



**Next meeting:**

February 26th

**Nathalie Nunn**

**"Habitat Boxes"**

Chair: Warwick S.

March 4th

**Club Assembly**

March 11th

**Gary Lechte**

**"Local Legend"**

Chair: Bob S.

March 18th

**Mick Ellis**

**"the Season ahead"**

Chair: Shane T.

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**President's Report**

Great for us all to learn a little more about new member Sherif Balic at last week's meeting. These sessions are always well received and Sherif's presentation gave us an excellent view of latest addition to our ranks. He is clearly going to be a valued member of the team going forward.

Thanks to Ross and his merry band of volunteers who on Saturday did some great work at the Kananook Community Garden.

On Friday, Shane and I were joined by Rob Cook and Sarah Learmonth at Frankston High to progress discussions re the launch of Interact. Check out the brief report later in this bulletin but suffice here to say, we were very excited by the level of enthusiasm and commitment from the school's leadership and teaching staff.

Macca and his team are putting the finishing touches to plans for what will clearly be another successful Golf Day. Many thanks to everyone who has agreed to help out on the day. You will get an email shortly confirming your role and requirements for the day.

Due to work commitments on Wednesday, I can't be at this week's meeting, so I will look forward to seeing you all again next week.

Have a great week,  
Regards  
Peter

Guest Speaker: Sherif Balic - This is your life:

It was great to hear New member Sherif's story. It brought into focus how many similarities many of us share - including the passions that we all follow and strive for.

I'm sure I share the club's sentiments when I say: We all wish for nothing but the best for your new endeavour - Meals for Tradies and can't wait to hear how it goes.

- Editor Robert M.



President Peter and Sherif



## Working Bee - Kananook Community Centre:



**Coming Events:**

**2020:**

- 21-22 March

**District 9820**

**Conference**

**"Breaking the Chains"**

**Bendigo**

- Mon 23 March

**Charity Golf Day**

**PKCGC**

- Sat 9 May

**Children of Ghana**

**Ball**

# Interact

## *Rotary Sponsored Club*



Last Friday, Shane, Sarah Learmonth, Rob Cook and myself attended a meeting at Frankston High to progress plans for the launch of an Interact Club at Frankston High.

The school has clearly embraced this initiative and it was exciting to hear that they have already progressed their thoughts on how the Club will be integrated into the School's broader student leadership program. They have already obtained enthusiastic support from key Senior School students who will lead the launch of the club and the recruitment of a broader membership base across the year groups.

This week, the leadership students are attending a camp at which time the planning for Interact will continue at a school level, while we (Rotary and Rotaract) work on what we need to do behind the scenes, ahead of the launch.

The Club will be formally announced and promoted at a series of School Assemblies on March 13 and we at this stage expect the first Interact Club meeting to be held at the beginning of Term 2 (April).

Our role (Rotary & Rotaract) is to guide and mentor the Club, not to run it. The students will run the club and decide the service projects they undertake. With more than 20k Interact Clubs and 450k Interactors around the world, it is great to be bringing this project to Frankston High.

After seeing first hand at Friday's meeting the enthusiasm and commitment of the school to get behind Interact, it is impossible not to be excited about what lies ahead.

Stay tuned!  
Peter.

Birthdays &  
anniversaries this  
month:

7/02/1950

Hank Brakele 70

9/02/1952

Jenny Leckning

12/02/1999

Kiara Engwerda

## Coming Events/Save the Date!:

### 21-22 March, 2020

District 9820 Conference

"Breaking the Chains"

Bendigo

More info: [https://youtu.be/MXx\\_2v3KHRO](https://youtu.be/MXx_2v3KHRO)

### Mon 23 March, 2020

Rotary Frankston Sunrise Annual Corporate Charity Golf Day

Peninsula Kingswood Country Golf Club

Looking for Sponsor Playing Groups and Prize Donations

Full Club support on the day

### Sunday 26 April, 2020

Bunnings BBQ

### Sat May 9, 2020

Children of Ghana Charity Ball

Mornington Race Course

Tickets: \$149 per head

Looking for sponsors, donations and full club attendance

### Sunday 26 August, 2020

Bunnings BBQ

### Saturday 28 November, 2020

Bunnings BBQ

### Rotary's 4 Way Test:

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it build GOODWILL & BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

# Rotary



Most Financially Sound  
Largest  
Most Powerful  
Networking Service  
Organization

Whose flag is recognized in more  
Countries than any other flag in the world

### Every minute of every day Rotary:

- \* Feeds someone
- \* Houses someone
- \* Vaccinates someone
- \* Performs surgery on someone
- \* Comforts someone
- \* Provides clean water to someone

## THIS IS ROTARY! PN



Attention now turns to our biggest fundraiser for the year – Looking for Playing sponsor groups and donations of prizes and auction items



Join us in our 23rd year, making a difference to local, national and international charities. With your support, we can add to the more than \$730k raised across previous years.

We are excited to be returning to the Peninsula Kingswood Country Golf Club. Get ready for what will be an outstanding day of golf and friendship in support of some wonderful charitable causes.

A number of sponsorship opportunities are available:

#### **GOLD SPONSOR PACKAGE**

**Cost:** A donation of \$2800 or more!

**Includes:**

- Golf competition entry for up to 8 players
- Pre, during & post game refreshments
- Golf gift packs
- Advertising in the Golf Day booklet, on course signage and the opportunity for sponsorship advertising in player gift packs
- The opportunity to win fantastic prizes on the day

#### **SILVER SPONSOR PACKAGE**

**Cost:** A donation of \$1500

**Includes:**

- Golf competition entry for up to 4 players
- Pre, during & post game refreshments
- Golf gift packs
- Advertising on Golf Day booklet, on course signage and the opportunity for sponsorship advertising in player gift packs
- The opportunity to win fantastic prizes on the day

#### **\*BONUS**

Add extra value and visibility to your sponsorship package by providing gifts and prizes.

- Player prizes
- Raffle Prizes

Speak to us about how we can ensure you get maximum visibility and impact for your sponsorship

We look forward to your participation on March 23. You are helping to make a real difference across our local and global community.

To discuss your sponsorship opportunity, speak to a Frankston Sunrise member or call David McKenzie on 0409 770 300

**Major Sponsor – Peninsula Kingswood Country Golf Club**

**Jota PKGC and some of our other exciting sponsor partners:**

Mercedes-Benz Mornington, Drummond Golf, Ritchies IGA, Golf Tourism Australia, Womersley's Mitre 10, Pollards Insurance Brokers, Commonwealth Bank, ANZ, Westpac, Macquarie Bank

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#### **2020 NEWS FLASH!**

Your opportunity to play the South Course, Peninsula Kingswood Country Golf Club

Langwarrin Rotary Club's Meat tasting event:

## ***Support the Rotary Club of Langwarrin***

*by attending a Meat Tasting  
on Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> February 2020  
time to be confirmed*

*There is no cost to you – the only requirement is tasting meat and  
completing a questionnaire!*

*Your attendance at this event would be greatly appreciated and  
would assist our club substantially!*

*The Meat Tasting is run by Tastepoint, who are contracted by the  
Victorian Meat Board to survey different cuts of meat.*

*To be held at:*

*Langwarrin Community Centre*

*2 Lang Road*

*Langwarrin*

*RSVP to Mardi Shepherd 0411 410 617*

*[mshephe@fhs.vic.edu.au](mailto:mshephe@fhs.vic.edu.au)*

*by Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> February*





Here is a link to the Conference Website that has a promotional video, a draft program and registration information.

<https://district9820.org/sitepage/district-conference-2020-breaking-the-chains/>



## District Conference 2020 - 4 weeks to go: Bendigo 20-22 March 2020

### Additional Information:

Welcome to 2020, I hope you are safe and well and we know many of our members in East Gippsland are still struggling with the ongoing fires and drought. Our thoughts are with you all and your conference committee is looking at ways to celebrate and report on the ongoing efforts of our members and volunteers.

With 6 weeks to go until our Conference in Bendigo things are ramping up. We would like you to encourage new and recent members to attend. Many may think they have seen it all, but we have such an array of thought provoking presenters, entertainment, Rotary information and projects and new friends to broaden your ideas of Rotary - everyone will enjoy. The conference program is designed to stimulate and broaden your horizons with ideas of what your Club can do to grow and serve our communities here and abroad. All this with the backdrop of the City of Bendigo! There is still plenty of accommodation in Bendigo.

Even if you have registered you can still join the Friday pre Conference Golf Competition at Bendigo Golf Club, the winery bus tour to 2 wineries plus lunch, the Friday Dinner and the President, President Elects and Leadership Saturday breakfast.

Here's another of our [Rotary District 9820 Conference Bendigo](#) guest speakers:

**Chelsea Roffey** has overcome challenges, media scrutiny, self-doubt, as well as physical and mental demands, to become the first woman to officiate an AFL Grand Final. Chelsea is also a published author and Winston Churchill Fellow, holds bachelor degrees in music and journalism and works with organisations to break through barriers and optimise performance.

To book your conference ticket go to [bit.ly/9820Conference](https://bit.ly/9820Conference)

Tim Moore  
D9820 Conference Chair



## Director's Reports:

### Community Service Report:

Another successful hands on project this Saturday. Thanks to Ron, Bruce and Jason for helping at Kananook Community Garden. We helped complete a number of garden beds and they are now in a position to have members of the public have their own garden beds. Luke from the Community Garden will come to one of our meetings and give us more information in the coming weeks.

Steve Phillips has a number of jobs for us at Community Support Frankston. Will coordinate with him as to what he needs and let members know.

The guest Speaker this week is to give us information re habitat boxes for wild life and this is another opportunity for us to be involved in a community project.

Director Ross A.

## On the Lighter Side:



## Where in the World?

Are you going to be away? Let Robert know when you will be away and where you are heading – even if it is only to make the rest of us jealous!



### On this day in... February 26:

**Event:** **1616** - Galileo Galilei is formally banned by the Roman Catholic Church from teaching or defending the view that the earth orbits the sun. **1815** - Napoleon Bonaparte escapes from Elba. **1935** - Adolf Hitler orders the Luftwaffe to be re-formed, violating the provisions of the Treaty of Versailles. **1987** - Iran-Contra affair: the Tower Commission rebukes President Ronald Reagan for not controlling his national security staff.

**Births:** **1899** - Alec Campbell: Australian soldier - was the final surviving Australian participant of the Gallipoli campaign during the First World War. **1945** - Peter Brock: Australian racing driver. **1971** - Jacqui Lambie: Australian politician. **1986** - Teresa Palmer: Australian actress.

**Deaths:** **1813** - Robert R. Livingston: American lawyer and politician, 1st United States Secretary of Foreign Affairs. **1887** - Anandi Gopal Joshi: First Indian woman physician. **1931** - Otto Wallach: German chemist and academic - Nobel Prize laureate.

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Link: <https://www.facebook.com/rotaryfrankstonsunrise>