



**District 9800**  
**Club No. 24401**  
**Chartered: 24/4/1987**  
**ABN 47754561417**  
**ACN A0022258J**

**Rotary International**  
**President**  
**K. R. Ravi Ravindran**

**District Governor**  
**Julie Mason**  
**Assistant Governor**  
**Gateway East**  
**Colin Styles**

**President**  
**Hugh Stewart**  
**Past President**  
**Jon Temby**  
**Secretary Chris Drenen**  
**Treasurer Sam Nicol**

**Meeting Details:**  
**Wednesday morning**  
**7.30am for a 7.45 start-**  
**finish at 8.45am.**

**Quest Apartments,**  
**corner Epsom &**  
**Smithfield Roads**  
**Flemington 3031**

**Our Corporate**  
**Members:**



## March is Rotary Water and Sanitation Month

With the **District Conference** just a week away, we are all celebrating the fantastic response to the event. Over 900 Rotarians and partners have registered to come together, learn, share and network with like minded people from throughout the Rotary world.

Flemington has 18 members and partners registered and our **Club Dinner** will be held on Sunday evening at **Rocks on Rosalind**, 12 View Street at 6.30pm.

Last week I attended the monthly Gateway Cluster meeting at Fredricks in North Essendon. District Governor Julie Mason attended this meeting as well as many of the President Elects from our cluster clubs. We heard a presentation from David Bourke, from Keilor Rotary about a special project he is planning to support the town of Wycheproof. This town has suffered many years of drought and the townspeople and farmers are “**doing it tough**”. David has planned for a trip for the students at the school as seeking cluster and club support for the funding. All hearing the presentation, were fully in agreement that this was a great initiative and consideration will now be given by all clubs as to how we could support this initiative.



*Be a Gift to the World!*

Lesley

## *President's Report 17th February 2016*

### **Hugh's column**

**The club had a successful membership night on Wednesday 24 February.**

Congratulations to Lyn Borghouts and other members of the Membership Committee for organising a wonderful night. We have been delighted to since receive two membership applications, and have at least another five people thinking seriously about being part of Rotary in some shape or form.

Corporate member Ryan Currie, auctioneer by profession with Jellis Craig and MC extraordinaire, did a marvellous job in pulling the night together. During the evening members were invited to 'tell their Rotary story'. People spoke with great empathy and conviction. It was wonderful for members, let alone visitors, to hear these stories. On reflection we don't do this often enough.

Comments from visitors included:

*"I didn't realise the amazing range of things Rotary is involved in ... Last Wednesday night was superb ... When I heard from the Rotary members about their reasons why they were in it, I felt very comfortable ... I want to be involved in Rotary even though I'm still at high school."*

What was particularly pleasing was that our visitors felt welcome and enjoyed the fellowship of the evening.

**I had the pleasure of presenting a Paul Harris Fellow Recognition to Lesley McCarthy at our weekly meeting.**

A Paul Harris Fellow is a recognition introduced in 1957 in honour of Paul Harris who founded Rotary in 1905. It expresses appreciation for a specific financial contribution to the humanitarian and educational programs of the Rotary Foundation. Significantly, Lesley's recognition was a lapel pin with three sapphires, signifying that Lesley has achieved Paul Harris Fellow recognition on multiple occasions.

We congratulate Lesley on her continuing support for The Rotary Foundation, Rotary's own charity.

**A charter member of the club, Bob (Robert) Cameron, has passed away.**

Paul Perrottet, who joined the club in its charter year (1987), provided some history: *Bob was a member from 1987-1993.*

*He transferred from the Rotary Club of North Melbourne where he was an active member of the club expansion committee working to find and select new Rotarians for RC Flemington. Bob was active in fund raising in our club, but did not have the opportunity to serve as an office bearer. He introduced several new members, one who went on to serve as club president. Bob resigned from Rotary in 1993 due to business pressures. We pass on our condolences to his family.*

**We are forging ahead in our planning for a Children's Holiday Carnival.**

We lodged an application with Moonee Valley City Council for a permit to run the event on Saturday 2 April. Thanks to members of the committee who helped prepare the voluminous documentation that accompanied the permit application. Subject to a permit being granted, we are excited about the opportunity to run a community event in our heartland.

**Some dates:**

Tuesday 8 March - International Women's Day breakfast, MVCC. Lesley McCarthy, Del King, Lisa Murr and myself will represent the club.

Wednesday 9 March - Breakfast meeting, with member Nuran Umit giving a 'Behind the Badge' talk.

Friday 11 - Sunday 13 March - District Conference, Bendigo, with 18 delegates registered under Flemington Rotary.

Saturday 2 April - Children's Holiday Carnival, Debneys Park, Flemington.



*Hugh*  
President, 2015-2016

## *Meeting Minutes 2nd March 2016*

### **From our President**

President Hugh Stewart welcomed all to today's meeting with warm greetings for our guest speaker, Caroline Webster from Kensington Neighbourhood House. He also welcomed Eliana Cuppari, a prospective member, and Aaron Murphy from Bendigo Bank.

Hugh then acknowledged **Allan Bruno**, who last Friday delivered our club donation to the Residents Association at Debney Park, {recipients of the Bread Run efforts} for cleaning.

**Membership Chair Lyn Borghouts** then reflected on last week's Membership event. She thanked all members who attended, this was a very good turnout with 20 Rotarians and 9 visitors attending. The vibe was positive and she thanked all who spoke about Rotary on the night.

**Paul Perrottet** then reported on planning for the **Annual Past Runners breakfast** to be held at Medway Golf Club on Wednesday 23rd March. He is encouraging our Corporate Members and members to book a table for the event which features Grace O'Dwyer, the 2015 Womens Stawell Gift winner as our guest speaker. There is a registration link on the club website, please register and click for RSVP.

<http://www.rotaryflemington.org.au/02-Calendar-004-PRB.html>

Hugh also reminded members that the next **Blue Moon Wednesday** was being organised by Josie Magri and will be held at the Anglers Tavern on 30th March. Please RSVP to Josie.

He also advised all of the **Moonee Valley Council International Womens Day breakfast** to be held next Tuesday. He, Del, Lisa and Lesley will be attending on our club table.

**Allan Bruno** reminded all of our forthcoming **BBQs**—this Saturday at the **Seeing Eye Dogs** centre in Kensington and 20th March for the **Unity Cup** event at J.J Holland Park. See **Ted Frank** to advise of your availability.

Chris Drenen reported that he, Rosemary, Peter Cribb and Sam Nicol had assisted at the Gateway **Cluster BBQ** at the **Moonee Valley Festival** last Saturday.

President Hugh then presented Lesley McCarthy with a **triple sapphire Paul Harris** pin for her donations to the Foundation.





## *Guest Speaker—Caroline Webster, Kensington Neighbourhood House*

Caroline is the manager at the Kensington Neighbourhood House in McCracken Street. She has previously addressed the club regarding the programs offered and the club has assisted with sponsorship of the Study Support Program for young people.

Caroline presented a short video about the House and the programs offered and the difference they make to the local community.

Kensington Neighbourhood House works closely with 5 other such houses and provides support to all community members. The majority of clients are women aged 25-55 and mainly from EAL backgrounds. They provide English classes, child care, adult education and training, programs for seniors and ethnic support groups and run from 9am to 9pm.

The 3 main programs are:

1. Study Support Program which provides homework and study support for students in years 7-12. Most of the children are local Kensington residents but may attend schools as far as Preston and Werribee as well as local secondary schools.
2. Resume Support Program where mentors provide assistance in creating and refining resumes for young people, mainly from EAL/Horn of Africa backgrounds who have skills and training, but need help to develop a quality resume.
3. Seniors Exercise Classes for those over 55. Some of their clients are in wheelchairs or on walking frames, and the classes are as much about socialisation as exercise.

The house receives funding from the Department of Education, Department of Health & Human Services and from the City of Melbourne but needs to apply for grants from a variety of sources to subsidise their costs. In the past the Rotary Club of Flemington has supported the Study Support Program and Caroline is seeking assistance to continue this work.

**Kensington  
Neighbourhood  
ACTIVITY  
House** EST 1975

**2016  
TERMS 1&2**  
Activities & Courses  
Term 1: February 1 – March 24  
Term 2: April 11 – June 24



## *Weekly meeting 2nd March 2016*

### *Sergeant's Session:*

Sergeant Geoff stepped up with a long list ready to start off the month.

He began with Allan Bruno who had spent quite some time rearranging and adding chairs for today's meeting, and still couldn't find a seat.

He then started in on Chris Drenen about his beloved Blues. They cannot take a trick already.

Then onto Peter Donnellan, who with his long ringlets and scruffy beard is looking like an extra in a pirate movie these days.

Vance Hilton was fined for slow moving in the car park, almost run over by Tony McManus.

John Sklenar was fined for his clothing—being on holidays again obviously with his shorts and tshirt, no tie and suit this week.

Craig Skelton was fined for his bad tips—he is encouraged to leave the horse racing industry as he is costing us too much money these days. Craig replied that Peter Moody had rejected their 2 horses who are now training in the sand dunes at Warrnambool.

Chris Drenen then cross fined Craig for his forthcoming marriage in September.

Allan Bruno also cross fined Craig for the multiple breaches of permits at the Moonee Valley festival on Saturday {and how difficult he is finding the permit application process.}

Geoff then fined Paul Perrottet—he is an expert on planes and trains, now he is becoming an expert on the bus timetables from major shopping centres, and now needs to learn all about the cruise ships due to his role as a City of Melbourne Tourism ambassador.

Beate McManus was then fined for sitting patiently waiting for all the fun to be over, while Lesley was fined for suggesting Vance didn't have many years to go until his telegram from the Queen.

Everyone then sang Happy Birthday to Vance for his 81st birthday last week.

### **Meeting Minutiae:**

**Apologies:** Janine Hamilton, Eugene Odachowski, Jacqui Iverson, Len Seddon, Mick Lawn, Helga

**Make Ups:** Eugene Odachowski, Allan Bruno, Peter Cribb, Sam Nicol, Craig Skelton, Lisa Murr, Chris Drenen, Lesley McCarthy

**Visiting Rotarians:** Lisa Murr, RYE

**Visitors:** Caroline Webster, Kensington Neighbourhood House; Aaron Murphy, Bendigo Bank, Eliana Cuppari

**Raffle Winners:** Ted Frank, Del King

Pictured below: the Membership event photo





## *Stawell Gift breakfast - 23rd March 2016*

### **Annual Past Runners' Breakfast**

**Medway Golf Club**, Omar Street Maidstone on Wednesday 23 March 2016  
Commencing 7:30am until 9:00am



The annual Past Runner's Breakfast is conducted every year in the week leading up to the **Stawell Easter Gift** carnival. This is Australia's most prestigious and well known professional foot-racing event with national Television and Radio coverage. The breakfast recognises many of the previous runners over the years, many of whom are still involved with the sport.

- **Grace O'Dwyer, 2015 Stawell Women's Gift winner** will be Guest of Honour
- **Ricky Dunbar** will provide some form pointers for the Stawell Easter Carnival
- **John Henry** will comment on the betting odds.
- Multi-Prize Raffle

Guests are invited to make up table of 8

Cost: \$25 per person (full breakfast)



RSVP by 16 March to Paul  
Perrottet  
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Email:

[prb@rotaryflemington.org.au](mailto:prb@rotaryflemington.org.au)

**Rotary**  
Club of Flemington



Jointly hosted by Past Runners' Association  
and the Rotary Club of Flemington Inc.  
Profits from the breakfast will be donated to the Past  
Runners' Sponsorship Fund.  
[www.rotaryflemington.org.au](http://www.rotaryflemington.org.au)

## *Blue Moon Wednesday ~~ 30th March 2016*



### *Blue Moon Function*

*Date: Wednesday 30 March 2016*

*Place: The Anglers Tavern  
Bar & Grill  
Smart pub with a bistro serving global dishes.*

*Address: 2 Raleigh Road, Maribyrnong*

*Phone: (03) 9318 2811*

*Time: 7:00 pm*

*Counter Meal and Drinks at Bar Prices (order upon arrival)*

*RSVP your attendance by Friday 25 March 2016*

*To:*

*Josie Magri*

*Email: [josiem@ozonline.com.au](mailto:josiem@ozonline.com.au) or phone: 93282451*

## *District Governor's Julie Mason—March*

By the end of this Rotary year where we are asked to “**Be a Gift to the World**”, please consider acknowledging those wonderful Rotarians who have contributed in a tangible way in your Club.

I would love to think that every club in our great District qualifies for a Presidential Citation but unfortunately this is proving to be somewhat elusive for some Clubs. I wanted to give you an early insight into some awards that are available and then in April I will give specific details as to a time frame for nominations and an appropriate form to complete.



### **Here are some opportunities for you to nominate Rotarians for awards:**

- There is a **Peer to Peer Recognition** where you can nominate a member who has developed club initiatives in attracting new members, retaining existing members and in some instances sponsoring a new innovative Rotary Club.
- A **District Service Award** is available to recognise Rotarian efforts to serve humanity, work towards world understanding and peace through Foundation programs.
- There is a **Club Builder Award** for people who:

Recruit at least five members who are active Rotarians in your club

Have participated in Rotary training in their club

Participated in at least one meaningful club level vocational service project

Attend at least two District Meetings in the last three years.

We will also have the **District 9800 Club Recognition Program** where the Assistant Governors in discussion with Club Presidents nominate clubs that fulfil certain requirements linked specifically to the District Strategic Plan and the goals to Grow and Strengthen Clubs, Increase Humanitarian Service and Enhance Public Image and Promote the Awareness of Rotary. I encourage you to consider participation in these opportunities to celebrate the work done by our Rotarians in your club.



*Welcome*

to the

at the  
Ulumbarra Theatre Complex  
BENDIGO

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL  
DISTRICT 9800  
84TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE

12-13 MARCH 2016

HOSTED BY THE ROTARY CLUB OF WYNDHAM





# District 9800 Conference—Bendigo

## CONFERENCE PROGRAM OUTLINE

### SATURDAY MARCH 12TH

8.00am	Registration
9.00am – 9.30am	Morning Tea and Rotary Marketplace
10.00am – 12.10pm	<b>FIRST PLENARY SESSION</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Flag Parade</li> <li>Eugene Raggio and David Kram</li> <li>Mayor, City of Greater Bendigo – Councillor Rod Fyffe OAM</li> <li>DG Julie Mason – Welcome to Conference</li> <li>RI President's Representative – PDG Virgilio "Jun" Farcon Opening Remarks</li> <li>Chinese Lions</li> <li>Roll Call by Clusters</li> <li>In Memoriam</li> <li>Keynote Speaker – Saroo Brierley "A long way from home..... Hope and determination".</li> <li>Cluster Presentation</li> </ul>
12.10pm – 1.05pm	Lunch and Rotary Marketplace
1.05pm – 2.45pm	<b>SECOND PLENARY SESSION</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>NAB Sponsor presentation</li> <li>Keynote Speaker – Phil Ruthven AM "Australia's Optimistic Future To 2050.. What role can Rotary play in it?"</li> <li>Cluster Presentations</li> <li>Keynote Speaker – Margot Spalding "Around the Life of Jimmy Possum"</li> <li>Cluster Presentations</li> </ul>
2.45pm – 3.10pm	Afternoon Tea and Rotary Marketplace
3.10pm – 5.30pm	<b>THIRD PLENARY SESSION</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>RoCan Bike Riders – Yvonne Moon</li> <li>Keynote Speaker – Jeremy Scott "The long road from a broken heart"</li> <li>Cluster Presentations</li> <li>Vocational Training Team – Cambodia</li> <li>Monash Moment anniversary – RC Melbourne</li> <li>Cluster Presentations</li> <li>Keynote Speaker – Michael Smith "Journey – The Sun and this Planet".</li> <li>Bendigo Youth Choir, David Kram and Valerie Broad</li> </ul>
7.00pm	Dinner Function at All Seasons Hotel and Town Hall

### SUNDAY MARCH 13TH

11.00am – 11.30am	Morning Tea and Rotary Marketplace
11.30am – 1.20pm	<b>FOURTH PLENARY SESSION</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Keynote Speaker – Georgia Retallick "Young people should not be living in Aged Care, it's that black and white"</li> <li>Cluster Presentations</li> <li>Global Scholar – Lien Trinh "10 year out – lessons learned and inspiration for the next generation"</li> <li>Group Vocational Exchange – Philippines and Australia – Presentations</li> <li>District Governor Presentations</li> <li>Cluster Presentations</li> <li>Youth Exchange Presentation</li> </ul>
1.20pm – 2.15pm	Lunch and Rotary Marketplace
2.15pm – 3.55pm	<b>FIFTH PLENARY SESSION</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Cluster Presentations</li> <li>Violence Free Families Presentation</li> <li>Keynote Speaker – Dr Kathleen McGuire "Music as a Means for Change"</li> <li>Cluster Presentations</li> </ul>
3.55pm – 4.15pm	Afternoon Tea and Rotary Marketplace
4.15pm – 6.05pm	<b>SIXTH PLENARY SESSION</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Cluster Presentations</li> <li>Keynote Speaker – Luke Owens "From little things, big things grow"</li> <li>End Polio Now</li> <li>Foundation Giving Summary</li> <li>Rotary's Next Big Project</li> <li>Banner Handover</li> <li>2017 Conference Promotion</li> <li>RI President's Representative – Final Thoughts</li> <li>District Governor's Close</li> <li><b>Finale</b></li> </ul>

### BREAKOUT SESSIONS— SUNDAY MORNING 9:30-11:00 - (see conference program for further details) each session will be repeated allowing you to attend two sessions in the morning

#### (a) ROMAC AND INTERPLAST

This breakout session will highlight two signature projects of our District being ROMAC (Rotary Oceania Medical Aid for children) and Interplast, a joint venture of the District and the Royal Australian College of Surgeons. ROMAC brings children from third world countries in Oceania to Australia for life changing medical procedures. Interplast sends volunteer teams of surgeons and nurses to provide plastic and reconstructive medical procedures throughout the South Pacific and South East Asia.

#### (b) VOLUNTEERING AND LIFE BALANCE

In this exciting and ground-breaking session Allan Warrenner will demonstrate and teach everyone powerful, yet simple, self-help techniques with breathing, movement, the art of relaxation, revitalization and goal-setting visualization for personal development and achieving your objectives.

#### (c) OUR YOUTH – OUR FUTURE

Come and hear all that has been happening in District 9800 with Earlyact, Interact and Rotaract. Learn about a student leadership initiative from Bendigo Clubs. Our Youth are connected and engaged in community and live out "Service above Self"

#### (d) MODERN SLAVERY: HOW IS THIS RELEVANT TO YOU?

The Walk Free Foundation's vision is to end modern slavery by providing information and capabilities required for countries to defeat slavery in their jurisdictions. The Foundation hopes registrants will join in in whatever way they can to help end slavery once and all.

#### (e) DRIVING RECRUITMENT AND ENGAGEMENT THROUGH SOCIAL MEDIA

Share online strategies to recruit members and communicate club projects. You will learn the power of social media and how this can be utilised to attract and engage with members. RC Melbourne Park's number one membership secret and the role social media plays in this. As well learn how to harness the popularity and reach of existing social media tools to get potential members to show up at meetings and events as well as secrets of a successful post.

#### (f) FOUR EMERGING PROJECTS WITHIN DISTRICT

Learn new ideas about Projects that your Club can adopt

**Five minutes of Fame:** An opportunity for disadvantaged residents to gather together every few months to enjoy a meal and share a song or poem with others

**Rotary Reading** is a simple, inexpensive, satisfying project connecting a club with its local community through its primary school.

**Rotary Flushed with Success** shares a project in India providing toilets that help prevent girls dropping out of school.

**Cambodian MEC Project** provides surgery and care to rectify a life shortening birth defect in hundreds of Cambodian children

## *Rotary International President's Report March*



**K.R. Ravindran**  
**President 2015-16**  
**March 2016**

Some years ago, I was asked to speak at an Interact club in my home city of Colombo, Sri Lanka. I have always taken my interactions with Rotary youth very seriously, so I prepared my remarks carefully and put the same effort into my presentation that I would for any other event. After the meeting, I stayed to chat with a few of the Interactors, answering their questions and wishing them well.

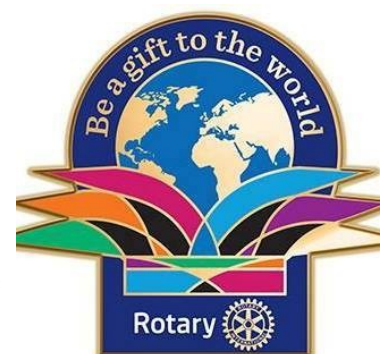
I came out of the classroom where we had met into the autumn afternoon. The bright sun was shining directly into my eyes, so I found a bit of shade behind a pillar where I could wait for my ride.

As I stood there, hidden from view, I overheard a group of the very Interactors who had just listened to my speech. Naturally I was curious: What would they be saying? What had they taken away from my presentation? I quickly realized that what they had taken away was not at all what I had intended.

They were not talking about what I had said, the stories I had told, or the lessons I had come to their school to impart. To my astonishment, the major topic of conversation was my tie! I listened with amusement as they chattered about my Western clothes, my background, my business; every aspect of my appearance and behavior was dissected and discussed. Just as they began to speculate about what car I drove, my ride arrived and I stepped out into view. They were perhaps a bit embarrassed, but I just smiled, got into the car, and drove off with a wave.

Whatever they learned from me that day, I learned far more. I learned that the lessons we teach with our examples are far more powerful than those we teach with words. I realized that as a Rotary leader, and a prominent person in the community, I had, for better or worse, become a role model for these young people. Their eyes were on me in a way that I had never before appreciated. If they chose to emulate me, they would model themselves on what they saw, not what I told them.

All of us in Rotary are leaders, in one way or another, in our communities. All of us bear the responsibility that comes with that. Our Rotary values, our Rotary ideals, cannot be left within the confines of our Rotary clubs. They must be carried with us every day. Wherever we are, whoever we are with, whether we are involved in Rotary work – we are always representing Rotary. We must conduct ourselves accordingly: in what we think, what we say, what we do, and how we do it. Our communities, and our children, deserve no less.



## *Rotary Foundation Trustee's Report—March*

**Ray Klingensmith**  
**Trustee Chair 2015-16**  
**March 2016**



When Arch Klumph was president of Rotary in 1916-17, he suggested in a speech at the 1917 Atlanta convention that Rotary should start an endowment fund for the purpose of doing good in the world. It was only a brief reference, but the idea caught on with Rotarians. The Rotary Club of Kansas City, Mo., made the first donation of \$26.50 to the new fund, which was officially named The Rotary Foundation in 1928.

The Rotary Foundation had some activity in the 1930s and 1940s, but it was the memorial gifts to honor Paul Harris after his death in January 1947 that provided the funds to undertake the first major program. That was the award of 18 international scholarships for successful college graduates to spend a year studying abroad as Rotary Fellows. The fellowship program grew to 125 students a year in 1960-61, when I was a Rotary Fellow in Cape Town, South Africa, and it later became the largest privately funded scholarship program with 1,200 students a year.

Rotarians' constant search for the best possible charitable programs led to the introduction of the Matching Grants and Group Study Exchange programs in 1965-66. From there, the Foundation assumed responsibility for the PolioPlus program in the early 1980s, established the Rotary Peace Centers in 2002, and restructured Rotary's Humanitarian Grants Program as a part of the Future Vision plan in 2013.

What has been the result of these efforts? Rotarians have been justifiably proud and supportive of the Foundation for many years, evidenced by their generous contributions of \$123 million to the Annual Fund in 2014-15. In addition, the CNBC television network recently confirmed the success of The Rotary Foundation by naming it one of the "top 10 charities changing the world in 2015." In fact, our Foundation was ranked as the fifth-best charity working to make the world a better place!

What a powerful tribute to Arch Klumph's visionary idea in 1917! We have so much to be proud of in Rotary, including **The Rotary Foundation**, and so much to celebrate at the Atlanta convention next year. Please plan now to attend the centenary celebration at the convention and show your support for one of the very best charitable foundations in the world!







# URGENT APPEAL

## Fiji Cyclone Winston response effort building now

Image from SBS

Cyclone Winston has left more than 40 people confirmed dead, with some 14,000 people sheltering in 274 evacuation centres around Fiji.

The UN reports that hundreds of homes and many schools and vital infrastructure have been damaged or destroyed.

Disaster Aid International (Aust.) is working to provide desperately needed aid to Fijians after the cyclone's horrendous devastation. That includes liaising with our Rotary contacts and agencies in that country. Aid groups and government authorities are now racing to deal with a critical need for clean water, health supplies and emergency accommodation.

Your donation will help Disaster Aid International (Aust.) respond with Family Survival Packs, Home Repair Kits and, most importantly SkyHydrant™ water purification systems and Sawyer water filters.



Image from Japan Times

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# MOONEE VALLEY ART SHOW 2016



**Gala  
Opening  
Preview  
Evening**

**Friday  
15th April**

## **Art Exhibition & Sales**

**Saturday 16th & Sunday 17th April, 2016**

Returning in 2016, acclaimed and emerging artists exhibit their work at the North Park Mansion, 69 Woodland Street, Essendon.

Entry just \$5 for students and concession, \$10 for adults. Free entry for anyone aged under 15.

Gala Opening tickets available from  
[www.mooneevalleyartshow.com.au](http://www.mooneevalleyartshow.com.au)

Exhibition tickets available at the door.

**MOONEE VALLEY**  
Art Show



**Rotary Club of Keilor East**  
**Rotary Club of Essendon**

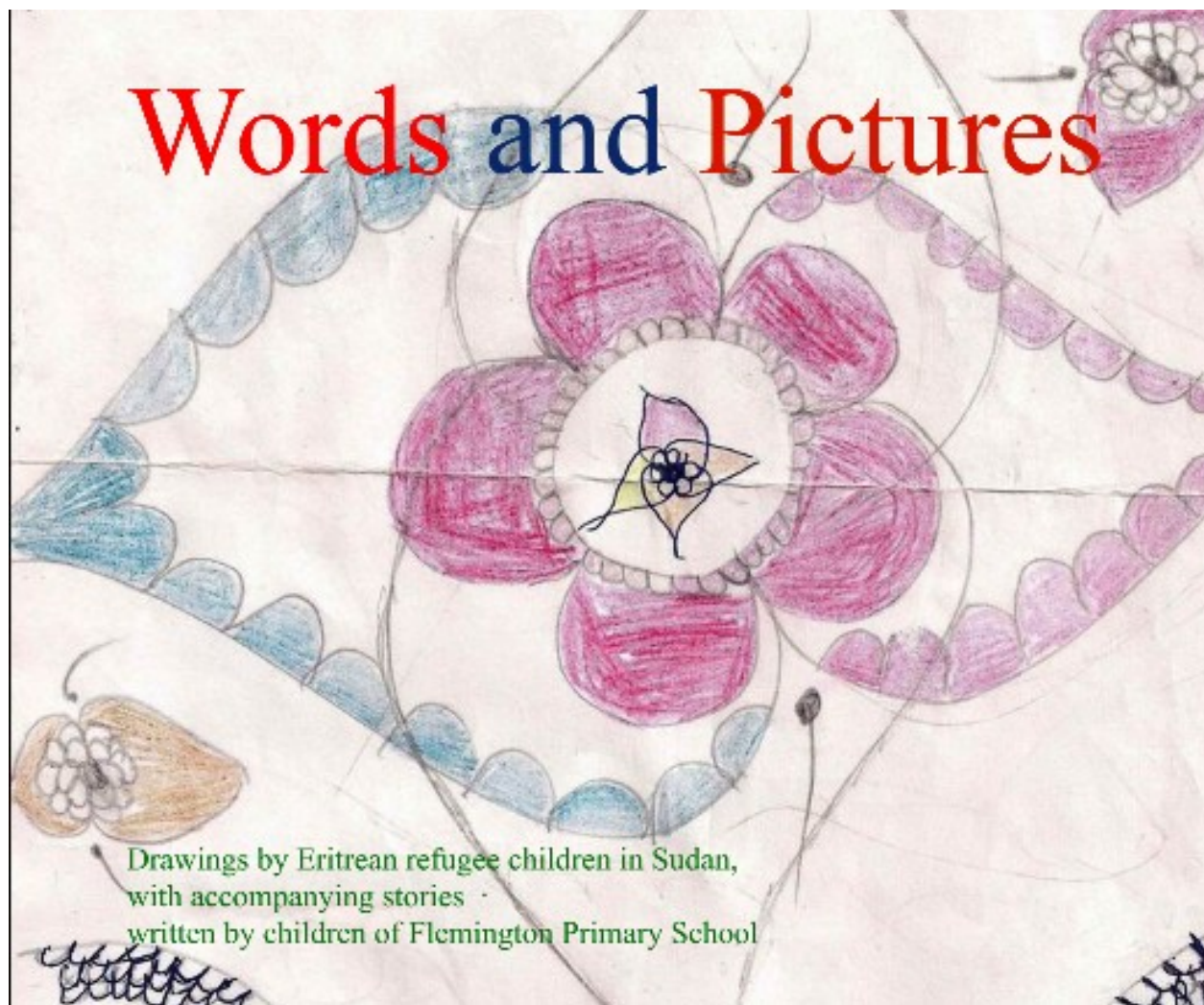


## *The Words & Pictures Book Launch*

A project between Victoria University, EAHA {the Australian Eritrean Humanitarian Association} students at the Kassala School in Sudan and Flemington Primary School.

**WHERE:** 100 Story Building, 92 Nicholson Street, Footscray VIC 3011

**WHEN:** Tuesday April 5th 2pm—4pm



RSVP to Sarah Tartakover at [Sarah.Tartakover@vu.edu.au](mailto:Sarah.Tartakover@vu.edu.au) or Maureen Ryan at [Maureen.Ryan@vu.edu.au](mailto:Maureen.Ryan@vu.edu.au)



## *Club Calendar Dates*

Date	Event	Location	Contact
Tuesday 8th March	International Women's Day Breakfast 7.15am	Moonee Valley Council} Civic Centre	Hugh Stewart
Wednesday 9th March	Weekly Meeting 7.30 for 7.45am Member Behind the Badge: Nuran Umit	Quest Apartments	Anthony McManus Hugh Stewart
Friday 11th to Sunday 13th March	District Conference Cocktail Party 7.30pm	Bendigo	Hugh Stewart
Tuesday 15th March	Board Meeting	Flemington Library	Chris Drenen
Wednesday 16th March	Weekly Meeting 7.30 for 7.45am	Quest Apartments	Anthony McManus Hugh Stewart
Sunday 20th March	Unity Cup Football competition & BBQ	J J Holland Park, Kensington	Allan Bruno
Wednesday 23rd March	Stawell Gift Breakfast 7.15am	Medway Golf Club, Omar St Maidstone	Paul Perrottet Hugh Stewart
Friday 25th to Monday 28th March	GOOD FRIDAY EASTER SUNDAY		
Wednesday 30th March	Blue Moon Wednesday 6.30pm	Anglers Tavern, Maribyrnong	Josie Magri Chris Drenen
Wednesday 6th April	Weekly Meeting 7.30 for 7.45am	Quest Apartments	Anthony McManus Hugh Stewart
Wednesday 13th April	Weekly Meeting 7.30 for 7.45am	Quest Apartments	Anthony McManus Hugh Stewart



## *Cluster and District Calendar Dates*

Date	Event	Club	Location	Contact
Tuesday 8th March	Women's Day Breakfast	Moonee Valley City Council	Civic Centre	Craig Skelton
Thursday 10th	International Women's Day Breakfast	District 9800 RC Albert Park	Crown Palladium	Kerry Kornhauser
Thursday 24th March	Gateway Cluster meeting	Gateway Cluster	Fredricks Restaurant Mt Alexander Rd Essendon North	AG Lesley McCarthy AG Colin Styles
Friday 15th to Monday 18th April	Moonee Valley Art Show	Keilor East Essendon	North Park Mansion, Strathmore	<b>Gerard Mahoney</b>
Saturday 1st May	Annual Car Show	Keilor	Keilor Oval	<b>Tom Barber</b>
Monday 24th May	<b>Keeping Our Kids Alive Forum</b>	Gateway Cluster	TBC	AG Lesley McCarthy AG Colin Styles Gerard Mahoney
<b>Saturday 4th June</b>	<b>Heart Kids Fundraising Dinner</b>	Keilor Tullamarine	Ultima Receptions Keilor	Tom Barber Leon Llew Anthony Flapper
Thursday 16th June	<b>Domestic Violence Forum</b>	Gateway Cluster	VU	AG Colin Styles AG Lesley McCarthy David Bennett
Friday 24th June	Presidents Changeover	Keilor	TBC	Tom Barber
Sunday 26th June	District 9800 Changeover	District 9800	RACV Club	DGE Neville John
Monday 27th June	Presidents Changeover	Keilor East	TBC	Gerard Mahoney Joe Albioli
Wednesday 29th June	Presidents Changeover	Brimbank	Taylor's Lakes Hotel	David Bennett Arthur Michael Donnelly
Wednesday 29th June	Presidents Changeover	Flemington	TBC	Hugh Stewart Del King

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