

ROTARY CLUB OF SALE INC

80 YEARS OF SERVICE TO THE SALE REGION
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Club President

Leo O'Brien

Secretary

Laurie Smyth

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R.I. President

Dong Kurn Lee

District Governor

Ken McDonald

Chairman Margaret welcomed the 19 Rotarians present and noted that Julie would give a job talk and Mark would speak on their recent trip to Vanuatu

President's Announcements

Reminder Portsea Camp October 10th -12th see Laurie for details

Harry having his head shaved for ROMAC looking for Sponsors

Leo will wear a tie when inducting new members (lift the standard of dress by introducing new members)



Bob toasting Australia & Rotary International



Marg calling for order

Sergeant - at - Arms: Rod

- Marg for a quick circulation of Dragon Boat Meeting notes
- Alan for sledging David C
- Leo for being to casual
- Col holding up CJ's
- Harry noisy at restaurant

- Laurie chief of the Dragon Boats
- Graeme for publishing a good read "As Fate Would Have It" a 100 years history of Dyers Transport
- Noel for painting in the rain.
- Emu slow in collection of subs
- Don back from holidays and making up



Harry "Doctored" the ticket



Julie on the job talk

Chairman Margaret Invited Julie to give her job talk as the Manager of Yooralla Gippsland She is responsible for the coordination, implementation and promotion of Yooralla activities in Gippsland. Yooralla organise and coordinate services for the intellectually disabled operating out of Traralgon and recently opened offices in Orbost and Leongatha and is due to open further offices in Bairnsdale, Warragul and Sale. Yooralla is the oldest registered charity in Australia and the second largest in Victoria. Her objective is to build up the service in Gippsland by attracting new clients and service providers. Julie explained that the individuals are now provided with an allowance from Government that reflects their disability usually of the order of \$60,000 per annum Yooralla's role is to develop a support package of services that is appropriate to the level of disability the individual can shop around to get the best value for money. Thus Yooralla is in competition with other service providers, the relevant department approves the package. Other activities include a support at home mentor program for 12 -18 year old a pilot program has been implemented in Traralgon, foster care and support accommodation for persons over 18 wishing to move out of home and live independently. A committee has formed in Leongatha to develop supported accommodation. In response to questions Julie noted that there were thirty two agencies delivering a similar service in Victoria and that quality of service was paramount in achieving outcome.

Margaret thanked Julie and introduced Mark to talk about their recent trip to Vanuatu and particularly the Meelat Primary School a village school 10minutes from the capital where their daughter Zoe is completing her 2 months practical experience. There is no free education in Vanuatu and as a result most of the schools are run by church organisations; facilities are basic tin shed with no windows (chicken coops). The School has 2-300 children. A card thanking Emu and Col for the donation of stationery was passed on by Mark, following questions Leo thank both Julie and Mark for their presentations



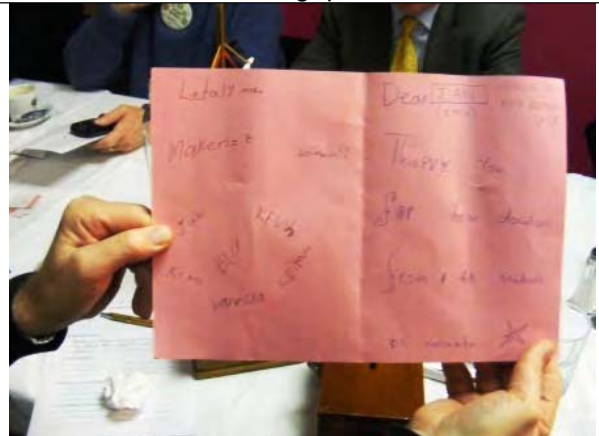
Emu asking the tough questions



Mark taking questions



Mark in holiday mode



A thank you from the Students

NEXT MEETING Monday : 25th August
Speaker; Stuart Wrigglesworth Southern Rural Water
Chair; Daniel
Sergeant: Mike
Attendance: Noel Langley
Set Up: Bob Davis
Venue: Relish

Monday : 8st September
Speaker; Patricia Nalden Lifeline
Chair; Julie
Sergeant: Daniel
Attendance: Noel Langley
Set Up: Neil Ross
Venue: Relish

On the Radar
Monday; 8th September District Governors Visit
Saturday 20th September
"80th Anniversary Function at the Baptist Conference Centre"
See Adrian for details

If you are away from home you will find friends at all Rotary Clubs. You can make up for missed meetings of the Sale Club with any of the following local Clubs:
 Bairnsdale: Tuesday 6:00pm Bairnsdale Club
 Bairnsdale Sunrise: Friday 6:45am Main Hotel

Maffra: Thursday 6:00pm Duart Receptions
 Mitchell River: Monday 5:45pm Italian Club
 Sale Central: Tuesday 6:00pm Princeton
 Traralgon: Tuesday 6:00pm Traralgon Golf Club
 Traralgon Central: Monday 6:00pm Latrobe Convention

Heyfield:	Monday 6:30 Railway Hotel	Centre
Lakes Entrance:	Wednesday 6:00pm Bellevue Motel	Yarram: Wednesday 6:00pm Yarram Club

Relish Contact Details

Hosts: Thao Hua
Phone/Fax: (03) 5144 5044
E-mail:

Rotarians, please remember to notify Relish if you'll be absent by 12:00 midday on the Monday of the meeting.

NOTICES

Attendance: 19 Rotarians
Visiting Rotarians:
Guests: Make-Ups:
Raffle: Leo won the wine

For more information about Rotary check the following websites

Rotary Club of Sale:

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

Rotary District 9820:

www.district9820.org

Rotary International:

<http://www.rotary.org>

JUST FOR FUN

Contributed by Adrian

Two elderly women were out driving in a large car -- both could barely see over the dashboard. As they were cruising along, they came to an intersection. The stoplight was red, but they just went on through.

The woman in the passenger seat thought to herself "I must be losing it. I could have sworn we just went through a red light." After a few more minutes, they came to another intersection and the light was red again. Again, they went right through.

The woman in the passenger seat was almost sure that the light had been red but was really concerned that she was losing it. She was getting nervous.

At the next intersection, sure enough, the light was red and they went on through.

So, she turned to the other woman and said, "Mildred, did you know that we just ran through three red lights in a row? You could have killed us both!"

Mildred turned to her and said, "Oh shit! Am I driving?"