Guests, family and friends are very welcome. PLEASE book them in by contacting Kevin Harrison 0407 772 225

Meetings are at the Chelsea RSL unless otherwise stated. February is World Understanding Month

Tue 17 Feb	Kerry Moore-Cook - Marathon Runner
Tue 24 Feb	Half-year review: update from Committee Chairs
Tue 3 Mar	Visit to Sandhurst Golf Club, home of the PGA.

#### Hi Folks,

Nearly 20 of us enjoyed the hospitality of Graham Fountain and his crew at Edithvale Fire station last Tuesday. Thankyou to Graham and his team for a wonderful night and showing us around. Special thanks to Joan and Phil who did the catering.

The new station, when it is built on the expanded premises will replace the existing 1969 design and fit the trucks much better and allow for an improved service.





This week we are back at the Chelsea RSL and we'll be hearing from Kerry Moore-Cook who we helped to enter the Melbourne Ironman contest. The night is a partners night (actually, partners are always welcome to the vast majority of our meetings), so bring along your partner (or a friend). (Er, another friend).

See you there...

All the best, Simon.

Reward Rotary Club of Chelsea by doing your banking.

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# What's On

Mon 9 Mar Labour Day

Thu 12 Mar District 9810 Future Leaders Seminar, Ballarat

More details here <a href="http://bit.ly/1zM05v6">http://bit.ly/1zM05v6</a>

Fri 13 March District 9810 Conference Ballarat

- Sun 15 March <a href="http://2015conference.9810rotary.org.au/">http://2015conference.9810rotary.org.au/</a>

Fri 3 Apr Good Friday

Sun 5 Apr Daylight saving ends

Sat 11 Apr Reef and Beef Night, Chelsea Hub, Showers Avenue.

Mon 8 Jun Queens Birthday

For District 9810 events click here:

http://www.9810rotary.org.au/news/calendar/

RI Calendar can be found at <a href="https://www.rotary.org/myrotary/en/calendar">https://www.rotary.org/myrotary/en/calendar</a>

and for those of you planning events around school holidays...

#### School Term dates 2015 (Victoria Public Schools)

Term 1: 28 January (school teachers start) to 27 March

Term 2: 13 April to 26 June

Term 3: 13 July to 18 September Term 4: 5 October to 18 December

#### ROTARY'S MOTTO IS "SERVICE ABOVE SELF"

The object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster:

FIRST: The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service.

SECOND: High ethical standards in business and professions, the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations, and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society.

THIRD: The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business and community

FOURTH: The advancement of international understanding, goodwill and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.

# Birthdays for February

2nd - Kate Chamberlain

8th - Carole McMahon

12th - Selina Helfenstein (YE student from Switzerland 08/09)

23rd - Kevin Harrison

"The Edithvale Fire Brigade is an active fully volunteer fire brigade that supports the local community with a broad range of fire and rescue services, including emergency medical response in support of Ambulance to critically ill patients, and a range other emergency management support, advice and community education. Our close to 100 volunteer members comprise residents of our local community and are trained to professional standards. Each year our volunteers attend well in excess of 300 emergency calls and provide state-wide support to major emergencies.

The Edithvale Fire Brigade was formed in 1925. Over the last 90 years, the volunteers have served its community with a high level of diligence and commitment. The Brigade moved to its current station in 1969 from a location on the Nepean Highway in the Edithvale Railway reserve."



From: Edithvale Captain

**Date:** 11 February 2015 7:17:49 pm AEDT

To: Simon Pearson
Subject: Rotary Dinner

Simon

A quick note to thank you and your members for making the time and showing the interest to visit the Brigade for dinner last night. I trust your members enjoyed the evening as much as we did and learnt more about the Brigade, the work we do within the community and our exciting activities currently on-foot. You can also be assured the remaining members not involved in the dinner also expressed a keen interest in how the night went upon their return from training.

On behalf of the Brigade please accept our sincere appreciation for the \$1k donation presented to the Brigade during the dinner. This demonstration of support is very much appreciated and will be specifically directed toward our priority fundraising initiatives outlined on the night.

As discussed we look forward to continuing a collaborative relationship with your club into the future, particularly during this 90th anniversary year, and advancing further fundraising and mutual support initiatives including participation in Brigade events and the promotion/sale of fire blankets etc...

Can you please ensure your members are aware of our appreciation. Once again thank you and please keep in touch.

Regards

Graham



#### **Graham Fountain Captain**

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### **Items from the last Board Meeting:**

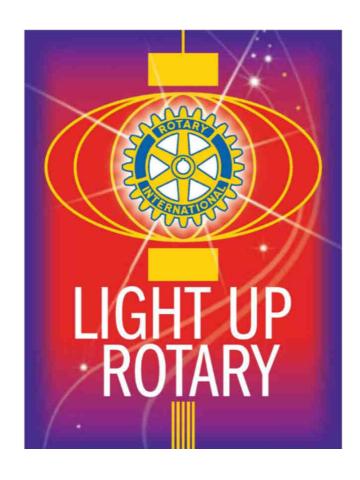
- A District grant is well under way for the Soap Aid Project.
- There are a small number of members that still have their membership dues outstanding.... please could you pay ASAP.
- Beef & Reef night has been deferred to the 11th April (put this in your calendars) it will be held at the Chelsea Hub in Showers Ave.
- The last community group which helped out at the Farmers Market was the Dingley Playgroup.
- Next Vocational visit will be to Sandhurst
- A new way of encouraging members to mix & sit at a different table from the usual will be introduced next meeting.
- A donation was made to the Edithvale CFA during the club meeting there.

# It has come to our notice that George Malone's great-grand-daughter is ill. We hope she recovers soon. Best Wishes!



# Do you have something that you would like to dispose of, that someone else might need?

Clothes, blankets, decorations, furniture, phones, magazines, bottles, jars, gardening tools, heaters, lights, bikes, bookshelves, tables, chairs, rugs, linen, towels, computers, cabinets, pets, cars, houses...



# Rotary Club of Chelsea Activities Weekend

**18 April and 19 April 2015** 

- Bike Ride - Details attached

#### **Chelsea to Cowes and back**

#### Saturday 18 April

- 1) Meet Chelsea Station about 8.AM
- 2) Some can ride some can train some can catch the bus
- 3) Need to regroup Frankston Station where we ride the East Link Trail to Baxter.
- 4) Regroup Baxter and some can ride to Tyabb those who wish can bus it.
- 5) Re Group Tyabb and ride to Stony Point to catch the 12 midday ferry
- 6) There is a train from Frankston to Stony Point at 10.26 which connect to the ferry.

#### **BUS POSITIONS ARE LIMITED**

DINNER at Silver leaves Cafe to see Anne and Allan Beddows

#### Wet weather plans are rain coats

SUNDAY 19 April

Need to catch the 9 AM ferry or the 1 PM ferry

These match up with trains to Frankston on Sunday

The bus will have very limited seating

Then ride from Stony Point to Tyabb Baxter and home.

AT this stage we will be looking to raise\$50 per person as bus hire \$10 and our Fiji project \$10, lunch, snacks, petrol cleaning etc \$30.

The dinner at Silver leaves is at your cost, probably about \$25 pp

Accommodation at your own cost Ferry cost is \$26 return Adult \$16 concession cards

Please note the details are still being sorted and ideas will be taken

Still Working on motels
There are activities for non riding guests

#### Join Members of the Rotary Club of Hampton at a Premiere viewing of the

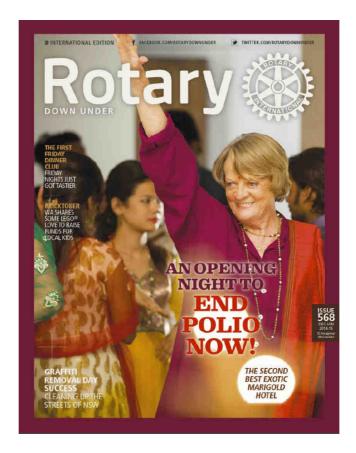
#### THE SECOND BEST EXOTIC MARIGOLD HOTEL

ON: Thursday 26th February 2015

AT: DENDY BRIGHTON CINEMA Church Street, Brighton

TIME: 6.00PM FOR 6.30PM SCREENING Enjoy a glass of wine or soft drink prior to the screening

**STARRING:** Maggie Smith, Judy Dench, Diana Hardcastle, Ronald Pickup, Richard Gere to mention a few of the star studded cast.



All funds raised will be going to the End Polio Now Rotary International Project

**Cost:** \$25 per ticket includes lucky door prize ticket & glass

of wine or soft drink

## **Ticket Secretary:**

Helen Wragg: 0418530800 Email: <a href="mailto:hwragg@globalwisetravel.com">hwragg@globalwisetravel.com</a>

RSVP: Monday 16<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY 2015

# Anniversaries for February

10th Gaye and Barry McArtney 20th Terre and Greg Caughey 24th Helene and Peter Brown 28th Julie and Graham Smith

#### **Suggested Links:**

Kerrie Moore-Cook Ironwoman http://bit.ly/1L23R4a

iMatter Doncare <a href="https://www.facebook.com/imatterdoncare">https://www.facebook.com/imatterdoncare</a>
Volunteer Motivations under the microscope <a href="http://bit.ly/1z3qZff">http://bit.ly/1z3qZff</a>
Eddie Robertson (Australian of the Year finalist 2015) <a href="http://bit.ly/1zyJUti">http://bit.ly/1zyJUti</a>

http://www.artscentremelbourne.com.au/whats-on/tour/phantoms-of-the-theatre-ghost-tours

Melbourne Mansion Database <a href="http://www.mileslewis.net/melbourne-mansions.html">http://www.mileslewis.net/melbourne-mansions.html</a>

Immigration Nation http://www.sbs.com.au/ondemand/program/12/immigration-nation

Oscar Petersen, Count Basie, Joe Pass <a href="http://youtu.be/2HAZP7nWo6A">http://youtu.be/2HAZP7nWo6A</a>

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