

### **This Week - Family Games Night**

# PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Hello Rotarians

I hope you have had a wonderful week.

Last Thursday our club members enjoyed an evening out at the Gunners Arms Tavern. On all accounts those members who went enjoyed a great night out. Alas, due to family commitments I could not attend.

We have completed another year at RYDA. I sincerely would like to thank those members who were involved in the catering; a big effort as we have members away, the volunteers who delivered and picked up chairs, were day managers and led student groups to their various presentations. Thank you everyone. A great job done once again by the coordinator Annette Viney from the Deloraine Club. Phil and Joyce (Youth Services) send their thanks as well.

This week is our Family Fun Night. Thank you to Ian Smith for once again hosting this night for our Rotary Families. I know they all enjoy it.

As you all know this is my second year as President. I am hoping one of our members will put their hand up to take over from me at the changeover dinner at the end of June 2024. I am enjoying the role of President but after 2 years it is someone else's turn to lead our club.

#### Moving Forward:

12 OctoberRoderick Brown on the work of the Salvos19 OctoberLes Baxter on the work of Vinnies26 OctoberSocial evening2 NovemberQuiz night

Looking forward to seeing you all on Thursday evening for our family night at the Grand Chancellor.

Yours in Rotary

Andrea Bartholemew President



## **COMING EVENTS**

5th October Family Games Night

**12th October** Roderick Brown on 'The work of the Salvation Army'

**19th October** Les Baxter on 'The work of St Vincent de Paul'

> 26th October Social Evening

2nd November Short Quiz Night

9th November Fiona de Sousa 'Infectious disease unit, LGH, on *COVID 3 years on*'

> **16th November** Frank Madill with 'Medical Mysteries - Part 2'

23rd November Social Evening

**30th November** Phil's Outback Adventures

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	5h October	12th October	19th October
ATTENDANCE	LARA ALEXANDER	LES BAXTER	HARRY GALEA
WELCOME	TERRY CRAWFORD	HARRY GALEA	LES GRANT
CHAIRPERSON	HARRY GALEA	STEVE GORDON	DALE LUCK
THANKS	DALE LUCK	PETER STEARNES	PAUL SWIATKOWSKI

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

## **IMPORTANT NEWS ON REGIONALISATON**

Eligible candidates for each of the roles up for election on the Zone 8 Regional Council are now listed on the Creating Tomorrow website. You can view the list of candidates and read summaries of their skills and experience via the following link: <u>https://creatingtomorrowrotary.org/regional-council-candidates</u>.

**Regional Council roles up for election:** there will be a total of **six** Regional Council roles clubs will be able to vote for in the upcoming election starting on 17 October. These roles are:

Chair-Elect

Portfolio Lead: Major Fundraising and Grants Portfolio Lead: Membership Portfolio Lead: Public Image and Partnerships Portfolio Lead: Service Projects and Programs Rotaract Nominee (only Rotaract cubs are eligible to vote for this role)

The following Regional Council roles received one eligible application each. The applicants are therefore elected (subject to confirmation at the end of the 15-day objection period from 1 November) and will not be featured on the ballot:

- Chair—Dallas Booth, RC of Turramjrra, NSW
- Portfolio Lead: Learning and Development—Euan Miller, RC of Norwood, SA

The Application Review Panel has assessed the applicants for the two roles listed above and deemed they have the necessary skills and experience to complete their duties.

The role of Portfolio Lead: Diversity, Equity and Inclusion did not receive any eligible applications. A suitable candidate for the role will be selected once the Regional Council is in place.

#### How to ensure your club can vote

**Club Presidents** will submit **one** electronic ballot on behalf of their club. Each club's vote will be weighted equally, regardless of their membership numbers.

# **REGIONALISATION UPDATE CONT**

### Step One

Please ensure your Club President's email address is correct in My Rotary so they can receive the link to vote.

If your Club President is unable to vote during the voting period, email <u>Zone8Elections@Rotary.org</u> before 17 October and specify which Club Officer will be voting instead, providing their correct email address so they can receive the link.

#### Step Two

On **Tuesday 17 October 2023**, Club Presidents will receive an email from our voting platform, Simply Voting, containing a link to vote. Voting will open on the same day at **9am Australian Eastern Daylight Time (AEDT)**.

Make sure to look in your email's junk folder if you cannot find the email.

If your Club President has not received this email by Tuesday 17 October 11:59pm AEDT, email <u>Zone8Elections@Rotary.org</u> for assistance.

#### More information

Please refer to the following resources for guidance on the voting process:

Don't miss out on this key opportunity to have your say in who will lead Rotary and Rotaract at a regional level for the next few years.

If you have any questions, please email <u>Zone8Elections@Rotary.org</u>.

Sincerely,

Neville Parsons and Ingrid Waugh

Regionalisation Pilot Steering Group Chair and Deputy Chair

# LAST WEEK'S SOCIAL EVENING GUNNER ARMS TAVERN











## ROTARY CLUB OF SOUTH LAUNCESTON Officers and Duties 2023-2024

## ROTARY CLUB OF SOUTH LAUNCESTON

Club Chartered March 17 1962 with 23 members 62nd Year of Rotary Service

**Thursday Meeting** Hotel Grand Chancellor 29 Cameron St, Launceston 6.00 pm for 6.30 pm

Make-ups & Apologies Assist-Treasurer Terry Crawford Before 10.30 am Tuesday 6344 7033 (W) 0417 366 531

> Correspondence PO Box 60 Kings Meadows 7249

Rotary International President 2023-2024 Gordon R. McInally Rotary Club of South Queensferry, Lothian, Scotland

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Immediate Past President: Andrea Bartholemew

Vice-President: TBA

<u>Secretaries:</u> Sue Faulkner (Organisation & Correspondence) Terry Crawford (Attendance & Recording)

<u>Treasurers:</u> Stephen Gordon (Accounting) Terry Crawford (Banking)

## **DIRECTORS & PORTFOLIOS**

Member Services & Foundation: Director: Les Baxter Members: Terry Crawford, Andrew Whitehead, Peter Stearnes

Community Services: Director: Harry Galea Members: Lara Alexander, Les Baxter, Paul Fitzpatrick, Steve Gordon, Graeme LeFevre, Craig Mitchell, Phil Niejalke, Ian Smith, Joyce Ogden

Public Image: Director: Glenda Iles Members: Kathy Macqueen, Lara Alexander, Krista Preece Youth Services: Director: Phil Ogden Members: Di Butler, Glenda Iles, Joyce Ogden, Les Grant, Lara Alexander

Board Members: Dale Luck, Lara Alexander

**Office Bearers:** 

Bulletin:

Glenda Iles

Information Technology: AT&M

Pastoral Care: Ian Smith

Programme: Les Baxter

Social:

Les Baxter

## 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?"