

Date: 8th May 2022



A NOTE FROM THE PRESIDENT

NEXT WEEKS' MEETING: Will again be in the Eastern Room at the Grand Hotel, Warrandyte.

A staff member will come to the Eastern Room on Tuesday night to take our meal order and payment by card only will all take place in our room. Ordering the food this way will ensure we will all get served at the same time starting at 7.30. Drinks will still be from the bar. Those with hearing aids – wear them!

Last week's meeting saw us convene in the Eastern Room at the Grand Hotel. Unfortunately, the venue was not as successful as we had hoped due to the noise from the main dining room which became more evident as the night wore on and some of us found the room to be draughty. To this end, Rob and David George will continue in their search for suitable premises – as the saga continues, somewhat frustratingly for us all. We are not alone – there are quite a few clubs in the same situation.

We had apologies from Liz and George Guiver, Bob Fry, Louise Latimer, Leanne Liao and Ian Thomlinson who is overseas enjoying a holiday.

It was a pleasure to welcome guests Freda Ennor, Marianne Mooney, Terry Edwards and Kay Thorogood and great to see Steve Ennor back with us.

President's Report:

Melbourne International Convention will be held in May 2023; registrations open on 4th June with a special rate of US\$425.

Regionalization process: zone 8 (Aus, NZ and 14 Pacific nations). Clubs will need to vote before October this year so there will be people from District to talk us through what Regionalization will mean.

Ukraine Fund – The Rotary Foundation has launched a fund to support countries taking in refugees from the Ukraine. Personal donations can be made to TRF (and will contribute to your points toward a PHF).



Fijian Guest Workers Appeal for warm clothing and blankets – from Rotary Op shops and individuals. All clothing – men's and women's to be large, X large and upwards. PDG Shia Smart is coordinating Rotary Op Shops. The Fijians (11 women and 36 men) are part of the **Pacific Labour Scheme** – they have 3 year visas with 3 months residence in a hotel after which they need to find their own accommodation. They are being employed in abattoirs in Dandenong. They have no winter clothing. They are being supported by the Melbourne Fijian community who are coordinating the donations.

District Assembly: Saturday 22 and Sunday 23rd May and the following week each day. Email to be circulated.

Guest Speaker – Kevin Hall - Art Show

Kevin started his debriefing with a comprehensive slide show of photos from the Art Show weekend. Kevin then went through the finances, and he was pleased to announce that financially it was one of the best Art Shows we have ever held. We outdid our predictions for income from sales, raffle, door takings, Friday night's Opening Night and donations. We were apprehensive about Sunday not being part of the Festival – but nevertheless we had many people through the doors and more people buying than we expected.

So, huge congratulations to all the people who worked so hard to get the Art Show up and running – with special thanks to Marianne Mooney and Terry Edwards who did all the entries and sales, to David George for the catalogue and coordinating the Real Estate Agents, Tony Mooney for his work on set up, Pippa for her work on sales and money matters, Judith Lightfoot and her girls for the food, and to Kevin for his work as



Art Show Chair. And a huge thanks to all the members who participated and helped out during the weekend. Rob Edwards put it succinctly when he said he was most proud of our achievements – and the positive feedback he has had about Rotary around Warrandyte.

Kevin presented Terry and Marianne with flowers as a token of our thanks for their efforts.



The Rotary Club of Warrandyte Donvale (Inc)

Club Bulletin

Watch out for a collaboration with the Warrandyte Historical Society who will have us join them in their museum for a talk, followed by dinner at the Grand Hotel across the road.
Coming soon on a Tuesday night. Details to follow. (See further on - information about a WHS Sunday event that may interest you).

UPCOMING PROGRAM

	Club Meeting – 6.30 for 7pm Eastern Room at the Grand Hotel, Warrandyte.
	Guest Speaker: Rebekah Paige – Local Mural artist
Tuesday 10 th May	will talk about her proposed mural project in
	Warrandyte.
	CHAIR: Don Kinnear
	PROPERTY/PRESIDENT : Rob Edwards
	Club Meeting: 6.30 for 7pm in the FEDERATION
	ROOM AT THE GRAND HOTEL WARRANDYTE
	MEMBERSHIP WORKSHOP
Tuesday 17 th May	Ian Ash from the District Membership team
	will assist us to develop some strategies to
	increase our membership. This is of major
	importance to the survival of our club so it
	will be essential for all those who are in
	town to be at the meeting.
	Chair: Gavin Birch
	Property: Rob Edwards
	Cashier: Steve Latimer
Tuesday 24 th May	ТВА
Sunday 29 th May	Tunstall Market
Tuesday 31 st May	BOARD MEETING – with 2022-23 board members.
Saturday 4 th June	Warrandyte Riverside Market
Tuesday 7 th June	ТВА
Tuesday 14 th June	ТВА
CHANGEOVER NIGHT	DATE AND VENUE TBA
Saturday 25 th June	District Changeover Night.











Warrandyte Historical Society

REMINDER - FOUNDATION STONE TALK

Don't miss the talk titled Foundation Stone by master stonemason James Charlwood..

James is passionate about Warrandyte stone and its role in the township where it has been used for walls and memorials, houses and buildings. He has travelled overseas on a Churchill Fellowship and worked on the restoration of many major buildings.

James's talk will cover Warrandyte stone and its role in the township; other stone types and their use, and his own stone cottage. Don't miss this interesting and important talk.



Free Talk by James Charlwood 2pm Sunday 15th May, 2022 Federation Room, Grand Hotel, 110 Yarra Street, Warrandyte.

The talk is free but for catering purposes please RSVP info@whsoc.org.au if attending.





GRAND HOTEL MENU

SNACKS

BOWL OF CHIPS w/ aioli [V VGO DF NF]	\$10
SHOE STRING FRIES w/ aioli [V VGO GF DF NF]	<u>\$11</u>
GARDEN SALAD w/ honey mustard vinaigrette [V VGO GF NF]	\$12 DF
SEASONED WEDGES	\$12

w/ sweet chilli sauce & sour cream [V VGO NF]

POLENTA CHIPS ______ \$14

w/ aioli & parmesan [V GF NF]

CRISPY FRIED CALAMARI \$17

w/ roasted cauliflower roquette salad & nam jim sauce [GF DF NF]

FROM THE GRILL

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w/ chips & garden salad [GF DF NF] + your choice of red wine jus, gravy, pepper gravy, mushroom gravy or garlic butter

300G PORTERHOUSE \$39

w/ chips & garden salad [GF DF NF] + your choice of red wine jus, gravy, pepper gravy, mushroom gravy or garlic butter

DESSERTS

TRIO OF SORBETS	 \$12
[V VG GF DF NF]	

CHOCOLATE CHIP & VANILLA ICE CREA

w/ hot chocolate fudge sauce [V NF]



PUB CLASSICS CHICKEN SCHNITZEL S25 w/ chips, garden salad & gravy [DF NF] THAI BEEF SALAD **\$26** w/ snow peas, cucumber & tamarind dressing [GF DF] SUPERFOOD SALAD **\$26** w/ brown rice, quinoa, avocado, pumpkin, pomegranate, broccoli, mixed sprouts, persian feta, walnuts & lemon olive oil dressing [V GF DFO VGO] + Add smoked salmon \$4 **BEER BATTERED MARKET FISH** ···· \$27 w/ tartare, chips & garden salad [NF DF] WAGYU BEEF BURGER \$27 w/ bacon, cheese, lettuce, pickles, chipotle aioli, ketchup & chips [NF GFO + \$3] **RIGATONI PASTA** \$27 w/ baked feta, tomatoes, basil, chilli & crispy pancetta [NF VO] **S28** CHICKEN PARMIGIANA w/ triple smoked ham, napoli sauce, mozzarella, chips & garden salad [NF] **CRISPY FRIED CALAMARI** \$28 w/ roasted cauliflower roquette salad & nam jim sauce [GF DF NF] PANKO & HERB CRUMBED EGGPLANT \$28 Stuffed with buffalo mozzarella, roquette & fennel salad & shoe string fries [V NF] **RED LENTIL DAHL S29** w/ coconut sambal, jasmine rice & mango chutney [V VG GF DF NF] VEAL SCHNITZEL \$30 w/ coleslaw & paris mash [NF] **BAKED SALMON** \$33

w/ cauliflower mash, grilled broccolini, cherry vine tomatoes & herbed vinaigrette [GF NF]