

<p>Club Meetings: Thursday for fellowship at 6pm followed by Dinner at 6:30pm</p> <p>Location: Hotel Grand Chancellor, 29 Cameron Street, Launceston, Tasmania</p>		<p>ROTARY: MAKING A DIFFERENCE</p>  <p>Tamar Views</p>
<p>1st March 2018</p>	<p>Click on Rotary emblem </p>	<p>Weekly Bulletin</p> <p>Rotary Club of South Launceston District 9830</p>

Guest Speaker this week: Fraser Sutton - National Youth Science Forum



President's Notes

Fellow Rotarians,

It seems like a month since I last gave my report. Would you believe it has only been two weeks?

During those times we have been fortunate to visit The Men's shed at Youngtown, this shed is an indicative of the Youngtown Rotary club. As a club we had a great number of members turn up. We got to learn abet more about what they do and how much fun they have and how they involve people who want to educate others in wood work and also it is just a great place for men to go for companionship. We then joined the Youngtown Rotary club for a meal.

Last Thursday night a small group of Rotarians volunteered their time assisting Glen Dhu primary school with the welcome back BBQ for families and students, and of course the evening finished with a few of us having a meal at The Sporties where we also discussed our project in Fiji. More information will be forth coming during the next few months.

It is not long now until the Rotary District Conference in Hobart, please go onto the website and book in for this event.

Secretary Krista is still on the lookout for a bulletin editor,

this position needs to be filled by the end of April.

Bjork has settled well into the school year and is managing her lessons well.

Thank you Rotarian Paul Fitzpatrick and Christine for taking Bjork over the weekend; she of course had a great time with your family. Bjork is off to Oatlands this weekend for Youth Exchange camp. Let's hope the weather is kind to them.

This Sunday is the

Soggy Bottom Cardboard Box Regatta at Waverley Lake. We hope to see you all there as you cheer on our boat. Rotarian Lance Pfeffer has done a great job building this vessel and deserves our support.

I look forward to seeing you all on Thursday evening.

Yours in Rotary

President Glenda Iles



28 February – Sonia Morganti (5 years)

CLUB DUTY ROSTER

1 March Fraser Sutton

ATTENDANCE	<i>Ian Smith</i>
CHAIRPERSON	<i>Les Baxter</i>
REGALIA	<i>Bruce Burke</i>
THANKS	<i>Paul Swiatkowski</i>

8 March

ATTENDANCE	Sonia Morganti
CHAIRPERSON	Josh De Groot
REGALIA	Martin Yates
THANKS	Lance Pfeffer

If you are unable to fulfil your rostered duty, please arrange for a replacement.

District Conference

District Conference is on the **6,7 and 8 April 2018** at the Hobart Grand Chancellor Hotel

- Registrations now open for conference, visit the website for more information rotarytasconference2018.com.au



National and Tasmanian Youth Science Forums

For 12 days in January, students go to Canberra and live on campus as a university student. More than 100 like-minded NYSF participants come from around Australia and overseas to meet a range of scientists and researchers, to visit them at work and to do the kinds of things scientists do every day.

The NYSF participants debate the hottest science and engineering topics and pick up valuable skills to give them the edge in year 12 and beyond. It is not all work; they also enjoy the fellowship of their other NYSF participants through trivia quizzes, BBQs, discos and a range of sports.

A visit to the Men's Shed in Kings Meadows



The Rotary Community Men's Shed Project is a joint project between the Youngtown and Kings Meadows Rotary Club. The shed was opened on 19th Nov 2016 and has been a success since that day. Our club paid a visit on Monday 19 Feb and were taken on a tour in small groups and were impressed by the work that is being done at this Shed. After the tour we strolled over to the Kings Meadows golf club for a Rotary meeting and a very nice meal.

Thank you to all the volunteers for showing us through this great project.

APOLOGIES BY 10.30am TUESDAY TO TERRY CRAWFORD 63447033 or 0417 366 531

(If not received by then, an invoice will be issued)

Glen Dhu Primary School Welcome Back BBQ

Last Thursday evening a wonderful group of volunteers helped man the BBQ at Glen Dhu Primary School. This event is held every year for the parents and students to welcome them back to the school year. We were entertained with the students doing a display of jump rope, we heard the Tenko drummers and visited other food stalls all in all a great evening.



HEY Golfers



James Wilcox from **Rotary Club of Longford** has invited our Club to a Golf Day on Thursday 8th March at the Longford Golf Club.

All players are welcome and there are lots of prizes to be won – for those who are good golfers and those who are not.

The cost is \$25 per golfer, which includes morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea.

If anyone is interested in playing or in bringing along a team, please contact Bob Saunders on 0418 131 738

Soggy Bottom Boat Regatta update

The soggy bottom boat Regatta is on this Sunday 4th March and HMS "GOING SOUTH" is ready for her maiden voyage. The rules require a crew of at least 2 people, so we will need some volunteers who can paddle like Olympians to get to the finish before she sinks. I also request someone with a trailer who can help out with transport on the day from Riverside to Waverly. Please contact Lance if you're keen to get involved.



Items for Next Week's Bulletin to Dennis Tulk by 12 noon WEDNESDAY 0419 385 344

dtulk1@bigpond.net.au (Any Director's Reports would be gratefully received)

Sparkle in the Dark

Gala Dinner

Rotary Club of Ulverstone Inc.

ABN 452 561 545 35

Would like to invite you

Fundraiser to support Tasmanian Huntington's Disease and Rotary Oceania Medical Aid for children (ROMAC)

Where: Pier 01, The Wharf Precinct, Ulverstone

Date: Saturday 21st April 2018

Time: 6.30pm

Dress: Black Tie

Cost: \$100 (includes a three course meal and some alcohol)

Live Music: The Collection

RSVP: Tuesday 10th April 2018

Rod Tremayne

Email: sparkleinthedark2018@gmail.com

Mobile: 0400 730 386

Direct Credit (EFT) details: BSB 632 001 Account: 100169958

Account name: Rotary Club of Ulverstone Inc Sparkle in the Dark No 3

Name as reference and then inform Rod Tremayne by email

Cheques payable to: Rotary Club of Ulverstone, PO Box 202, Ulverstone 7315



Texas Rotarian raises awareness with purple hair



**Jenna Buscemi,
Rotary Club of
Houston
Energy
Corridor,
Texas**

By now, Jenna Buscemi is used to the strange glances. In fact, she thrives on them. “If I’m in the grocery store, I’ll get that weird look from people,” says Buscemi, who is an adviser to her former Rotaract club at the University of Houston.

“I’ll say to them, ‘I bet you’re wondering about my hair,’ and then I’ll give my elevator speech about Rotary and the current facts about polio. It usually ends up with the other person saying, ‘That’s a wonderful thing’ or ‘I didn’t know polio was still around!’”

That’s exactly the reaction Buscemi is aiming for with her violet locks: raising awareness of how close Rotary and its partners are to eradicating the disease. Buscemi’s personality is as expressive as her hair.

“We are getting so close to eradicating this disease,” she says. “It’s amazing that this one cause brings people together from all over the world.” Buscemi, who joined the Rotary Club of Houston Energy Corridor last year, first went “purple for polio” in 2016 to kick off her term as District 5890 Rotaract representative and says she’d love to see the current Rotary district governor dye his mustache purple for the same cause.

In the meantime, her tresses are getting so much attention that she’s decided to keep dying them indefinitely. “People wear Rotary ties or Rotary shirts,” she says. “Well, this is my Rotary hair.” — *Anne Ford*

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**ROTARY CLUB OF
SOUTH LAUNCESTON**

Club Chartered

March 17 1962
with 23 members
55th Year of Rotary Service

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Rotary Grace

**For good food, good
fellowship and
the opportunity of service
through
Rotary, we give thanks.'**

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THE FOUR-WAY TEST

**Of the things we think, say or
do:**

1. **Is it the truth?**
2. **Is it fair to all involved?**
3. **Will it build goodwill
and better friendships?**
4. **Will it be beneficial to
all concerned?**