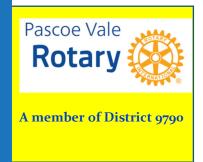
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Newsletter of the Rotary Club of Pascoe Vale – October 24, 2024

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

Contact the editor for more details.



President's Post

Hi All

- Last week we had our own members share what is happening with their Rotary projects.
 - -Kevin spoke about Vocational & the mock interviews & Awards night at Antonine College & Pascoe Vale Girls College.
 - -Aaron spoke about Youth programs, RYLA, & Science & Engineering Project for next year via Latrobe University.
 - -Matthew gave us a run down on the International Projects such as Interplast & several others based in Africa & Cambodia.
 - -Sara filled us in on the Pascoe Vale Street Party coming up on the 26th of October!
 - -Steve spoke about our fundraising efforts to enable us to carry out the above-mentioned projects!

Well done everyone!

- N.B. 24th October 2024 World Polio Plus Day!
- 24th October Mock Interviews Pascoe Vale Girls College.
- I am happy to announce that we currently have 5 RYLA Candidates!
- N.B. This Saturday, 26th October, Pascoe Vale Street Party at Cole Reserve celebrating 1 year of Sara at Pharmacy 777 & proudly sponsored by Rotary Pascoe Vale!
 All funds raised go to the Royal Children's Hospital!
- On Tuesday night, 22nd October, we went to Strathmore Rotary for the Presentation of an Australian Rotary Health Scholarship to Georgina Rawson. She specialises in neuro degenerative diseases, dementia and sleep research.

This Week

















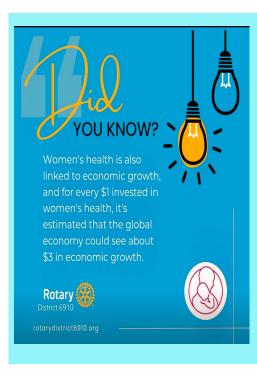
Rtn. Kevin Fernandes Reports On Vocational & Mock Interviews & Awards Night @ Antonine College



Rtn. Aaron De Buhr Reports On RYLA, Science & Engineering Project for Next Year in La-Trobe University



Rtn. Steve Papas PP spoke about our fundraising efforts to enable us to carry out the above mentioned projects!



THIS WEEK'S CELEBRATIONS:

Birthdays:

Marilyn Arnheim Peter Wilson

Anniversaries:

Peter & Marilyn Arnheim



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Upcoming Events

24 th October	Mock Interviews - Pascoe Vale Girls College – 40 students
24 th October	Picnic for Polio (See Pres. Bruno for details)
8 th December	Bunnings BBQ
28th December	Bunnings BBQ
11-13 April 2025	District Conference Albury

Notable Engagement last September 2024 from our own Rtn. Pat Solibakke

"Rotary Merri Paddle's Creek Monitoring for Water Quality and Platypus Habitat"

Members of the Rotary Merri Paddle, including representatives from Pascoe Vale, Preston, Coburg, and Moreland clubs, conducted a water quality survey along Merri Creek. The group, consisting of 11 volunteers, took turbidity, eDNA, and pesticide readings at multiple locations from Dights Falls to Coburg North. They also assessed the suitability of the habitat for platypuses, examining riverbanks, vegetation, and leaf litter for food sources. Recent heavy rains impacted the water quality, with evidence of detergent found in the creek.







Laughter is still the best Medicine! Part1

- 1. "Running late is my cardio."
- 2. "I'd agree with you, but then we'd both be wrong."
- 3. "I'm not great at math, but I can count on coffee."
- 4 "Common sense is like deodorant. The people who need it most never use it."
- 5 "I'm not lazy, I'm on energy-saving mode."
- 6 "I used to be indecisive, but now I'm not sure."
- 7"I thought I wanted a career. Turns out, I just wanted paychecks."
 8"I'm not clumsy; it's just the floor hates me."













PLEASE COME AND SUPPORT SARA AND LEND A HELPING HAND. COLE RESERVE, CNR CUMBERLAND AND KENT RD

7 "Why exercise when you can nap instead?"

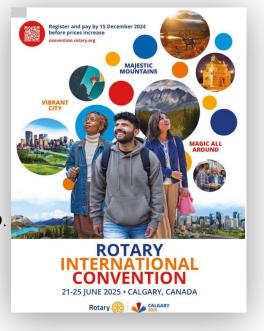
8"I came, I saw, I forgot what I was doing."

9"To err is human. To blame it on someone else shows management potential."

10"The elevator to success is broken. You'll have to take the stairs."

11"I'm on a gin and tonic diet. So far, I've lost two days!"

12"The fridge light knows more about my life than anyone else."













Dear Rotarians of Pascoe Vale,

Reigniting Rotary's Spark

Rotary International is like a grand lighthouse, guiding people through the rough waters of life with its light of service. To attract younger generations, Rotary can reignite its flame by incorporating fresh initiatives, meaningful projects, and opportunities that resonate with today's youth, ensuring that its beacon remains a symbol of positive change.

A Bright and Inspiring Light: Rotary already shines through impactful initiatives like the "Lift the Lid" Mental Health Awareness event and expert talks, such as Rebecca Liberatore's presentation on pelvic physiotherapy. Rtn. Aaron's STEM projects with La Trobe University, And for "RAYLA" youth programs showcase Rotary's commitment to engaging young minds. Additionally, President Bruno's presentation of a scholarship to Georgina Rawson, focused on neurodegenerative diseases, underscores Rotary's dedication to important health causes.

A Beacon of Gratitude: Deep gratitude goes to every member and committee whose unwavering commitment keeps the lighthouse burning. Your efforts illuminate Rotary's mission and inspire younger generations to carry the torch of service into the future.

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Jerry Bearnod Paglinawan – Rotarian and editor













At the 1950 RI Convention in Detroit, slightly modified versions of the two slogans were formally approved as the official mottos of Rotary: "He Profits Most Who Serves Best" and "Service Above Self." The 1989 Council on Legislation established "Service Above Self" as the principal motto of Rotary.

declared that, "Only the science of right conduct toward others

pays. Business is the science of human services. He profits most

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who serves his fellows best."

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Laughter is still the best Medicine! Part2

13"I tried to be normal once. Worst two minutes of my life."

14"I'd give up sarcasm, but then there's nothing left."

15"I'm not old, I'm just chronologically gifted."

16"I put the 'pro' in procrastination."

17"Brains are awesome. I wish everybody had one."

18"Adulting is like folding a fitted sheet. No one really knows how to do it."

19"Sleep is my drug. My bed is my dealer. The alarm clock is the police."

20"I'd stop procrastinating, but I keep putting it off."

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 Pat Solibakke who will arrange for an appropriate card to be sent on behalf of our Club.

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