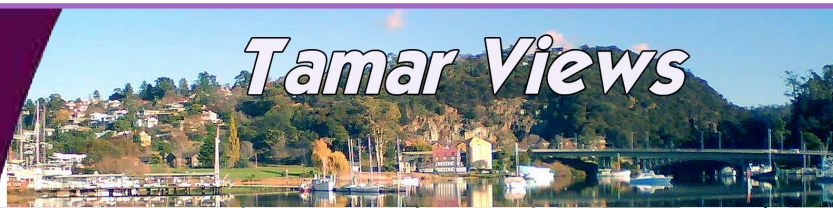


Club Meetings:
Thursday for fellowship at
6pm followed by Dinner at
6:30pm

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

19th
August
2021

Tamar Views



Weekly Bulletin



Rotary
Club of South Launceston



This week: Visit from District Governor, Heather Chong

PRESIDENT LARA'S NOTES



Hello Rotarians

I hope you are travelling well and have been keeping warm during these cold winter days!

As we are welcoming our District Governor, Heather Chong, this upcoming club meeting, 19th August, I thought it is appropriate to share some information about our DG, the person 'behind the badge'.

Heather joined Rotary in 2008 and together with Chris have lived on their apricot orchard outside Richmond for the last 20 years. They have two adult children, Alistair and Philippa, who both work in Hobart. Heather and Chris previously lived in Singapore and Hong Kong (where Chris and both children were born). They met when working for Ernst and Young in London and are both Chartered Accountants by training. Heather is also a Company Director, an Alderman and currently Deputy Mayor for Clarence City Council since 2009. Currently Heather is on the Board of The Story Island Project as well as being involved in several Council committees and other organisations such as the Richmond Village Fair organising committee and Landcare. Heather has served as President of the Rotary Club of Hobart in 2013/14 and was Club Treasurer from 2016 to 2020. She was also District History Officer. She is a passionate supporter of the Foundation and was recognised as a Major Donor in 2016.

I am looking forward to welcoming DG Heather and to hear more about her plans and vision for our District this year.

Yours in Rotary,

President Lara

COMING EVENTS

26th August Social Evening

Dinner at Ding Sing
Chinese Restaurant,
63-65 York Street
Partners and friends
welcome to attend

Sheep Manure

TBA

RYPEN

17th - 19th September
Woodfield
Adventure Park

RYDA

12th - 22nd October
Symmons Plains

28th October Social Evening

Paint the Town Red
"A sip and paint
Experience"

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

CLUB DUTIES

DATE	19TH AUGUST	26TH AUGUST	2ND SEPTEMBER
ATTENDANCE	DI BUTLER	SOCIAL EVENING	NICK BUTLER
WELCOME	STEVE GORDON	DING SING	LES GRANT
CHAIRPERSON	CRAIG MITCHELL	YORK STREET	PHIL NIEJALKE
THANKS	CATHERINE QUARRELL	6.00 FOR 6.30 PM	KEVIN PREECE

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

Rotary Anniversary
19th August -
Di Butler -
11 years



LAST WEEK'S MEETING

Acting President Harry Galea

Harry is standing in for President Lara – welcomed all to the meeting.

Co Treasurer Terry Crawford

Terry took numbers for the 26th August when we will be meeting at the Ding Sing Chinese Restaurant, York Street.

Community Service – Dale Luck

Members of the Community Service Committee will be contacted soon to get the programme rolling for the year.

Youth Services – Sue Faulkner

We have been contacted by Annette Viney to determine our extent of involvement in RYDA (Rotary Youth Driver Awareness) this year. Initially, we have been asked to provide six people for the day on 21st October. More details later.

SNIPPETS

For those of you not on FACEBOOK....

Glenda's new eyebrow's are a great success and look fantastic.
Paul and Phil are yet to get their's done.

We are wondering where Cathy and Paul are??? Back in Tassie and quarantined???

LAST WEEK'S GUEST SPEAKER

Last week's guest speaker was Will Smith from JCP Empowering Youth. Will has previously spoken to our club about his organisation's work, but this time he came to thank the club for the money JCP received from the recent Friendship Ball organised by our club and to give an indication of how the money is being used.

When Will last came to speak at our club, he had just resigned from the Tasmanian Police Force. He previously volunteered his time to the organisation on a part-time basis. He now is engaged full-time in JCP leadership programs focused on making a change in the lives of at-risk youth.

Will said none of the money given to JCP for its work is spent on administration costs. JCP runs fee-for-service leadership courses, the income from which covers administration costs. Will stressed that all of the money JCP received from the Friendship Ball – over \$9,000.00, is being spent on helping disadvantaged youth in Launceston.



Will said that they classify youth that come to them for help in three levels according to the urgency of need or the level of disadvantage. Youth classified as level one have dropped out of school or are at risk of doing so. Level one programs aid at getting such youth back into regular school attendance. Will pointed out that 70% of young people referred to JCP are classified as level one.

Level two youth are those at risk of going to jail. They generally live at home, often in poor circumstances and are demonstrating poor behaviour choices. The aim is to provide support and engage such young people in leadership programs that will hopefully steer them away from committing crimes and set them upon a better path in life.

Young people classified as level three have often already fallen foul of the justice system, may having been in jail or youth detention. The main aim of level three programs run by JCP is to keep such young people alive, as the risks they are under or involve themselves in are at a quite serious level.

Will narrated the circumstances of two young people currently being part of JCP's programs. Their circumstances were quite harrowing and Will said that it was the money JCP received from the Friendship Ball that enabled the organisation to come to the aid of these young people and provide them with a range of supports they desperately needed. JCP is currently having to provide accommodation for some young people because accommodation for at-risk youth in northern Tasmania is non-existent at present. Providing accommodation is not part of JCP's core programming, but is having to be provided out of sheer necessity. JCP's main focus is to provide camps and other leadership focused activities to release potential in young people, which is often stymied by their home, family and other circumstances.

Will concluded by thanking the club for its interest in and support of his organisation. His presentation left club members in no doubt that the money he had received from Rotary was making a vital difference to the lives of worthy young people in Launceston.

AND FINALLY.....

When two vegans get into an argument, is it still called a beef.

What do you called two octopuses that look the same? Itenticle.

Why did the doughnut visit the dentist? To get a new filling.

What's the best way to watch a fly fishing tournament? Live stream.

I used to play the piano by ear, but now I use my hands.

I decided to sell my vacuum cleaner. It was just gathering dust.

ROTARY CLUB OF SOUTH LAUNCESTON

Officers and Duties 2021-2022

ROTARY CLUB OF SOUTH LAUNCESTON

Club Chartered

March 17 1962

with 23 members

59th Year of Rotary Service

Thursday Meeting

Hotel Grand Chancellor

29 Cameron St, Launceston

6.00 pm for 6.30 pm

Make-ups & Apologies

Assist-Secretary Terry Crawford

Before 10.30 am Tuesday

6344 7033 (W) 0417 366 531

Correspondence

PO Box 60

Kings Meadows 7249

Rotary International

President 2021-2022

Shekhar Mehta

Rotary Club of Calcutta Mahanagar
India.

District Governor:

District 9830

2019-2020

Heather Chong

Rotary Club of Hobart

Email:

heather.qew@gmail.com

President:

Lara Alexander

Tel: 0409 131 275

Email: myzbs13@yahoo.com.au

Secretary:

Andrea Bartholemew

Tel: 6344 3668

Mob: 0400 030 660

Email: secretary.southlaunceston
@rotary9830.org.au

Editor:

Sue Faulkner

Email:

sue@faulknerbuilding.com.au

Items by 9.00 pm Monday please

President:

Lara Alexander

Immediate Past President:

Harry Galea

Vice-President:

Andrea Bartholemew

Secretaries:

Andrea Bartholemew

(Organisation

& Correspondence)

Terry Crawford

(Attendance & Recording)

Treasurers:

Stephen Gordon (Accounting)

Terry Crawford (Banking)

DIRECTORS & PORTFOLIOS

Member Services & Founda- tion:

Director: Les Baxter

Members: Terry Crawford,

Judith King, Kevin Preece,

Glenda Iles, Peter Stearnes.

Community Services:

Director: Dale Luck

Members: Lara Alexander,

Les Baxter, Nic Butler,

Paul Fitzpatrick, Steve Gordon,

Graeme LeFevre, Craig Mitchell,

Phil Niejalke, Ian Smith.

Public Image:

Director: Glenda Iles

Members: , Les Grant,

Wayne Higgs, Judith King,

Graeme LeFevre, Kathy

MacQueen

Catherine Quarrell,

Vocational Services:

Director: Wayne Higgs.

Members: Les Baxter,

John Frearson, Glenda Iles,

Youth Services:

Director: Sue Faulkner

Members: Di Butler, Bernadette

Echetama, Glenda Iles.

Office Bearers:

Sergeant: Phil Niejalke

Bulletin: Sue Faulkner

Information Technology:

Kathy MacQueen

Pastoral Care: Ian Smith

Photography: Brian Beardwood

Programme: Les Baxter

Social: Les Baxter

History: Vacant

Sheep Manure Project:

Graeme LeFevre

THE FOUR-WAY TEST

"Of the things we think, say or do:

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?"