

CLUB NEWSLETTER

Rotary 
Club of Templestowe

Service to the communities of Bulleen, Lower Templestowe and Templestowe

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President's Message



Last Wednesday night our club made a major decision and breakthrough. Facilitated by President Elect Dan Hession, our club took what we learned from our session on 2 May 2018 and had discussions on our options for the future. What was decided that some changes need to be made in our club but that they will be changes for the better. Over the years we have added more and more activities to our portfolio and it is now time to rationalise them and to work 'smarter' for our community. This is a very exciting time to be a member of the Rotary Club of Templestowe and we are all looking forward to a great year in

2018/2019 with our Presidents Dan, Keith and Bruce.

Last Tuesday our club was represented at the breakfast launch of the Manningham Business Excellence Awards. This was an excellent event attended by all four City of Manningham Rotary Clubs. This event is now in its 6th year and has moved from strength to strength during that time.

On Sunday our club members attended the District 9810 Assembly in preparation for the 2018/2019 year. Our late member Erik Rubens was remembered at the commencement of this event. We heard about the new theme for 2018/19 – “**BE THE INSPIRATION**”, a theme that seems very appropriate for our club in the coming year.

This coming Tuesday our regular meeting will actually be on Tuesday night at Natalie's Restaurant in Ringwood East, at the Rotary Club of Warrandyte/Donvale meeting. We are all really looking forward to hearing a presentation from Neele Huebner on her 12 months in Australia and look forward to sharing this evening with our friends at Warrandyte/Donvale, who shared the costs of Neele's exchange with our club.

Yours in Rotary “Making a Difference”

Janis



Upcoming conversations, please join us...

22 May, 2018 – TUESDAY – Shared meeting with Rotary Club of Warrandyte-Donvale

	<p>Natalie's Restaurant</p> <p>669 Maroondah Highway, Mitcham Melways 49 D9</p> <p>6:30pm for 7:00pm</p> <p>Our theme this year has been Rotary: Making a Difference. It is hard to imagine a more permanent way to make a difference than to spend a year immersed in the culture of another nation.</p> <p>Please join us for this conversation when Neele highlights her year in Australia</p>
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30 May, 2018 – Pride of Workmanship Awards


<p>Winners of the 2017 Pride of Workmanship Awards</p>

Clarendon Room at the Manningham Club

1 Thompsons Road, Bulleen

6:30pm for 7:00pm

Awards will be presented by Cr Andrew Conlon, Mayor of the City of Manningham. The dinner includes a presentation address which will be given by Ian Goldsmith, Chairman of Manningham Community Enterprises Ltd, which owns and operates the Doncaster and Templestowe branches of the Bendigo Community® Bank.

Guest Speaker	Ian Goldsmith Chairman – Manningham Community Enterprises Ltd.	Registration	David Shrimpton Rosina Cincotta
Vote of thanks	Janis McFarland	Setup, meet & greet	Kathy Monley
Chair	James Cunningham	Emergency	Bruce Evans

SATURDAY 2nd June, 2018 – Dine for a Cure 2018 Gala Dinner



Dine For A Cure are our partners in the Ann Henderson PhD Scholarship.

For our scholar, Tom Ware this is his final year for his scholarship and he will be a speaker at the Dine For A Cure 2018 Gala Dinner at the Melbourne Town Hall.

The dinner supports The Cure Brain Cancer Foundation funding Brain Cancer research.

Entertainment will be Kate Ceberano

Ticket Price \$200.

Event Champion – John Henderson

SATURDAY 2nd June, 2018 – District Changeover



Southern Golf Club

Lower Dandenong Road, Keysborough

6:30 p.m. for 7:00 p.m.

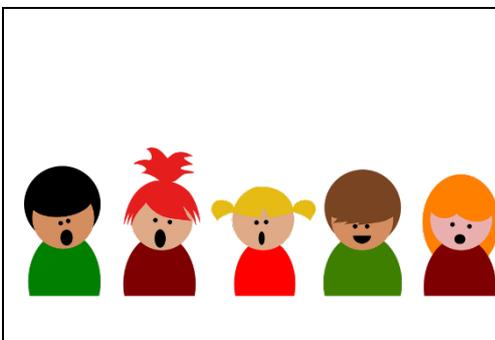
\$62.00 per person plus drinks at bar prices.

Dress: After five/Jacket & tie

Please join us as we celebrate **Rotary: Making a Difference** in our clubs and communities, and focus on how we will **Be the Inspiration** in the year ahead.

<https://www.trybooking.com/book/event?eid=364764>

6 June, 2018 – 6th Primary Schools Public Speaking Competition



**Templestowe Valley Primary School
15 Birchwood Avenue, Lower Templestowe**

6:30 p.m. for a 7:00 p.m. start

Primary Schools' Speech Contest is for Grade 5 and 6 students from seven of the primary schools in the City of Manningham

Supper served after the competition

For information contact: Janis: 0404 014 806

13 June, 2018 – Peter Ellis – Templestowe Secondary College

 <p>Photo source: LinkedIn</p>		<p>Clarendon Room at the Manningham Club 1 Thompsons Road, Bulleen 6:30pm for 7:00pm</p> <p>Templestowe College is a learning community of over 1200 people who are focused on meeting our vision of "to co-create high quality learning experiences within an inclusive and supportive community".</p> <p>The College is also a member of a federation of schools who are working with a similar philosophy to enable over 4000 young people to experience true student centred learning.</p>	
Guest Speaker	Peter Ellis – Principal, Templestowe Secondary College	Registration	Graeme Cobb Rod Simkiss
Vote of thanks	Janis McFarland	Setup, meet & greet	James Angeleveski
Chair	Dan Hessian	Emergency	Keith Anderson

20 June, 2018 – Don't put your daughter on the stage (Mrs Negus)

		<p>Clarendon Room at the Manningham Club 1 Thompsons Road, Bulleen 6:30pm for 7:00pm</p> <p>Our program title is offered with an apology of Noel Coward. Hilarity aside, we have the opportunity to explore the achievements (triumphs and less triumphant moments) with Rachel Negus.</p> <p>In a family moment, Brian will interview Rachel as she relates the steps and challenges of a career on stage.</p>	
Guest Speaker	Rachel Negus	Registration	Felix Wong John Bennie
Vote of thanks	Trevor Dawson	Setup, meet & greet	David Shrimpton
Chair	Brian Negus	Emergency	David Chua

Date for Your Diary.....

<p><i>Saturday</i> <i>July 7, 2018</i></p> <p><i>6:30 p.m. for 7:00 p.m.</i></p> <p><i>Ben Nevis Room,</i> <i>Manningham Club</i></p>	<p>Club Changeover</p> <p>6:30 p.m. for a 7:00 p.m</p> <p>Please mark the date in the diary – there is more information to come.</p> <p>We look forward to you joining us as we celebrate the highlights of 2017/ 2018 and seek out the plans for the 2018/2019 year.</p>
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With grateful thanks...

We received this letter during the week, which we share with you...

Hello Janis

Many thanks for your email and a bigger thank you for the funds approved at the board meeting. It comes at a good time as our funds are very low so this will assist in the purchasing of much needed raw materials.

Thank you and the Club for your continued support.

Kind regards

Margaret

Margaret Cunningham

Chapter Director/President
Days For Girls Melbourne Victoria Chapter Inc.

Conversations... Were you part of our conversation:

Our club discussion evening last week was very constructive and very insightful. Out of the discussion there were a number of unanimous decisions:

- Make the changes to club structure, administration and the programs we chose (that have been talked about, but now they will be actioned).
- Look to build stronger alliances with the entities where we do a small number of activities – seek to make these into sustaining partnerships for mutual benefit.
- Increase our use of available grants
- Strategize the activity that we undertake

A vibrant and free flowing conversation with decisive actions and sense of confidence looking toward the 18/19 Rotary year.

We will Be the Inspiration!



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Wishing you a very happy birthday...

Margaret Anderson May 27

Celebrating service to our community...

Clim Pacheco May 25, 2016 – joined the Rotary Club of Templestowe



Brain Cancer Research....

Received this week, and update on our initiative to support the research into Brain Cancer. Michelle Stewart, CEO Cure Brain Cancer Foundation writes:

OUR COMMITMENT TO THE AUSTRALIAN BRAIN CANCER MISSION

Since October 2017, we have committed more than \$3.27 million to [Australian Brain Cancer Mission](#) projects. These include two recipients of 2018 Infrastructure Grants. We have also announced \$500,000 for a new immunotherapy trial, which you can read more about below. This funding forms part of our \$20 million commitment to the Australian Brain Cancer Mission, which we must now raise. This is a ten-year \$100 million roadmap to double brain cancer survival and improve patients' quality of life.

Our **2018 Immunotherapy Trial Grant** seeks to do just that, and applications for this grant are now open. Cure Brain Cancer Foundation is committing \$500,000 over three years to fund a brain cancer immunotherapy trial with the objective of increasing overall survival for people living with the disease

To keep the conversations going, we need help...

Thank you to the readers who have sent their comments. We encourage both feedback and contributions to this newsletter.

We have a need for a newsletter co-ordinator for the editions June 2 – July 4 inclusive. Your editor will be travelling through Canada en route to the International Convention in Toronto during that time. If you can help with any one edition in that time, please contact me.

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