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|  | 2013-2014  Weekly Bulletin of the  Rotary Club of Forest Hill |  |
| Edition 34: 10-17 Mar 2014  The Rotary Club of Forest Hill meets at 6.15 pm for 6.30 pm on Mondays at Bucatini Restaurant, 454 Whitehorse Road, Mitcham, 3132.  Meal cost $28.00  PO Box 116, Nunawading 3131  **Email**  [**tuck@netspace.net.au**](mailto:tuck@netspace.net.au) **Website** [**www.foresthillrotary.com**](http://www.foresthillrotary.com) | | |

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**Chris’s Corner**

Please note there is no meeting next Monday. Consequently, there will be no Flyer next week.

Last Monday night’s meeting was a great demonstration of Rotary in action.

At the meeting Ray Smith explained two items in The Leader Newspaper which had relevance to RC Forest Hill.

The first was a picture of Isaac McMullen who had received a cochlear implant and had been a client Taralye. Ray explained that when we made a major donation to the library at Taralye some years ago, Ray had met the McMullen family.

Secondly, The Leader had an article regarding The Whitehorse Men’s Shed. You may recall, through the Harper Family Bequest the RC Forest Hill made a major donation to this organization a year or so ago.

Also last Monday night’s meeting we had the presentation of 3 Endeavour Scholarships to students of Box Hill High.

These scholarships are possible due to the generosity of the Davis family who were present at the meeting.

Box Hill High and staff member Sally Charles are to be congratulated on the quality of the students who received the award. Ford Davis would have been proud. Thanks again to the Davis family for making these awards possible.

Despite the fact that next weekend is a long weekend we have markets on both Saturday and Sunday.

Please see Warwick Stott’s article below regarding the Whitehorse Farmers Market on Sunday as he definitely requires support.

A reminder Cinema night this Friday.

Future Events.

* Theatre Night – Mar. 7
* Blackburn Market – Mar. 8
* Whitehorse Farmers Market – Mar 9
* Giant Monopoly Rotaract ABCD Project –Apr 12
* Whitehorse Farmers Market Egg & Bacon Stall –Apr 13 2014.

# Last Week’s Meeting

As mentioned above last Monday night was the presentation of the 3 students who received the Ford Davis Endeavour Scholarships, Trudy Solomons, Michael Hewitt and Jared Berry.

Bob Laslett outlined to those present the significant role Ford Davis played in Rotary over many years.

Staff member Sally Charles explained why each student was selected for the award and also gave an update on the progress of last year’s winners.

Each student then spoke about their school experience and aspirations.

The Club was highly impressed with the quality of the students and particularly the way they were able to present themselves.

Thank you to Bob Laslett for organizing a great night.

The Sergeant raised $49.20 and one Singapore Dollar.

Also we celebrated Bill Marsh’s 70th birthday with a delicious birthday cake.

**Whitehorse Farmers Market this Sunday Mar 9**

**This is an important note from Warwick Stott**

I have a full quota for the middle shift of 9am to 11am, but the first and third shifts need two more helpers each.

Would you please contact Warwick if you can assist with the market.

Also the RCFH is manning the Egg and Bacon stall at the WFM  on Sunday 13th April and we will therefore need five  helpers for the three shifts of 7.30 to 9, then 9 to 11, then 11 to 1pm. We would like as many Rotarians as possible plus their adult children plus friends of Rotary and past members. Please contact Warwick Stott

**ABCD Project**

We are almost there.  We have money donated to support -  12 students.  A big thank you to those who have donated $250 - the cost to support one poor Fijian student for the year at school.  If you can see your way clear to donate a smaller amount, we can combine the donations.  All donations over $20 are tax deductible,

Cheques made payable to  Rotary Australia World Community Service.

Last yr. we supported 14 children.

I would like to forward the money within a fortnight.

Stuart Williams

**Footy Tipping**

It is almost on us

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The Footy is back..  First game Fri week, 17 March.

Time to enter the FOOTY TIPPING COMP.  So easy -  4 min each week.  You can tip ahead if on hols.

Cost $30

23 rounds      at $1 and a $7 donation to Art Builds Children's Dreams project.

Log in

To Footy Tipping  or ESPN Footytipping

Our comp name  Forest Hill Rotary

use your name from last yr  and same password.

Give email address if you have forgotten.

Either pay $30 to Stuart Williams  or mail cheque to RCFH  PO Box 116 Nunawading  3131

Get your family involved - your kids or grand kids - easy all done on the computer

Prize money break up same as last yr.  A weekly prize for tipping all the winners, end of season prizes.

Hava go yamug

Go Cats

Stuart Williams

**Cinema Night**

Dear members and honorary members,

It's the 1st Friday of the month this week 7th March so its on again - the Forest Hill Chase Cinema Night Out.

Tell me by Thursday midnight what film you choose (email or phone me).   Come for a meal &/or chat &/or coffee.   We'll meet and eat Secret Recipes (same floor as cinema) which seems to be producing better reasonably priced meals now.   I'll be at the cafe in time to hand out any tickets but am flexible depending on who wants to see what.   We will sort out a meeting time after people decide on films.   I will get tickets for any other time a film is scheduled if you so wish.   Just tell me in plenty of time

As usual, I'll pick up the tickets ($8.00 each, that is the cheapest deal you'll ever get a seniors ticket is normally $11.00) and I'll give them to you before the show.   Some interesting films to choose from.

See email from Ron.

Ron Brooks

**St Patricks Night March 17 2014**

Dear Members, Honorary members, Partners, Friends of Rotary

There must be a reason why our club night falls on St Patricks Day.   Its so we can have a special St Patricks Night bit of fun.   Look at the attached flier, put the date in your diary and come along to Bucatini.   Normal price ($28), normal time (6pm for 6:30pm) and finish around 8pm.   Invite your friends.

Regards

Ron O'Brooks

Fellowship Coordinator

ST PATRICKS NIGHT SPECIAL

MON 17th MARCH

TAKE YOUR PARTNER OUT FOR DINNER + ENTERTAINMENT

in our clubs

FELLOWSHIP EVENT OF THE YEAR

Come, entertain and be entertained.   Find out secrets about Ireland and the Irish, an opportunity to have fun and fellowship- . And WIN a few PRIZES.   Tell our friends of Rotary, tell our honorary members.   Bucatini 6.00pm for 6.30pm finish at 8.00pm.   Bring your wife, bring your friend, bring your partner, or just BRING YOURSELF!   A chance to catch up with each other.

A CHANCE TO FIND OUT HOW MUCH IRISH BLOOD FLOWS IN YOUR VEINS

                           .Sergeant Bob islooking for a pot of                  GOLD !!!!

 Contact Ron to book in or discuss details

0413-042-043

ronbrooks1@optusnet.com.au

or members just tell Ray if you are not coming

**Committee Structure 2013-14**

**Foundation & International Chair Stuart Williams**

Members Graham Sharman, Ron Brooks (support on request)

**New Generations Chair Glenys Grant**

Members John McPhee, Warwick Stott, John Donaghey

**Community & Vocation Chair Ray Smith**

Members Bob Williams, Bob Laslett, Garry Baltissen

**Membership/PR/Marketing Chair Doug Berwick**

Members Bill Marsh, Stan Harper and Chris Tuck (support on request)

**Fellowship Chair Ron Brooks**

Member Chris Tuck

**Conference**

**Bob Laslett advises the conference website** [**http://2014conference.9810rotary.org.au/**](http://2014conference.9810rotary.org.au/) **is open.**

**Those going to the conference please pay the Treasurer $160 to cover the remainder of the accommodation cost.**

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| **Thought For The Week**  The following person has been active or honorary member of a Rotary Club.  Sir Norman Brearley, aviation pioneer (RC Perth, W.A.)  **From The Back Paddock.**  Between 2009 and 2012, 138 agribusiness schemes (inc. Managed Investment Schemes, MIS)  with 4 billion invested by 93,000 investors collapsed. IMPORTANT UPCOMING DISTRICT EVENTS Youth Exchange Welcome Home Dinner – Mar. 1 2014 (RSVP Feb. 20 2014)  District Conference – Mar 20-23 2014  Rotary International Convention, Sydney – June 1-4.  Please have FOREST HILL FLYER articles to the Editor at tuck@netspace.net.au by **5 pm Wednesday**  (in Microsoft Word format please).  Also if you do not wish to receive this flyer in the future please contact the Editor [tuck@netspace.net.au](mailto:tuck@netspace.net.au) |
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