



Rotary Club of Kew on Yarra

ABN 97 325 138 640
Chartered 16th June 1986
R.I. District 9800

Rotary Year 2009-2010

- President: Anne Brown
- Vice President: David Shave
- Hon Secretary: Sue Anderson
- Hon Treasurer: Ken Maher
- President Elect: John Brownsea



Rotary International

- President
John Kenny
- District Governor 9800
Colin Muir
- Assistant Governor
Gabrielle Morgan

Club Avenues of Service

- Club Service Director: John Brownsea
- Community Service: David Anderson
- Bulletin Editors: Bill Chow
- Tony Boyd
- Anthony Tung
- Peter Leonard
- Vocational Service Director: John Orr
- International Service Director: Derek Bond
- Foundation: Edel Conroy
- New Generations Director: Isabel Armer

PLEASE REMEMBER

Apologies and guests to
Sue Anderson
by Tuesday on 0408 504 639

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Kew East, Vic 3102, Australia

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Brown's Blog
(A word from President Anne Brown)

This week Tony Boyd, Ed and I travelled up the road to have a joint meeting with our sister club Woodend. I was a bit disappointed with the numbers but with so many away it was unavoidable. We managed to arrive a little late courtesy of myself directing Ed the wrong way and we found ourselves on the Tullamarine Freeway and not the Calder I think that might mean a fine this week.

We were warmly welcomed by our hosts and I gave a presentation on our clubs activities since we last met. We definitely seem to have achieved a lot in that time. Grant Hocking, who is standing in for Eb who is overseas, then went on to tell us what Woodend had been up to and like us they are very active for a small club. One thing Woodend is doing and we are not is inducting new members. We will have to have a serious recruitment drive in the New Year. This is a challenge for all members and not just the membership committee. Donna Cooper, their International Director excitedly announced that she had raised at a special function the week before \$21000 toward the \$30000 she needed to establish a school for her Cambodian Kids Foundation. She is already fund raising at an unbelievable rate for the established projects for the Foundation. It is people like Donna, Isabel, Richard and a new Woodend member Peter Hall with a project in Nepal that drive these overseas projects for the betterment of these underprivileged countries.

The normal egg auction was held of course, nearly as well as Kai did it. We must be a good influence as they raised nearly double what they would on a normal week.

This week we are having our AGM and as we have a few away we need as many members as possibly turn up as we don't want to reschedule because we lack a quorum. We also have the market stall on Sunday so I hope you have found some goods for sale and told John when you are available to help.

That is all for this week, a quiet one for Kew on Yarra, and remember **THE FUTURE OF ROTARY IS IN OUR HANDS.**

Anne with an E

Meet Wednesdays 6.30 for 7.00 pm
At Amora Hotel Riverwalk
649 Bridge Rd, Richmond, Victoria
Telephone: 03 9246-1200

12 November 2009 – Woodend Visit

We had an extremely disappointing turnout from our Club to our joint meeting with the RC of Woodend. Anne Brown did us proud outlining some of the activities undertaken by our Club, including:

- Our Oaks Eve Calcutta & BBQ the previous week;
- Our assistance to the Whittlesea Kindergarten with the marquee and helping at the Whittlesea Show;
- Our continuing participation in Boroondara Cares and the aim of having a Christmas cake and pudding on every farm table; the distribution of food vouchers for perishable goods; our Youth Vocational Week whereby 15 students from Moira Shire for a week (Rotary Clubs participating in Boroondara Cares, including the RC Kew on Yarra, were recipients of a Rotary International Community Service Award for the Best Co-operative Project);
- Our assistance with a Salvation Army initiative to assist single men with cooking classes;
- Our involvement in international projects in Kathmandu in Nepal and Ubud in Bali, particularly Isabel Armer's dedication with the Bright Futures Our Community Centre and a proposed Bright Futures Community Health Centre;
- Our New Generations activities;
- Our John Reddish Service Excellence Awards;
- Our Funding of 2 Shelter Boxes.

On behalf of the RC Woodend, Grant Hocking outlined some of Woodend's activities, including:

- A vocational Night;
- Bushfire relief assistance, including the donation of a car and caravan, benches, Shelter Box distribution (some 80 to 90 Shelter Boxes were distributed);
- A book sale;
- A sausage sizzle;
- Weekly folding and placing of inserts to the local weekly newspaper, the New Woodend Star;
- And of course the famous egg raffle which has enabled some 8 Cleft Palette operations to be performed.



District News **November is Foundation Month**

Latest District Newsletter

http://www.rotarydistrict9800.org.au/uploads/downloads/Networker/2009_2010/currentNetworker.pdf

Club News

- A couple of reminders:
 - next Thursday we are meeting with our sister club at Woodend
 - our Camberwell market stall is on the 22 November – it's a good time to have a spring clean and to give other the opportunity to purchase saleable goods (as well as generating some income for the Club).

Upcoming Events

Event	Date & Venue	Sponsor	Contact
RC Kew on Yarra Annual General Meeting	Wednesday 18 November 2009	RC Kew on Yarra	
RC Kew on Yarra Stall	Sunday 22 November 2009 Camberwell Market	RC Kew on Yarra	Anne Brown 0404 029 165
RI Foundation annual breakfast (PHF)	Wednesday 25 Nov 2009 – L17 RACV Club, Melbourne	RC of Central Melbourne - Sunrise	Keith Frampton – 0417 519137
Sausage Sizzle	Sunday 20 December 2009 Hawthorn Bunnings Store	RC Kew on Yarra	David Anderson 0419 898 034

Information about the **Rotary Foundation** can be found at:

<http://www.rotary.org/EN/ABOUTUS/THEROTARYFOUNDATION/Pages/rifdefault.aspx>

Specific information about Rotary partnering and resources can be found at:

<http://www.rotary.org/en/Contribute/Pages/rifdefault.aspx>

The Four Way Test

Remember - of the things we think, say or do:

- Is it the TRUTH?
- Is it FAIR to all concerned?
- Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
- Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

Some Useful Websites

RC Kew on Yarra's Web Site

<http://home.vicnet.net.au/~rckewe/>

Boroondara Cares Website

<http://www.boroondaracares.com>

RC Ubud Bali Web Site

(Sister Club RC Kew on Yarra)

<http://www.rotaryubud.org/index.asp>

RC Woodend Web Site

(Sister Club RC Kew on Yarra)

<http://www.rotarydistrict9800.org/woodend>

Rotary Downunder Web Site

<http://www.rotarydownunder.com.au/>

Latest District Newsletter

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Perth District Conference – March 2010

Early Bird registration is open until 6 Dec 2009

Members can register by:

- - Logging onto the conference website

<http://www.rotarydistrict9800.org.au/Members/Conference2010>

- - Click on the black & white box "Registration"
- - Click to register "Online" or
- - Click to print out the "Registration Form", complete the form and attach your cheque

Thought for the Day

BIRTHDAYS**OUR LAST MEETING****ANNIVERSARIES**

17 Nov John Presutto

PROGRAM

18 Nov Club AGM

25 Nov Davinder Sidhu
Ambassadorial Scholar2 Dec Sue Ebury
Biographer - Sir Edward
'Weary' Dunlop9 Dec Dr.Owen Tassiker
RC BalwynFrom rags in Noble Park
to riches in Singapore16 Dec
RC KoY Christmas Party**MARKET ROSTER**22 Nov David & Sue
Anderson
29 Nov John Presutto
6 Dec Edel Conroy
13 Dec David Shave
20 Dec John Pocock
27 Dec William Liew**BOASTS****Date**
Present
Club Apologies12 November 2009
Anne & Ed Brown, Tony Boyd, Bob Farrawell (Honoury Member)
Isabel Armer, Edel Conroy, David Shave, Mark Miller, John Presutto, David & Sue
Anderson, Ann & Peter Leonard, Bill Chow, John Brownsea, Ken Maher, Richard
Gales**Make ups**
Guests
Visiting
Rotarians
Chairperson
Sergeant
Speaker
Door Prize
Winner
Meeting Close**Fine Session**

Sergeant Sergeant fines

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Fines from the floor:

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**WEEKLY DUTY ROSTER**

MEETINGS	18 November 09 Club AGM	25 November 09	2 December 09	9 December 09
Cashier	Ann Leonard	Alan Fisher		
Chairman	Derek Bond	John Orr		
Thought	William Liew	David Anderson		
Sergeant At Arms	Edel Conroy	Edel Conroy	Edel Conroy	Edel Conroy
Host	John Orr	John Presutto		



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NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING 2009 The Rotary Club of Kew on Yarra Inc

Date: 18 November 2009

Time: 7.00pm

**Place: Amora Hotel Riverwalk
649 Bridge Road
Richmond Vic 3121**

Notice of Election of Office Bearers and Directors 2010 - 11

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AGENDA

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| 1. Opening and Welcome | Nomination for President Elect – Nil |
| 2. Apologies | Nomination for Secretary – David Anderson |
| 3. Minutes of Annual General Meeting 2008 | |
| 4. Business Arising | Nomination for Treasurer – Ken Maher |
| 5. President's Report for 2008 - 09 | Nomination for Director – Sue Anderson |
| 6. Treasurer's Report for 2008 - 09 | |
| 7. Election of President Elect 2010 - 11 | Nomination for Director – Edel Conroy |
| 8. Election of Office Bearers 2010 - 11 | Nomination for Director – John Orr |
| 9. Declaration of Board Members | |
| 10. Election of Public Officer | Nomination for Director – David Shave |
| 11. General Business | |

**Sue Anderson
Secretary
19 October 2009**

All Moved: John Brownsea Seconded: Anne Brown

Please note that the position of President shall be filled by the President Elect 2009-10, and the position of Vice-President shall be filled by the Immediate Past President.



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NOTICE OF GENERAL MEETING

ROTARY CLUB OF KEW ON YARRA Inc

- Date:** Wednesday 18 November 2009
- Time:** 7.45pm or immediately after the conclusion of the Annual General Meeting which commences at 7pm, whichever is the latter
- Place:** The Amora Hotel Riverwalk, 649 Bridge Road Richmond 3121
- Business:** To consider the following resolution as a special resolution:
Resolution

That the Club adopt the Rules & Constitution and the Statement of Purposes contained in the Rules & Constitution tabled at this meeting in substitution for the Club's existing Rules and Statement of Purposes.

Proposed
Anne Brown
25.10.09

Seconded
David Anderson
25.10.09

Sue Anderson

Secretary

Secretary's Explanatory Note:

This special General Meeting called for 18 November 2009 is to consider amendment of Article 10A, Section 1, Elections, of the Rules and Constitution of the Rotary Club of Kew on Yarra Inc. If passed, the resolution will change the number of Directors from 4 to an agreed number being not less than 4 directors and not more than 6 directors.