

**Rotary**  
Sunbury



CLUB NO 18295- CHARTERED 10 APRIL 1973

**THE ROTASUN**



## The Presidents Report

**Dear Rotarians, families & friends,**

I hope you're all keeping well.

Our last meeting saw a great turn-out for our annual Ron Cook memorial scholarship awards for our four secondary school students achieving the highest Atar's for their schools. Congratulations to Amelia, Will, Tyler & David for their outstanding achievements and wish them all well in their future endeavours. Thank-you too for the attendance of their school community representatives and families for making it such a memorable occasion.

It was great also to see Rebecca, a new prospective member, come to our meeting. Please make her very welcome when you next see her.

The annual fathering program last Saturday was an outstanding success. With a great turn-out from our club @Sunbury Primary School.

Our endeavours were greatly appreciated by all parents and staff in attendance. Thank-you Janine for organising such a successful event. It was a great opportunity to promote our service to the community. Thank-you Fred for locating a VMS Board on Dave Nagels property to publicise our club's membership drive. After the success of our Lift the Lid Facebook campaign we've decided to use this means to promoting our club overall profile to boost membership. With a Civic outdoor billboard presentation to follow.

Negotiations with Salesian to share-in running the Market @Rupertswood are still progressing. The College will also have 4 candidates for this coming weekends Rypen program. On that note, our Rylarian Rory McKenzie-Edwards will be on the team for this year's event. I intend to go up to Malmsbury on Sunday for the closing Bbq lunch.

We have a lot of activity coming up, including.

- 18th March: Matt Ellis presentation
- 21st to 23rd March: Rypen Weekend Malmsbury
- 28th March: Rupertswood Harvest (more volunteers needed)
- 1st April: Police Person of the Year
- 10th April: Board meeting
- 12th April: Club 52nd Anniversary Dinner, Houdini's Restaurant To name but a few!

It will be great to have as many members as possible come along to our next meeting to hear of Matt Ellis's athletic achievements.

See you all then!  
With thanks and Regards,  
John Webster  
President 2024-24

**The Club meets on Tuesdays,  
fortnightly @ 6.30 pm.**

**Meeting Number 2317**

**Date - 4 -March 2025**

**Venue - Ball Court Hotel  
6.30pm**

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you can expect:**

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President's Report

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Members news and  
reminders.

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Have a Laugh

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**Rotary Quote**

Friendship was the foundation rock on which Rotary was built and tolerance is the element which holds it together." Paul Harris - 1948.

# DIARY

## Have a Laugh

### March/April 2025

**MEETING NUMBER - 2318**

**March-18**

**Venue - Ball Court Hotel**

**6:30 for 7:00pm**

**Guest Speaker - Matt Ellis**

**Presentation on his recent  
Athletics participation**

**RYPEN WEEKEND**

**March 21-23**

**Venue - Doxa Youth**

**Camp, Malmsbury**

**RUPERTSWOOD**

**HARVEST**

**March-28**

**Venue - Salesian College**

**Rupertswood Grounds**

**Time - 4:30 pm - 7:30 pm**

**MEETING NUMBER -2319**

**1st April**

**Venue - Ball Court Hotel**

**6:30 for 7:00pm**

**Police Person of the Year**

**Presentation.**

**MEETING NUMBER - 2319**

**April 1**

**Venue - Ball Court Hotel**

**6:30 for 7:00pm**

**Police Person of the Year.**

**BOARD MEETING**

**April 10**

**Zoom Meeting**

**Time - 7:00 pm**

**CLUB 52nd BIRTHDAY**

**April-12-2025**

**Venue - Houdinis Cafe e Cucina**

**Venue Address - 52 to 56**

**Old Calder Highway**

**Diggers Rest**

**Time - 06:30 for 7:00pm**

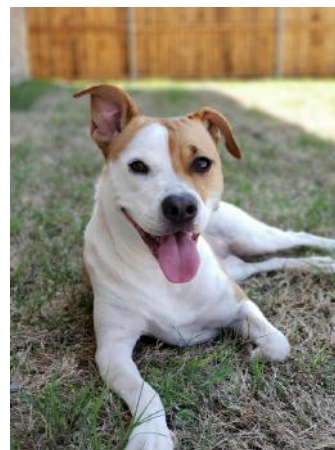
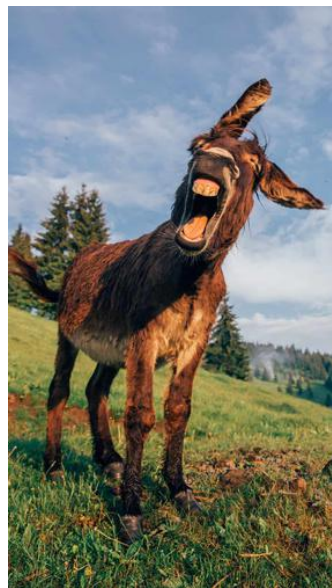
**DISTRICT 9790 CONFERENCE**

**April-11-13**

**Venue - The Commercial Club**

**Albury**

**See District Website**



# Ron Cook Memorial Scholarships

Recently the Rotary Club of Sunbury presented to the Dux of the four Secondary Colleges in Sunbury to Ron Cook Memorial Scholarship.

Each recipient receives a \$1000 to assist in their start at University or otherwise.





The Every Rotarian, Every Year (EREY) initiative encourages all Rotary club members to contribute \$50 - \$100 every year to help us reach our goal to support the Rotary Foundation financially each year. This year, lets have 90% of our members make an active contribution to the Foundation. The Rotary Foundation transforms your gifts into service projects that change lives both close to home and around the world. to Name: Rotary Club of Sunbury fundraising account. BSB: 633 000 Account number: 135510907 Ref: EREY plus your surname.

## Primary School Fathering Project



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