




<p><b>Club Meetings:</b> Thursday for fellowship at 6pm followed by Dinner at 6:30pm</p> <p><b>Location:</b> Hotel Grand Chancellor, 29 Cameron Street, Launceston, Tasmania</p>	<p><b>23 May 2019</b></p>	 <p><i><b>Tamar Views</b></i></p> <p><b>Weekly Bulletin</b></p>
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**This week—23rd May.  
Fellowship Night.**

**Next Week—30th May.  
Guest Speaker:  
T.B.A.**



### **President's Notes**

Hello Rotarians,

Many thanks to Rotarian Gaylene Baker for sharing with us her 'Rotarian Behind the Badge' talk on Thursday evening. It was great to hear some of her life story. We are indeed lucky to have her in our club.

Incoming President Harry is preparing for his upcoming presidential year and I am looking forward to learning from him through his year. As I said last week when I addressed the club, after the District Training Assembly I think that Rotary is just getting better and better.

Happy Birthday to Ayumi, our exchange student, we hope she had a fantastic birthday, it was great to see and hear her presentation this week from her Aussie Safari experience.

Looking forward to seeing you this week,  
President Krista.

### **COMING EVENTS**

#### **Science & Engineering Challenge.**

UTAS.  
May 23rd & 24th.

#### **'Bail Out' Whitelion Fundraising Event.**

Friday 31st May.  
Hobart Magistrates Court & Richmond Gaol

#### **Rotary International Convention 2019**

1st—5th June.  
Hamburg Germany.

#### **Club Planning Day**

22nd June.  
St Vincent de Paul Society.

#### **Changeover Dinner.**

27th June.  
6..00pm  
Hotel Grand Chancellor.  
Buffet cost \$55.00.

**OUR PRESIDENT-ELECT, HARRY GALEA, ADVISES THAT A PLANNING DAY FOR THE NEXT ROTARY YEAR WILL BE HELD AT THE ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY BUILDING IN INVERMAY ROAD ON SATURDAY 22ND JUNE.**

**HARRY IS SEEKING IDEAS FOR COMMUNITY PROJECTS IN WHICH OUR CLUB MIGHT BECOME INVOLVED IN THE COMING YEAR.**

## CLUB DUTIES

DATE	23RD MAY	30TH MAY	6TH JUNE
ATTENDANCE	TERRY CRAWFORD	JOSH DE GROOT	BERNADETTE ETCHETAMA
WELCOME	PETER STEARNES	PAUL SWIATKOWSKI	DENNIS TULK
CHAIRPERSON	PAUL FITZPATRICK	JOHN FREARSON	HARRY GALEA
REGALIA	GRAHAM GOUGH ANDREW WHITEHEAD	LES GRANT MARTIN YATES	HENRY HARRIS LARA ALEXANDER
THANKS	KATHY MACQUEEN	CRAIG MITCHELL	SONJA MORGANTI

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



19th May—Geoff Iles



24th May—Henry Harris—42 years.  
24th May—Andrea Bartholemew—1 year.

## LAST WEEK'S MEETING

### **President Krista:**

Welcomed Exchange Student Ayumi to the meeting and wished her a belated happy 18<sup>th</sup> birthday.  
Thanked those who attended the District Training Assembly at Deloraine.

Outlined her views on how Rotary is becoming more relevant, and especially commented on its agenda of improving health in Tasmania.

Next year's District Conference is to be at the Theatre Royal, and is promising to be a great event.

### **Secretary Dale Luck:**

New style badges are being ordered, if anyone wants one.  
The Science and Engineering Challenge can now do with some volunteers – a list will be sent around.

Members are invited to 'Creating my Career', which is an event to help students in grade 9 who haven't as yet made their mind up on a career choice. It is on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> June.

### **Co Treasurer Terry Crawford**

The Show Society is keeping their payments up to date, which is good news.

### **PP Glenda Iles:**

Still has a few tickets for the Rotaract Trivia night on the 25<sup>th</sup> May. She and Geoff are taking part in the CEO sleepout coming up soon, and donations are welcome.

### **Ian Smith:**

The Red Shield Appeal door-knocking routes are now available.

### **President-Elect Harry Galea:**

The new board is having a planning session on 22<sup>nd</sup> June – all welcome to attend, or alternatively let board members know of anything members want discussed.

### **Foundation – Josh De Groot:**

We have an application for the club to endorse an application from a prospective candidate for a Rotary Peace Fellowship.

### **Diana Butler– Care for Africa:**

Diana gave a brief report on the Women's Shelter project, and it is going well. Local people are involved, and it will continue to develop.

### **Nic Butler:**

There is a fundraiser for Care for Africa next Friday at the Star Theatre – a screening of the Casablanca movie.

**APOLOGIES BY 10.30am TUESDAY TO TERRY CRAWFORD 63447033 or 0417 366 531**  
**(If not received by then, an invoice will be issued)**

### LAST WEEK'S GUEST SPEAKER.



At our meeting last week, our newest member, Gaylene Baker shared her 'Rotarian Behind the Badge' story.

Gaylene was born at Ulverstone and lived there until she married, being a pupil at the local Primary and High Schools.

She worked at Ambrose's store and then the Tascot Carpet factory at Devonport, where she was a Laboratory Attendant and then the coordinator of the Dye House at the factory.

She then moved to the West Coast, where she then began to work in the employment consulting industry.

She has now worked for the EPIC Employment Consultancy for the past five years, moving to Launceston in 2018. EPIC specializes in finding employment for intellectually handicapped people and people with other disabilities as well as those with general employment needs.

Gaylene said her philosophy is never to judge people—you have never walked in their shoes.

Gaylene lived for a time at Kindred on a potato farm.

She has two children, a daughter, who is a nurse and has represented Tasmania in basketball and softball. Her son, is currently studying for a Bachelor of Business degree in Burnie. He was an exchange student to France in 2009.

Gaylene has had long links with Launceston, with both her grandparents living here, meaning that prior to come to live in Launceston, she was a frequent visitor to our city.



**OUR EXCHANGE STUDENT, AYUMI, CELEBRATED HER 18TH BIRTHDAY WHILE SHE WAS ON THE SAFARI TOUR OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA, NORTHERN TERRITORY, QUEENSLAND AND NEW SOUTH WALES. SHE WAS PRESENTED WITH A BIRTHDAY GIFT FROM THE CLUB BY PRESIDENT KRISTA. AYUMI SHARED SOME OF HER SAFARI EXPERIENCES WITH CLUB MEMBERS AT LAST WEEK'S MEETING.**

### STOP PRESS!

**Owing to withdrawals, volunteers are now needed for the Science & Engineering Challenge at UTAS on Thursday and Friday 23rd & 24th May. Register at [bit.ly/SciEngChallengeVolunteerReg2019](https://bit.ly/SciEngChallengeVolunteerReg2019)**

### AND FINALLY.....

A nervous traveller arrived at a yacht to embark on his first sea voyage. He looked around the vessel, tentatively walking across the deck to greet the skipper.

"Do yachts like this sink very often?" he asked anxiously.

"Not too often," replied the skipper.

"Usually just the once."

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A Sydney man was running late for his ferry. He sprinted down to Circular Quay and saw his ferry was just a short distance from the wharf.

He took a flying leap and landed in a heap on the deck.

A crew member came and helped him up.

"Are you O.K, sir?" he asked, and added, "And what's the hurry? We're still coming in."

**ROTARY CLUB OF SOUTH LAUNCESTON**  
**Officers and Duties 2018-2019**

**ROTARY CLUB OF SOUTH  
LAUNCESTON**

**Club Chartered**

March 17 1962  
with 23 members  
56th Year of Rotary Service

**Thursday Meeting**

Hotel Grand Chancellor  
29 Cameron St, Launceston  
6.15 pm for 6.30 pm

**Make-ups & Apologies**

Assist-Secretary Terry Crawford  
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Terry Crawford.  
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LIOS**

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