

Members Attending	28 Rotarians
Make Ups	
Apologies	Brian Beconsall, Brian Duddington, Taso Kouvaras, Alan Johnston
Club Guests	12 members' guests, incl. Dr Bruce Flegg, Tim & Sue Harbutt, Paul Brakenridge, and member's partners.
Raffle	Bob Rogers \$15
Joker Raffle	Ray Giarola, Jack of diamonds
Heads & Tails	
Leave of Absence	

Guest speaker: Lance Weller: Wine Making in Tasmania

Lance presented a very interesting description of his Moores Hill winery operation in Tasmania, a venture he shares with his daughter and her partner, a qualified vintner.

The Tasmanian wine industry has a reputation for high quality wines, and Moores Hill recently won several awards at a Tasmanian wine show against big name opposition.

Lance gave a very informative outline of the challenges and pitfalls of running a vineyard and winery. He tries to personally avoid the more mundane tasks and dislikes the repetitive nature of the work.

Some of Lance's wines were offered for sampling. They include the **Riesling 2007** with a nose of lime, citrus and blossom characters, the **Chardonnay 2007** [a perfect accompaniment to grilled Tasmanian salmon] and the **Premium Pinot Noir 2007** which exudes delicious savoury berry fruit aromas complimented by subtle hints of violets and forest floor.

Lance offered "Mates Rates" on orders by Rotarians. For more information:

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A Rotary Grace

We break thy bread in brotherhood,
And thank thee Lord for all things good,
May we more blessed than we deserve
Live less for self and more to serve

THE FOUR-WAY TEST

'Of the things we think, say or do'.

1. Is it the truth?
 2. Is it fair to all concerned?
 3. Will it build good will and better friendships?
 4. Will it be beneficial to all concerned?
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Tonight: Legislation

Speaker: PDG Charles Guesden

Chair: Tony Bracken

Duty Officers: Rob Jeffery, Jack Rynn

F'Ship/Grace: Bob Rogers

Sergeant: Ray Giarola

Date:	4 Feb	11 Feb	18 Feb	25 Feb
Subject:	Club Forum and AGM	International: South Africa	International: New Zealand	International: El Salvador
Speakers:	Club Directors	Dirk Joubert	Neil Hygate	Alfredo & Gloria Massi
Chair:	President Ian Cameron	Brian Becconsall	Lance Weller	David Lock
Duty Officers:	Carol Koser, Graham McHugh	Alan Johnston, Ian Kilpatrick	Chris Hall, Taso Kouvaras	Tony Bracken, Meyrick Croker
F'Ship/Grace:	Ted Horsbrugh	Bill Orford	Kerri Horsbrugh	Geoff Haigh
Sergeant:	M. Fitzgerald	Ray Giarola	M. Fitzgerald	Ray Giarola

If you can't do this duty, please arrange a replacement and advise Paul McLaughlin 3876 3667

Theme for January: Rotary Awareness

Date	Event	Co-ordinator
10 th February 2009.	Board Meeting	Joan Moloney
28/29 th March 2009	District Conference – Caloundra	Bill Waterfield
14-17 th April 2009.	RYLA Camp	Colin Melvin
29 th April 2009	RC of Kenmore 40 th Birthday	Paul McLaughlin

President's Notes

The Club has just completed a very successful Australia Day Citizenship Ceremony. Our congratulations must go to Des Hoban who has meticulously and persistently handled this project. It is a major task bringing all the people and activities together on the day and meeting the various deadlines along the way. Des has done all this and maintained his sense of humour. Thanks to Club members for their support as all went smoothly on the day. We are now into the second half of the year and we have Anzac Day, The Brookfield Show and Cootha Classic ahead.

President:

- Fund raising profits from trailer raffle, Bunnings BBQ etc.
- RYLA Camp – see Colin Melvin if you have nominations. Youth between the ages of 18-26 years.
- District Conference – March 28-29 Caloundra
- Kenmore Community Centre – opportunity to participate

Spots:

- **Margaret de Wit** – Old depot in Brookfield Rd could be developed as community centre- plan to rehabilitate the site- Public consultation sessions 7/15 Feb. - Kenmore Rotary invited to participate- book with BCC or M deW office.
- **Des Hoban** – Aust. Day Citizenship Ceremony preparations—professional singer will be leading song and anthem- Venue set-up Sunday 4pm
- **Bill Orford** - Promoted Camerata raffle – will have tickets for sale next meeting

Sergeant Michael Fitzgerald: Fines

- Bob Rogers – pulling a big crowd by celebrating birthday with free drinks
- Jack Rynn – Tsunami warnings cancelled?
- Ray Giarola & Bob Cleland – Sitting with Jack Rynn- guilt by association!
- Joan Moloney - attacked by [attacking?] brown snake
- Meyrick Croker- Alkira demolition didn't expect M's tough concrete.
- Rob Jeffery- disappointment at not getting Jenny H badge- cost you \$2
- Margaret de Wit – not at Bob's wedding anniversary.
- Bruce Flegg – 2 weeks in a row at Rotary- is there an election on?
- Des Hoban – fitted into small gloves @ Bunnings BBQ
- Chris Hall – Nice to see you, pay \$1
- Colin Melvin- looking so relaxed, get to work son
- Carol Koser – a fund raising champion [crusader?]
- Graham McHugh- son marrying soon
- Ian Cameron – for those Scottish banks
- Geoff Haigh – not as good as Jenny at public relations [after ABC interview]
- Self [MF] – myself and everyone who didn't get up to watch Obama inauguration
- Royce Allan- keep meeting him on weekends
- Lance Weller – his vineyard is closed too often

Rotary News: Bill Gates announces new US\$255 million grant for ending polio

The Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation has awarded US\$255 million to Rotary International in the global effort to eradicate polio, bringing the total committed by Rotary and the Gates Foundation to \$555 million. Shortly after meeting with incoming district governors from the four countries where the wild poliovirus is endemic -- Afghanistan, India, Nigeria, and Pakistan -- Bill Gates announced the new grant on Wednesday morning at the International Assembly in San Diego, California, USA.

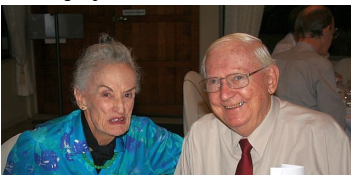
“Rotarians, government leaders, and health professionals have made a phenomenal commitment to get us to a point at which polio afflicts only a small number of the world’s children,” Gates said. “However, complete elimination of the poliovirus is difficult and will continue to be difficult for a number of years. Rotary in particular has inspired my own personal commitment to get deeply involved in achieving eradication.” “We are going to end polio now,” affirmed Robert S. Scott, chair of RI’s International PolioPlus Committee.

In response to the new \$255 million Gates Foundation grant, Rotary will raise \$100 million in matching funds. In November 2007, RI received a \$100 million Gates Foundation grant, which Rotary committed to match by raising \$100 million. The two Gates Foundation challenge grants now total \$355 million. Rotary International’s matching effort in response is called Rotary’s US\$200 Million Challenge, which must be completed by 30 June 2012.



As a retail salesman with Mobil Oil Australia (then known as Standard Vacuum Oil Company). Was recruited by the Department of Trade and Industry in 1963 as a Trainee Trade Commissioner and was subsequently posted to Peru, the Middle East (Bahrain), Indonesia, Chile and Canberra where he ran a program advising Developing countries on international marketing and subsequently headed the Overseas Branch which administered the Department’s trade officers overseas. He subsequently transferred to Austrade, the Commonwealth Government’s export facilitation agency, serving in Fiji, the United States (Miami, & Houston and Consul General) & Argentina. He retired from government service in 1996 setting up Marketing International which advises companies on international business planning and export education. He teaches International Business at Martin College. In conjunction with another consultant, he undertakes Feasibility Studies, domestic and international market research and general business planning.

Birthdays: Congratulations Bob Rogers on your 80th Birthday we hope you enjoyed the festivities



Winston Churchill Quote of the Week



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