

## Bulletin 09 for Tuesday 27 August 2019

- Please excuse a different format this week.
- Normal service will hopefully be resumed next week.

Are you familiar with a military adage the "8 Ps"? [Language warning] ***Prior Preparation, Planning, Practice Prevent Piss Poor Performance.***

This was taught to me by a Vietnam Vet when we worked at TAFE in Burnie. He said you can't leave out the "piss" when sharing with the students as it's that word that helps them remember the lesson.

We don't rush things up in Rotary. We plan in teams considering a diversity of perspectives and we have good governance. Generally we achieve outcomes of which we can be very proud.

Occasionally though, as the grand-daughter of a blacksmith, I'd add we need to strike while the iron is hot.



That is the context of the rapid development of our Music for Dementia project, which members heard about from volunteer Jo Matthews at our last meeting. Murray will be leading this for us. It is a replication of the project developed by Geoff Wood at Rotary Club of Geraldton-Greenough in WA, which in turn was adapted from the Alive Inside program in the USA.

The board has voted to provide bluetooth headsets to clients of the Roy Fagan Centre. Occupational therapist Mila Bogovac also came to our meeting last week and is enthusiastic and hopeful that this project will make a real difference to the lives of many sufferers of dementia.



Thank you to the Hobart Airport for a \$500 donation to fund the purchase of twelve headsets.

This project is ours because Jo Matthews approached the club. People know that if they want something done, Rotary will find a way to do it and I thank the Community Service committee and the board for

adopting

this

project.

That is the power of the good work you constantly do in the name of Rotary. Thank you for building a brand that people respect and trust.



John Thorne made two significant contributions to last week's meeting. His toast to Rotary dedicated to the late PDG Lew Pretorius, whose funeral was last Tuesday, was moving and meaningful. Thank you, John. And the superbly timed presentation about your service at the Hamburg International Convention was inspiring as well as informative. For more information about LitRAG, the Literacy Rotarian Action Group, see your District Directory.



Speaking of Rotarian Action Groups, this week we warmly welcome Past District Governor, Una Hobday, OAM, to share with us some of her experience heading up the Food Plant Solutions RAG. I will add to our website Current Activities Blog details of Una's extensive Rotary service. She is amazing! Thanks for bringing your passion and experience to our club, Una.



David Clinch's portfolio includes both Youth and Vocational Service activities and he is kept very busy in both areas, doing a great job involving people. Tonight we meet Peter and Margaret Anning of AJ Printers

and thank them for their outstanding customer service by presenting their business with a Pride of Workmanship award.

This week RYDA is happening and our aligned school Sacred Heart will be participating this week. Thanks to our volunteers. The picture above left is of RYDA (Rotary Youth Drive Awareness) at Huonville last week.

The Youth Forum at Claremont RSL on Sat 7 September will have two representatives from our club but more are welcome. David will be happy to add your name to the list if you're free that morning. Lunch is provided.

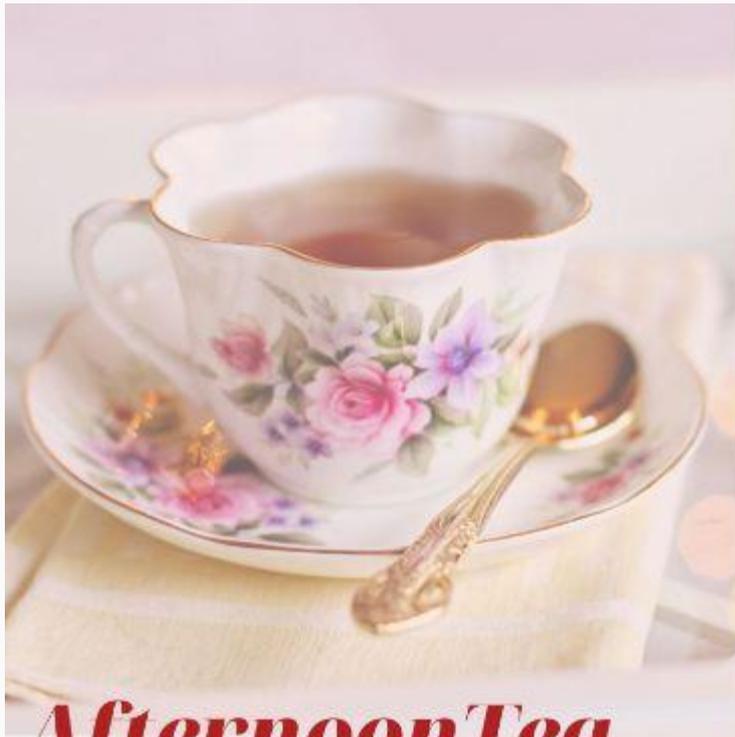
Pictured above right is the national final of MUNA taking place in Old Parliament House, The team for Cuba which our club sponsored came from Ogilvie High School. We'll meet them when they come to address our club in October.



How proud I was to see Rotary Club of North Hobart signage on so much of the publicity for Hot August Jazz. Thank you to Brian for setting up this link and to Geoffrey for your Front of House support.



Congratulations to Jenny on her outstanding work organising the national conference of Rotarians Against Malaria. She is still in Melbourne this week but we send our best wishes for the next exciting chapter of RAM, which includes a self-funded trip to Timor Leste and a quiz night. Watch this space for more news after Jenny has caught her breath.



## ***Afternoon Tea at the Dargavilles' home***

All proceeds will benefit  
our local community.

**\$20 ADMISSION**  
**SUNDAY 6 OCT**  
**2.30PM**



I started on planning and I'll finish with planning. We have many club and district events coming up in the next two months. Please don't wait to be asked if you have ideas for making these successful. Tanya and Peter have generously opened their home for a fundraiser in October, which will be the week after our next Sausage Sizzle at Bunnings. Please check your diaries for 29 September and 6 October and be involved if you possibly can.

I don't think anyone would argue with Rotary International's choice of "people of action" to describe Rotarians.

Have a fulfilling week. Thank you for all you do.

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**Friday 20 September 7pm**

Come along and share the inspirational story of jockey Michelle Payne, the first female jockey to win the prestigious, nation stopping, worldwide celebrated, Melbourne Cup.

Your support of this event will assist the Rotary Foundation STOP POLIO NOW, just like Ride Like a Girl, Never Give Up, Rotary cannot give up until POLIO is stopped in its tracks.

[Please book your Ride Like a Girl tickets early. Click here.](#)



Sunday 29 September is our next Sausage Sizzle.



## OPEN NIGHT

15 Oct/ Black Buffalo / 6pm  
Speaker **LARISSA BARTLETT**

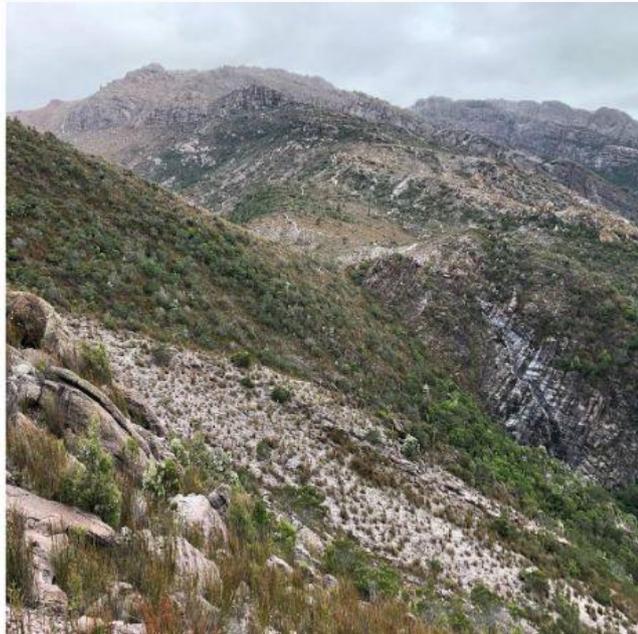
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people unite and take action to  
create lasting change – across  
the globe, in our communities,  
and in ourselves.



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Tonight's meeting: 27 August  
Speaker PDG Una Hobday, OAM  
Food Plant Solutions  
Chair: John Thorne  
Steward: Tanya Dargaville

Next meeting: 3 September  
Committees and Board Meeting  
Chair: Tippy Jaroenrit  
Steward: Geoffrey Wood

Meeting on 10 September  
Speaker Lucy Knott from Hobart City Council  
Hobart's relationship with Balibo  
Chair: Jenny Kerrison  
Steward: Tippy Jaroenrit

Meeting on 17 September  
Vocational visit to Elizabeth College  
Meet in the Home Economics Area  
Chair: David Clinch  
No steward required.





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