

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

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

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Tamar Views



Weekly Bulletin



Rotary
Club of South Launceston



**This week's Guest Speaker: Past District Governor John Dare.
Rotary Club of Deloraine. "Royal Flying Doctor Service Bus Project."**

PRESIDENT HARRY'S NOTES



Hello Rotarians,

For those able to attend, wasn't last Thursday's casserole night at the 'Butlers' a very enjoyable evening? Firstly, a big thank-you to Rotarians Di and Nic for opening up their house and being such hospitable hosts. Secondly, thanks to Rotarian Wayne for organising the night and bringing the Chocolate Wheel.

Certainly the Chocolate Wheel was a big hit! At one point there were four live raffle/ lucky tickets and it was hard to keep up - I think most of us didn't.

The board have determined a new meeting frequency, being the second Monday of the month. If you have any matter to raise, then please let me or any board member know.

The comments written down during the members' forum two Thursdays ago have been collated and will be discussed at the board's meeting. We will be back with comments and actions soon.

For now have an enjoyable rest of the week and hope to see you this Thursday.

President Harry

COMING EVENTS

RYDA
Symmons Plains.
13th-22nd October.

Visit of
District Governor,
Michael Plunkett.
Coming in November.
Date to be confirmed.

Sheep Poo Collection
Dates.
Next one T.B.A.
Saturdays:
17th October.
21st November.

SHOW DAY HOLIDAY—THURSDAY 8TH OCTOBER—NO MEETING AT GRAND CHANCELLOR.
Les Baxter suggests that Rotarians might like to join him and Barbara
at the Iron Horse Bar & Grill, 468 Westbury Road Prospect.
6.00 for 6.30 pm.

PLEASE NOTE! GROUP 4/5 FORUM.

This event has been cancelled.

Our club will hold a normal meeting on Thursday 15th October.

CLUB DUTIES

DATE	1ST OCTOBER	8TH OCTOBER	15TH OCTOBER
ATTENDANCE	LES BAXTER	SHOW DAY	BRIAN BEARDWOOD
WELCOME	JOHN FREARSON	NO MEETING	STEPHEN GORDON
CHAIRPERSON	ANNA MCGRANE	SEE PAGE 1	MELISSA MCGRATH
THANKS	KEVIN PREECE		KRISTA PREECE

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



1st October—Troy Reid.
3rd October—Melissa McGrath

Drive carefully—it's not only the car that can be recalled by its maker.

PHOTOS FROM CASSEROLE NIGHT.



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

VINNIES VAN VOLUNTEERS.



ROTARY INTERNATIONAL NEWS.

Nigerian physician Dr. Tunji Funsho has been named one of TIME Magazine's 100 Most Influential People in the World. He was honoured for this work with Rotary International to eradicate wild polio in Africa. On 25th August, Africa was declared wild polio free.

AND FINALLY.....

On ABC Classic radio this last week there was discussion about conductor Sir Thomas Beecham and some of his memorable quotes. Here are some of them:

Sir Thomas, who it was said, had something of an eye for the ladies, was asked why female opera singers tend to be of the buxom variety. He said, "Unfortunately those who sing like birds eat like horses and vice-versa."

"Don't look at the trombones, it only encourages them."

"Have you heard any Stockhausen?" Beecham was asked. "No, but I believe I have stepped in some."

"It is quite untrue that British people don't appreciate music. They may not understand it, but they absolutely love the noise it makes."

"The trouble with women in an orchestra is that if they're attractive it will upset my players and if they're not it will upset me. "

"I find brass bands have a melancholy sound. All right out of doors, of course - fifty miles away. Like bag-pipes, they turn what had been a dream into a public nuisance."

"There are two golden rules for an orchestra: start together and finish together. The public doesn't give a damn what goes on in between. "

To the percussion section: "We cannot expect you to be with us all the time, but perhaps you could be good enough to keep in touch now and again."

A soprano in Massenet's Don Quixote complained that

she had missed her entry in the aria, "because Mr. Chaliapin always dies too soon." "Madam, you must be profoundly in error," said Sir Thomas, "No operatic star has yet died half soon enough for me."

"Her singing reminds me of a cart coming downhill with the brake on. "

"Composers should write tunes that chauffeurs and errand boys can whistle."

"Beethoven's last quartets were written by a deaf man and should only be listened to by a deaf man."

"If I were a dictator I should make it compulsory for every member of the population between the ages of four and eighty to listen to Mozart for at least a quarter of an hour daily for the coming five years."

"At a rehearsal I let the orchestra play as they like. At the concert I make them play as I like."

"If an opera cannot be played by an organ grinder, it's not going to achieve immortality."

"Movie music is noise. It's even more painful than my sciatica."

"The sound of the harpsichord resembles that of a bird-cage played with toasting-forks."

"Elgar's first symphony is the musical equivalent of St Pancras Railway Station."

Choir Master: "Sir Thomas, what do you think of Stainer's Crucifixion?" Sir Thomas "I'm all for it".

Sir Thomas who, when a live horse being used on stage, relieved itself during the rehearsals, said to the orchestra "Gentlemen, that horse is not only an actor, it is also a critic."

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58th Year of Rotary Service

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