

Club Meetings:
Thursday for fellowship at 6pm followed by Dinner at 6:30pm

Location:
Hotel Grand Chancellor,
29 Cameron Street,
Launceston, Tasmania

7th September
2017

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Weekly Bulletin

Rotary
Club of South Launceston
District 9830




Guest Speaker this Week: Mark Wells talking on “the Glover Art Prize”

President's Notes

Hello Rotarians,

I would like to thank Rotarian Nick Butler for stepping in at such short notice as our guest speaker "Rotarian behind the badge", it's a great way to get to know a little more about another Rotarian.

Saturday night a few of us attended the Care for Africa Ball, it was a great night and we certainly had a few laughs. We are very proud of Rotarian Di Butler and her wonderful team who have achieved so much, the passion that they have is amazing. We were also lucky to view a small film about Care for Africa and as I looked around the room I did not see many dry eyes.

Rotarians please place this date in your diary Wednesday 20th September is Group forum night (venue to be advised) therefore there will not be a meeting on Thursday 21st September; it would be great to see most of you there.

District Conference is being held in Hobart 6th to 8th April 2018 at Hotel Grand Chancellor, those who wish to attend should start to make bookings for accommodation sooner rather than later.

I look forward to seeing you all on Thursday evening.

Yours in Rotary

President Glenda Iles



Birthday

7 September – David Dixon

7 September – Graeme LeFevre



8 September- Terry Crawford (12 years)

12 September- Kim Biggelaar (4 years)

13 September- Dale Luck (27 years)

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

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

CLUB DUTY ROSTER

7 SEPTEMBER

ATTENDANCE	<i>Brian Beardwood</i>
CHAIRPERSON	<i>Stephen Gordon</i>
REGALIA	<i>Phil Niejalke</i>
THANKS	<i>Sonia Morganti</i>

14 SEPTEMBER

ATTENDANCE	John Frearson
CHAIRPERSON	Merilyn Briggs
REGALIA	Kathy Macqueen
THANKS	Peter Stearnes

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



Rotarian Behind the Badge

Nicholas Butler



Considering the short notice for this talk and being up to the wee hours of the morning in preparation (so we were told), we learnt a lot about this Rotarian.

We found out that his first car was a VW beetle somewhat modified and it was lucky to do 60mph downhill with a wind behind.

The first Butler landed in 1822 and was a lawyer and this occupation carried forward for another six generations with Nic's father being the last in this profession.

He told us about his exploits in sailing, viticulture, winemaking, fishing and aquaculture.

He finally told us his latest venture is to find the source of the Tasmanian Nile.

These presentations by Rotarians always give us an insight into the life of our members and are always well received.

Thanks for a great talk Nic, which from the banter around the tables, it was obvious everyone at the meeting really enjoyed.

Brief snippets.....

- ✚ President Glenda advised of the forthcoming 'Doors Open' day for Launceston Rotary on 17th September
- ✚ Wayne Higgs is currently refurbishing our Regalia
- ✚ Graeme Le Fever gave information on the 'Big Red Kidney Walk' which is on **this Sunday 10TH September at Heritage Forest**, and we have been asked to help with the BBQ.
- ✚ He also gave an update on progress with the Club By Laws and Constitution changes
- ✚ Kim Biggelaar (Community Service) asked for preliminary numbers for this year's Shoe Box scheme - Cambodia this year.
- ✚ She also advised she is in communication with the Migrant Resource Centre about a possible project
- ✚ Club Blood donations are currently being assessed - Kim will come back to the Club
- ✚ Lara Alexander(Vocational) is looking at a possible visit to the Beaconsfield Gold Mine



Rotary Inspirational Video





RYDA – ROAD SAFETY EDUCATION PROGRAM



❖ *This Information provided by the Northern RYDA Committee.*

[RYDA](#) is a community road safety initiative delivering practical road safety information targeting attitude and awareness of young drivers and passengers. The program is facilitated in partnership with Rotary, presented by professionals and supported by corporate sponsors. The Program about road safety is directed towards our young people as they approach the period in their life when they start driving a car and ride as a passenger in a car driven by one of their peers. In Tasmania it is presented to students in grade 10.

RYDA is a series of practical and powerful workshops that aim to change the way young people think about road safety. As part of an interactive one-day experience, students experience high-speed braking, devise travel strategies that will work for them in the real world and get tips from road safety experts on how to protect themselves, their friends and family. Perhaps the most impactful moments come from the personal stories of loss and survival. In one session, students watch a powerful and emotional video on the life and tragic death of an 18 year old provisional driver and her best friend. And in another, they sit with a crash survivor and hear first-hand how one poor choice can change a life forever.

The program focuses on attitude and awareness with the aim of making the students better people on the road. Presenters include Road Safety experts, driving instructors, Police, recovering survivors of road crashes and drug and alcohol educators.



The RYDA Program for the North will be held on Monday 23rd October until Thursday 2nd November 2017.

Rotary Club of South Launceston rostered days are:

Tuesday 24 October and Tuesday 31 October.

We will need 6 persons per day for our roster.

A roster for this important Rotary Project will be forthcoming in the coming weeks from Director Lance.



Big Red Kidney Walk: Launceston



Sunday, 10 September 2017

Heritage Forest, Invermay

Kidney Health Australia's Big Red Kidney Walk at Heritage Forest in Invermay, Tasmania aims to raise awareness and funds for Australians affected by kidney disease.

The people of Australia will unite on Sunday, 10 September 2017, wearing red fancy dress, and walk (or run) as one. There'll be games, entertainment and food outlets, along with a walk to suit all participants. The dress code is red, and there will be prizes awarded on the day for our best dressed teams and individuals, so don't be afraid to get creative!

What your kidneys do

The role of the kidneys is often underrated when we think about our health.

In fact, the kidneys play a vital role in the daily workings of your body. They are so important that nature gave us two kidneys, to cover the possibility that one might be lost to an injury.

Kidney related disease kills more people each year than breast cancer, prostate cancer and even road traffic accidents.



[Learn more.....](#) 

**ROTARY CLUB OF
SOUTH LAUNCESTON**

Club Chartered

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

Thursday Meeting

Hotel Grand Chancellor
29 Cameron St, Launceston

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2017-2018

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please

Rotary Grace

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

**ROTARY CLUB OF SOUTH LAUNCESTON
Officers and Duties 2017-2018**

President:

Glenda Iles.

Past/Vice President:

Les Baxter

Secretaries:

Krista Preece
(Organisation &
Correspondence)

Terry Crawford
(Attendance & Recording)

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Stephen Gordon. (Accounting)
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Community Service:

Kim Biggelaar

International Service:

Di Butler.

Vocational Service:

Lara Alexander

Youth:

Lance Pfeffer

Club Service

Director: Graeme LeFevre

Membership:

*Brian Beardwood, Ian Fraser,
Lara Alexander, Mike Waldock,
Dale Luck, Peter Stearnes*

Community Service

Director: Kim Biggelaar

Membership:

*John Frearson, Graham
Gough, Henry Harris,
Brian Howard, Dennis Tulk,
Max Watkins, Sheryl Guy,
Martin Yates, Fraser Nuttall*

International Service

Director: Di Butler

Membership: *Peter McBean,
Mike Sharman, Ian Smith, Nick
Butler, Les Baxter*

YouthService

Director: Lance Pfeffer

Membership: *Phil Niejalke,
Kevin Preece, Merylyn Briggs,
Jacquilyne Kelder, John
Fardon, Kathy Macqueen*

VocationalService

Director: Lara Alexander

Membership: Craig Mitchell,
Andrew Whitehead, David
Peachey, Paul Fitzpatrick, Bruce
Burke, Wayne Higgs, Lydia Nuttall

Directors

Sonia Morganti

Toni Binns

Club Committees

Membership

Terry Crawford

Les Grant, Henk Kortekaas

PR & Fundraising

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Peter McBean, Brian Beardwood

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Rotary Foundation: Vacant



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?**