can bring a smile to all concerned.

Special service projects

Special thanks to Phil Edwards for the thorough manner he tackles all of the service projects he takes on. A couple more in the pipeline are the Tuckfield Street Park, and the running/-walking track between Barwon Heads and Ocean Grove. More on these next year thanks again Phil.

Bowelscan

Thank you to Bill Walton and Vic Harnath for the work they do in collecting all the Bowelscan kits in the area for processing. Much appreciated gents.

Closing

In bringing closure to our rotary year of 'Peace Through Service' I would like to thank the board and the chairs, and committees of the various avenues of Rotary for there support and assistance.

To the members, a huge thanks for your support, and your willingness to help with projects and other Rotary ventures.

The 2012-13 year has been a most enjoyable and productive year as seen by the above, and the bank balance will ensure the incoming board can hit the ground running, I am sure that you will all give the same support and assistance to our incoming President Gordon King.

I wish to congratulate Helen Trigg on the fantastic job she has done in her year as [District Governor] the district will find it difficult to find someone as passionate and committed to Rotary as Helen.

Special thanks to my dear wife Leone, who has given me lots of support and understanding, I have experienced a most enjoyable year, one that I will treasure in my lifetime, and may I add that I feel very proud and honoured to have been your President in 2012-13

Richard Clay

President 2012/2013

Membership Report

July 2012 saw the club with 52 members and President Richard set a target of 10 new members for the next 12 months.

Two New Member Nights were held in combination with normal weekly members meetings and although no great influx of new applications occurred, both nights were successful in raising awareness of Rotary with potential members and a number of attendees will likely join in the future.

There is obviously a need in the community for a less formal, more flexible form of involvement and in 2011; Noel Emselle started Friends of Rotary Ocean Grove. In 2013/14 we aim to expand and formalise this or another group into a proper offshoot of our club.

During the year, we have welcomed Eng Ho, Jill Grigg, Maureen Renton, Peter Cowburn and Adrian Schmidt to our club and sadly we have accepted the resignations of John Eyles and John Flett this month. We thank them for their contributions and wish them well in the future.

John Paton
Membership Director

Treasurer's Report

As in previous years this report is a 'snapshot' of our current financial position and the full-assessed accounts will be presented at the AGM. This report shows a copy of the Treasurers monthly report to the Board for the month of May and gives a fair indication of the clubs financial status.

Treasurers Report - Rotary Club of Ocean Grove			
31st. May 2013			
Administration Account:			
Balance at 30th. April 2013			10839.57
Receipts			
Meals	3785.00		
Fines	71.95		
Raffle	494.00		
Rotary Clothing	37.50		
Pro-Rata Subs.	64.00		4452.45
			<u>15292.02</u>
Expenditure			
Meals	4244.00		
Post/Print	105.95		
Club Raffle Prizes	52.56		
Rotary Leadership Inst.	180.00		
Other Membership Exes.	431.03		5013.54
			<u>10278.48</u>
Charities Account:			
Balance at 30th. April 2013			35055.50
Receipts			
Market Site Rent (W)	2736.00		
Market Raffle (W)	260.00		
Market Donations Bin (W)	799.60		
RYPEN Refund	225.00		
RAWCS	40.00		
Donation	10.00		4070.60
			<u>39126.10</u>
Expenditure			
Market Expenses(W)	222.50		
ANZAC Breky	345.73		
O.G. CFA	1053.00		
Surfside Student Camp	400.00		
GSE Outing	600.00		
RAWCS	40.00		2661.23
			<u>36464.87</u>

<u>Balance</u>			
Balance at 30th. April 2013		45895 .07	
Plus Receipts		8523.05	
		<u>54418.12</u>	
Less Expenditure		7674.77	<u>46743.35</u>
Administration Account		10278.48	
Charities Account		<u>36464.87</u>	<u>46743.35</u>
Bank Balance at 26th. May 2013		45567.69	
Less Non-Presented Cheques		1525.74	
		<u>44041.95</u>	
Plus Credit Not Shown		2701.40	<u>46743.35</u>
Committed Funds			
Charities Account - Current		<u>36464.87</u>	
Youth		1150.00	
Vocational		100.00	
Rotary International		300.00	
Annette Cullen Award		600.00	(200/Year)
CFA		5000.00	(2500/Year)
Art Show Sponsorship		2500.00	
Rotary Foundation		2000.00	
PAD Project (to replace O.O.D. parts)		200.00	
		<u>11850.00</u>	
Funds Available for Distribution		<u>24614.87</u>	

Over the page there is a list of the charitable donations the club has distributed at this point in the year. It should be noted that donations will be some \$12K down on last year at this time but the available funds for distribution are some \$11K higher than this time last year.

Charity Account Distributions from 1st. July 2011 to 31st. May 2012

Donation To:	Amount	Allocated to:	Totals	\$
Megaswim Support	\$2,391.00	Community	Community	9261
O.G.Neighbourhood Centre	\$645.00	Community	Youth	8292
Australian Rotary Health	\$1,158.00	International	International	6098
Lions Club	\$500.00	Youth	Vocational	1452
BH & OG Art Group	\$250.00	Community		
Science Challenge Travel	\$200.00	Youth		
Roy Rose Awards	\$500.00	Youth		
Pad parts	\$560.00	Community		
BH/OG Guides	\$879.00	Youth		
Science Experience	\$110.00	Youth		
OG CFA	\$1,293.00	Community		
Annette Cullen Award	\$200.00	Youth		
OG Seniors Xmas Party	\$2,820.00	Community		
Graham Bath Award	\$88.00	Youth		
Pride of Workmanship Awards	\$452.00	Vocational		
Polio Plus	\$250.00	International		
ShelterBox	\$2,000.00	International		
Un. Church Share Appeal	\$706.00	Community		
VCE Award	\$2,000.00	Youth		
Post Goods to N.T. School	\$166.00	Youth		
Interplast	\$1,000.00	International		
D.I.K.	\$1,000.00	International		
MND Australia	\$250.00	Community		
Surfside Primary Amplifier	\$500.00	Youth		
Junior Comm. Award	\$264.00	Youth		
RYPEN	\$498.00	Youth		
The Gordon Apprenticeship	\$1,000.00	Vocational		
Adventures in Citizenship	\$1,000.00	Youth		
Surfside Primary Fence	\$987.00	Youth		
G.S.E. Team	\$690.00	International		
ANZAC Breakfast	\$346.00	Community		
Surfside Primary Camp	\$400.00	Youth		
TOTAL	\$25,103.00			

Committed Funds: Please refer to that section of the May report reproduced on previous page.
 Note that further commitments of \$3000 to Rotary Foundation and \$1000 to ROMAC have recently been approved!

Fred Andrews
Treasurer

Publicity

The Club's website is now readily accessed by members who navigate to the main site <http://www.rotaryoceangrove.org.au> as they access the weekly bulletin. The website has also become very important in promoting and advertising major fundraising initiatives, particularly the Art Show, and MegaSwim in 2012, and to a certain extent the 2013 District Conference. The website also allows information on regular events like the summer and winter markets to be readily accessed and viewed by members and general visitors. Other club activities to be noted on the site also include the Lookout Reserve project, FROGs meetings; and more recently the 2013 District Conference.

Over the year there has been over 9,800 page views and 3,000 individual unique site visitors or around 270 per month, with January and February being the busiest months. It is interesting to see that these figures are quite close to last year's totals.

In July 2010 our Facebook page was created <http://www.facebook.com/pages/Rotary-Club-of-Ocean-Grove>, we only have two Club members with a Facebook account and have had 3 new "Likes" over the year. Facebook can be a relatively quick and easy way to post photos and news of Club events, and for members to follow Club activities. It is not well utilised at this point for those things, but over time could become a more active site for many members. Perhaps like the mobile phones we "never needed" in time we will find that Facebook becomes a standard social media accessory for more of us. A big "Thank you!" goes to both Alison George, and Rod Greer and who has filled in from time to time, for preparing the weekly bulletin throughout the year. Alison's summaries of each meeting's events are insightful and informative. The bulletin's coverage of Club activities is nicely complemented with a sprinkling of some humorous anecdotes and makes this weekly email one that is interesting and entertaining.

The Voice has again been a major provider of published reports and Alan Barber has been a terrific supporter of the Club's work. Over the past 12 months the Club has been provided a regular fortnightly space in The Voice. This has given the Club an opportunity to showcase to the community some of the great work we have done in the community, as well as some of the brilliant guest speakers we have had. Once again the Art Show and MegaSwim events got several mentions, and were interspersed with articles on our donations to local fundraiser recipients such as Cottage by the Sea, Rainbow Riders, Riders for the Disabled, the Ocean Grove and 13th Beach SLSC's and CFA to mention just a few. Thanks also goes to Margaret Campbell who had a number of Art Show press releases printed in the Queenscliffe Herald; and John Paton for the regular promotion of the Club's Summer and Winter Markets in the Geelong Region "What's On" booklet.

Thanks also to Richard Grimmett who has assisted in maintaining the website, most notably the production and hosting of the weekly bulletin. Richard also helps out uploading information throughout the year as needed, and has kept a terrific photographic record of many Club activities. Richard also played a vital role in the AV booth at 2013 District Conference and ensured this event was also captured on film and video.

John Flett
Publicity Director

Community Service

The team had a change of direction with Geoff Eglin having to take time off due to work commitments and Peter Cullen taking over the roll of team leader.

The year was still a great success with the usual events still being managed very professionally.

The seniors Xmas Dinner, managed by Marion Walton's team ran as smoothly as ever, John Calnin is to be commended again for his Anzac morning service barbeque in spite of the very adverse weather, well done John.

Peter Hawthorne, thanks to his passionate belief in Red Cross call had another successful year, thank you Peter.

The lookout reserve project continues to be maintained by Rotary members, and hopefully with the addition of a few extra signs from City of Greater Geelong and ourselves we will see more visitors being aware of the area.

We purchased the materials and with the assistance of Rob Holt (a fencing contractor) and our own members, erected a fence across the orchard so the chickens can have a free range at the Surfside Primary School.

We have some projects in the pipeline for next year, which include, Tuckfield Street Park, the running/walking track between Ocean Grove and Barwon Heads with exercise machines.

We intend to approach all the Primary Schools in our area and get some leads on possible projects.

Thanks to all the team for the help in the last 12 months.

PP Peter Cullen
Community Service Chairman

Rotary Foundation Report 2012-2013

We commenced the year with an address from District Foundation Chairman, PDG. Chris Sims, who came as a guest speaker at one of our weekly meetings. Chris emphasised the importance of regular giving by Rotarians to the Foundation to enable it to achieve its aims of doing good in the world. Chris promoted the concept of becoming a Centurion, a Sustaining Member or a Benefactor and reminded us that a donation of US\$1,000 can be recognized as a Paul Harris qualification.

Chris also advised the club that 2013 would be a year of change with the adoption of the Future Vision Plan, which has since come into being during the last couple of months. Several club members attended the District Foundation Seminar in Ararat in November to have the Future Vision concept explained and the need for individual clubs to qualify to be able to apply for future district grants. Ocean Grove drew up a Memorandum of Understanding, which was then signed by Dick Clay as Club President and Gordon King as President Elect, which was then forwarded to District and accepted as qualification for us to have the right to apply for district grants

At the instigation of President Dick Clay the club applied to District to host the visiting GSE team from New York State and we were pleased to be accepted as hosts for 3 nights in April this year. Team leader, Karen Macier, Amanda Farnham, Kelly Guy, Melissa Lorah and Shannon Wallingford attended our District Conference in Drysdale and then stayed on with us over their last few days in Australia before flying home. Several club members home hosted the team and enjoyed their company. We entertained them locally with a walk along the beach before coffee at Barwon Heads and lunch at McGlashan's winery on the first day and then took them down the coast for lunch at Lorne and Koalas and parrots at Wye River on the second day, with a combined host family BBQ on their last night. We sent them off the next morning in regal fashion in a stretch limo to Melbourne airport to catch their flight home. It was a wonderful experience and all involved had a great time.

Late in the current year we again promoted the benefits of members becoming financial benefactors to the Foundation and we received requests for application forms from several members. Hopefully, we will have a few new Centurions before Changeover.

Donations during year included \$1,000 to Interplast, 2 new Shelter Boxes, \$1,000 to an overseas program to fund medical treatment for a women's fistula program and we paid the postage on sporting and clothing items collected from club members and others forwarded to the Ngambalanga school in the Northern Territory.

All in all a reasonable year but there are many more opportunities to explore and causes to support. It would be nice to take a more direct involvement in perhaps supporting a school or something similar overseas in the future and even sending a few members over in a working party. Something to think about!

I wish incoming director, Judy Greer, all the best for the next 12 months.

**PP Trevor McArdle PHF
Director.**

Bellarine Megaswim

The club conducted another 24 hour Megaswim to raise funds for MS Australia on the weekend of 25th/26th August last year. Funds raised go towards assisting MS sufferers achieve their dreams through a “Go For Gold” scholarship and also to provide financial support to make lives a little easier and bring a little sunshine into what can otherwise be a pretty dark existence.

For the first time Rotary entered our own team of Helen Trigg, Margaret Campbell, Peter Cullen, Noel Emselle, Richard Grimmett, Tony Haines, John Patton, Bill Steains, Richard Trigg, Kerrie Ricchini, Ian Bent, Noel Ritson-Bennett and superbly led by Manager, John Calnin and coached by Carolyn Hughes. They toiled valiantly over the 24 hours against five other teams – Borough Coutas, BASC, Ocean Grove Surf Club Nippers, Livewell and Hilda’s Hurricanes and acquitted themselves very well. We broke with MS Megaswim tradition and introduced three new events this year – the Bellarine Bullet (fastest 100 metres) and prizes for the most individual laps and most individual laps by an under 12.

Awards went to Mark Stone for the Coutas who swam the furthest distance in 7.9 ks, young Ryan McNolty, also from the Coutas, who swam 4 ks as an under 12 year old, the Youth Award went to the Nippers and the Bellarine Bullet to Lewis Howell-Pavia from the Ocean Grove Surf Club. Our own Rotary team won the overall prize for laps swum and funds raised combined with a magnificent \$10,500 plus funds raised and Rotarian Bill Steains took out the highest individual funds raised award with a sum of \$2,215.

Even though the number of teams was down on the previous year and individual team fundraising also down, we still managed to raise in excess of \$22,000 for this worthy cause and take our total for the 2 years to nearly \$50,000, a magnificent effort by all concerned.

At the suggestion of MS Australia we have decided to not hold an event this Rotary year to allow everybody to charge up his or her batteries for a big effort in August 2014 when we will be hoping to raise in excess of \$25,000.

A big thank you to all members who worked hard to make this event so successful over the past 2 years and we look forward to bigger things in 2014.

PP Trevor McArdle PHF
Co-ordinator

International Service

Continued support for DIK

On the 18th of September 2012, John Wynn transferred more than a dozen bikes and bike parts and boxes of schoolbooks, which had been in storage, to the DIK depot at North Geelong. Another transfer took place on 5th of February 2013.

Another transfer took place on 30th of April 2013.

ROMAC

INTERPLAST

(Amanda Hough expected to address club on 4th of June 2013 about District 9780 Interplast Program)

MODEL VILLAGE at SARIRI, PNG: Via Anton Van Doornik, next team to go in May 2013. Andrew Thorburn from the Rotary Club of East Geelong addressed the club on the 5th of March 2013. An excellent presentation

SHELTERBOX: Regular reports made about current distributions.

RAWCS: Sales of stickers re-commenced in November 2012 20 stickers sold at \$2 each i.e. \$40 collected

Communications in January from Drs. Heinz and Sigrid Tonn of our sister club in Salzgitter, Germany

International club forum to be held to attempt to get some consensus about international connections the club should be aiming to make and the manner in which overseas aid should be dispersed.

A request for financial support from Speech Pathologist Nicki Goodwin and her daughter to enable them to carry out voluntary work in Fiji was not supported by the Board after hearing their presentation on Tuesday, 9th of April 2013.

On Monday April 15th, 2013, Geoff Brentnall and Pres. Dick Clay met at 13th Beach Golf Club with Glenn Mills, Executive Director of the UTi Charitable Foundation to see if our club could co-operate with the Foundation in an International project. Glenn offered to address the club about what the Foundation does. Geoff and Dick were uncertain about desirability of the club involving itself with a non-Rotary organization for a number of reasons (Not eligible for Global grants, accountability etc.)

PP Geoff Brentnall PHF
International director

Youth Services 2012-2013

Committee: Ann Hodgkinson (Chair), Margaret Campbell (Asst Chair), Rod Bush, Tony Haines, Gillian Morgan, Jillian Grigg and Adrian Schmidt.

This has been a busy year for the New Generations program. We ran the same set of projects as in the past few years, but activities seemed to have become complicated this year. Our aim has been to involve local Bellarine students in Rotary programs as part of their self-development processes at this vital stage in their life. We have especially attempted to support disadvantaged students (broadly defined) to participate in these programs by providing financial support. Overall, we expended about \$5,000 this year on Rotary youth programs. Thank you to all Club members for their continued support of the New Generations programs.

The Graham Bath Junior Community Awards were run again with a significantly increased number of participants. This year we had 29 successful completions of the program from year 6 students from Ocean Grove Primary School plus two participants from Star of the Sea. They stunned us with the quality of their work. Ocean Grove P.S. required all of its' leadership group to participate this year resulting in the larger number participants for 2012-13. Particular thanks go to Tony Haines for his continued help with this program and a warm welcome back onto the committee.

We continued our special programs with Bellarine Secondary College. We again sponsored the Roy Rose Citizenship Award and supported two students through the VCE Individual Support Program. Zack Kingsbury continued on into Year 12. Our New Year 11 student was Matthew Heard. Both these students plus the outgoing student Stephanie Van Ryken Ayres attended a Rotary function, with Stephanie treating us to an example of her audition music for performing arts schools.

Our applicant for the National Youth Science Forum in Canberra in January this year was not successful. However, Josiah Herma from Bellarine Secondary College was selected to attend the Rotary Adventures in Citizenship week in Canberra in May of this year.

We had one student, Kayla Denham from Bellarine Secondary College; attend the RYPEN camp near Creswick in April. She found the experience very rewarding in helping her evaluate her future directions and improve her self-confidence. Unfortunately, one participant for RYPEN pulled out at the last minute, and we had no applicants for RYLA this year. Jasmine Davis, from Sacred Heart College, attended the Science Experience program at the University of Melbourne in January 2013. She told club members how inspiring she found this program and is planning to follow a science career in the future.

In addition, donations were made as follows: \$200 to the Challenge Assistance Fund, \$200 to the Bellarine College Youth fest program, and \$400 emergency payment to enable a student from Surfside Primary to attend the school camp.

Ann Hodgkinson
Chair, Youth Services Committee

Summer Market Report 2012 – 2013

The Summer Market season for 2012 – 2013 had 7 markets. We had no cancellations during this time. The weather was kind to us. Counting cars was discontinued.

The support from the stallholders showed a steady increase from October onwards with our last markets nearing the 100 mark (See graph sites 2013) Mention must be made of the excellent support we received from the Geelong City Council with regard to having the grounds mowed, the bins emptied and the toilets cleaned prior to each market.

The concentrated effort of encouraging new products into the market has met with success. A greater variety of homegrown product mixed with “carnival” atmosphere had stallholders making positive comments.

The Market Team: – Col Brown (parking), Gordon King (Gold Coin Donation organiser), Geoff Ford (Roster of Admin Tent) John Flett and Peter McLennan (Erecting and taking in signs) Alison George (The face of Rotary in the tent and gun raffle ticket seller) A huge thanks must go to John Paton for his early morning starts to place stallholders, assist with signs etc. The sort of guy who made my work much easier, I must make mention of my son, Jason Ricchini who volunteered his assistance with the early starts for all markets a great support to John and myself. To the volunteers, who put their names forward month after month to make the market a success, Thank you?

Sponsors: Fagg’s Mitre 10 Wallington, who provided two \$50.00 vouchers per market and provided free advertising space on their property. Collendina Caravan Park with a cash injection, The Voice, who promoted our monthly markets and featured stories about the market. Finally Paxton Press who designed our pamphlets and flyers etc.

The Summer Season 2013 – 2014 will be co-ordinated by Jim Ricchini along with a band of dedicated supporters.

James Ricchini
Market Manager

The following graphs show a snapshot of the money raised during the 2012 – 2013 year. The Treasurer’s Report will detail expenses against the Market.

	Sites 2012- 13	Sites 2011 -12	# Cars 2011 - 12	# Cars 2012 - 13	Fagg’s Mitre10 Raffle 2011 -12	Fagg’s Mitre10 Raffle 2012 - 13	Donation 2012 - 13	Last Season
Oct	63	76	416	339	\$ 166.10	\$ 132.00	\$ 439.45	\$ 644.55
Nov	64	72	458	815	\$ 116.30	\$ 147.95	\$ 1,234.95	\$ 840.55
Dec	104	81	420	NT	\$ 206.85	\$ 121.00	\$ 705.65	\$ 791.30
Jan	91	69	462	NT	\$ 252.30	\$ 229.30	\$ 1,393.55	\$ 941.05
Feb	106	66	466	NT	\$ 181.15	\$ 123.00	\$ 928.30	\$ 764.95
Mar	80	32	298	NT	\$ 208.00	\$ 228.00	\$ 776.00	\$ 512.65
April	No Market	44	468	No Market	\$ 203.80	No Market	No Market	\$ 815.00
Easter	100	62	358	NT	\$ 181.00	\$ 217.00	\$ 1,053.00	\$ 604.25

608 502 1154 \$1,515.0 \$ 1,198.25 \$ 6,530.90 \$ 5,914.30

Site Rent Income	Raffle Income	Misc. Income	Expend	Income	INSURANCE
\$ 15,030.00	\$1,198.25	\$ 7,031.65	\$90.00	\$ 23,169.90	\$ 390.00
			TARGET FOR SEASON	\$ 21,000.00	
(Last Season)	\$ 13,208.30	\$ 1,515.50	\$ 5,914.30	\$ 5,137.10	\$ 20,638.10

Variance \$1,821.70 -\$317.25 \$1,117.5 \$5,047.0 \$2,531.80

Notes:

1. "Misc. Income" is sponsorship income + donations bin at markets
2. Donation Money to CFA. In Easter 2013

Jim Ricchini
Summer Market Co-ordinator 2012 - 2013

Indoor Market Report 2012 – 2013

Monthly winter indoor markets in the Bellarine Aquatic & Sports Centre have become a successful extension of our traditional outdoor summer markets in Kingston Park and in the winter of 2012, five markets were held and the Club raised approximately \$8000 profit from this venture. In 2013, again five markets will be held from May to September. At the time of this report, the May and June markets have been well supported and the Club is on track to raise a similar amount to last year.

As with the summer markets, entry donations are collected on behalf of a local or international charity and the organisations that have benefitted in 2012/13 have been: Australian Rotary Health, Barwon Heads Girl Guides, Rotary Foundation, Ocean Grove Men's Shed & Riding for the Disabled.

The Markets Committee is very grateful for the ongoing support of a number of organisations. In particular I wish to express our sincere thanks to **Wallington Mitre 10** who have kindly donated prizes for our raffles each month. The **Ocean Grove Voice** has been a great supporter and has promoted the markets very generously in their fortnightly newspapers and Geoff Eglin's **Paxton Press** has continued to support us through reduced price printing and excellent service. The management of the Bellarine Aquatic & Sports Centre have also been a pleasure to deal with and we thank them for helping to make the markets successful.

As co-ordinator, I also want to express my appreciation of the contributions made by members of our club. Each market requires up to 20 members to volunteer some of their Sunday and I appreciate the ease with which each roster is filled. Thank you members.

John Paton
Indoor Market Co-ordinator

2013 Conference Report for District 9780

The District 9780 Conference for 2013 is now over and, from all accounts and acclamations received, was a great success.

Whilst the Conference is only a three-day event, it took fourteen months to plan. To run a successful conference it is necessary to have the right people in place to accept the responsibility. We were spoilt for choice of talented members in the Ocean Grove Rotary Club who had the expertise to take on roles and accept responsibility. This made my job a lot easier and I am grateful to these Rotarians and partners.

My computer skills at times leave a lot to be desired but because of this, Carole Birrell was appointed as my personal assistant. Her knowledge and skills were second to none, and without her, many of the jobs would never have been completed. I recommend to all future Chairpersons that they appoint a personal assistant as it relieves an enormous workload. I was not aware of the demands on the Chairman until I had accepted the role.

Funding:

Funding plays a big part with all functions. My Committee realised at the beginning that sponsorship was going to be difficult to gain and this proved correct. To offset this an approach was made to the District to increase their assistance. Fortunately they advanced us an extra \$5,000.00, which we were able to repay.

To our sponsors, I extend our thanks as their funding was very much appreciated. City of Greater Geelong also supported the Conference with a grant that offset our site rental.

Venue:

We were very fortunate to find an excellent venue for the Conference. Christian College's new Art and Cultural Centre at Drysdale were ideal for our needs and the Principal and staff provided valuable assistance.

Speakers:

Congratulations to District Governor Helen Trigg and the Committee on selecting an excellent array of keynote speakers. The variety of topics was excellent and all had the underlying message - "Peace".

Social:

People love to dress up and Rotarians are no exception. Saturday night saw 150 attend the Blues Train and in excess of 200 aboard the Sea Road Ferry enjoying a trip across the bay followed by dinner and dancing. The theme "Flappers and Gangsters" created a great atmosphere for both venues and all had a great time.

Catering:

Penstar Culinary Concepts provided delicious fine food for the Friday night cocktail party and the weekend. They proved a very professional outfit and met all our demands with a smile. I am positive nobody went hungry. This set the tone for a wonderful weekend.

Conference:

This is what we were here for. To our Program Manager and those who assisted, congratulations on delivering a well balanced program. I spoke earlier of a variety of keynote speakers and with the addition of Rotarians and the various portfolios associated with Rotary, it made for a very enjoyable and balanced experience.

Our joint Masters of Ceremonies carried out their duties in a very professional but relaxed manner and congratulations on the Conference running to time. The MCs were also responsible for conducting a Q&A competition with hints being given out at the commencement of each session. This created great interest and assisted in getting attendees back into the auditorium on time. The winner received a valuable travel voucher from one of our sponsors.

Rotary On Show:

It was fortunate that there was a considerable floor area so that many could showcase their projects. The variety of stalls created a great atmosphere and an enormous amount of interest. It was pleasing that our sponsors were able to display their products.

Committee:

For the record I would like to list the Conference Committee:

District Governor:	Helen Trigg
District Secretary:	Rod Greer
Conference Chairman:	John Calnin
Personal Assistant:	Carole Birrell
Administration:	John Flett
Club President:	Dick Clay
Finance:	Peter McLennan
Program:	Gordon King
Social:	Judy Greer
Venue Manager:	Hans Franken
Communications:	John Paton

Sponsors:

Kings Funerals
Collendina Caravan Park
Harvey World Travel
Grand Pacific Tours
Cr Jan Farrell
Cr Lindsay Ellis
Scotchman's Hill Winery

Volunteers:

Thanks to the members of the Ocean Grove Rotary Club for their tremendous support throughout the experience and their willingness to help. "Consider it done" was their answer to any request. Also thanks to their partners for their valuable assistance.

As the Conference is a District function, clubs from Queenscliff and Drysdale were asked to be involved. They accepted the invitation and the Committee thanks them for their support.

Last but not least is my wife, Nanette, who was a great sounding board over the many months. Her support to the caterers was superb and allowed me a very easy ride at the Conference. I have to admit it is nice to get our house back to normal, as for a while it was one large storeroom.

In closing, I wish the Rotary Club of Bordertown every success with their Conference in 2014 and I am looking forward to sitting back and taking it all in. No doubt they will be also well rewarded for all their efforts.

**PP John Calnin PHF
Conference Chairman**

Health

The Club continued to support the Red Cross Calling Appeal in March. Although not the most popular event, 32 Rotarians door-knocked residents in Ocean Grove, raising a total of \$10,114.00. This total was about average for Ocean Grove, although the Geelong district was down on recent years.

Bowel Scan is still being promoted amongst district residents. All members are now Organ Donors and they continue to encourage others to become donors also. Recent TV coverage and heart recipient Aaron Habgood's wonderful presentation at our April District Conference I am sure will see an even greater response from other District Rotary Clubs.

PP Peter Hawthorne PHF
Health Committee Chairperson

ANZAC Day Breakfast

I have never reported on our Anzac Day Breakfast before however, as 2013 might be the last, felt it to be worthy of a mention.

Unfortunately I have no idea how many years this has been going but to all the members who have been very consistent with their help, I thank them very much.

Over the years, the function has been well supported by our traders, Ocean Grove Quality Meats who have always provided the bacon at cost and Penny Hens of Moolap who have always donated the eggs 2013 was probably our biggest breakfast ever and approximately 200 people enjoyed the bacon & egg sandwiches. It was a matter of Rotary hold back as there was not enough for the members to enjoy.

The teas and coffee offered by the Greer's was again very popular and put the kitchen under pressure. The Dawn Service itself was extremely well attended and to Richard & Phillip of Bellarine Memories, congratulations on a very professional service.

Funding has been granted by the State Government to move the Cenotaph to the park, which may make it very difficult for the barbecue. There are a couple of alternatives and if possible, the breakfast will continue for many years and give a lot of enjoyment to many diggers.

PP John Calnin PHF
ANZAC Day Co-ordinator

Vocational Service

This has been a successful year for Vocational service.

Gordon Scholarship: - The scholarship details were established and applications were sought at the beginning of the academic year. Interviews were held and the successful applicant was Gemma Borgwardt from Drysdale who is an apprentice chef at Café Zoo. The presentation was made at the Gordon TAFE presentation awards night.

Davidson Dinner: - A dinner was held at The Davidson restaurant in May. The Davidson is the training restaurant for the Gordon TAFE College. 58 Rotarians and partners attended. A very successful evening where the meals prepared by the students was presented in a very attractive way.

Pride of Workmanship: - Several nominations were received and 5 awards were made at a club meeting in November. The successful nominations were: - Andrew Acquillina, Ocean Grove Hardware Sales staff, Ocean Grove Bowling Club Hospitality staff, David Bastiaan, and Jenny Lander.

Vocational speakers: - Several speakers spoke of their work and how it impacts on society. In particular optometrist Majella O'Connor spoke about her profession and the latest in eye management for older people. Andrew McKinnon from Parks Victoria spoke about his environmental work in our area.

Work Place visit: - We had a visit to the SES in Drysdale. It was a very successful evening.

Shine On Awards: - Nominations were invited but no nominations were received.

**PP Geoff Chandler PHF
Vocational Service Chairman**

Fundraising

The monthly market program continued to be the leading fundraiser for the year.

The car raffle also continued to be one of our top fundraisers, however the income was down a little from last year. Participation in this important fundraiser next year and the approach to selling will need careful consideration.

The result from our second Art Show was impacted by a significant reduction in sponsor support; hopefully the show will bounce back again next year.

Overall a good result in a difficult year, congratulations and special thanks to all involved in this year's fundraising.

Income from July 1 2012 to May 31 2013 (Except for winter market)

<u>Charity Account</u>	2010	2011	2012	2013
Monthly Market (S)	\$18023	\$20600	\$19845	\$10859(net)
Monthly Market (W)	N/A	\$6368	\$5648(to date)	\$3073(net)
Art Show	N/A	N/A	\$17216	\$8465(net)
Car Raffle	\$20803	\$24892	\$14876	\$9497(net)
 <u>Admin. Account</u>				
Weekly Raffle	\$5706	\$6180	\$7034	\$5447(net)
Weekly Fines	\$786	\$688	\$1014	\$958
Footy Tipping	\$402	\$450	\$450(est.)	\$450(est.)

John Eyles
Fundraising Chairperson

2012 Ocean Grove Rotary Art Show Report

Committee members.

Coral Barker (Chair), Tony Haines (Secretary), Martin Geerings (Treasurer), Margaret Campbell (Publicity and promotion), Noel Emselle (Bus & General), Ian Bent (Hall Logistics), Rod Bush (Technology).

Chairman's Report:

Melbourne Cup Holiday Weekend

The Art Show Committee decided this year to change the venue this year after some difficulties with the Queenscliff venue in 2011.

It was also decided to limit the selling days to Saturday and Sunday after a very poor visitor response on the Monday last year.

Many venues were considered in Ocean Grove. – The swim centre was not secure and the lighting was a problem. The local school halls were not available, as they could not be accessed in school time. Church halls were not available on Sundays.

Finally we settled on the Point Lonsdale school hall. It was available to us in school hours, had adequate parking and most importantly it is a beautiful modern building with wonderful facilities and a lot of natural light.

The school management was very welcoming and helpful and rented the venue to us at very moderate rental.

It was decided to keep the four sections of art works – General Painting, Print Making, Drawing and Stencil Street Art.

The Stencil Art Section was not very well supported and we need to consider whether this will continue.

Entry fees remained the same - \$25.00 for a large painting and \$15.00 for a small painting. Keeping the entry fee high establishes a high standard of entries. The standard of the work entered needs to reflect the value of the prizes offered, and creates a quality Art Show with all works very saleable.

The Committee decided the three main beneficiaries of funds raised would be the Riding for the Disabled Association, Surfing for the Disabled and The Cottage by the Sea, and charities nominated by the Rotary Club of Ocean Grove.

Fund raising for sponsors proved to be a considerable challenge. We had the generous support of Phil and Robyn Edwards with sponsorship of \$5000. We also had \$1000 each from John and Janice Wynn, Bill and Joan Steains and Edgars Real Estate.

Getting more sponsors proved to be impossible, mainly because we started too late and were hopeful of repeat sponsorship from last year, which in a difficult economic climate was not forthcoming.

As a result the Board agreed to underwrite the balance of the prize money and to sponsor the main \$2500 prize, which greatly reduced our profit margin.

The Committee agreed not to run a major raffle for the art show, so that the club car raffle could run an extra two months. It was decided to run a small raffle with the help of the three beneficiary organizations. All three were given books of tickets, some did better than others and we sold the balance over the Art Show weekend.

Last year the Art Show raffle raised \$7500, this year - a wonderful result (considering the limited selling opportunities) of \$2123.00.

This result could be improved on in the future.

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The hall logistics worked very well and all stands were erected and dismantled much easier without the problem of dealing with lights.

Street signage is difficult to arrange due to the council regulations and we could have had better directional signage around the venue on the day. We have already booked the road signs early for next year and we have had an offer from the school staff to use their properties close to the school.

Signs are expensive to produce and if the Art Show is to continue, and is at the same venue, we will make signs that can be used permanently.

Opening night was very successful, helped by the generosity of the board enabling free attendance for club members.

Catering by John and Nan Calnin and their teams ensured that everyone was happy.

Many of the exhibiting artists attended and heard the announcing of the prizewinners and the judges comments. Most prizewinners were in attendance.

The experiment with morning and afternoon tea was unsuccessful. However it is not an idea we will abandon completely at this stage. The sausage sizzle was moderately more successful.

The bus did not bring as many visitors as we had hoped.

Visitors to the Art Show were constant throughout the weekend.

Free entry with the option of a coin donation or the purchase of a catalogue worked very well, with many people doing both – very few entered without doing either.

We realised too late the opportunity to promote the Art Show at the October Market. In future years we will hand out flyers for the Art Show at the October market gate. Also we should also cross promote the Art Show and the Market when they are on the same weekend.

The Peoples Choice award encourages the visiting public to stay longer and be more involved. It also gives us a valuable insight to postcodes of our visitors, which is helpful when sourcing sponsors.

The committee received very complimentary comments from the public throughout the weekend, especially about the high standard of art works shown.

We received eight enquiries from visiting artist (who had not entered this year) for entries forms for next year.

We believe that we have a format for an annual event – if we can get the sponsors

Art Show Treasurer's Report:

Financial Statement

Receipts / Income	\$
Art Show entry fees	4755.00
Sponsorship	10500.00
Raffle Ticket sales	2775.00
Donations	377.50
Catalogue advertising	780.00
Catalogue Sales	700.00
Art Show sales *	17,120.00
Art Show opening	890.00
Re-imburement by B. Bank merchant fee	199.67
Catering (BBQ & Afternoon Teas)	298.20
	38,395.37

Expenses	\$
Raffle costs	798.00
Printing / Office Supplies	220.00
Advertising	1263.72
Stationery / Postage	224.80
Art Show Opening	697.90
Judges – Fees, Accom. & Travel	1250.50
Art Show Prizes	10,000.00
Cost of board hire	480.00
Catering (BBQ & afternoon Teas)	291.90
Catalogue Printing	540.00
Road Signage	567.00
Artist's payments from sales*	12845.00
Bendigo Bank Merchant fees	199.67
Go Pos Transaction fees	24.85
Hall Hire	400.00
Swing Tags	26.40
Men's Shed (Rails for stage)	100.00
	29,929.74
Surplus	<u>8465.63</u>

*Commission on sale of Art Works \$4725.00

Evaluation Report

Eight members took the opportunity to assist the Committee 'evaluate the 2012 Art Show. Their responses combined with the Committee's thoughts are collated in the form of an Appendix to this Report.

It is intended that these response are considered by the next Art Show Committee when planning for their Art Show

ART SHOW SPONSORS

- Major Sponsor: *Phil Edwards, Edwards Management & Consulting Pty Ltd* \$5000.00
- Prize Sponsor: *Rotary Club of Ocean Grove* \$2500.00
- Prize Sponsor: *Bill and Joan Steains, Collendina Caravan Park* \$1000.00
- Prize Sponsor: *Wynndean Holiday Resorts P/L, Ocean Grove* \$1000.00
- Prize Sponsor: *R T Edgar Bellarine Real Estate* \$1000.00

SECOND OCEAN GROVE ROTARY ART SHOW RAFFLE SPONSORS

- Barwon Coast – Barwon Heads
- Barwon Heads Golf Resort – Barwon Heads
- Adventure Park Water Park – Leopold

Much appreciated too is Paxton Press's generous sponsorship of goods and services and the support of the Bendigo Bank.

SECOND OCEAN GROVE ROTARY ART SHOW PRIZE WINNERS

Major Sponsor Acquisitive Prize

Sponsored by

Edwards Management & Consulting Pty Ltd

Prize value: \$1,000.00

Winner: Dennis Sonogan "*At The Dam*"

Best Overall Work of Art in Show

Prize Sponsor – Rotary Club of Ocean Grove Inc

Prize value: \$2500.00

Winner: Jo Reitze "*River Flats Ocean Grove*"

Print Making First Prize

Sponsored by

Bill and Joan Steains – Collendina Caravan Park

Prize value: \$1,000.00

Winner: Joel Wolter "*Universal Lane*"

Print Making Second Prize

Prize value: \$500.00

Winner: John Madsen "*Stonehenge*"

SECOND OCEAN GROVE ROTARY ART SHOW PRIZE WINNERS (Cont'd.)

Drawing First Prize

Sponsored by

Wynndean Holiday Resorts Pty Ltd

Value: \$1,000.00

Winner: Linda Robertson "*Figure Study I*"

Drawing Second Prize

Prize value \$500.00

Winner: Anita Peters "*Retire*"

Stencil Street Art First Prize

Sponsored by

Rotary Club of Ocean Grove Inc

Prize value: \$1,000.00

Winner: Jessica Kease "*Cut Yourself Shaving*"

Stencil Street Art Second Prize

Value: \$500.00

Winner: Jessica Kease "*This City*"

Painting First Prize

Sponsored by

R T Edgar Bellarine

Prize value: \$1,000.00

Winner: Richard Jones "*Outback Hawker Scene*"

Painting Second Prize

Prize value: \$500.00

Winner: Diane Hill "*Waiting*"

People's Choice as voted by the public

Sponsored by

Rotary Club of Ocean Grove Inc

Prize value: \$500.00

Winner: Richard Jones "*Reminiscing*"

Highly Commended

- Lyn Ellis "*Birds of Paradise*"
- Josephine Pititto "*Day at the Farm*"
- Do Noble "*Autumn Interlude*"
- Richard Jones "*Reminiscing*"
- Robert Tantau "*The Old Truck*"
- Imants Niedra "*Still Life*"
- Adam Bond "*Fightbook*"

ART SHOW BENEFICIARIES

Profits will be shared equally between the following beneficiaries:

- **Riding for the Disabled Association** – 25%
Developing abilities and enriching lives through specialized programs and relationships with horses
- **Disabled Surfers Association** – 25%
Providing people with disabilities an opportunity to experience surfing.
- **Cottage by the Sea** – 25%
Caring for children and families in need of short-term relief care.
- **Rotary nominated cause(s)** – 25%

RAFFLE

Prizes:

1st: Apple I Pad Wi-Fi 32GBS Value \$649.00 (Purchased from raffle takings. (Ticket 59)

2nd: Barwon Coast Accommodation Package – Value \$235.00 (Ticket 1433)

3rd: Barwon Heads Resort 13th Beach – Accommodation Package – Value \$225.00 (Ticket 13180)

4th: Adventure Park Wallington – 2 admission tickets – Value \$74.00 (Ticket 326)

Selling of Tickets:

The three Beneficiaries were asked to sell tickets. Results of their efforts were as follows:

- Disabled Surfers Association – 236 tickets to the value of \$472.00
- Riding for the Disabled Association – 290 tickets to the value of \$580.00
- Cottage by the Sea – 200 tickets sold to the value of \$400.00
- Rotary Club of Ocean Grove – 660 tickets sold to the value of \$1320.00

Total 2772.00

Less iPad cost \$649.00

\$2123.00

The Club had 23 individual Raffle ticket sellers prior to the Art Show. They sold 36 books (360 tickets), and 30 books (300 tickets) were sold at the Art Show.

PP Coral Barker PHF
Art Show Chairperson

55 Members Attendance Report for 1 July 2012 – 31 May 2013

Members Name	Attended	Makeup's	%
Andrews Fred	47		95.92
Barker Coral	46	2	93.87
Bent Ian	39	1	79.59
Birrell Rod	35	3	71.43
Brentnall Geoff	43	1	87.75
Brown Colin	36	2	73.47
Bush Rod	22	1	44.90
Calnin John	38	2	77.55
Campbell Margaret	39	2	79.59
Chamberlain Graeme	33		67.35
Chandler Geoff	44		89.80
Clay Richard	49 *	1	100.00
Cowburn Peter (Inducted 23 Apr 2013)	4		80.00
Cullen Peter	35	1	71.43
Cummins Mick	16	4	32.65
Dodgshun John	23		46.94
Edwards Phil	42	2	85.71
Elliott Norman	48		97.96
Emselle Noel	43		87.75
Eyles John	20		40.82
Flett John	33	2	67.35
Ford Geoff	40	1	81.63
Fox John	37	1	75.51
Franken Hans	31	1	63.26
Geerings Martin	36	1	73.47
George Alison	42		85.71
Golding Gary	19		38.77
Greer Judy	44	1	89.79
Greer Rod	45	2	91.84
Grigg, Jill (Inducted 27 Nov 2012)	17		34.69
Grimmett Richard	38		77.55
Haines Tony	36	7	73.47
Harnath Victor	49 *		100.00
Hawthorne Peter	37	2	75.51
Ho, Eng (Inducted 23 Oct 2012)	21		42.86
Hodgkinson Ann	44	1	89.79
Kelly Wal	31		63.26
King Gordon	46	3	93.88
Magee Alex	43		87.75
McArdle Trevor	45		91.84
McLennan Peter	46		93.88
Morgan Gillian	42		85.71
Osbourne Bob	32	2	65.31
Paton John	37	1	75.51
Ricchini Jim	35	1	71.43
Ritson-Bennett Noel	27	1	55.10
Schmidt Adrian (Transferred 14 May 2013)	3 *		100.00
Spencer Gerry	32	1	65.31
Steains Bill	34	2	69.39
Trigg Helen	43	18	87.75
Trigg Richard	39	17	79.59
Tyrrell David	14	2	28.57
Walton Marion	44	1	89.79
Walton William	44	2	89.79
Wynn John	37	1	75.51

**PP Victor Harnath PHF
Attendance Officer**

*** 100 Attendance**

Social Report

Committee: Marion Walton, Judy Greer, Graeme Chamberlain, John Calnin, Coral Barker and Richard Trigg

This year we were able to enjoy some social times together with fellow Rotarians and their partners.

We had a trip to the movies followed by a meal and we went to Rokewood for tree planting and a BBQ. We spent a Sunday afternoon at Music in the Geelong Gardens.

A number of us enjoyed Ten Pin bowling followed by a meal.

We had a bus trip to the Birregurra Cup at the Colac racetrack, followed by a meal at the Winchlesea Hotel on the way home.

We entertained the seniors for their annual Christmas Dinner at Club Grove.

Leone Clay organised a ladies trip to Melbourne on the train to see the Hollywood Costume exhibition and then lunch.

We also enjoyed the social times at our Conference, catching up with friends, Friday drinks, and either the Blues Train or the Dinner and dancing on the Ferry on Saturday night.

Marion Walton
Social Chairperson

Program 2012-13

Date	Topic / Activity	Guest Speaker
03-July-2012	Running a local newspaper	Michelle Mitten
10-July-2012	Project Planning and Team Meetings	Committee Chairs
17-July-2012	RI Conference Bangkok 2012	Rod Stewart & Kevin Carey
24-July-2012	District Membership Initiatives	PDG Jesse Harman
31-July-2012	East Timor Experiences	Neville Barwick
07-August-2012	On Roads Without Lines	Graeme Robin? 5255 3435
Thursday, 9 August	Geelong Groups Joint Meeting	DG Helen Trigg
14-August-2012	Who am I?	Rtn.P McLennan, Rtn.G Morgan
21-August-2012	Megaswim/Art Show Planning	
28-August-2012	Rotary Information Night	
04-September-2012	"White Space"	Local Author: Kristine Fitzgerald
11-September-2012	Rotary Overseas Exchange (Thailand)	John Jones, RC Eaglehawk
18-September-2012	"Tha's Nicked" The BEAR Project	Martin Stow Helen Butteriss
25-September-2012	Crack the Codeword	Catherine Eagleson, RC Drysdale
02-October-2012	Modern Eye Health Issues?	Majella O'Connor
09-October-2012	Organ Transplant Experience	Aaron Habgood
16-October-2012	SES Drysdale. Meet @ 6:00pm	N/A
23-October-2012	Junior Community Awards	Students
30-October-2012	Art Show Planning	
06-November-2012	CUP DAY	
13-November-2012	Rotary Foundation Matters	PDG Chris Sims
20-November-2012	VCE Support Presentations	
27-November-2012	Pride of Workmanship Awards	
04-December-2012	Senior Citizen's Xmas Dinner	
11-December-2012	Xmas Dinner Meeting	
18-December-2012	"Behind the Badge" Talks 3x(10 min each)	Noel R-B, G Chamb'ln, Eng Ho
08-January-2013	OGSLSC Members Lounge	Fellowship Only
15-January-2013	BBQ @ King's 225 Thacker St	N/A
22-January-2013	Film - The Last Race	
29-January-2013	"Deakin Volunteer Patients Program"	Leanne Basham
05-February-2013	Social Media	Rod Bush
12-February-2013	"Living with the Shame"	Marion Pedersen
19-February-2013	Christian College Drysdale/Zoo for meal?	Familiarisation and fellowship
26-February-2013	Art Show Cheque Presentations & Sponsors	Jasmine Davis, Science Experience
05-March-2013	National Parks in Victoria	Matt Ruchel, Exec Director VNPA
12-March-2013	Rotary Information Night ROMAC	Rtn Noel Lunnie (Belmont),
19-March-2013	About a cycling journey in USA?	Luke Martin & Ada Hodgson
26-March-2013	CLUB ASSEMBLY	Red Cross Calling
02-April-2013	Sariri Village Project	Andrew Thornton 0417 358 007
09-April-2013	Assistance for a Fijian Special School	Nicki Goodwin 0402 564 987
Thursday 18 th April	GSE Team	GSE Team
23-April-2013	10 months in Iraq	Brig (Rtd) Dave McGahey
30-April-2013	Aged Care	Jenni McCurdy
07-May-2013	Member Talks	Rtns. Calnin, Steains, Cowburn
14-May-2013	Barwon River Parklands Project	Andrew McKinnon, Parks Vic
21-May-2013	Davidson Restaurant	No Speaker
28-May-2013	Eyes for Africa	Dr Patrick Lochie
04-June-2013	District 9780 Interplast Program	Amanda Hough PP, PHF
11-June-2013	Vietnam, Then & Now	Frank O'Brien
18-June-2013	My Tourism and Entertainment Story	Andrew Malouf, Entrepreneur
25-June-2013	Change-over Dinner	

It has been my pleasure to organise the program this year. I hope the members found it had sufficient interest and variation. My thanks to the many Rotarians who made contacts for me or suggested speakers and topics. Good luck to Helen Trigg for next Rotary year. She will have my support.

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Program Chair