





The Rotary Club of Warrandyte Donvale (Inc)

Club Bulletin



Date: 21st November 2021

A NOTE FROM THE PRESIDENT

As the end of the year draws near and almost all Covid restrictions are relaxing life is becoming what it should be – very busy!

Vaccination Checks at the Op Shop

IT WAS AN EASY, PLEASANT GIG sitting at the check in desk.

I'm pleased to say both Kevin and I yesterday had a very easy time of it – everyone was compliant and friendly, there were no arguments, and most people were very sympathetic with us having to do it. The community is well aware of the regulations and the check-in routine, and I expect that non -vaccinated people understand where they can go and where they cannot. It is as an opportunity to interact with the public, and for us that is not a bad thing.

Re the 2-5pm Monday to Friday shift – chances are you can leave before 5pm as it is usually quiet toward the end of the day

Some of the Op shop staff can fill some of the shifts. Here is the roster for the next week - can we get a few more members to fill the spots please? Many thanks to those who have volunteered already. Let Judith Lightfoot or Judy Hall know please.

PLEASE WEAR CLUB CLOTHING AND BADGE IF YOU HAVE ONE ON YOU.

Mon 22	Tues 23	Wed 24	Thurs 25	Fri 26	Sat 27	Sun 28
9 -11.30	9-11.30	9-11.30	9-11.30	9-11.30	10 – 1	10-1
Joe		Judith L	Deb			Kathy
11.30 – 2	11.30 - 2	11.30 - 2	11.30 – 2	11.30 –	1-4	1 - 4
Kevin			Gay	_		
2 – 5	2- 5	2- 5	2- 5	2- 5		
Steve E	Judy H	Judith L	Don K	Judy H		



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We had a great night last Wednesday at the cluster meeting held at the Manningham Club to hear the updates about the North- East Link project. The meeting was hosted by Templestowe Rotary Club with Luke Bastian greeting everyone and Brian Negus chairing.

We heard from Duncan Elliott Chief Executive Officer of North- East Link who gave an interesting power point presentation with great photos to show what the end result will be. He said one of the most difficult aspects to date has been dealing with the businesses along Bulleen Road which have to be compulsorily acquired to enable works to proceed – during lockdowns when many were not functioning or not at full capacity.





He said one of the most positive and interesting aspects of the project was solving the problem of how to landscape around the large ventilation structures. It will be covered with earth and landscaped to form a huge public space with native vegetation and bike paths etc. It did look impressive in the photos.



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I suggest you google the web site for the North East Link project and have a good look at the information and photos which depict how it will look. Now that it is a reality – ironically right next door to the venue on the corner of Bulleen Road and the Eastern Freeway was construction work for some of the plumbing works.

Duncan also mentioned the important aspect of labour – they are encouraging any young school leavers looking for apprenticeships – especially electricians – but many of those involved in construction such as plumbers, to consider this as a starting point as it will lead to years of security and specialist training.

A big thanks to Templestowe for organizing the event and we look forward to hosting the Cluster at a Cluster meeting next year.

UPCOMING PROGRAM

Tuesday 23 rd November	Club Meeting at Natalies 2020-21 AGM 7 – 7.10pm 7.15 Club meeting Chair: Rob Ewards Cashier: Leanne Liao Property: Steve Latimer
Sunday 28 th November	Tunstall Market
Tuesday 30 th November	No Meeting
Saturday 4 th December	Warrandyte Riverside Market
Sunday 5 th December	Tunstall Christmas Market
Tuesday 7 th December	No Meeting in lieu of markets
Tuesday 14 th December	Club Christmas Party: At the Halls.
Saturday 18 th December	Warrandyte Riverside Christmas Market
Tuesday 21 st December	Breakfast Meeting – prior to Christmas break. 7.30-9.am Stone House Café Warrandyte
Tuesday 11th January	BBQ – venue the Halls
Tuesday 18th January	BBQ – venue the Edwards's



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