

# The Pascoe Post

Newsletter of the Rotary Club of Pascoe Vale – June 22, 2023

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**



The end is in sight for President Bruno – D’Prez. Next week is the Changeover, and new President Heather (Madam President?) takes control. The Changeover at The Northern Golf Club will be a great night, and I look forward to seeing everyone there.



Regionalisation  
Project

Following financial approval from the Rotary International Board, the Regionalisation Pilot Establishment teams are now heading full speed towards pilot establishment. You can now read the Executive Summary that was provided to the RI Board as part of the business case.

Click on the link updates <https://creatingtomorrowrotary.org/>

## *The Paradox of Tolerance*

Back in the 1940s, the philosopher Karl Popper came up with something called “The Paradox of Tolerance.” It goes like this:

If everyone is tolerant of every idea, then intolerant ideas will emerge. Tolerant people will tolerate this intolerance, and the intolerant people will not tolerate the tolerant people. Eventually, the intolerant people will take over and create a society of intolerance. Therefore, Popper said, to maintain a society of tolerance, the tolerant must be intolerant of intolerance... hence the paradox.

Thanks to MARK MANSON

## Upcoming Events

22 <sup>nd</sup> June	Gerry Cartwright, Police and Emergency Services
29 <sup>th</sup> June	2023 Changeover, Northern Golf Club
6 <sup>th</sup> July	Catherine Eagleson, Puzzling for mindfulness/mental health
13 <sup>th</sup> July	Darren Saffin, Tough Guys Book Club

## THIS WEEK

This week we have (hopefully) Gerry Cartwright from the Police and Emergency Services

## Join us online!

### ZOOM meeting details

(available every week)

Click on the link to join our meetings, everyone is welcome.

<https://uso2web.zoom.us/j/83416704008?pwd=ZjdMMDgvaWpUoVHSjU3RjZPdKwxZzo9>

Meeting ID: 834 1670 4008  
Passcode: 796649



Join millions of people in reducing their plastic waste.

Plastic Free July® is a global movement that helps millions of people be part of the solution to plastic pollution – so we can have cleaner streets, oceans, and beautiful communities. Will you be part of Plastic Free July by choosing to refuse single-use plastics?

Find out more at <https://www.plasticfreejuly.org/>



### Inside Look: Polio Fight To The Finish -

<https://msgfocus.rotary.org/q/12G3mGbIJCwRKeN13RBaDnfU/wv#>

Nearly 40 years ago, Rotary International, the largest volunteer service organization in the world and longtime UNICEF partner, embarked on a very important mission: to rid the world of polio. Today, after decades of remarkable progress, global eradication is within reach: cases are down 99.99 percent, thanks in large part to Rotary's efforts in partnership with UNICEF, the World Health Organization, and other leaders and supporters of the Global Polio Eradication Initiative (GPEI). An infectious disease that at its peak killed or paralyzed hundreds of thousands of people every year no longer exists in most of the world today.

## THIS WEEK'S CELEBRATIONS:

### Birthdays:

Monty Montgomery  
Kester Rebbechi

### Anniversaries:

None



## RIMERN WEBSITE UPDATE

Good morning

I have updated the figures on the website.

As of 31 May, 23

Deliveries - 327  
People assisted - 679  
Value of donated goods - \$447,460  
Items delivered - 16,644

A credit to you all.

Kind Regards  
Ian McMaster  
Secretary



### Club Messages/Cards –

If you know of any Current, Honorary/Past Member or family or friends of our 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.

Mobile: 0401 575 048

### The Pascoe Post

Editor: Grant Standfield

Email: [gstandfi@outlook.com](mailto:gstandfi@outlook.com)

Mobile: 0400 738 102

To unsubscribe, please reply to the editor with "Unsubscribe" in the subject line.