



March 23, 2017
 Rotary Club of Euroa
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Upcoming Program

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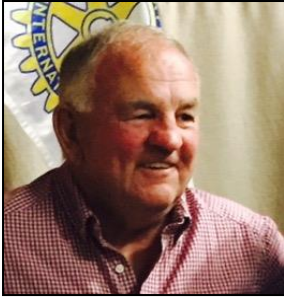
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Date	Thursday, March 23	Thursday, March 30
Time	6:00 for 6:30	6:00 for 6:30
Venue	Kinross	Euroa Golf Club
Speaker	Poultry Farm Visit Partners most welcome	TBA
Topic	Tour of the facility	
Chair		
Bar	Barbecue at Simon & Mandy Edwards' home after tour	Dennis Rebbeck Res John King
Stewards		Richard McGeehan Ken McLennan Peter Morley
Sargent	Max McBurney	Brian Bamford

**Apologies and guests to Noel O'Meara
 on 5795 2783 by Thursday 11 am**

Could any suggested changes to the Euroa roster please be emailed to the Editor. It is too difficult to take note of changes at the meeting on the hop.



Billy's Blog

When the going gets tough – the tough get going! Great to see the response from all members this weekend with all the commitments we had. The reports I've had so far – and from people outside Rotary – have been that it was a great Market and a very successful Euroa Gift. Thanks to all that put in a long day to make these events so successful.

Myself and 6 other members attended the Conference at Shepparton with approximately 450 fellow Rotarians. We all witnessed some excellent speakers and discussed project ideas of other clubs. Michael Tehan did an outstanding job as MC and kept a very busy program running to time.

The work load will lighten now for a few weeks until the Anzac weekend and the bike events. For those who wish to, we can enjoy a couple of social occasions. The play, Hello Beautiful at Benalla on April 6th and a Winery Cruise on Sunday April 20th. Please pay Neville if you are planning to go.

This Thursday we meet at the gate at 252 Drysdale Road at 6pm, and partners are welcome, just remember to book them in please!

We will be given a tour of the facility at Kinross Farm and will then go on to Mandy and Simons for a Barbeque. Bring your own drinks and a chair.

PLEASE MAKE SURE YOU HAVE READ THE INFORMATION BOOKLET CIRCULATED. ESPECIALLY PAGE 10 REGARDING BIO SECURITY.

See you all Thursday.



Conference stage in Shepparton



Conference goes enjoying morning tea

Next Meeting, Thursday night

Next week's meeting is a vocational event that Dennis has arranged at Kinross Farms where we will see the operations of a poultry business which produces not only free range eggs, but fertilised eggs for use in vaccine production.

To make the best of the daylight, we will be meeting at 6:00 at Kinross, 252 Drysdale Rd. We may also be taken to their new shed further down the road. Then on to Mandy's place (393 Creighton Siding Rd) for a BBQ. BYO drinks.

Like any business these days, contractors and visitors entering the site are required to undertake an induction to make them aware of any OH&S issues they might encounter. As it is impractical to get everyone to do it on the night, it is important that you go through the attached induction document before you arrive there and pay particular attention to page 10 which relates to bio-security.

As you would expect, having over 90,000 chooks in one place raises the potential for disease to spread quickly and be disastrous, so Kinross place great emphasis on bio-security. They have asked me to emphasise that if you have poultry at home, you are able to come along and see the operation but you should declare this and should not enter the sheds.

In their words "No-one with association or ownership of any type of domestic poultry, especially water fowl.

In any case, a sensible precaution would be to not wear any footwear that you may normally wear around any livestock. **Please read the Induction Manual attached to this email!**

Last Thursday Night's Meeting

A Club Assembly was conducted last Thursday night. A number of Directors reported on the activities of the club including Brian Bamford who reported that work is about to begin at the block of land next to the post office for the Telstra Memorial Park. President Bill spoke about the big weekend ahead with the Euroa Village Farmers' Market, the Euroa Gift and the Conference. President Elect Richard finalised his Board for 2017-2018:

President, Richard Nettleton, Vice President, Peter Morley, Secretary, Mandy Edwards, Treasurer, Trevor Smith, Assistant Treasurer, Neville Harris, President Elect & Club Administration, Bernie ODea, Youth, Rob Morphet, Membership, Roman Kozlovski, Community Service, Richard Long, Vocation, Ken McLennan, International, Michael Bell, Foundation, Bill Sargood and on to Conference, Ronnie Bonnitcha.



March Birthdays		Anniversaries	
Val McLennan	9	Cravens	5
Michael Tehan	26		
Simon Edwards	29		

Thursday, April 6, BPACC



The program for Thursday night, April 6 is the **Hannie Raison** one-woman show, **Hello Beautiful** at BPACC in Benalla. Payment is needed ahead of time to secure tickets and Treasurer Neville advises that a direct transfer to the Rotary General Account is one way to pay. The BSB is 083 641, the account number is 68870 6203. Would those people who have indicated to Ken that they will be attending please ensure that you pay either directly to Neville or into the General Account. Please ensure you put your name and Hello Beautiful. The evening will cost \$50 per head and will include a snack box from Bibby to eat on the way up.

Coming Events:

- **Thursday, March 23:** Kinross Farm
- **Thursday, April 6:** Hannie Raison play, "Hello Beautiful" BPACC
- **Sunday, April 9:** District Assembly
- **Thursday, April 20:** Dr Bruce Anderson, Malaria Project
- **Saturday, April 22:** Cycling Victoria Criterium
- **Sunday, April 23:** Ride the Ranges
- **Sunday, April 30:** Winery Cruise, Tabilk & Mitchelton
- **Thursday, May 4:** Interclub Visit, Lions & Apex
- **May 5-7:** Point Lonsdale weekend
- **Thursday, May 11:** Jennifer Garrison, Docklands Rotary, portable dental chair project
- **Thursday, June 22:** Marcus Tehan, CEO, C3X, Drones in Agriculture
- **Friday, June 30:** Change Over Dinner