

## The Rotasun

October 2, 2018

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#### President's Report

Hello Rotarians and Friends of Rotary

Well another grand final has been and gone. Congratulations to any West Coast Eagles supporters reading our Rotasun and commiseration to any Collingwood supporters. As a St Kilda supporter I thought it was a close game and I felt sorry for Collingwood who I think played the better game on the day. October is the month of the Grand Prix. Woo Hoo! Can't wait to earn some money for the club working the Grand Prix.

Last week we were fortunate to have 2 guest speakers. Firstly, Kevin Love spoke to us about the opportunity for mentoring a police officer of the Victorian Police force. I have completed the paperwork for the program and will keep you posted. If it works out I will look too many in the club to help with the mentoring effort throughout the coming year.

Our very own Assistant Governor, Gary Jungwirth then spoke from the heart about his experiences with detainees at the Broadmeadows detention centre. I think this is a very difficult subject, but the best thing we can do with anything that is difficult is start talking about the realities and I appreciate the effort Gary put in to informing us of what he sees. I think detainees are very fortunate to have him at least in their court.

This week's speaker's subject is water. As the country's supply of freshwater is increasingly vulnerable to droughts, possibly as a result of climate change, there is an emphasis on water conservation.

Western Water provides water, recycled water and sewerage services in Sunbury, Melton, Bacchus Marsh, the Macedon Ranges and surrounds. Come along on Tuesday and here Greg Brown talk about the Operations and mission of Western Water.

Also this week, on Thursday the Board will meet and we have a fairly full agenda, discussing a RYLA application, the market, the car show, our bylaws and membership options, and potentially a new community bus to name just a few of the topics. Have you ever wondered what we do on the Board? If you have never been a board member and are interested in seeing what happens at a board meeting this is an open invitation to come along on Thursday evening and observe the meeting.

Remember, any one needing a lift to the meeting, or just wanting to talk, raise an issue or discuss an idea, please reach out to me either on 0408 346 175 or kerry.kirk9@gmail.com if you prefer. My mind and door will always be open.

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#### Meeting No 2104 October 2 2018

Guest Speaker - Greg Brown
Greg will give the club an overview of the
Operations and mission of Western
Water.

Grace – John Webster Chairperson – Hans VanDyck International Toast – Tracy Stoll Response – David Allan

#### Meeting No 2105 October 9 2018

Aust Rotary Health Hat Day Guest Speaker - Hollie Drake Brockman. Hollie will talk to the subject of mental health, creativity and engaging children.

> Grace – Barry Baguley Chairperson – Terry Grant International Toast – Paul Craig Response – Eva Haddad

For upcoming events go to Calendar at http://www.rotaryclubsunbury.org.au

Yours in Rotary, Kerry Kirk President

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#### **International Toast**

Each week the Rotary Club of Sunbury Toasts an International Rotary Club.

This week we toast the Rotary Club of Singapore West District 3310, Singapore.

The club was chartered on March the 1<sup>st</sup> 1960 and currently has 46 members.

The President for this year is Wei Lien Tay

The club meets ons at , the venue is Singapore Island Country Club, 180 Island Club Rd, Singapore

Ladies and Gentlemen please be upstanding as we toast the Rotary Club of Singapore West

Their Facebook page is https://www.facebook.com/rotarysingaporewest/











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#### **Some Upcoming Events**

Thursday, 4th of October – Board Meeting.

Tuesday,9<sup>th</sup> of October – Guest Speaker ARH Hat Day; Hollie Drake Brockman.

Saturday the 13<sup>th</sup> of October Sunbury Village Market and Cash for Cans.

Sunday the 18<sup>th</sup> of November Foundation Afternoon at the Glen Erin Winery.

Sunday the 25<sup>th</sup> of November – Rotary Car Show Clarke Oval Sunbury.

## **Pics from last Meeting**

## Have a Laugh

There once was a man from Peru.
Who dreamed he was eating his shoe.
He woke up at night.
With a terrible fright.
To find out his dream had come true!

Our school trip was a special occasion.

But we never reacher our destination.

Instead of the zoo.

I was locked in the loo.

of the toilet at the service station!

All doggies go to heaven - or so I've been told.
They run and play along the streets of Gold.
Why is heaven such a doggie-delight?
Why, because there's not a single cat in sight!

That's not my age; it's just not true. My heart is young; the time just flew. I'm staring at this strange old face, And someone else is in my place!

