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**MEETINGS**

Tuesdays 6pm for 6.30pm  
Kooyong Lawn Tennis Club  
489 Glenferrie Road  
Kooyong Vic 3144  
Melways Map Ref 59 C3

Bookings Richard Blakeman  
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Contact Bob Carey for all attendance  
matters by midday  
Friday prior to the Tuesday meeting  
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If you do not attend a meeting and  
have not informed Bob of your  
absence by mid-day of the previous  
Friday, you will be obliged to pay  
for the meal. If you wish to bring  
a partner, visitor or guest, please  
inform Bob no later than midday of  
the previous Friday.

**PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE 18 October 2016**

I don't have much to add to Ian's commentary on the success of Tuesday evening in honouring members who have done so much for our club in the past. It will certainly be one of my highlights during my President's year.

Now that Richard has forwarded the survey re the meal price increase at KLTC I urge all Glenferrie Rotarians to complete the survey so that the final decision made represents the majority of the membership, not just of those members who completed the survey.

On a personal note, I would like to thank everyone in the Club for your support and concern for what has been quite a worrying time for me this year re my sister's health. I can happily advise that she had the cyst removed at RWH on Wednesday. The operation was much more successful than anyone could have imagined. I think this is testament to skill of the medical staff at RWH – what a wonderful facility we have here in Melbourne. She is recovering well and expected to be out of hospital next Monday or Tuesday.

Looking forward to seeing you all on Tuesday with your hats and spare cash to participate in the fundraising events Charles has organized. I hope many partners can also attend.

Yours in Rotary,  
Carol

**PROGRAM**

DATE	SPEAKER	TOPIC	CHAIR
25 October	"Lift the Lid on Mental Health" - a Social Night (see p.2) Guest Speaker: Matt Hyland- Racing Victoria		Ian Salek
No Meeting - Melbourne Cup Day			
08 November	Lien Trien	Being a Rotary Global Grant Scholar	Cheryl Pisterman
15 November	Glenferrie Rotary AGM		Carol Benson
22 November	Jim Prokhovnik	ROMAC	Mark Ellis
29 November	DG Neville John	TBA	Norm Fary

**Remember: Partners and guests are always welcome to join us!!**

**DUTIES**

Date	Set up /Down	Cashiers	Welcome
25 October	Cheryl Pisterman	Newton Langford, Don Moore	Trevor Mackey
No Meeting - Melbourne Cup Day			
8 November	Brendan Rice	Jeremy Romanes, Ian Salek	Lynette Spencer
15 November	Helena Wimpole	John Suriano, Charles Tran	Ian Willmott
22 November	Robert Winspear	Wayne Worladge, Michael Hills	Mike Berry
29 November	Bob Carey	Ian Dobson, Keith Duncan	Michelle Boden

If you have not performed a duty before, please ask an experienced member to show you what needs to be done.

**If unable to do your duty, please swap with another member and inform John Suriano**



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### LAST WEEK'S MEETING

It was a joyful, memorable and a "feel good" meeting when we, as a club, celebrated the award of "Honorary Membership" to three of our members: John Wischer, Geoff Wood and Terry Rolleston.

Norm Fary began the proceedings by recounting a brief summary of John's work and involvement on behalf of RC Glenferrie, this included mention of his travel to each Tuesday's meeting when he was a "Hobby Farmer" in Gippsland, club President 1998-99, the rewriting of the club constitution and by-laws, researching and publication of the Club History for the club's 30th anniversary and a Paul Harris recognition with two sapphires. Norm also revealed John's involvement in the formation of the Boroondara Family Network and his successful application to the Rotary Foundation for a grant to the Sumba Eye Program. Norm also thanked Tasma (who won the door prize) for her ongoing support of John's involvement and concluded by observing that John embodied the ideals of Rotary: Fellowship and Service.

It was then Don Heath's opportunity to tell a little of Geoff Wood's activities and history with our club. Geoff joined our club in May 1995 and has served in almost all areas, ranging from Auditor, Service Director, Secretary, Treasurer and President in 2002-03. Don highlighted Geoff's active involvement with the Boroondara Council in 2002 to set up and operate the Club's most successful project, the Farmers Market. It was his vision and drive that resulted in the establishment of the Farmers Market Committee which he chaired until passing the reins to Terry Rolleston, but remained a member of that committee until now. Geoff also chaired the Cluster Committee which organised the successful Boroondara Paper function in 2011 with over 120 guests attending. Don thanked Geoff for his role in the administration and project management for the club and remarked that he regularly led fellowship with "a smile on his face and is happy to share a glass of wine and a chat with everyone". Geoff is a Paul Harris Fellow with one sapphire for his service to Rotary. Don thanked June for her support of Geoff in all club activities and for the hospitality and catering she provided at club committee meetings held at their home.

President Carol then noted that Terry Rolleston was made an Honorary member at the club's Changeover in June and then paid tribute to all Terry's activities in the club. Terry is a Paul Harris Fellow with three sapphires and was club president in 1999-2000. President Carol presented a Rotary Honorary Membership Pin and Certificate to our new honorary members. We will the company of our three fellows but look forward to their visits to club meetings in the future.

It was pleasing to also welcome Honorary members David Sutherland, accompanied by Jenny, and Ken Scott to this special meeting and they were able to share some of their experiences and memories with our newer members.

After President Carol closed the meeting, it was delightful to observe that everyone was able to continue in fellowship with our members and guests. It was a truly memorable evening and my congratulations to all who helped organise the event.

Also, my thanks to Norm Fary and Don Heath for allowing me to use their research material in this report.

*Ian Willmott*







**Hat Day: Lifting the Lid on Mental Health Evening 25 October**

According to the Australian Rotary Health report, each year approximately 1 in every 5 Australians will experience a mental illness in their life. To better understand the disease, Rotary Clubs in Victoria and nationally have partnered with Australian Rotary Health in support of the 'Lift The Lid' Campaign, which aims to raise funds to significantly increase research into mental illness prevention.

There will be auctions, raffles and gifts for all members and guests that evening. Money raised at this meeting will go directly to research helping the 1 in 5 Australians affected by depression, anxiety, schizophrenia and many other illnesses - making a real difference in our community. Mental illness manifests itself in so many ways - and is often so much closer to us than we think.

Guest speaker, Matt Hyland from Racing Victoria has been invited to give some insights into the Melbourne Racing Carnival.

We look forward seeing all members, their partners, friends and any other guests at this fun but important event.

Charles Tran, Community Service Director



*Rotarians and guests from Chirnside Cluster celebrate Hat Day*

**FOUNDATION  
FACTS**

**EVERY ROTARIAN, EVERY YEAR (EREY)  
ALSO KNOWN AS CENTURION**

The Rotary Foundation encourages Every Rotarian to make a personal gift to the Foundation's Annual Fund Every Year.

The gift can be any amount you are able to contribute but amounts of \$100 per year are particularly encouraged so that the member can qualify for Centurion status. EREY also strives to have every Rotarian participate in a Foundation program every year.

With their volunteerism and generous philanthropy, Rotarians are at the heart of The Rotary Foundation's mission to eradicate polio and Rotary's other humanitarian and educational programs worldwide.

Rotarians are encouraged to make our Foundation their charity of choice. Banners are available for clubs where every member is an EREY contributor.

Payments of \$2.00 or more to the Australian Rotary Foundation Trust are tax deductible.



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**BREAD RUN ROSTER**

DATE	PERSON 1	PERSON 2
27 October	Don Moore	Cheryl Pisterman
03 November	Michelle Boden	Volunteer?
10 November	Lynette Spencer	Bob Carey
17 November	TBA	TBA
24 November	John Hudson	???

**If you are unable to do your duty, please arrange a replacement and let Charles Tran know.**