

The Pascoe Post

Newsletter of the Rotary Club of Pascoe Vale – February 09, 2022

The Club meets at the Pascoe Vale RSL each Thursday night at 6.30pm. We have some great speakers. Visitors* - Please join us for dinner – our shout!

Contact the editor for more details

Pascoe Vale
Rotary



Presidential Decree 16th February 2023

Hi Rotarians, Friends of Rotary, and Kind Sponsors!

I do hope you & your families & friends are all well.

- Deborah & I had a wonderful weekend with some of our Sisters & Mistresses crew on the Queen Elizabeth cruise ship for a 3-night cruise around Tasmania. (Certainly, miss my dry gin martinis at 630pm!)

- N.B. I need as many hard copy Rotary magazines as I can get my hands on, no matter how old. Please have a look around your home, & bring them to Rotary or drop them off to my home! Thank you.

- Many thanks to our Chair persons last week who gave us a “snap shot in time” of our clubs’ programs so far this Rotary year! Still some important work to be done, so let us support our fellow Rotarians & community projects in all our avenues of service

As Always,

Yours in Rotary Service,

Prez Bruno.

This Week's Meeting

This week's speaker will discuss “Medical Technology in Radiation Oncology”



Jules Mantle has worked in the radiation therapy world for almost eight years now and he'd like to share his knowledge of this topic with you.

Upcoming Events

16 th February	Jules Mantle – Cancer Treatment Technology
23 rd February	Regular Meeting
30 th February	tba
30 th March	Community Police Awards
27-31 May 2023	Rotary International Convention -Melbourne.



Environmental Plogging report February 12th 2023

Clean Up Australia Day - What a great success!



We gathered together at De Chene playground in Coburg. After advertising the event on local social media we had a marvellous turnout of around 2 dozen citizens who came along to lend a hand give some time to cleaning up the local Merri Creek environs.

Parents, children, dogs, locals, PV Rotary members...they all arrived!

We managed to retrieve 10 bags of rubbish - mainly soft plastics and a goodly amount of recyclable cans and bottles.

BUT - amongst it all was a bicycle pulled from the water AND an ancient Nokia phone at least 25 years old! Almost a museum piece!

So many who came were appreciative of our initiative to caretake the environment and were very open to the idea of doing this more often.

I had sent a notice to various local primary schools alerting them to the event as well as the FB Good Karma networks. We had a great response and it is clear that we must harness the power of social media to spread Rotary's message.

A huge thank you to all who came, including Chris L, Pat S and Matt W from our own ranks. So appreciated and every little piece of litter gathered is one less piece floating in the creek or choking a bird or ending up in the sea.

Heather Harris - E+S portfolio

THIS WEEK'S CELEBRATIONS:

Birthdays:

Sue Harrison
Damian Nippard

Anniversaries:

Our thoughts are with Gerard Hannan, who weddings anniversary is this week.

Heather and Pat with a great find, a pushbike pulled from the Merri Creek.





Plogging “Find of the Day”

A very old Nokia phone, often referred to as a “Brick”



The 2023-24 theme has been released



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Racking Adjustments

Last Tuesday, the club assisted in rearranging the shelving at the RIMERN warehouse in Brunswick. As expected the job didn't take too long and wasn't heavy. Picture left is Grant and all his helpers.



Club Messages/Cards –

If you know of any Current, Honorary/Past Member or family or friends of or Rotary Club who could benefit from a card or message, please get in touch with Lia Wolfe (P.P. Pat's daughter) who will arrange for an appropriate card to be sent on behalf of our Club.

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