

Date: 31st July, 2022



A NOTE FROM THE PRESIDENT





It was wonderful to see a good number of members and 10 guests attend our evening with the River Keeper Charlotte Sterrett. Charlotte is a Warrandyte local and well known in our community and so was a great draw card with a very interesting presentation to deliver.

We received apologies from most members who could not attend but unfortunately we still have members who sometimes forget to send in their apologies.

Charlotte's talk on the role of the River Keeper was of great interest to all in attendance and carried a strong message on the value of a healthy river system to those communities along the Yarra River and the Bay. Your President attended a cluster meeting last Thursday where one topic discussed was a possible lunch to be held in Manningham during the international convention in Melbourne next year. Discussions were also held on the forthcoming amalgamation of Districts 9810 and 9820 to form a new District 9815. All clubs need to vote on this in the next few months. More to come.

Your President has a District Presidents and AG's zoom meeting on Friday 29th July and will report back on this next week.

We are all hoping for fine weather for our Tunstall Square market on Sunday as it was not fun packing up in the heavy rain last market.



RIVER HEALTH



Our research identified sources of polystyrene through desktop research, field observations and interviews
2 phases have been completed so far uncovering the extent of pollution.

UP COMING PROGRAMME

	Board Meeting
Tuesday 2 nd August	The Hall Residence
	5.30-7.30 with pizza
Saturday 7 th August	Warrandyte Riverside Market
RIVERSIDE MARKET	VERY EARLY BIRD EVENT.
	Club Meeting – The Grand Hotel Warrandyte
	Guest Speaker:
Tuesday O TH August	Peter Stevens – "Kokoda Track Adventures"
Tuesday 9 [™] August	Peter is a local dog walker walked the Kokoda track – their
	party were attacked by locals, during a tribal war, so it all
	turned into a real drama. Promises to be a fascinating talk



The Rotary Club of Warrandyte Donvale (Inc)

Club Bulletin

	All welcome. Chair: Steve Ennor
Tuesday 16 th August	Club Meeting – The Grand Hotel Warrandyte PROGRAM TBA
Tuesday 23 rd August	Club Meeting – The Grand Hotel Warrandyte PROGRAM TBA







GUEST SPEAKERS @ ROTARY

JOIN US FOR A PUB MEAL AND AN INTERESTING TALK

WHO: PETE STEVENS

WHEN: Tuesday 9th August

TIME: 6.30 for 7pm start

WHERE: The Grand Hotel, Warrandyte

RESERVATIONS: Text Rob—0409 258 744 by Mon.8th.

Pete Stevens, ex resident of Warrandyte, was in a party of trekkers to the Black Cat Track north of the Kokoda Track, which was to be an adventure, seeped in military history. It turned into a wild adventure as suddenly, events take a violent turn. Tribal tension erupts around them, and the trekking party is subjected to a horrifying attack. In its blood-stained aftermath a strong bond develops between the trekkers and the PNG porters.

A book was subsequently written about this amazing trip.

This promises to be a really fascinating talk so please register with Rob to reserve your spot.





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