



Next meeting:

August 5th
**Meeting
with Zoom**
Speaker:
Carla Conde
Student Exchange
2004

August 12th
**Meeting
with Zoom**
Speaker: TBA

August 19th
**Meeting
with Zoom**
Speaker: TBA

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President's Report:

Hi All

Thank god for the garden! Hope you are all well and are managing to stay sane in these erratic times.

We had a great turnout at last weeks meeting, with 21 members tuning in to listen to our Assistant DG Sjaak Kusters fill us in on what's happening around the Rotary District....and that was, not much..! Always good to have Sjaak at our meetings though.

Can't wait to catch up, at our Zoom meeting this week, with Carla Conde (de Morais) our exchange student from Brazil in 2004. Carla who is married to Rafa and now lives in London, has just had a brand-new baby daughter, Mia. Make sure we get as many of us as possible to tune in and hear her story. Thanks to Jason for organizing this for us through Reesy.

Just a reminder to all those members who'd like to educate themselves on anything computers, please contact Rob M to register your interest in his upcoming workshops. Rob is happy to help in any way he can.

All board members please remember we have a zoom board meeting on Monday 3rd Aug. 6.00pm.

Cheers

Shane

100 Years of Rotary in Australia:



Background: In 1922 the Rotary name changed to Rotary International .

This change in name was partly due to the charter of the Rotary Club of Melbourne in April 1921 and so this Rotary Year 2020/2021 sees the celebration of 100 years of Rotary service to the community in Australia.

The Centenary Countdown has begun

It's a special time. Rotary in Australia and NZ celebrates the First 100 years of Service in 2021. In 1921, four Rotary Clubs were created in Melbourne, Auckland, Wellington and Sydney. From there, Rotary and Rotaract clubs were created everywhere across Australia and NZ. We all share a centenary in 2021. We can come together and create a common legacy. Think about the impact we can make!

It's the time to discover what is the best way to mark the occasion! And create a legacy that propels Rotary into the next century of service. This is so important – we will not have another chance in our lifetime!

Make Your Mark on History

Projects are already underway. We have loads of collateral, videos and material to help you dig deep and learn. You can explore, download and share what you find. Find out more about how you can get engaged in the [Big Ideas Page](#)

Need an idea for your own project? There are many Thought Starting Ideas that might create the Big Hairy Audacious Goal that will galvanise action to start The Next 100 years of Service. Check them out under the [Thought Starters Tab](#)

We have lots to share with Rotarians, partners, family, friends and media. Facebook, Instagram, Twitter, Newsletters, Websites are all our friends. Local newspapers and TV are hungry for stories that highlight why our centenary is a special time.

Let's honour the new projects that have become Centenary Rotary Projects. Projects endorsed by Rotary/ Rotaract Clubs, Clusters and Districts as signature projects that address a real community need, propel us into the next century of community service, energise members , provide a magnet for new members , find new partners and raise our profile. Register yours on the [Centenary Project Honour Board](#).

Something may be happening near you sometime soon. A live calendar and summary catalogues what's happening. Check out all the [Grand Events and activities under the Events tab](#). And don't forget to register your events for others to see and join in.

For more information or to get involved go to: <https://www.rotary100downunder.com/home>



Raise the Curtain:



Thanks to members of the Rotary family who tuned in & donated. The show had a target of \$10k which would cover payment to the artists plus donations to PLOS & Panorama the 2 main theatre companies on the Mornington Peninsula. Any excess over \$10k would also be equally shared & currently about \$11,500 had been raised which is fantastic & the donations can still be received for a few more days I believe via the link

[https://www.gofundme.com/f/RTC20?
utm_source=customer&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=m_pd+share-sheet](https://www.gofundme.com/f/RTC20?utm_source=customer&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=m_pd+share-sheet).

I sat in on some rehearsals on Thursday & it was so apparent how much these artists miss working on a stage, with or without a live audience. They are just wired that way & are so talented. Last night gave them something to focus on & feel valued which supports their general mental well-being so it was a great initiative. Like community sport, community theatre engages a whole lot of kids, teenagers & adults in an activity that they enjoy & fulfills a big part of their life & the COVID future is very uncertain for these organisations.

Very proud of our Rees boys for their part in the event but especially Nick who conceived then put the whole thing together, all in a voluntary capacity.

Reesy



Birthdays & anniversaries this month:

5/08/1967
Mark Engwerda 53

12/08/1952
Ross Luxford 68

15/08/1963
Susy Morgan

18/08/1944
Bob Smith 76

23/08/1964
Carolyn Feldgen

24/08/1962
Peter Cracknell 58

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?

Coming Events/Save the Date!:

Saturday 28 November, 2020

Bunnings BBQ - TBD

Monday, March 15, 2021



Macca has advised that we have booked our 2021 corporate charity golf day back at Peninsula Kingswood Country Golf Club for Monday, March 15, 2021!

Mark it in your diaries!

More information to come!

Stay tuned for 2021 date!

Children of Ghana Charity Ball

Mornington Race Course

Tickets: \$149 per head

Looking for sponsors, donations and full club attendance

News from around our Network:



Matt reaches new milestone

Matthew is a young man who has developed a strong rapport with many of Council's youth workers over several years. Frankston Youth Service has supported Matt with housing, employment, budgeting, and how to set, work towards and achieve goals. He is especially grateful for the role that the youth team has played in helping him develop a more positive outlook and mind set in his day-to-day life.

"As youth workers it is always great to see how a young person's character develops, and how they mature over time," said Youth Programs Team Leader, Ilya Grin.

"Our relationship with Matt has enabled us to offer support and guidance when he needed it most. We have been in the privileged position to

assist Matt with many of his major life transitions."

"They helped me look at things in a more positive way, which has opened me up to more opportunities," said Matthew

Matthew has now found a place to live and work, and has just recently picked up his first car (which he saved up for himself), after gaining his driving license through Council's L2P Program. Matt has overcome many significant challenges within his life, and continues to visit Youth Central to touch base with the youth workers and share with the team how he is traveling in his life journey. For more information on accessing Council's Youth Service, visit:

frankston.vic.gov.au/YouthCentral



Frankston Council Climate Change Community Survey:

With Rotary's new area of focus on the Environment, below is a resource for both information and to speak directly to local government on the issue.

Frankston City Council is seeking your feedback to help us better understand our community's priorities for responding to the threat of climate change.

Climate change is happening now and we are experiencing the impacts on our community, economy and environment. In November 2019, Council declared a climate emergency, recognising that urgent action is needed to address climate change and keep people and the environment safe, now and for generations to come.

Since this declaration was made, the COVID-19 pandemic has reshaped our lives in previously unimaginable ways. Together, we now have an opportunity to rebuild our community in a way that is better for people and the planet.

We encourage you to complete the survey, tell us what matters most to you and learn more about what we can all do to address climate change. Please help us spread the word by sharing the survey with your family, friends and colleagues.

How to provide feedback:

- Complete the [Online Survey](#) (which takes about 10-15 minutes)
- If you have a 'big idea' submit it on Council's [Our Say Online Forum](#) . The forum allows everyone to share and vote on ideas
- If you are unable to complete the online survey, call us on **1300 322 322** to have one posted to you, with a stamped return envelope

Closing date for feedback: **Wednesday 26 August 2020**



For more information contact: https://www.frankston.vic.gov.au/Your_Council/Have_Your_Say/Climate_Change_Community_Survey

- Information comes from the Frankston Council website.

Director's Reports:

Finance and Fundraising::

A little restrained in the finance and fundraising area at the moment.
The Club will be donating \$1,000 to the Peter Klaaysen Wheel Chairs for Kids Memorial.
I will be arranging this with Treasurer Shars.

Planning for the 2021 Rotary Golf Day has commenced. Letters of support and thank you to all sponsors of the 2020 event have been drafted with a view to issuing these in the coming weeks.

Let's hope that COVID is under control by March 2021.

- Director David M.

Board & Committees: 2020-2021

Board: President – Shane Thomas	Secretary – Peter Richards	Treasurer – Greg Sharman
Past President – Peter Cracknell	President-Elect – TBA	Programme – Mark Rees
Sergeant-At-Arms – Brendan Kincade		

Committees:

Community Service:	Ross Augustine – Director		
	Ross Luxford – 2IC	Ron Jones	Bruce McGregor
	Keith Norris	Phil Tang	Warwick Smith

Finance & Fundraising:	David McKenzie – Director		
	Greg Sharman	Sherif Balic	Tony Carter
	Rainer Feldgen	Hank Brakele	

Club Service:	Mark Rees – Director		
	Robert Maitz	Peter Stacey	David Morgan
	Ian Stapleton	Bill Blythe	Cliff Leckning

Membership:	Bob Smith – Director		
	Brendan Kincade	Joe Russo	Gavin Saunders
	Mark Engwerda	Eren Erdogan	

International, Youth, Vocational:

John Albery – Director		
Peter Cracknell	Dave Platten	Jason Coppard
Gary Morgan	Ash Weston	

On the Lighter Side:

When the client wants to combine
options 1 and 2



When everything is going wrong
in your life but you're used to it



What in the World:



Tathra Beach, NSW, Australia. Before And After The Smoke And Ash From Surrounding Fires Arrived.
The Black Debris In The Bottom Photo Is Charred Wood And Ash Washed Up On The Shore

On this day in... August 5 :

Event: **1305** - William Wallace, who led Scottish resistance to England, is captured by the English near Glasgow and transported to London for trial and execution. **1858** - First transatlantic telegraph cable lands at Trinity Bay, Newfoundland spearheaded by Cyrus West Field (will fail after 3 weeks). **1861** - President Lincoln signs the first US personal Income Tax into law (3% of incomes over \$800). **2018** - Australian Prime Minister Malcolm Turnbull declares "now we are a land of droughts" as 99% of New South Wales affected. **2019** - July 2019 confirmed as world's hottest-ever month recorded according to Europe's Copernicus Programme.

Births: **1908** - Harold Holt, Prime Minister of Australia (1966-67). **1930** - Neil Armstrong, American X-15 pilot and astronaut - 1st man on the Moon (Gemini 8, Apollo 11). **1951** - John Jarratt, Australian actor. **1956** - Maureen McCormick, American actress (Marcia-Brady Bunch).

Deaths: **1952** - Sameera Moussa, Egyptian nuclear scientist (the first female Egyptian nuclear physicist. Sameera held a doctorate in atomic radiation. She hoped her work would one day lead to affordable medical treatments and the peaceful use of atomic energy). **1962** - Marilyn Monroe [Norma Jean Mortenson], American actress (Some Like It Hot). **2000** - Alec Guinness, British actor (The Ladykillers, The Bridge on the River Kwai). **2019** - Toni Morrison [Chloe Anthony Wofford], American writer (Tar Baby, Beloved, Song of Solomon), first African American woman to win a Nobel Prize (2010).

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- Plus when you see a new post, Like the post and share it with your friends!
Link: <https://www.facebook.com/rotaryfrankstonsunrise>