

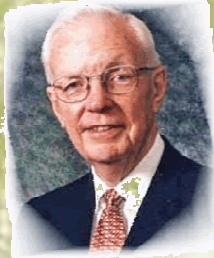


Diamond Creek All-Stars



THE ROTARY CLUB OF DIAMOND CREEK

Chartered June 1992



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President Linda



DG Rob Lloyd



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PRESIDENT	LINDA GIDLUND	PRESIDENT ELECT	ALAN WHITE
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CLUB ADMINISTRATION	ALAN WHITE.
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DECEMBER 2007 FAMILY OF ROTARY MONTH

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Wishing family, friends and members of the Rotary club of Diamond Creek warmest regards for Christmas and all the best for the coming year. From Alan J, Alan W, Bill K, Clyde H, Geoff S, Greg A, John A, Joe D, Linda G,, Pat M, & Sandy B.

Attendance 11- 12- 07

Excused: Robin Chapple. Bob Eycken:
Honorary Member Cliff Wearne: **LOA.:** Stuart Lord

Members Present 21

Make Ups 6 Linda: (2) 9th /12 D9790 Christmas Luncheon, 10th /12 RLYA Project Meeting.
 Rod Mackenzie 3/12 RC Campbelltown, NSW. DG Rob Lloyd, Sandy Brodine (2)
 11/ 12 RYLA meeting & 12/12 RYLA presentation

Total 27

Apologies 6 : Alan Jones, Joe Di Natale, Greg Adams, Dennis Kerr, Sandy Brodine, DG Rob Lloyd

Visiting Rotarians 2 : Leigh Marshall, RC Boronia. Tony Shield, RC Greensborough

Visitors 12: Christine A. Betty B. Wendy . Gemma C. Ginnette E. Carolle K .Linda K. Fran S.
 Glenda S. Maureen M. Ann Wardell. & Viridiana Frenco (Ambassadorial Scholar)

Roster December 2007

***If you are unable to perform your roster duty please arrange a Replacement.
 And advise SAA Steve Crosling***

Date	Regalia	Welcome	Attendance	Cashier	Raffle Gift	Raffle Guru
18th	Stephen Howard	John Gatt	Tom Fletcher	Eileen Hinxman	Ern Wardell	Clyde Hulme

Club Program December 2007

Date	Chairman	Speaker	Topic
18th	Father Christmas	Program	Children's Christmas Party

Next Meeting January 7th/08 at Whittlesea for BBQ with Lions Club

Birthdays

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Anniversaries

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Members Anniversaries

Brian Bowen PDG 34Years on 20th December

Last Week's Report. December 11th**President Linda Gidlund .**

- ◆ Asked whether or not members were willing to take on two or three money raising projects that the Rotary Club of Whittlesea was unable to do early in the New Year. There was a positive response.
- ◆ Advised that the next board meeting will be Monday 17th at the Diamond Creek Hotel at 7.45pm.
- ◆ Asked the club members for a feedback as to whether or not members would be willing to support a Shelter box and then promote the project within the district. Bob Eycken and Bill Kilpatrick were enthusiastic.

Fran Swann

- ◆ Called for volunteers to help out at the children's Christmas party next Tuesday. It was decided that Santa will arrive at 7.15pm.

Ern Wardell

- ◆ Provided an update on developments for the District Conference.
- ◆ He displayed a prototype Conference bag, and the finished concert tickets.
- ◆ He asked for members to fill in their registration forms ASAP.
- ◆ The club voted on which polo top they would prefer for their official Conference shirts and a blue and gold shirt was decided on.

Viridiana Frenca,

- ◆ An Ambassadorial Scholar from Tepetitlan, the second largest city in Mexico gave a short address.
- ◆ She is studying International Business at Latrobe University for a semester and has found her time here very rewarding.
- ◆ She had presented President Linda with a CD about her city but because of short notice

Club Assembly Dates 2008
Tuesday 15 January 2008

Board Meeting Dates 2008
Monday, 21 January 2008

Monday, 18 February 2008

Monday, 24 March 2008

Monday, 28 April 2008

Monday, 26 May 2008

Monday, 23 June 2008

(Mark these in your diary)

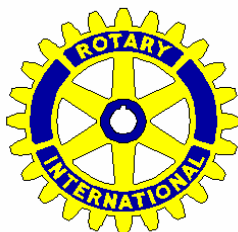
Silver Pot	\$16.50
Fines	\$69.55
Raffle	\$73.00



On Friday December 7 DG Rob Lloyd & Lynne were invited to the St Helen College to receive from the Principal on behalf of the Interact Club a donation of Aus **\$854.60** to the **Rotary District 9790 BIONIC EAR FUND** raising project instigated by Lynne.

Pictured L to R; DG Rob, Principal Trudy Thomson, Lynne Lloyd, Jillian Evans, Interact Assistant & Brian Bowen PDG Sponsor Club Representative.

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A.R.H.R.F. Update

“ AT A GLANCE “

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National Chairman
PDG Terry Lees.

10th December 2007

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Chairman.

Greetings my fellow Rotarians, following the recent AGM for the fund I am pleased to report to you of the changes to your fund:-

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Chairman PDG Ian Oliver completed his 2 year term and Vice Chair PDG Terry Lees of Mt. Isa was elected as new Chair of the Fund for the next 2 years. PDG Alan Grady was elected as Vice Chair.

Thanks were extended to PDG's Des Jones, Tony Hennessy, Mel Langley and John Iriks for their service to the Fund as their tenure was completed.

New directors elected to the board were PDG's Judy Nettleton, Rob Wylie, Graham Brown and Terry Grant.

26 part medical health scholarships have been granted.

3 full research post doctorals (mental health).

10 full research Ian Scott PhD's (mental health).

100 Schools across the country are participating in the KIDS MATTER program with local rotary clubs.

20 full research PhD Funding Partners (other health areas).

68 part Indigenous Medical Scholarships – 35 jointly funded by the Federal Govt. over this year and the same number for next year.

' A.R.H.R.F. was started in 1981 by Rotarian Ian Scott who was inspired to set up a fund to enable research into S.I.D.S. – sudden infant death syndrome. Since that inception the fund has gone from strength to strength being the leading non government organisation in Australia.'

PROJECT GRANTS.

24 Research Grants – mental health.

11 Funding Partnerships – other health areas

12 awaiting funding – read to commence

FEDERAL GOVERNMENT FUNDING

\$500,000 was announced by the Federal Govt. in October to assist with the running of 100 Mental Illness forums to be held throughout the country over the next 2 year.

Each district sent a representative to Sydney for training in September – PLEASE contact your representative to see how your club could participate in holding a forum.

FOR ANY FURTHER INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT ANY OF THE ABOVE