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The ROTARY CLUB of FRANKSTON  
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## Our Programme for this Meeting

**Speaker: Ann and Brian Enno**

**Topic: Ann's Story and Western Australia Travels**

**Chair: PP Angela Cecil**

### VERY IMPORTANT NOTICE

The following Rotarians, partners and friends are rostered for the Farmers Market and BBQ on 20 January 2019:

Terry Schneider, G. Wishnowsky, J Crowder, K Rowe, B Tanner, M Hardwick, G Waterland, C .Bolwell, Luke Provis, Geoff Raukawa, Susan Schneider, J Cuddihy, A Muller, A Crawford, U De Silva, N De Silva, H Tanner

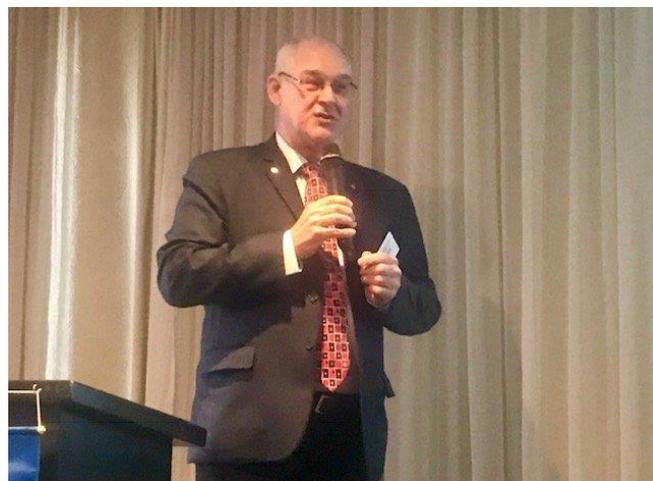
Please check the roster for your time slot/duty and if unavailable arrange a replacement.

### FROM THE PRESIDENT

Our speaker for our meeting was our very own Norm Farmer. Norm's story was filled with passion, humour and achievements that typified his drive for excellence in both his work and vocation.

Norm and his partner Lynda were married in March 1983 and have 3 children. Norm's Grandfather, Father and Mother were all involved with Surf Live Saving so destiny

awaited. Norm was a Technician with PMG/Telecom whilst volunteering at Mentone and Mordialloc Life Saving Clubs. His work in communications hooked up with Surf Lifesaving needs so began his rise in building a Life Saving force that now extends nationally and internationally.



Norm has received many awards and medals for his Leadership in operational matters recognising RLSSA-Victoria and SLS-Victoria operations formats, procedures and Government requirements to develop a new

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single entity, with the result that Life Saving Victoria is now a recognised member of the Emergency Services Department.

Norm has received the Emergency Services Medal of the Victoria Emergency Services. Norm has also been presented an OAM from the Queen recognising his work, leadership and achievements with Surf Lifesaving.

Norm was at Chelsea Rotaract in 1972, Member at the Frankston North Rotary Club 2005-07 and now proudly with us since 25 October 2018. Big thank you and pat on the back to PE Wayne Gillan for introducing Norm to our club, welcome again Norm and thank you for your story.

For those who missed Norm's presentation I urge you to go on line and learn more about Norm's outstanding achievements. Thank you David Cross for chairing the meeting as well.

**A huge thank you to Angela and the 'Shed' cleaning crew**, our Shed is pristine and would pass any inspection request.

**I received an email** from Marie Hardwick that I want to share with you all, its about a loved member we have and another Rotary Club sending best wishes to us.

**Here it is:**

"I received a call from Audrey (Mutton) in Cambodia on Wednesday. She "rang" me via the Facebook Messenger service. Talk about being up to date with the latest technology! Audrey is in very good form and really enjoying her time away in Cambodia and sends her greetings to all Rotarians in our club.

The second message is greetings from some of the Rotarians from the Sunnyside Club in Brisbane whom I met during my recent trip up North. My host in Brisbane needed to pick up something from Bunnings where we found the Sunnyside Rotarians were running the sausage sizzle on the Friday. They sent greetings from their Club to Frankston Rotary.

Regards

Marie"

Thanks Marie, thank you for passing this treasure piece on.

**We received this email last Friday** from Frankston Life Community, we donated \$500 to the cause. This will also be added to our Website.

Dear Charles

2018 Frankston Life Community Christmas Lunch

On Christmas Day 450 guests from disadvantaged families and lonely individuals in the Frankston area, attended our annual Christmas Day Lunch at the Frankston Arts Centre.

I am pleased to report that it was once again an outstanding success with everyone experiencing good fellowship, good food and good entertainment to celebrate Christmas with all the trimmings. The sense of satisfaction that comes with this event is heightened by the knowledge that most of our guests would be otherwise deprived of experiencing the joy of Christmas in this way, were it not for this lunch.

Once again, we were supported by a great team of 150 enthusiastic volunteers who planned, organised, cooked, served and entertained on the day and during the months leading up to the event.

None of this would be possible without the kind and generous contributions of our valued donors and supporters, who provide resources and funding to enable this event to happen in the way it does.

We extend our sincere gratitude to you and Members of the Frankston Rotary Club for the special contribution you have made to our 2018 Christmas Day Lunch and the overall success of the event. A Certificate of Appreciation is attached, which we invite you to display with a sense of pride and satisfaction.

We also take this opportunity to wish you a new year rich in blessings and full of success in all your endeavours.

Yours sincerely

Mark Whitby  
CEO – Frankston Life Community

### Member Health Update:

I received an update from Chris Van Der Laan advising PP Neil Black had lengthy successful surgery last Saturday at Epworth Hospital. We wish Neil all the best for a speedy recovery, our thoughts are with him and Kaye.

I've been in touch with Denis (Viner) who has advised that Glenda is being sent to Rehab as she is now ready to take steps to recover. Today Glenda was transferred to Unit 1, Bed 4, 125 Golf Links Rehabilitation Centre (Peninsula Health). Visiting Hours are 3.30 pm to 8.00 pm.

### Australia Day

Australia Day celebrations are just around the corner, please refer to Geoff's notice in the Tide, Bert's Shed, great food (Spit roast), top band lots of fun and fellowship, see you all there.

Just a quick reminder to Board members of our Board meeting this Thursday 17 January. After our weekly dinner meeting.

Enjoy your week, look after yourselves and look out for your neighbours.

Cheers  
President Charles

### ANNIVERSARIES

**Members Birthdays:** Nil  
**Partners Birthdays:** Diane Seiffert (18/1), Lynne MacKenzie (23/1).

**Wedding Anniversary:** Charles and Monica Coy (19/1), Graeme and Jenny Baker (21/1).  
**Induction Anniversary:** Max Lane (20/1), Barry Thomas (21/1).

### DUTY ROSTER

	Meet and Greet	Projector
January	Angela Cecil Dennis Viner	Barry Thomas
February	Bob Seiffert Chris Sayers	Grahame Gordon

### LAST WEEK

**Leave of Absence:** Alan Moore, Terry Jones.

**Apologies:** Idris Olatjunji, Peter MacKenzie, Wayne Gillan, Kevin Wallis, Sjaak Kusters, Robin Stewart, Trish Anderson, Barry Thomas, Bob Tanner, Graham Henderson, Brian Ivey, Ken Rowe, Richard Parker, Graeme Baker, Shane O'Neill, Quinn McCormack..

**Visiting Rotarians:** Nil

**Visitors:** Nil

### ROTARY CALENDAR

**JANUARY  
IS  
VOCATIONAL SERVICE  
MONTH**

### FACEBOOK

For those that aren't on Facebook or are having trouble viewing our Club page or our Seaford Farmers Market page this is how!

In your Browser address bar type in:  
[www.facebook.com/RotaryClubOfFrankston](http://www.facebook.com/RotaryClubOfFrankston)  
or  
[www.facebook.com/SeafordFarmersMarket](http://www.facebook.com/SeafordFarmersMarket)

The Club website is  
[www.rotaryfrankston.org.au](http://www.rotaryfrankston.org.au)

## SOCIAL COMMITTEE ACTIVITIES

### PORT FAIRY - ROTARY RETREAT

**March 22-28, 2019**

### **Rotary Weekend Away 2019** **SEE MORE AT SEYMOUR!!**

Our weekend away will be at the Big 4 Caravan Park on the banks of the Goulbourn River at Seymour.

<https://big4seymourholidaypark.com.au>

Friday 8th, Saturday 9th, Sunday 10th and for those interested, Remembrance Day on Monday 11th November.

Campbell is contacting the Seymour RSL to see if we can be involved.

The caravan park comes highly recommended - shady trees by the river, wineries, military museums etc We have booked 18 cabins and 18 powered sites.

Cabins range from \$115-\$135 per night, and powered sites are \$40.

Please make all bookings through me - we get a bulk discount.

The booking sheet will come out soon and deposits collected soon after.

Ken Rowe

## **AUSTRALIA DAY LUNCH** **Midday Saturday 26 January**

**Bert's Shed – 58 Roberts Road,  
Mornington**  
**12noon till late afternoon.**

We are very keen to see a big group enjoying the Spit Roast and lively Band, Beg 2 Differ. BYO drinks.

The cost for this outstanding event is just \$40pp adults and \$10 children.... we are keeping the cost down to encourage member attendance and encourage family & friends groups!

We are seeking members support of the Social Committee, by contacting their family and friends to make this event a winner ( we have 50 so far plus several kids).

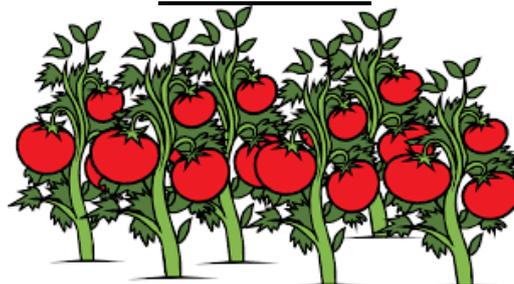
Other Rotary Clubs also very welcome... we have plenty of room.

Payment to the: RCF Social Account: BSB: 633 000 Acct: 162 387 666

Description: Surname ADL (Aust Day Lunch @ \$40 pp adult, \$10 p child)

We need this commitment to ensure adequate catering on the day. \*\* PAYMENT PLEASE BY MONDAY 21st JANUARY.

## TOMATOES



The Great Tomato Competition is on again, with last year's winner - the de Silva's 673gram whopper being hard to beat.

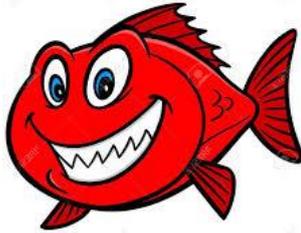
Previous winners have been "The General" with 485gm and Kay Barrow with a 493gm beauty.

Margot Kimpton has secretly obtained Kay Barrow's winning "Americana" variety - so look out!

Ken Rowe



## **CAMPBELL JOHNS FISHING CONTEST ( est 2004)**



**No more big news on the Snapper front. David Lee caught a 2 metre seal and has entered this as the biggest fish. The Rules Committee met and quickly dismissed his claim.**

### **PARTNERS NIGHT JOY STREET COMMUNITY GARDENS THURSDAY, 7<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY, 2019, 6.00PM FOR A 6.30PM START**

With the support of President Charles and the Board, it has been agreed that the Joy Street Community Gardens Partners Night on Thursday, 7<sup>th</sup> February, 2019 (6.00pm for a 6.30pm start), will be a Social Committee activity with surplus funds raised to be allocated to our new shed project. Therefore, we will be charging \$20 per person to cover the cost of meats and we ask every couple attending to bring with them either a plate of nibbles, salads or dessert to share as part of the evening's meal. A board will be circulated at Rotary over the next few weeks where, in addition to you indicating your attendance at this event, you can nominate what you will be bringing. Ann Henderson and Sue Rowe will co-ordinate your selections so that we don't end up with too much of any one of nibbles, salads or desserts. We need as many people attending this fun event, so bring your friends, members of

other Rotary Clubs to show them what has been achieved at this wonderful Frankston Community activity.

Graham Henderson ,  
Shed Financing Co-ordinator.

## **NATIONAL YOUTH SCIENCE FORUM**

Dear David Cross,

I hope you are doing well and that you have had happy New Year.

I have recently completed the National Youth Science Forum and I am shocked beyond words. Going into this forum, I expected to have fun lab visits and to meet a few scientists, which I did. However, this experience was much more than that. I met the most inspiring young individuals and bonded with them instantly. Being in such a positive environment where I can both learn about STEM and make life-long friends has had such a profound impact on me. This is why I am emailing you right now, to thank you and the rest of Rotary Frankston for supporting me and my future endeavours. Your support gave me a great platform for my career, especially as I wasn't so sure about which field of science I was interested in before going to the forum.

I remember you asking me about giving a short presentation about my experience to the Rotary Club, and it would be a great pleasure to do so. Please let me know what days suit you best and I'll let you know if I can make it.

Best regards,

Amelie Schumann

## Shed Cleanup

Many thanks to the very hard working team who gave up their Saturday morning and braved the millions of spiders and cobwebs to give the shed and everything in it a thorough clean. A very necessary job well done!!

Angela Cecil



## SOME MORE THANKS

From: Admin Blessing Bags  
<[blessingbags@hotmail.com](mailto:blessingbags@hotmail.com)>  
Date: Fri, 21 Dec 2018 at 8:25 am  
Subject: Re: Donations  
To: Roger Oates  
<[rogeroates276@gmail.com](mailto:rogeroates276@gmail.com)>

Good morning Roger,

Thank you so much again for your kind donation, we are all so grateful!

Wishing you and the Frankston Rotary Club a very merry Christmas and a happy new year.

Warm regards,

Hayley

Hey Roger,

Sorry for the delay. I took time off after Christmas and played tag team with Gemma so she's off at the moment.

Please pass on our thanks to your fellow Rotarians!

"Christmas is a reminder that God stooped down to tell each one of us 'you are important and precious, more beautiful than you dare to believe'." – Jean Vanier

Thank you for being the embodiment of that Christmas story for local young people experiencing homelessness.

We have been overwhelmed by the quantity of food donated. Thank you! There is something special about overflowing cupboards of food at Christmas time and the food is still keeping us going; we've been having weekly games, our version of Master Chef, we have 1.5 hours to pull together whatever you can find and cook a masterpiece. Everyone's been trying new veggies and learning new recipes. Pasta and Stir Fry's have been the feature, next week with the summer weather we are going to crack out the BBQ and salads from our veggie garden.

Thank you for your ongoing support, compassion and generosity, this work couldn't happen without it.

## STEPH HILL

FUNDRAISING AND RESOURCE MANAGER, Fusion Mornington Peninsula



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## MOMENTS OF CLARITY

As I sat, strapped in my seat waiting during the countdown, one thought kept crossing my mind ..... every part of this rocket was supplied by the lowest bidder. -John Glenn

America is the only country where a significant proportion of the population believes that professional wrestling is real but the moon landing was faked. - David Letterman

I'm not a paranoid, deranged millionaire. I'm a billionaire. - Howard Hughes

The only reason they say 'Women and children first' is to test the strength of the lifeboats. - Jean Kerr

I've been married to a communist and a fascist, and neither would take out the garbage. - Zsa Zsa Gabor

When a man opens a car door for his wife, it's either a new car or a new wife. - Prince Philip

A computer once beat me at chess, but it was no match for me at kickboxing. - Emo Philips.

Wood burns faster when you have to cut and chop it yourself. - Harrison Ford

The best cure for sea sickness is to sit under a tree. - Spike Milligan

Lawyers believe a man is innocent until proven broke. - Robin Hall

Kill one man and you're a murderer, kill a million and you're a conqueror. - Jean Rostand.

Having more money doesn't make you happier. I have 50 million dollars but I'm just as happy as when I had 48 million - Arnold Schwarzenegger.

We are here on earth to do good unto others.  
What the others are here for, I have no idea. -  
W. H. Auden

If life were fair Elvis would still be alive today  
and all the impersonators would be dead. -  
Johnny Carson

I don't believe in astrology. I am a Sagittarius  
and we're very sceptical. - Arthur C Clarke

Hollywood must be the only place on earth  
where you can be fired by a man wearing a  
Hawaiian shirt and a baseball cap.

- Steve Martin

Home cooking. Where many a man thinks his  
wife is. - Jimmy Durante

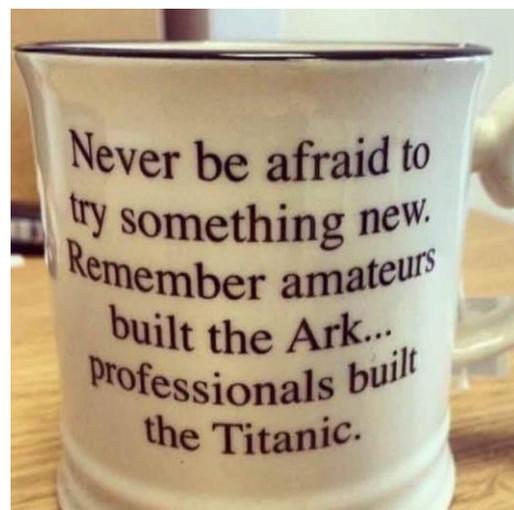
America is so advanced that even the chairs  
are electric. - Doug Hamwell

The first piece of luggage on the carousel  
never belongs to anyone. - George Roberts

If God had intended us to fly he would have  
made it easier to get to the airport. - Jonathan  
Winters

I have kleptomania, but when it gets bad, I  
take something for it. - Robert Benchley

The weather person is the only person that I  
know, that can be wrong 99.9 % of the time  
and still have a job the next day -Johnny  
Carson



## UPCOMING ACTIVITIES PROGRAM

= Fellowship    
  = Meeting    
  Other Club Work Activities    
  Board meeting    
  = Fundraising

DATE	ACTIVITY	SPEAKER	CHAIR/LEADER
17 Jan	Ann's Story and Western Australia Travels	Ann and Brian Enno	Angela Cecil
<b>20 Jan</b>	<b>Farmers' Market</b>		
24 Jan	Governance Advisor	Greg Male	Wayne Gillan
<b>26 Jan</b>	<b>Australia Day</b>	<b>Ozzie Themed Lunch, Bert's Shed</b>	
31 Jan	Peninsula Health	Felicity Topp, CEO	
<b>7 Feb</b>	<b>JOTE Community Garden</b>		
14 Feb			
<b>17 Feb</b>	<b>Farmers' Market</b>		
21 Feb	Drowning Prevention in Australia	Norman Farmer	
28 Feb			
7 Mar			
<b>9 Mar</b>	<b>Sat Train Trip</b>	<b>KYNETON Old Trades Expo</b>	
14 Mar			
<b>17 Mar</b>	<b>Farmer's Market</b>		
21 Mar	Building Resistance in Our Young People	Suzanne Caldwell and Kylie Williams	
<b>Mar 22-28</b>	<b>Port Fairy Retreat</b>		
28 Mar			
4 Apr			
11 Apr			
18 Apr			
<b>21 Apr</b>	<b>Farmers' Market</b>		
25 Apr			
27 Apr	Guess Who's Coming to Dinner		
2 May			
1-8 May	Fort Grey near Cameron's Cnr	Repairs to a fabulous old Homestead	PP Neil Black
9 May			
16 May			
<b>19 May</b>	<b>Farmers' Market</b>		
23 May			
30 May			
6 Jun			

## **FARMERS MARKET AND BBQ ROSTERS**

### **MARKET TEAM ROSTER**

<b>Date</b>	<b>20<sup>th</sup> Jan</b>	<b>17<sup>th</sup> Feb</b>	<b>17thMarch</b>
<b>6am – 2pm Team Leader</b>	<b>Terry Schneider</b>	<b>Angela Cecil</b>	<b>Charles Coy</b>
<b>6am – 2pm Asst. Team Leader</b>	G. Wishnowsky	P.Cecil	D.Cross
<b>6am – 8am Set Up</b>	J.Crowder K.Rowe	T.Saxon R.Oates	J.Wright M.Lane
<b>Gate 7.45am -11am</b>	B.Tanner M Hardwick	T.Saxon M.Hardwick	C.Johns K.Barrow
<b>Gate 11am -1.30pm incl. pack up</b>	GWaterland C.Bolwell	N.DeSilva U.DeSilva	R.Parker G.Baker

### **BBQ TEAM ROSTER**

<b>6.45am Supply Officer</b>	Luke Provis	Dennis Viner	Trish Anderson
<b>6.45am – 8am Driver</b>	Geoff Raukawa	Ken Stallard	Shane O’Neill
<b>7.15am – 2pm Team Leader</b>	<b>Susan Schneider</b>	<b>Peter Dusting</b>	<b>Keith Kimpton</b>
<b>7.15am – 10am</b>	J.Crowder K.Rowe J.Cuddihy A.Muller	M.James R.Oates R.Stewart S.Caldwell	J.Wright M.Lane B.Godfrey B.Thomas
<b>10am – 2pm incl. pack up</b>	G.Raukawa A.Crawford U De Silva N De Silva	K.Stallard G.Pledge C.Crewther P.Phillip	E.Nieuwoudt D.Lee C.Sayers S.O’Neill
<b>1pm – 2pm Driver</b>	G.Raukawa	K.Stallard	S.O’Neill
<b>1.30pm Cleaning Officer</b>	H Tanner	D.Viner	C.Coy

***PLEASE NOTE: If you are unable to meet your rostered commitment YOU are responsible for arranging a replacement and advising the respective Team Leaders and Market Director accordingly.***