

ROTARY CLUB OF OCEAN GROVE

Serving the Southern Bellarine



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ABN: 13 501 173 192

Meeting Roster

	Guest speaker / Activity	Chair	Greeter/ Assist. Sgt.	Thanker/ Asst. Cshr.	Raffle	B'days/Anniversary
Tues July 6th	Club Assembly	Alan Keyse	Ron Ayers	Jenny Wright	Chris Watson	7/7 Tony Haines, 8/7 Peter Cullen, 9/7 Ros McKoy
Tues July 13th	South Barwon Community Protection Board - Noel Emerson	Rod Birrell	Harry Hanley	John Wynn	Xenia Williamson	15/7 Nick Wright
Tues July 20th	Bob Doak - L.A. Olympian from 1984	Andeea Tierney				

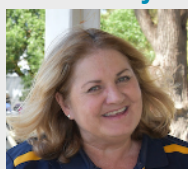
Our Club

President



Alan Keyse

Secretary



Heather Willson

Where: We meet each Tuesday at the Ocean Grove Surf Life Saving Club

When: 6pm for 6:30pm

Visitors are Welcome

Late Apologies: 0400 676 537

Web: rotaryoceangrove.org.au

Theme: New Leadership

Lookout Reserve Maintenance Roster:

11 July - Peter Cowburn

25 July - Peter Cullen

Past bulletins

- Available from our website (rotaryoceangrove.org.au) via the 'Our Club' menu.

Market contact: 0401 606 036

Art Show contact: 0417 319 465

We acknowledge the traditional First Nation owners of country throughout Victoria and their ongoing connection to this land. We pay our respects to their culture and their Elders, past, present and emerging.

Report of Meeting: 6/7/2021.

Congratulations Alan on your first meeting - only 44 to go ! 🤔

President's Report: Alan Keyse

There will be no invocation this week and it may change in future.



- **NAIDOC week**, Alan gave an Acknowledgement of Country and toasted First Nation People.



- Joint meeting with **Bellarine North** on Monday 16 August in lieu of our Tuesday night meeting. They now meet at the Portarlington Golf Club. An 'interest of attendance' will be taken next week.

- **Notification of Attendance** is still a problem. As an interim measure, those who do not respond to the attendance email will be called for one month to identify your response. After that month, if you do not respond, you can still attend the meeting but may not get a meal. Those who are away for a period of time can record their absence in advance in the book available where attendance is taken. **Lyndy Stagg** is replacing **Geoff Ford** as attendance officer while he is 'up north' !

- **Job Vacancies.** There are still a few unfilled jobs. Someone is needed to prepare the Bulletin once notes and photos have been received. Also, someone is needed

Members: Coming Events:

- Allan's Rotary year !

Saying of the week

The 3 C's of life - Choices, Chances, Changes. You must make a choice to take a chance or your life will never change.

Joke of the week

A sales rep, an administration clerk, and the manager are walking to lunch when they find an antique oil lamp. They rub it and a Genie comes out. The Genie says, "I'll give each of you just one wish."

"Me first! Me first!" says the admin clerk.

"I want to be in the Bahamas, driving a speedboat, without a care in the world."

Puff! She's gone.

"Me next! Me next!" says the sales rep.

"I want to be in Hawaii, relaxing on the beach with my personal masseuse, an endless supply of Pina Coladas and the love of my life." Puff! He's gone.

"OK, you're up," the Genie says to the manager.

The manager says, "I want those two back in the office after lunch."

One liners

I'm reading a book about anti-gravity. I can't put it down!

Links

Rotary International:

www.rotary.org

Rotary District 9780:

www.rotary9780.org

Footy Tipping

www.footytips.com.au

Please remember:

You receive an email each week from our Secretary, Pearl Macmillan, asking about your attendance at the following meeting. - **please respond when you get it** - it's a very simple process.

as webmaster to put items on the website.

Someone is also needed to help with the wine raffle. If you are willing to take on any of these tasks, see Alan.

- The silent auction for **airline tickets** was won by Gil Morgan.
- Our activity at the **Point Lonsdale Market** starts in August.
- *If anyone wants to change Committee let Alan know.*

• Induction of New Member: Belinda Travers

Belinda has been proposed for membership and elected. She is aware of the requirements of Rotary membership and willing to help with projects. Belinda was provided with information on Rotary and reminded of the Four Way Test which should be applied to all activities. She will also find friendship among Rotary members in the Club and elsewhere. Belinda replied that she is looking forward to working with and meeting everyone in the Club.



- A video report from the incoming **Rotary International President, Shekhar Mehta**, Rotary Club of Calcutta-Mahanagar, West Bengal, India, was shown.

This year's focus will be to set goals to expand the impact of Rotary by doing more in service projects and growing the world membership to 1.3 million. To grow membership 'Each one bring one'. For service, the motto 'Service Above Self' should be applied, thinking of the impact on others not yourself. Each member should find their opportunity to offer service to the community.



This year's theme is 'Service to Changes Lives'. As we change others' lives, we change our own life by having the opportunity to give back to society. There will also be an emphasis on empowering girls emphasising diversity and equality. There will be seven Presidential

Conferences focusing on each of the seven areas of service. There will also be Rotary Days of Service to allow Club involvement in each of these areas. Are You Ready?

• **Reports:**

Pearl Macmillan, Environment. Environment is the 7th area of focus for Rotary. Pearl is our spokesperson. She feels we do not need a committee but rather, every project should include environmental values as part of its design. If anyone has ideas for other activities, contact Pearl.

• **Janet Alexander, Footy Tipping.** Remember to put your tips in, noting that there is often a Thursday night game. The winner this week was Alison George with 7 winners. Gary O'Donnell is at the top, followed by Geoff Ford, with Carol's son, James Carmody, and Ron Ayres equal third.

• **Club Assembly Committee Reports.**

Club Chairs reported that they had prioritized the following projects for this year.

• **Community Services: Gordon King**

Sculpture has been erected near the BASC building.

Lookout Reserve project is ongoing.

Ocean Grove Entry options are with Council.

Grubb Road verge project is ongoing.

100 Years of Rotary, planting 100 trees project ongoing but site to be determined.

Relocation of Marconi Memorial at Point Lonsdale to commence.

Work with Ocean Grove Nature Reserve is proposed.

Buckley Park walking track will hopefully start.

• **Vocational: Lynne Carlson**

Community Service Awards project will be revised and will be repeated this year.

Four vocational club speakers to be organised.

Workplace visits to be organised.

• **International: Graeme Batrouney**

This year they are looking for international projects which focus on education.

Vanuatu teacher training program

Cambodia scholarship teacher training program

Bali Smiles, educating children from the village

Supporting Operation Cleft in Bangladesh with six operations.

Two displays at markets for Shelter Box

Organise a dinner with speaker during International month.

• Next week's Speaker: Noel Emerson, South Barwon Community Protection Board.



Happy snaps - thanks Jo !

