

ROTARY CLUB OF SALE INC

80 YEARS OF SERVICE TO THE SALE REGION
1928 -- 2008



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the Rotary Club of Sale
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Club President
Leo O'Brien
Secretary
Laurie Smyth

THE FAMILY OF ROTARY MONTH

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R.I. President
Dong Kurn Lee
District Governor
Ken McDonald

Sergeant Rod welcomed the 21 Rotarian present and guest speaker Darren Chester Member for Gippsland

PRESIDENT'S ANNOUNCEMENT'S

Dooley Archibald Past President of the Club 1986-87 has passed away funeral 11am Wednesday
Apologies Neil, Julie, Col & Harry

Next Monday is our Xmas Night with our partners

Mike announced that he has the Xmas cakes orders can be collected and purchases made
Australia Day Schedule(Last Year) Attached can you please advise Alan on Monday of your availability



Proud teacher and pupil



The Sergeants introduction

Sergeant at Arms - Rod

- Bob for the tie
- Mike wandering along Raymond St at 5 eating pie
- Lyndon for speech to new councillors
- Mark for letting Mary walk
- Leo no publicity yet
- Royce no socks

- Daniel for his staff running drainage uphill
- Keith for requiring Don's computer expertise for 4 hours
- David arriving late dishevelled
- Graeme Brumby's road expenditure will mean more efficiency for his trucks



Keith and Daniel enjoy a pre dinner drink



Leo in a suit again? becoming a habit

Chairman Bob in introducing Darren noting that he was joint dux of Sale High in 1985 (possibly due to the expert teaching of Rotarians Bob, Neil and Peter) elected to the seat of Gippsland 28th June 2008 after serving as chief of staff for Peter Ryan for three years. His first job was as a reporter with the Gippsland Times under the watchful eye of the then editor Rotarian David. Darren is married to Julie and has four children. Darren's topic was his vision for Gippsland which was the theme of his maiden speech on 26th August

I have inserted the following extracts from Darren's maiden speech as its encapsulates his values and ties to the region

"Mr Speaker, it is a great nation where the son of a Sale plumber finds himself in such magnificent surrounds and with such an important job to do on behalf of his community. We all, I know, arrive at this place through different life experiences which have shaped our views, but I count myself blessed to have been born in Gippsland, a place that I regard as the greatest region in Australia. I am also blessed to have grown up in a loving family home in Sale, with the support of a large extended family and of friends. As one of five kids, I had a very rich family life. My parents, Jim and Lois, taught me the value of respecting others, of hard work, of honesty and of taking responsibility for my own actions. My father, who passed away last year, also demonstrated the importance of making a contribution to the community, always being one of the first to volunteer for school councils and local organisations.

Finally, I count myself blessed to be here today in the company of my beautiful wife, Julie, and my four wonderful children Morgan, Jamieson, Clancy and Lachlan. I believe that government policies which help families stay together, which strengthen the family unit, will help build stronger communities in the future."

Darren indicated that Gippsland had been well served by members who were passionate about the region namely Peter Nixon and Peter McGauran and that he wished to follow in their steps as a "Champion of Gippsland" in Canberra key issue are Natural resources management, Water, Education, Energy (brown coal & Oil), Agriculture, Tourism, Lack of infrastructure on public land, Management of Gippsland Lakes, Education particularly retention rates and Transport. Following his talk and question time Leo thanks was carried with acclamation.



Thank you David for helping out on short notice on Friday 12th good way to keep fit



Who is asking the question

NEXT MEETING Monday 15th December

Speaker; Royce Thomson Christmas Night Partners
Chair; Adrian Rijs
Sergeant: Daniel Smolenaars
Attendance: Noel Langley
Set Up: Don Ripper
Venue: Relish

Monday 22nd December
Speaker; Bette's Breakfast
Chair; Leo
Sergeant:
Attendance: Noel Langley
Set Up:
Venue: 20 Turnbull Street

On the Radar

Monday 5th Working Bee and BBQ
River Heritage and Wetlands Trail Partners Welcome vehicle access will be provided
Monday 12th January "Crackerjack"

<p>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:</p> <p>Bairnsdale: Tuesday 6:00pm Bairnsdale Club Bairnsdale Sunrise: Friday 6:45am Main Hotel Lakes Entrance: Wednesday 6:00pm Bellevue Motel</p>	<p>Mitchell River: Sale Central: Traralgon: Traralgon Central: Yarram:</p>	<p>Monday 5:45pm Italian Club Tuesday 6:00pm Sale Greyhounds Tuesday 6:00pm Traralgon Golf Club Monday 6:00pm Latrobe Convention Centre Wednesday 6:00pm Yarram Club</p>
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Maffra: Thursday 6:00pm Duart Receptions

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: 21
 Visiting Rotarians:
 Guests:1
 Make-Ups:
 Raffle: Mike won the raffle

For more information about Rotary check the following websites

Rotary Club of Sale:

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

Rotary District 9820:

www.district9820.org

JUST FOR FUN

Rotary International:

<http://www.rotary.org>

Bereft of jokes this week

Australia Day please confirm attendance ASAP Alan

Note this was last years program can you please review your activity and confirm your status this year program will end about 12.30 to tie in with Australia Day Races which will be free a bus will leave from the Port of Sale for this event which will be cross promoted Sale Central are running activities at the Races

	ACTIVITIES	RESPONSIBILTY
8.30	Set up Collection Of Seats60+, 2 trestles ACES Collection tea coffee urn and water WSC Close of Carpark west side Desailly St	Sale Rotary Club (Col, Sue, Adrian ++ Don Ripper ACES Daniel to collect Daniel to supply lead & Water Margret Coordinate with Virginia Cleary Daniel to supply post & tape
9.30	Briagolong Bush Band Gary Rose 5145 4428	Alan Lewis arrange location South end Car park Power point in base of light pole
	Face Painting by Angies Body Art Angela 5144 5870	Sue Boulter coordinate South end under trees lan to arrange cheque
	Ballonologist Sandra Horder 0407 903 938	Sue Boulter coordinate lan to arrange cheque
	Free Sausage Sizzle (Sale Scouts) Frank Norden	(500 sausages Donavan) Rowing Club Tent to supply tent (Daniel to collect 2 Tents from Carmody Petroleum) Mid point light pole PP in base
	Drink Stall (Rotary Club Sale) Rotarian to sell	Keith Miller coordinate plus available Col to collect drinks Daniel Ice and fridges , trestle table and milk Rowing Club Tent Daniel to collect Carmody (2 tents)
	Australian Flags Distribution	Margaret to collect from Gaye Davies Rotary to distribute
	Pledge Distribution General Program Distribution (200 copies) Citizenship Program (50 copies)	Keith to collect Safeway (300) Check to see if valid Rotarians to Distribute
	St Johns Ambulance	Laurie Smyth coordinate
10.45	Sale City Band Reg Monk 5144 6822	Confirm locate in parking area
11.00	MC Harry Hua introduction & Welcome to Australia Day 2008	Microphone set co ordinate with Briagolong BB system Alan to arrange
11.05	Welcome to Country Katey Bryant an elder local Indigenous Gunai Community born Orbost Sale resident 15 years	Harry to introduce Laurie to coordinate
11.10	Don Able (Racing Identity)	Detail to Harry for introduction Sue Boulter to coordinate
11.18	Travis Best (Manager of Safeway to make	

	presentation to Greg Evans	
11.20	Peter Ryan	Harry to Introduce
11.25	Flag Raising Colour Party March on 4th /19th Prince of Wales Light Horse Scouts in Uniform lead community in Saluting the flag Sale City Band play National Anthem	Harry to Announce Neville Gibbons 0428 463 366 David Ahchow 0408 162 614 Margaret to arrange key to open flag pole Gaye Davies WSC
11.30	Harry to Introduce CEO Wellington Shire Mayor Wellington Shire Cr Darren McCubbin	Coordinate Virginia Cleary WSC 5142 3345
	Citizenship Ceremony Sale City Band	Rotary Arrange to collect urn tea coffee cups and biscuits
	Affirmation Ceremony	Note WSC contact Gaye Davies 5142 3480 0407 812 970
	Citizenship Awards	
	Sale City Band	
12.15	Tea & Coffee Served	Rotary Club to prepare & distribute
12.15	ACTIVITIES CONTINUE Harry to Announce Briagolong Bush Band	Harry to invite people to stay and enjoy until CFA draw
12.45	Hon Philip Davis thanks the participants	Harry to introduce Phil after a few words Draw raffle
1.00pm	DRAWING CFA RAFFLE	Philip to draw raffle
1.00pm	Event Concludes	Rotarians to complete pack up