

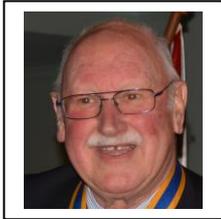


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The Rotary Club of Warrandyte Donvale (Inc)  
**Club Bulletin**

**Date: 24th July, 2022**



**A NOTE FROM THE PRESIDENT**

Another wonderful week in Rotary.

Last meeting, apologies were received from Bob Fry, Steve Ennor, Steve and Louise Latimer, Gavin Birch, Bob McKenzie and Kay Thorogood.

On to Conference Chair Judy gave us a bit of information about the 2023 District Conference to be held in Canberra, which is looking really good and with very inexpensive registration – the cheapest ever. All details are on the District Website – see further on in the bulletin. I'm sure DG Ken Miller would be pleased to have a full house for this event.

We had our first club assembly for the year chaired by Rob Edwards and attended by 12 members.

The topic of conversation was our current membership drive and what steps we need to undertake to keep this in progress. The membership plan was updated.

We received a request from the Warrandyte Historical for assistance in placing some historical pavers near their museum. We decided we will offer physical assistance rather than a monetary donation for those who wish to join a proposed working Bee. Watch this space for further information.

Next week we have our evening with the Yarra River Keeper at the Grand Hotel. It would be wonderful if we could see a full turnout of members and partners and for members to wear their club jackets. We are expecting some visitors to this event.

We were all very sad to hear this week that Richard Ford, a great friend of the club and of many members and the Charter President of the Warrandyte Club, died unexpectedly. Our deepest sympathies go to Janet and all the Ford family at this sad time. He was a real gentleman and will be very sadly missed.

Your President attended our cluster group meeting on last Thursday evening.

Have a great week in Rotary

President Kevin



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**NEXT TUESDAY'S MEETING:**

Our Riverkeeper event with Charlotte Sterrett will now be held in the Federation Room at the Grand Hotel. This will be a social night – as it was intended, and we will have some guests, so all Rotary formalities will be dispensed with.

I.E. It will not function as a normal meeting but we will do the usual meal ordering and have Charlotte do her talk with Qs and As after.

**UP COMING PROGRAMME**

Tuesday 26 <sup>th</sup> July		<b><i>"MEET THE RIVER KEEPER"</i></b> 6.30 for 7pm – Federation Room at the Hotel Grand. <b><i>Social Night.</i></b>
Sunday 31 <sup>st</sup> July		<b>Tunstall Market</b>  ALL HANDS ON DECK
Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> August		<b>Board Meeting</b> The Hall Residence <b>5.30-7.30</b>
Saturday 7 <sup>th</sup> August		<b>Warrandyte Riverside Market</b>  VERY EARLY BIRD EVENT.
Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup> August		<b><i>Club Meeting – The Grand Hotel Warrandyte</i></b> <b><i>PROGRAM TBA</i></b> <b><i>Steve E is on the job!</i></b>
Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> August		<b><i>Club Meeting – The Grand Hotel Warrandyte</i></b> <b><i>PROGRAM TBA</i></b>
Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> August		<b><i>Club Meeting – The Grand Hotel Warrandyte</i></b> <b><i>PROGRAM TBA</i></b>



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**BRING YOUR PARTNERS AND FRIENDS BUT LET ROB EDWARDS KNOW IF YOU ARE DOING SO for TABLE SET - UP.**

**MEET THE YARRA RIVERKEEPER**

**CHARLOTTE STERRETT**

**HOW CAN THE COMMUNITY BECOME MORE ACTIVE IN RIVER HEALTH AND PROTECTION?**

The Rotary Club of Warrandyte Donvale and Warrandyte Neighbourhood House warmly invite you to join us to learn:

- Why is the river so special?
- Why is it under threat?
- What can we do together to make it swimmable for 2030?

**TUE 26 JULY 2022 @ 6.30PM**

**VENUE CHANGE—FEDERATION ROOM AT THE GRAND HOTEL. NO NEED TO REGISTER BUT PLEASE CONTACT JUDY 0419 201 231 BEFORE MONDAY**








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**Vale Richard Ford**



Richard passed away suddenly earlier this week at his home in Yea. Our sincere condolences to Janet and all the Ford family.

Richard was the Charter President of the RC Warrandyte. At that time he and Janet lived in Park Orchards. They moved to their farm at Yea some years ago, just before Richard retired. He joined the R.C. Yea and he and Janet became very involved with various Rotary activities, as they had been when living here. He will be sadly missed by all his friends and family.

(Photo from Yea Rotary Facebook Page).

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Conference 2023  
District 9810  
Canberra

3rd - 5th March 2023  
Realm Hotel  
18 National Circuit  
Barton ACT  
Australia 2600

**For all District Conference details go to:**

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**ROTARY AUSTRALIA REPURPOSING EQUIPMENT**

Excerpt from email:

At the RAWCS Board meeting last month, it was decided to accept the change of name from DIK (Donation in Kind) which is a registered name owned by West Footscray and HEERA (Health Education Repurposing Activity) A bit of a mouth full to:

**RARE (Rotary Australia Repurposing Equipment)**

**Please** stop using DIK and HEERA and if you have to **please** use the word **formally** in front of the name and the say **Now, Rotary Australia Repurposing Equipment (RARE)**

**Medishare** is a program concentrating on partnering with the health departments in NSW to obtain medical equipment and for them to have RAWCS as their first point of contact.

**Can you please let all clubs and everyone know of this name change as it is very confusing for people to call the same activity with different names?**

I thank you for your co-operation in this very important name change.

Cheers

**PDG David Clark JP**

**Rotary Australia Repurposing Equipment (RARE) National Manager**

**A project of RAWCS**

**District 9685 Governor 2021/22**

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