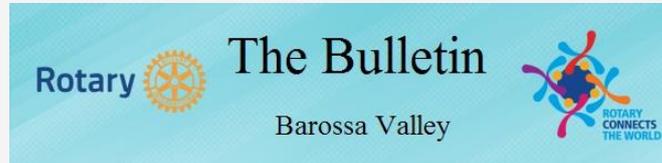


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**2019-20 Issue 45 Meetings Suspended
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The news journal of the *Barossa Valley Rotary Club*

Club Information

Meetings Suspended due to Coronavirus.

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**The Four-Way Test
of the things we Think, Say or Do.**

1. Is it the **TRUTH**?
2. Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
3. Will it build **GOODWILL & BETTER** friendships?
4. Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

Invocation:

Oh lord and giver of all good, we praise thee for our daily food.

May Rotary Friends and Rotary ways help us to serve thee all our days.

**No Meetings due to COVID-19 restrictions,
PLEASE REMEMBER TO ADVISE MARIE ROTHE OF
APOLOGIES (MEMBERS) AND ATTENDANCES
(FRIENDS/PARTNERS) EACH WEEK (Mob: 0411 524 156)**

Presidents Message

The District launched the District 9500 Conference on Monday night. There was a good representation of Cub members attending the innovative virtual conference using Zoom. Over 100 people were logged in to listen to the opening address and view features that would have been given at the actual conference if Coronavirus had not happened. There were a few minor technicalities but the evening was a great success and has set up the next instalment of the Conference next Monday night. A lot of work by the Conference Committee to put the event together, and then adding an extra dimension at the last minute by having to rearrange everything to fit into a series of Zoom meetings. Congratulations to a hard-working team.

Club Board member Gavin was scheduled to be a keynote speaker at the conference but will not present due to the massive cuts that they had to do to the conference. He was given a Speakers gift, an inscribed District 9500 cheeseboard that could become a collector's item as it is from the last D9500 district conference, which Gavin has generously donated to the club to be used as a raffle prize. We may have to wait until we get back to normal before we raffle the cheeseboard.

Talking of getting back to normal, at the end of our last meeting a few people raised the issue of how we can start moving back to normal as COVID-19 restrictions are eased. David West and Peter Frazer had a few suggestions, as did Sue Graetz. I think this is an important subject and request we add this item to the next Board Meeting Agenda. If there are any suggestions from members on how we can return to normal, please raise them with your Team Leader or email me. A lot will depend on which

restrictions are eased so that we can formulate a plan. Some of the suggestions already given are:

- Have no meals at the meeting, thus saving space taken up by tables.
- Meet at a venue operated by a local business, similar to the Rehn Brewery meeting.
- Have a less formal, more social meeting to enable people to intermingle but keep the social distancing rules.
- Meet at an outdoor venue to allow more people to gather in one place.
- Have a Rolling meeting where half the club attends at 6:30, the other half at 7:30.

Don Farley tells me that the GRS had a meeting and have decided to open the shop on Monday 1st June. This means that the clothing bins will be resurrected and the roster reinstated. June roster reads; Angaston, John Little; Nuriootpa Peter Thomas; Tanunda Bill.Simmons, those dates starting from 11/6/20 to 25/6/20. Don will arrange for the bins to be unlocked by the start date. Any problems, please contact Don.

From John Tunnicliff

Following several well attended Zoom meetings, some members wish to contribute to Rotary Funds in the absence of funds coming from Fines, Wheel, and Bear. The amount suggested is \$5.00 per meeting.

If you wish to contribute, any amount of your choosing, whether or not you attended the Zoom meeting, the bank account details are below.

Bank SA. BSB. 105024 Account. 033200940 Name. Rotary Club of Barossa Valley.

"I did not know that!"

Nothing submitted

Attendance Report

Total Club Members Attending
Total Friends Attending
Partners Attending
Visiting Rotarians
Guests Attending
Apologies/Leave of absence

Coronavirus Bulletin Board

The Club meetings provided lots of Fellowship, allowing everybody to catch up with what everybody else had been doing. In an attempt to keep some of that fellowship going, I ask members to submit information, anecdotes, gossip or jokes so that we can use the Bulletin to keep in touch with each other.

Nothing submitted

Duty Roster		
	Non-meeting No.46 Venue: Meetings cancelled	Non-meeting No.47 Venue: Meetings cancelled
Invocation		
Loyal Toast		
Sergeant		

Rotary Info.		
Chairperson		
Speaker		
Subject		
Bulletin	Roxane Canning	Roxane Canning
Setting Up		
Cashiers	Marie Rothe Bev Stephenson	Marie Rothe Bev Stephenson
Clothing Bins Angaston Nuriootpa Tanunda	14 May - 28 May Recommencing June	14 May - 28 May Recommencing June

"Why do you go away? So that you can come back. So that you can see the place you came from with new eyes and extra colors. And the people there see you differently, too. Coming back to where you started is not the same as never leaving." Terry Pratchett



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