



SERVE TO CHANGE LIVES

PRESIDENT CAROL'S WEEKLY THOUGHTS & REPORTS

Greetings Rotarians and Friends

Welcome to Rotary 2021-22 Year, I am really looking forward to this Rotary Year particularly in this ever-changing COVID environment and I want to thank everyone for welcoming me so warmly on Tuesday evening. We have an experienced and knowledgeable Board and I am excited to be working with them for the next 12 months.

Service for Change is the key focus for this Rotary Year so with this in mind

My goal, as in every job I have ever had is **TO MAKE A POSITIVE DIFFERENCE** whether it has been working in the Early Childhood Field or in Aged Care **and it is the reason I joined Rotary.**

My number 1 aim is to help build our membership, and I really would love to increase membership, with a strong focus on increasing woman in the club. We have applied for a Community Grant to assist us in encouraging women to join with events and if required some financial assistance. I think it would be great to become a 'District Flagship Club' by achieving 50 members!

We have made a good start by welcoming Anne Shaw as our first new member for this year. I welcome her to our club and am really looking forward to working with her.

My second aim is to establish the 7th Area of Service, the Environment and Rod Davies has kindly agreed to take the lead in how we set it up this Area of Services he will interact with the Directors of the committees for their ideas on the Environment. We are considering a couple of projects that have been identified this year. Rob will recommend projects through the Community Committee.

My third aim is I really want us to have some fun at our meetings and that we recognise milestones in people's lives, and we can have a laugh and enjoy the evening.

My fourth aim is to maintain our focus on **projects** in community, youth and international as well as increased collaboration across the Peninsula Cluster. We already have The Bay Trail project which will be led by Steve Daly and the community group, and it would be great to have maybe one other project where we could work together with our Cluster Clubs. There was some discussion at our PETS training about a project relating to homelessness or youth addiction.

A topic for discussion at our Monday meetings could be how we encourage more partner involvement at club meetings and if we have as to our least one meeting a month where partners are invited as well new Social activities program on the 5th Mondays (4 meetings - August, November, January, May), We could even set up a "fun and fellowship" committee" to organise these social meetings. If there is anyone interested in organising them, please let me or any other Board Member know if you are interested.

Rotary 4 Way Test
Is it the **TRUTH**?
Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
Will it build **GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?
Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

5th July 2021

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CONGRATULATIONS ALL ROUND - RCMM CHANGEOVER DINNER

It was such a great evening we had on Tuesday at the Club Changeover at Safety Beach Sailing Club.

How good it was to celebrate the year past as we acknowledged the great leadership and Presidency of Roger Skipsey as he now heads off to be closer to family in Queensland. It was such a fitting evening for a great Rotarian!! Thank you Roger for all you have brought to this great Club and to our Community. You are a terrific friend to us all and you will be greatly missed.

And to welcome in Carol Allen's Presidency in such a lovely environment was just tremendous and I sense we have much to look forward to in the year ahead!

Speaking with Anne Shaw last night, now that she has joined as a Club Member, she is very much looking forward to working with Steve and the Community Committee and the wider Club.

I (Peter Rawlings) would like to take the opportunity to thank the outgoing Board for the acknowledgement of the Royce Abbey Award. It was such an honour and I am truly grateful for the presentation and the way it was made. I am deeply and ever so appreciative.

Most importantly, on Tuesday evening whilst presenting the PHF awards, Roger Annear made mention of something of significance. On Tuesday evening, Roger Annear clocked up 30 years as a Rotarian having been inducted on 29th June 1991. For our Club Historian, that in itself is history in the making. Congratulations Roger on a remarkable and stellar Rotary service of 30 years!

The following presentations were also made on Changeover night. PHF to Lara Barrett, PHF+1 to Roger Skipsey and PHF+2 to Steve Daly (this one for Centurion contributions). A Foundation Certificate of Appreciation was awarded to Progress Signs and of course the Royce Abbey Award to Peter Rawlings. Congratulations to all awardees. A copy of each individual awardees Citation will be published in the Bulletin each week this month.



JULY HAS NO SPECIAL DESIGNATION

- Mon 5 July **RCMM Club meeting** - Zoom meeting with Bio from Anne Shaw
- Sat 10 July **Bunnings BBQ** - see Roster on page 4
- Mon 12 July **RCMM Committee meetings**
- Sat 17 July **MM Sausage Sizzle** - see Roster on page 4
- Mon 19 July **RCMM Club meeting** - Save Arthur's Seat with Dr Mark Fancett, Prof John Stanley and Michelle de la Coeur
- Sat 24 July **Benton's Square Shopping Centre BBQ** - see Roster on page 4
- Mon 26 July **RCMM Club meeting** - TBA
- Sat 31 July **MM Sausage Sizzle** - see Roster on page 4

AUGUST IS MEMBERSHIP & NEW CLUB DEVELOPMENT MONTH

- Mon 2 Aug **RCMM Club meeting** - TBA
- Mon 9 Aug **RCMM Committee meetings**
- Sat 14 Aug **MM Sausage Sizzle** - see Roster on page 4
- Mon 16 Aug **RCMM Club meeting** - Nicole Sandford of SAI Home & Community Services - Golf Day Sponsor
- Mon 23 Aug **RCMM Club meeting** - TBA
- Sat 28 Aug **MM Sausage Sizzle** - see Roster on page 4
- Sat 28 Aug **Bunnings BBQ** - see Roster on page 4
- Mon 30 Aug **RCMM Social meeting** - further details to come from President Carol

OUR COMMUNITY & CLUB SUPPORTERS, TO WHOM WE ARE VERY GRATEFUL



SAUSAGE SIZZLE ROSTERS

BUNNINGS BBQ'S FOR MAY, JUNE & JULY 2021

8 to 11am

11am to 2pm

2pm to 5pm

The 1st named Member on each shift is the Team Leader

Saturday 10th July 2021

Wayne Jenkins
Gordon Morriss
Rob Davies
Steve Daly
Mary McIntyre

Peter Rawlings
Wayne Norris
Bill Ewing
Bernard Butler
Tom Goulding

Bill Cummins
Roger Annear
Barrie Sweeney
Carol Allen
Phyl Scales

Saturday 28th August 2021

Wayne Jenkins
Gordon Morriss
Byron Groves
David Wheeler
Tom Barrett

Rob Davies
John Waterhouse
Peter Rawlings
Roger Annear
Carol Allen

Bill Cummins
Valerie Lyons
Barrie Sweeney
Atom Goulding
Ray Martin

BENTONS SQUARE SHOPPING CENTRE BBQ FOR 24th JULY 2021

8am to 12noon

Wayne Jenkins
Byron Groves
Bill Ewing
Steve Daly

12noon to 4pm

Peter Warren
Tom Goulding
Jonathan Mayne
Roger Annear

RCMM SATURDAY SAUSAGE SIZZLE (COMMENCE 9AM AND FINISH ABOUT 1PM)

17th July	Peter Warren	Merv Williams	Roger Annear
31st July	Bill Ewing	Lara Barrett 2hours Bernard Butler 2hrs	Merv Williams
14th August	Carol Allen	MMH Community Garden	MMH Community Garden
28th August	Valerie Lyons	Bruce Ranken	Jonathan Mayne
11th September	Bill Cummins	Phyllis Scales	Rob Davies
25th September	Peter Rawlings	Byron Groves	Ray Martin
9th October	David Wheeler	Wayne Norris	Pat Morton
23rd October	Tom Goulding	John Waterhouse	Steve Daly
6th November	Mary McIntyre	MMH Community Garden	MMH Community Garden
20th November	Paul Clark	Colin Stokes	Gordon Morriss
4th December	Peter Warren	Roger Annear	Byron Groves
18th December	Merv Williams	Bill Ewing	Valerie Lyons

For those who have missed our “funnies” they are back again for a few weeks thanks to Phyl Scales



I heard the word "icy" is easy to spell.

Now that I look at it, I see why.

