


# Rotary Club of Fern Tree Gully Inc.

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## WEEKLY BULLETIN

Date & Time:	Thursday 5th March [6.00 for 6.30]	Thursday 12th March [6.45 for 7.00]	Thursday 19th March [6.00 for 6.30]	Thursday 26th March [6.00 for 6.30]
Venue:	FTG Bowling Club	Wantirna Club Stud Rd, Wantirna	FTG Bowling Club	Caltoria Brewery 31 Holloway Drive, Bayswater
Program:	BOARD & COMMITTEE MEETING	<b>Combined Meeting Boronia Inner Wheel</b>  <b>"Angel Flight Australia"</b>  <b>Bookings required at Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> meeting</b>	1812 Theatre (2nd part talk)	More details later
Speaker:	N/A		Chris Hodson	
Chair:	Allan Tierney		Allan Tierney	
Rotary Toast	Paul Wilson		Brian Mandergheddes	
Cashier:	Mike Spark		Mike Spark	
Scribe:	Fran Mandergheddes		John Flemming	
Sergeant-At-Arms:	Mike Spark		Mike Spark	
Partners' Night	Welcome	Yes	Welcome	Yes

<i>Birthdays:</i>	10 <sup>th</sup> March – Paul McAloney
<i>Anniversaries:</i>	None
<i>Induction to RC of Fern Tree Gully</i>	4 <sup>th</sup> March 2002 – Fran Mandergheddes

# ALLANS AIR SPACE



## ROTARY CONNECTS THE WORLD

### MARCH IS WATER AND SANITATION MONTH

Hello everyone

I hope we all now have a better understanding of Internet security after listening to an excellent presentation from Rebecca Sellars from FTG Bendigo Community Bank at last week's meeting. Please all come along and support the Bendigo Bank this coming Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> March and our club team at the "Barefoot Bowling:" community event.

#### **Boronia Bowling Club – 5 Marie Street Boronia 6.00pm BBQ dinner and drinks available**

What a wonderful weekend we had at the Knox Festival, speaking to so many people over the two days, it was heralded as one of the best Knox Festivals in many years. A very big thank you to all our club members and partners who shared in the success, despite being very tired and exhausted after two days, all said it was worth every moment being there. We made many connections all of which will add value to our club in the coming weeks, and our presence in our local community is truly immeasurable, but hopefully The Rotary Club of Fern Tree Gully is now known to so many in the community.

A personal thank you to Kay and Christine for the tremendous effort over the two days, the happy smiling children's enjoyment said it all.

Please don't forget to send myself and Fran your reports for this week's board meeting. Community, Youth, International, Foundation, Vocational, Fundraising. Can we please have these by Wednesday PM?

The Following week Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> March we will be attending the combined meeting with Boronia Inner Wheel Club, Marg Hurst has re sent the Invitation to you all. We will be taking numbers this Thursday and making one club booking with payment as numbers and RSVP is Monday 9<sup>th</sup> March. Payment to the club this Thursday is required (\$25 per head).

For those members and partners who have indicated they can assist for the Relay for Life BBQ Saturday 14th March 4.00 - 8.00 pm and Sunday 15th - 6.00am-10.00am, we will be discussing details at this week's meeting. As In previous years, our club makes a donation to Cancer Council Research. Another great community event.

Have a great week.

Yours in Rotary

**Allan Tierney**  
**President 2019/2020**

# "That Was The Week That Was"

Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> February 2020

*The meeting opened at 6.30pm with the toast to Rotary by Fran and immediate Past President Christine welcoming all members, partners and Rebecca Sellars from Bendigo Bank the guest speaker for the evening.*

## **President's Announcements:**

On behalf of President Allan T - Christine welcomed everyone and gave apologies from Allan (his father had a car accident).

- Big thankyou to Julianne for organising our dinner and theatre night "On Golden Pond" at the 1812 last night. It was a great night and raised \$30 to go into fundraising.

Prior to the dinner Julianne, Wendy, Kay, Fran, Christine and a friend of Julianne's Yvonne met to discuss ideas for Rotary's 100 year celebrations next year. Several great ideas were discussed and initial contacts are being looked into. Paul distributed Minutes of this meeting on Kay's behalf.

- Christine and Allan spent the weekend at the RACV Club in Creswick at the Multi District Presidents Elec Training Seminar.
- One item was the Club Constitution and Club By Laws – we will be given a kit – DO IT YOURSELF.
- Shine on Recognition Awards for people despite having a physical disability are doing amazing volunteer work in the community. This Club has nominated a candidate and we are encouraged to attend the Awards Function.
- On Tuesday evening Allan and Christine listened to Russell Hayes from Wheel Chairs for Kids. Brochures were given out; Russell would like to speak to the Club or Interact about this.

**Secretary:** Nothing to report

**Apologies received from:** Allan T and Gary Braddock.

## **REPORTS:**

**Treasurer:** \$97,691.00

**International:** No Report

**Community:** Christine reported on the Knox Festival preparations for this weekend  
Helpers needed for Saturday 10am to 5pm and Sunday 10am to 5pm

Meeting was held for Winter Sleep Over for Homeless. Knox Council has grant money available.

**Youth:** Paul W – no report

## **Fundraising:**

13<sup>th</sup> March Bunnings

14<sup>th</sup> March Shine on Awards

14<sup>th</sup> March 2pm – 8pm Relay for Life at Knox  
Aths Park B-B-Q

15<sup>th</sup> March 6am – 9pm Relay for Life at Knox  
Aths Park B-B-Q

22<sup>nd</sup> March Bunnings

## **Fellowship:**

8<sup>th</sup> March Jazz at the Royal Hotel starting at 12noon

## **Program:**

**Rob:** Sun Books for Kids (iPad loaded with info for kids) would like to come to talk to Rotary 16<sup>th</sup> April.

**BOWLS:** Starts on Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> March every Wednesday at 6pm at the Boronia Bowls Club Maree Street, Boronia

**Vocational:** No Report

**Sergeant-At-Arms** – Paul Mc amused us with Children's Comments and extracted our dollars AGAIN

**SPEAKER:** Rebecca Sellars Bendigo Bank presented her talk on "Staying Safe Online" Security on Phones, TXT, emails:

Don't Download - Malware Remote Scams  
Phone Porting  
Creating Strong Passwords Phishing Scams  
Online Shopping Fake Websites  
Identity theft Romance Scams Social Media  
Stolen Mail Investment Scams  
Lottery or unexpected Money Scams Business  
Email Compromise & Invoice Hacking Scams  
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PP John Flemming gave vote of thanks to Rebecca and congratulated her on her presentation.



### Reminders:

- Next Week Committee and Board meeting  
Reports are due by next Wednesday.
- 12<sup>th</sup> March Combined meeting with Boronia  
Wheel at Wantirna Club

Meeting closed 7.40

Scribe: *Julienne Hyams (with L Plates on)*

## IMPORTANT DATES TO DIARISE

2020	Program.	Speaker
<b>March</b>	<b>is Water &amp; Sanitation month</b>	
4-March	Barefoot Bowls	Boronia Bowling Club
5-Mar	BOARD MEETING	
8-March	JAZZ AT THE ROYAL	
12-Mar	Combined Meeting with Boronia Inner Wheel	Wantirna Club
13-Mar	Bunnings Sausage Sizzle	
14-Mar	SHINE ON RECOGNITION AWARDS	Templestowe Baptist Hall
14-15 Mar	Knox Relay for Life	Knox Athletics Track
19-Mar	1812 Theatre Talk – Part Two	Chris Hodson
22-Mar	Bunnings Sausage Sizzle	
26-Mar	CALTORIA BREWERY VISIT	

## Knox Festival

