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The Rotary Club of Warrandyte Donvale (Inc)

## Club Bulletin

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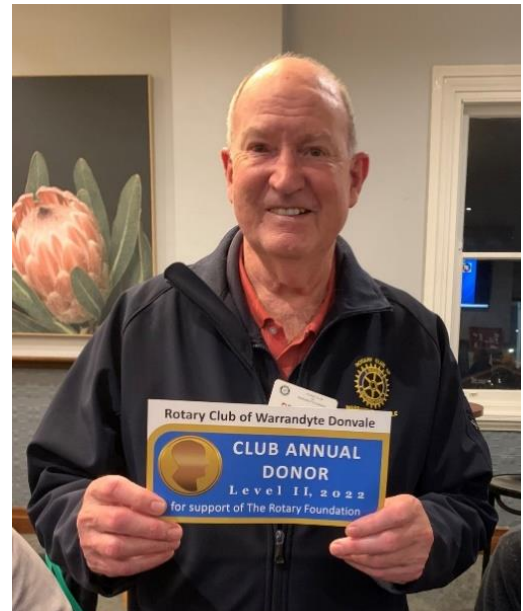


### A NOTE FROM THE PRESIDENT

President Don welcomed our guests last Tuesday – Wing Tang – a stall holder from our Tunstall Market and the guest speakers for the evening – Principal Shane Harrop and School Captains Jacinta Hill, Esther Troth and Fletcher Falls (the fourth captain was injured playing sport and at the last minute was an apology.)

Apologies: Stephen Ennor, Ian Thomlinson, Liz and George Guiver, Bob McKenzie and Louise Latimer.

President Don reported that he and PE Rob Edwards attended the recent District President's meeting and he was delighted to receive a Foundation Award on behalf of our club, as a Level 11 donor to the Foundation. Always good to get a reward for the service we give via our fundraising so we can make those donations.



**Treasurer Kevin** reported that he has made our final donation to the Foundation for the year 2022-23.

**Rob Edwards** reported that he attended a recent morning tea at the Warrandyte Neighborhood House as a volunteer representative. The morning tea was a thankyou and a chance for local volunteers to network and be thanked.

**Steve Latimer** circulated the roster for the upcoming Tunstall Market on Sunday and we hope to fill all the places on the roster for a good day. Weather is forecast to be not too good – keep fingers crossed. **UPDATE – MARKET CANCELLED!**

**Warrandyte Riverside Market** is coming up the following Saturday and Rob has filled all positions.

**Marg George** reported that everything is in place for the RICON cluster event on Monday to meet and greet Rotary International visitors at the Manningham Centre. **We are asked to be there by 6. pm so we are there to greet the guests as they arrive.**



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### A message from our school captains!



After our meal we were introduced to Shane Harrop – Principal of Warrenwood Primary School.

Shane took us through a power point presentation which explained the way his school emphasizes well-being as well as learning. Students are encouraged to become leaders by the school having a number of leadership roles across all class levels. The children have experience in taking responsibility, mentoring and helping other students. The school has a team of wellbeing staff – two counsellors and a psychologist. Shane explained that

the school has had help from Geelong Grammar School which has invested a lot of money in research in how to improve students' emotional well-being – using the 10 below 10 above principle.

Shane thanked our club for its recent donation of \$4550 which will help 12 students who might have missed out otherwise, to attend an upcoming school camp in Canberra.

Shane then handed over to three of the four school captains who talked more about the way the school encourages leadership and uses the RUI concept (Respect, Understanding, Integrity) to foster good relationships.



Students also have a wide range of learning experiences with the addition of the three specialist programs pictured on the slide.

The school also has an environmental program and each class elects two Greenologists whose job it is to sustain and look after the school environment.

Specialist Programs including P.E, Performing Art, Visual Art and Japanese provide weekly experiences in addition to core learning areas to support the development of the whole child.

 Dee Chadwick Japanese & Visual Art	 Dylan Sendekyj Physical Education	 Jacinta Aikman Performing Arts
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The students, who are in year 6 were amazing and spoke really well about their school with obvious pride. They are the leaders of the future, so we are in good hands! It certainly sounds as if the school is in good hands with a well rounded program and very caring students and teachers. BTW – it is the school Mr H (of Pennicott fame) attends and Shane reported that Mr H is famous and runs the school very well! He always knows what is happening and who is who!





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**UP COMING PROGRAMME**


Monday 29 <sup>th</sup> May	Cluster Event – RICON – cocktail party to meet international guests at the Rotary International Conference 6pm-9pm Manningham Centre Details below.
Tuesday 30 <sup>th</sup> May	<i>No Meeting</i>
Saturday 3 <sup>rd</sup> June	
Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> June	<i>Social night – Ringwood Club corner Oban &amp; Maroondah Please let Marg George know if you are attending.</i>
Tuesday 13 <sup>th</sup> June	<i>Normal Club Meeting at the Grand Hotel Warrandyte</i>  <b>Guest Speaker – Nieta Manseur – Principal Warrandyte Primary School.</b> Funds raised in the Art Show have been dedicated to WPS for their refurbishment program. Nieta will tell us all about the needs of the school. <b>Chair:</b> Judy Hall <b>Property:</b> Rob Edwards <b>Greeter:</b> Marg George
Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup> June	<i>Informal Changeover Night</i>  <i>Grand Hotel Warrandyte</i>
Sunday 25 <sup>th</sup> June	
Tuesday 27 <sup>th</sup> June	<i>No meeting</i>
Saturday 1 <sup>st</sup> July	



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Tuesday 4 <sup>th</sup> July	<i>Meeting</i>
Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup> July	<i>Social Night</i>
Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup> July	<i>Meeting</i>
Tuesday 25 <sup>th</sup> July	<i>No meeting</i>
Sunday 30 <sup>th</sup> July	
Tuesday 1 <sup>st</sup> August	<i>No Meeting</i>
Tuesday 8 <sup>th</sup> August	<i>Meeting – Grand Hotel Warrandyte</i>
Tuesday 15 <sup>th</sup> August	<i>Social Night – Ringwood Club</i>
Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> August	<i>Meeting – Grand Hotel Warrandyte</i>





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*On Friday night some of the club members were hosted to a thank you hosted by Warrandyte Arts for the organizations who donated toward the upgrading of the Mechanics Institute Hall, specifically the Bio Pod (which is where all the audio-visuals are controlled from). Rob, David, Kevin and Gavin represented us.*

