

## SERVICING THE LOCAL COMMUNITY





### The Rotary Club of Warrandyte Donvale (Inc)

Club Bulletin



#### A NOTE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Date: 5th April 2022

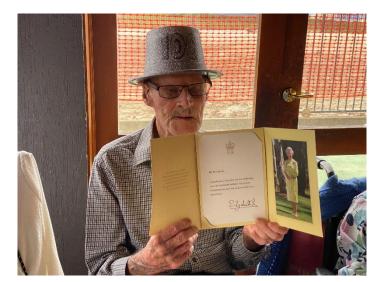
Hello everyone, here is a very quick, short bulletin, out of sequence due to us being away and busy weekends with birthday celebrations and another big one next weekend in Porepunkah. Its birthday mania in our household at the moment.

I gather we missed out on a hugely successful Tunstall Market on 26<sup>th</sup> March – thanks to all who were available. It's great to see it back and being so well patronized by customers and stall holders. We look forward to the April one on 24<sup>th</sup>.

We thought of you (a bit) as we celebrated my Dad's 100<sup>th</sup> birthday that day. Photo below for those not on Facebook! We had a great time with family members some of whom we had not seen for 10 years – my Dad loved getting all his official letters – especially the one from Queen Elizabeth, but also from the Prime Minister, Governor General, Premier of Tasmania,

Governor of Tasmania, the Minister for Veterans Affairs and senator Polley.







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Yesterday Judith Lightfoot organized a community session to familiarize the Op Shop staff and any other folk from the community with the use of a Defibrillator. It was Held in the Warrandyte Football Club rooms and conducted by the Balmoral First Responders who came up specially to do the session for free – you may remember our really good Zoom session with them at the beginning of one of our lockdowns last year when they gave us a run down of what First Responders do. Unfortunately, I could not attend but Judith said it was very successful – with around 15 attendees, and very interesting. Those present feel they can now grab a Defibrillator if needed and be confident about how they work. More information as to hand, but here are a couple of photos. The Balmoral folk said they would come again if needed which is fantastic.





#### **District Conference:**

By all accounts DG Daryl held a very successful conference all information in the District newsletter Change Maker that came out this week. Congratulations Daryl after a particularly trying two years of getting it organized.

NEXT MEETING: As you have been informed, we are trialling The Coach Hotel in Ringwood which is not available on Tuesdays or Wednesdays so we are holding our next two meetings on Thursday. We hope this does not inconvenience you and you can come as we have a couple of interesting evenings, see below. Thanks to Rob Edwards for his efforts to find us a new home. (It is still in trial phase).

SEE EMAIL SENT EARLIER THIS WEEK WITH MENU ATTACHED AND DETAILS.



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#### **UPCOMING PROGRAM**

Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> April 6.30 for 7pm Come early to do your meal payment.	Club Meeting: The Coach Hotel, 33 Maroondah Highway, Ringwood. ART SHOW DEBRIEFING – Partners and all welcome.  APOLOGIES TO ROB EDWARDS PLEASE.  Chair: Don Kinnear Property: Rob Edwards Cashier: N/A
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Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> April  6.30 for 7pm Come early to do your meal payment.	Helene and Peter Brown from the Rotary Club of Tavenui in Fiji will talk about the damage created by cyclone Winston on one of the islands in the RC Tavenui's district – and subsequent landslides which destroyed a school which had been newly rebuilt after the cyclone.  Helen and Peter are visiting family in Melbourne so it will be a pleasure to welcome them to our club and hear about Rotary in Fiji.  Chair: Ian Thomlinson Property: TBA Cashier: N/A
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