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## A WORD FROM PRESIDENT TONY MONLEY



Last week we heard from David Spitteler from the Asylum Seekers Centre. This is a volunteer run centre providing material aid to asylum seekers. By all accounts, this was a most informative presentation. Did it change the way you think about asylum seekers?

If you've seen the latest District Newsletter, you will have seen that the District now has a new committee looking at supporting our indigenous community. The infamous life expectancy gap between indigenous and non-indigenous Australians is one of the great tragedies of our contemporary society. It is for this reason that we've included in our budget this year, funding for an indigenous medical scholarship through the Australian Rotary Health Fund.

By now you will have received this year's District Directory – an excellent publication. If your personal details need updating, please go direct to source and send your amendments to: [fran.mclean@bigpond.com](mailto:fran.mclean@bigpond.com), copied to our Secretary, Graham.

It's always a disappointment when we receive a resignation – more so when it's from one of our long standing and respected members. Regrettably, Dick Holroyd has decided to move into a new chapter of his life and has tendered his resignation from the Club. On behalf of the members, I express our deep appreciation for the many years of contribution by Dick and Carol and wish them the best for the future.

It's not too late to register for the Group Study Exchange welcome home dinner on 30<sup>th</sup> July at the Knox Club, Boronia. Come along and hear this outstanding team talk about their experiences in representing Rotary and Australia in Turkey. If you'd like to attend, please let David Forster know.

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Preparations for our inbound exchange student, Rahel, continue. We expect Rahel to arrive at 0620am Monday July 26<sup>th</sup>. Rahel comes from Paderborn, Germany, situated at the spring of the Pader River. Paderborn was founded as a [bishopric](#) by [Charlemagne](#) in 795. In 799 [Pope Leo III](#) fled his enemies in [Rome](#) and reached Paderborn, where he met Charlemagne. Charlemagne reinstated Leo in Rome in 800 and was crowned as [Holy Roman Emperor](#) by Leo in return. The bishop of Paderborn became a [Prince of the Empire](#) in 1100. The city was taken by [Prussia](#) in 1802, then by the [French vassal state Kingdom of Westphalia](#) from 1807 to 1813 and then returned to Prussia. Paderborn was the seat of the [Bishopric of Paderborn](#); today it is the seat of a Roman Catholic [archbishop](#). Paderborn has a population of over 144,000, of which approximately 10% are students at the local [university](#). Additionally, about 10,000 members or relatives of members of the [British armed forces](#) live in Paderborn, but are not included in the nominal population size.

August 11<sup>th</sup> will be a membership interest night. If you have any potential members, please make a commitment now to bring them along on that night to learn about our Club.

This week's speaker is Graham Peck, from the Leprosy Mission Australia <http://www.leprosymission.org.au/Home.aspx>. Leprosy is not something immediately evident in today's community yet it is an ever-present risk among some of our near-neighbours. Come along and learn about what is being done to combat this insidious disease.

**Immediately following this Wednesday's meeting there will be an interest meeting for the new Rotaract Club. Trevor Dawson has been representing us on the cluster working group and has done a tremendous job in marketing this new club.**

**Let's hope we get it up and running.**

Tony Monley.

## LAST WEEK'S SPEAKER—David Spitteler -



**At right— David hard at work at the Asylum Seekers Centre Dandenong.**



We have had a bit of a clear out in the office - this has resulted in about 200 green suspension files being surplus to requirements. They are the green files with the hooks at each end to go on the filing cabinet runners. **Free to a good home** - take the lot or take a few - your choice - but small donation to ABCD more than welcome of course! Ken Wall.



# National Youth Science Forum

NYSF is a joint initiative of a number of Rotary Clubs and a large number of scientific institutions around Australia. The purpose is to introduce the scientist of the future to Australia's most distinguished scientist of the present and allow them to participate in open and group discussions.

Candidates for the forum are year 11 students who have shown outstanding potential in the field of science.

Our club has nominated 2 students to attend the forum;

**Matthew Harris** from Templestowe College who hopes to have a career in the scientific field maybe engineering.

**Jocelyn Shan** from P.L.C. who hopes to have a career in medicine.

The 3 forums being held this Rotary year are;

January 3-15 in Canberra

January 10-22 in Perth

January 17-29 Canberra.

We wish Mathew and Jocelyn the very best with their applications.

*Trevor Dawson Youth Director 2010/2011.*



## AN EMAIL FROM THOMAS COSSURELL

"hey everyone, it is Thomas the French exchange students that just left Australia. i just wanted to say that the flight was good. I flew with a A380 from Melbourne to Singapore so it was really awesome and a boeing from Singapore to Frankfurt so that wasn't as great as the airbus, but it was fine.

As well, when my parents picked me up from the airport in Frankfurt, on the way back, my dad drove on average at 135km/h, and maximum 170km/h.

Also, i add that to settle back was fine, a bit hard to get back to French cause of all the automatism in English but allright. It was good to see the family again, they are very curious about Australia. I played a bit Footy with my brother and my cousin.

As you know, yesterday was the 14 of july, which means the celebration of the French revolution. For that special occasion, because it is holiday for everyone, i cooked for everyone bacon and eggs at breakfast, my parents were septic, but they thought it was quite good.

It is summer in France, and it is so hot, 35 degrees, no wind. Very hard for us, maybe easy for Ozies.

I would like to thank every one for that great year, keep in touch regularly, and hopefully see you soon."



## HOW DO OUR MEMBERS SPEND THEIR TIME AT THE WEEKENDS (WHEN NOT WORKING ON ROTARY MATTERS)



Last Sunday President Elect Nominee Graham Kane joined the D9810 Cycling Fellowship ride from the Waverley Aquatic Centre to Southbank.

Graham's search for more sophisticated riders was finished when he had coffee with Round Australia Rider (10,000k) Karen Brown. (pictured enjoying her coffee spoon)



Gysbert Diepeveen also rode, with his new ride slogan **"You're hot when you're sweaty"**.

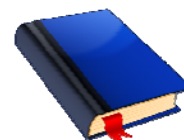
Graham and Gysbert were accompanied by Stephen Fisher, John Mudgway and eight other riders from around our District 9810.

### MEANWHILE -

The "lolly ladies" ? at St. Marks Anglican Church Templestowe Old time Film Night would like to thank those members of the Rotary Club of Templestowe who attended the evening for their support in what was a great fun night.



## WHAT'S ON ?



### IMPORTANT DATES FOR YOUR DIARY -

*21 July—Dinner meeting—Graham Peck—CEO of The Leprosy Mission.*

21st July—Rotaract Information meeting at 8pm—  
Monte Carlo Receptions

**25th July—Rotary Farmers Produce Market**

25th July—Master PRLS1

*28 July—Dinner meeting—Lyn and Robyn Connor from Camp Quality and Jenny Davidson from Diabetes Australia. Presentation of proceeds of the Auction and Trivia night.*

28th July—next Fund Raising meeting after Dinner meeting.

30th July—Returning GSE Team presentation—see Page 3

1st August—Launch of Sing and Win competition—a joint project of St. Vincent's Hospital and Rotary—more information soon.

3rd August—Board Meeting at the home of Ken & Carol Sharpe

*4 August—Dinner meeting—TBA*

8 August—Rotary Environmental Planting—see page 6

*11 August—Dinner Meeting—Membership interest meeting*

*18 August—Dinner Meeting—Official Visit of the District Governor*

21-22 August—Rotary Conference in Canberra

**22nd August—Rotary Farmers Produce Market**

*25 August—Dinner Meeting—John Basarin—A Turkish view of Gallipoli*

*1 September—Dinner Meeting—Club Forum*

*8 September—Dinner Meeting—Desiree Petti—Evolve at Typo Station*

11th September—Fellowship—Club Dine out.

*15 September—Dinner Meeting—Michael Smith—Eastern Community Legal Centre.*

*22 September—Dinner Meeting—AFL Grand Final Celebration*

**26 September—Rotary Farmers Produce Market**

*29 September—Dinner Meeting—Templestowe College Cambodia field trip.*

5th October—Board Meeting.

*6 October—Dinner Meeting—Dave Hurst—Australian Air League*

9th October—Bus Shopping Tour.

16th-17th October—Club weekend away

11th December—Christmas in the Vines—watch this space!

## *The Goulburn/Murray River System needs your help...*

### **ROTARY ENVIRONMENTAL PLANTING SCHEME**

Come and help us make a difference in reducing the 'salinity problem' in the Goulburn/Murray River system by helping plant around 9000 trees on 4 sites in the Glenaroua-Broadford district. This will increase the area's ability to recover the bio-diversity capacity to restart the natural environmental cycle.

In normal conditions, 30 tonnes of salt per square kilometre leave this area annually. The REPS Program aims to reduce the salinity at the source, where the rainwater enters the soil, absorbs the salt and carries it into the creeks and streams that feed the rivers and also the artesian storage, contributing to the devastation existing in and around Goulburn/Murray River system.

*From this...*



*to this...*



*to this...*



**Where: 4 sites around the Glenaroua - Broadford area**

**When: Sunday 8 August 2010**

Equipment: All equipment and materials provided

*For details and more information contact:*

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***Rotary in Action... helping to overcome the soil and salinity problems in our water catchment areas***

### **A Project of the Rotary Club of Manningham**

**Footnote:** Last year Paul Gallagher, David Carson, James Cunningham, Ken Sharpe, Gysbert Diepeveen, Tony & Val Revell, their son Andrew and John Mudgway all gave a hand to this project. Who is going to lend a hand this year? Contact John Mudgway. 0408 567 210 john.mudgway@hotmail.net.au

## ROTARY CONFERENCE

A Conference open to all Australian Rotarians aimed at strengthening Rotary and especially Rotary Clubs will be held in Canberra on 21<sup>st</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup> August 2010.

Rotary International President Ray Klinginsmith has confirmed his intention to attend and Rotary International Director Stuart Heal will convene the Conference.

**Rotarians at club level are particularly invited, and are encouraged to bring along new Rotarians, as they can bring new ideas to Rotary.**

A minimum number of speakers will introduce topics, and maximum time will be made available for facilitated discussion. Costs are to be kept to as low as possible to keep the conference affordable.

The venue will be the Hellenic Club in Woden, ACT. PDG Bob Greeney, of the Rotary Club of Belconnen, has accepted the role of Chair of the organising committee. Put the date in your Diary now—

Enquiries—Rob Wylie—robwy43@bigpond.net.au (or speak to Tony Monley)

### *WHO DO YOU CALL??*

*IF*

*You won't be at a dinner meeting—Or  
You will be bringing a visitor or guest ?*

***ROD SIMKISS IS OUR CATERING OFFICER***

*—Tel. 0409 179 739 / 9852 0935 / simkiss\_family@bigpond.com*

*Please let Rod know before mid-day Tuesday so he can give accurate numbers to Casavini for the Dinner and keep our attendance records up to date*

### DISTRICT 9810 GROUP STUDY EXCHANGE

## **Welcome Home Function for Team to D2420**

### **Istanbul – Turkey**

Hosted by the Rotary Club of Boronia

**Friday 30<sup>th</sup> July 2010 (IT'S NOT TOO LATE TO BOOK)**

Knox Club

Corner of Boronia Road and Stud Road; Wantirna (Mel 64 A7)

**6.30 for 7.00pm**

Join with District Governor (2010/11) David Alexander and Immediate Past District Governor (2009/10) David Forster to welcome home the 2010 District 9810 GSE Team to Istanbul.

Hear the team report on their time in Turkey a once in a life time experience, and whether their aspirations and expectations were met.

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**OR SPEAK TO TONY MONLEY**



## WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK?

This week's speaker is **Graham Peck** who is the Chief Executive Officer of **The Leprosy Mission**.

The Leprosy Mission (TLM) is committed to the empowerment of individuals, families and communities affected by leprosy or at risk of the disease.

Such people often suffer from lack of choice and are usually powerless to change their situation.

TLM wants to help them enlarge their choices and to encourage and enable them to take part in decisions affecting their lives.

**Come along on Wednesday night to learn more!**

## WHO'S ON DUTY?

Date	Chairman	Registration	Vote of Thanks	Emergency
21 July	Ken Horrobin	Peter Gurry John McIntosh	Diane Fisher	Keith Anderson
28 July	Keith Anderson	John Henderson Paul Gallagher	Kathy Monley	Ken Wall
4 August	James Cunningham	Tony Rizzo Ken Sharpe	Helen Tilley	Bruce Evans
11 August	Graham Kane	David Forster John Prendergast	Bruce Evans	Bryan Radcliff
18 August	Tony Monley	Linda MacKenzie Graeme Cobb	Bryan Radcliff	Keith Anderson
25 August	Kathy Monley	Brian Tyedin John Bennie	John Henderson	Peter Gurry
1 September	Tony Monley	Kathy Monley Marilyn Fraser	Terry Fleming	Helen Tilley
8 September	Diane Fisher	Rod Simkiss Ken Horrobin	Graeme Cobb	Diane Fisher
15 September	David Forster	Graham Kane James Cunningham	Graham Walker	John Henderson
22 September	Keith Anderson	Ken Wall Brian Lazar	Linda Mackenzie	Tony Rizzo

**IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO DO YOUR DUTY PLEASE ARRANGE A SWAP IN ADVANCE WITH ANOTHER MEMBER—PLEASE LEAVE THE EMERGENCY FOR DUTY ON THE NIGHT IF REQUIRED FOR LAST MINUTE "NO SHOWS"**

Happy Birthday to you!

Happy Birthday to you!

Happy Birthday dear -

Paul Gallagher – 7th

Graeme Cobb – 10th

Brian Tyedin – 19th

Marilyn Fraser—22nd

Carol Holroyd – 23rd

Happy Birthday to you!  
July 2010.



### IS THAT A FACT?

*STEWARDESSES* is the longest word typed with only the left hand—do you know any others?

**AND REMEMBER** Laughing stock =

cattle with a sense of humour –

