



**THE ROTARY CLUB OF DELORAINE INC.**

**Chartered 5<sup>th</sup> March, 1957**

Assembly: Tuesday 6.15 for 6.30p.m.

Rotary Function Centre

(Postal Address & Phone Number: P.O. Box 85, Deloraine 7304 / 6362 2325)

**WEEKLY BULLETIN**

**District Governor Pam Scott OAM**

**Rotary Community Leader (North) - Alan Harris**

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS 2024-25**

- President ..... Andrew Dare**
- Immediate Past President ..... Andrew Dare**
- President Elect & Club Service ..... Greg Burgess**
- Secretary .....**
- Treasurer ..... Michael Plunkett**
- Vocational Service ..... Anne Forsyth**
- Youth Service ..... Michael Swannell**
- Community Service ..... Peter Griffin**
- International Service ..... B.Lee Cervantes**
- Membership & PR .....**
- Tasmanian Craft Fair ..... Michael Plunkett**



## ROTARY CLUB OF DELORAINE Inc.

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	Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> August	Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup>
<b>Chairman:</b>	Andrew Johnston	Michael Bennett
<b>Toast:</b>	Steen Andersen	Tim Biggs
<b>Sergeant:</b>	Anthea Davey-Griffin	Anthea Davey-Griffin
<b>Corporal:</b>	Gayle Plunkett	Greg Burgess
<b>Heads &amp; Tails:</b>	John Tabor	Tim Biggs
<b>President's Table</b>	Paul Bowman	Roy Axelsen
	Anthea Davey-Griffin	Annette Viney
<b>Caterers:</b>	Meander Progress Ass	Deloraine Show Society
<b>Venue Set-Up:</b>	Club Service & TCF C'tee	Youth Service C'tee
<b>Attendance:</b>	Michael Plunkett <i>assisted by Roy Axelsen</i>	Michael Swanell <i>assisted by Steen Andersen</i>
<b>Guest Speaker:</b>	Tilly Neate	
<b>AUGUST</b>		
<b>Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup></b>	Dinner Meeting at Rotary Function Centre	
<b>Monday 12<sup>th</sup></b>	Breakfast at Deloraine Deli (8.00am)	
<b>Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup></b>	No Dinner Meeting Board Meeting 6.00pm at the home of Anne Forsyth	

### ATTENDANCE AND APOLOGIES

Rotarians please note that for weekly meetings you will be automatically booked in. If you are unable to attend, please advise

**PP Ann Axelsen by 12.00 noon each Monday / Phone 041 111 6480**

To enable correct numbers to be given to the Caterers, it is important that Rotarians adhere to this. Please also advise if you are bringing guests.

Rotarians please remember to advise PP Ann if you have any dietary requirements.

### Bulletin Information

Information for Weekly Bulletins is sought from **ALL Rotarians**. Information should be emailed or given to PP Ann Axelsen — [aaxelsen@live.com.au](mailto:aaxelsen@live.com.au) Information should be submitted by **Sunday**.

## FAMILY OF ROTARY

### CONDOLENCES:

President Andrew and fellow Rotarians extend their sympathy and condolences to the Gillian and the family of Past Rotarian John Robertson.

### JOHN ROBERTSON



Inducted into the Rotary Club of Deloraine 18<sup>th</sup> February, 1986.

John was an active member of the Club, usually going about assisting in his quiet 'behind'-the-scenes' way.

John served on all Committees.

John was a Paul Harris Fellow

He assisted with the Tasmanian Craft Fair in many ways, handy with the hammer and tool belt. He was a Marshall for a number of years at the Meander Valley Performing Arts Centre.

Again donning the tool belt, John participated in a number of FAIM (Fourth Avenue in Motion) trips.

John was presented with Honorary Membership in 2016.

A banner for August Membership &amp; New Club Development Month. The background is a gradient from red on the left to blue on the right. On the left, there is a white icon of three stylized human figures. Below the icon is the text "Create hope in the world" in a white cursive font. On the right, the text "AUGUST Membership &amp; New Club Development Month" is written in white. At the bottom right, the Rotary logo is displayed, consisting of the word "Rotary" in a bold font, the tagline "PEOPLE OF ACTION" in a smaller font, and the Rotary wheel symbol to the right.

## TASMANIAN CRAFT FAIR

A reminder that TCF Meetings are held on the first Thursday of each month at 7.00pm at the Function Centre.

Next meeting will be **Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> September.**



## VOCATIONAL SERVICE

Vocational Service Director Anne, advises her Committee that a meeting will be held on Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> August (at the conclusion of our Dinner Meeting)

## TASMANIAN TRAINING AWARDS

The Tasmanian Training Awards this year will be held at the Grand Chancellor, Launceston on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> September.

The Rotary Club of Deloraine has been a long-time sponsor of the "Vocational Student of the Year".

An invitation is extended to Rotarians and partners to attend this event, and if you are interested, then please contact President Andrew.



## GARAGE SALE?

There are a number of people in the community that are asking "When will Rotary be holding their next Garage Sale"? They have items that they would like to donate.

Is there a Committee that would like to take on this fund-raising project?



## BREAKFAST FELLOWSHIP AT THE DELORAINE DELI

Our next Breakfast meeting will be on **Monday 12<sup>th</sup> August** at 8.00am at the Deloraine Deli. Come along and enjoy a meal and fellowship with fellow Rotarians.

## NEWS FROM ROTARY COMMUNITY GROUP

### “ROTARY READERS”

Rotary Community Group (RCG) has met recently and the purpose of this group is to grow Rotary in the areas of the RCG.

One project discussed was to do with Literacy (and is already being used in some areas of the State). This project is “Rotary Readers” whereby Rotary members volunteer once a week to visit a local Primary School, and with the teacher’s instruction, have a one-on-one reading assistance for around an hour with a student that needs help.

If any Rotarians are interested in this project, please advise President Andrew.

## INVITATION TO JOIN WITH ROTARY CLUB OF LONGFORD THURSDAY 12<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER

The Rotary Club of Longford will be hosting DG Pam Scott on Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> September, and extend an invitation to Rotarians to join them.

President Andrew will require names of those wishing to attend by the beginning of September. If you plan to attend, please advise PP Ann before the beginning of September.



## VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED FOR RYDA

**This is an Urgent call out to all Rotarians**

**Once again Rotary Tasmania is running multiple sessions of the Rotary Youth Driver Training program.**

Northern sessions will be held at Symons Plains from the 16<sup>th</sup> September through to the 27<sup>th</sup>.

This is an Incredibly important program that focuses on attitude and awareness with the aim of making the students better people on the road. Presenters include Road Safety experts, driving instructors, Police, recovering survivors of road crashes and drug and alcohol educators.

All that is required of the Volunteers is to guide the students around the site as they attend the different sessions.

From past experience it is always an enjoyable and informative day out. (You even get fed!)

Please help if you can!



## WHAT'S HAPPENING and WHEN??

(Please note details are subject to change)

### AUGUST

- Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup>** Dinner Meeting at Rotary Function Centre  
Guest Speaker Tilly Neate—"National Basketball"
- Monday 12<sup>th</sup>** Breakfast at the Deloraine Deli (8.00am)
- Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup>** No Dinner Meeting  
Board Meeting 6.00pm at the home of Anne Forsyth
- Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup>** Dinner Meeting at Rotary Function Centre
- Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup>** Dinner Meeting at Rotary Function Centre  
Stephen Brodie—*Deloraine Youth Drama Festival*

### SEPTEMBER

- Tuesday 3<sup>d</sup>** Dinner Meeting at Rotary Function Centre  
Ruth Temple-Smith—*Empowering Women in Tanzania*
- Friday 6<sup>th</sup>** Tas Training Awards—Grand Chancellor, Launceston
- Monday 9<sup>th</sup>** Breakfast at Deloraine Deli (8.00am)
- Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup>** No Dinner Meeting  
Board Meeting 6.00pm at the home of Anne Forsyth
- Thursday 12<sup>th</sup>** Longford Rotary Club—meet DG Pam Scott
- Monday 16<sup>th</sup> to Friday 27<sup>th</sup>** Rotary Youth Driver Awareness Program at Symons Plains
- Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup>** Dinner Meeting at Rotary Function Centre
- Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup>** Dinner Meeting at Rotary Function Centre  
Tracey Cane—*Murrakei Farms Palm Facilitator—Pacifica Festival to be held on 1<sup>st</sup> February, 2025*

### OCTOBER

- Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup>** Dinner Meeting at Rotary Function Centre
- Monday 7<sup>th</sup>** Breakfast at Deloraine Deli (8.00am)
- Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup>** No Dinner Meeting  
Board Meeting 6.00pm at the home of Anne Forsyth
- Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup>** Dinner Meeting at Rotary Function Centre
- Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup>** Rotary Meeting / TCF Set Up (TBC)
- Week of Monday 28<sup>th</sup>** TCF Set Up

### NOVEMBER

- Friday 1<sup>st</sup> to Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup>** Tasmanian Craft Fair
- Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup>** No Dinner Meeting

**ROTARY CATERING INFORMATION**  
**SET UP — CLUB SERVICE & TCF COMMITTEES**  
**TUESDAY 6<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST**

**For Rotary:**

1. Directorate nominated on Roster is responsible for set up and pack up. If not available please arrange own change.
2. **Set-Up**
  - a) Obtain code from Ann — 041 111 6480
  - b) Tables into correct position and to set tables with Cutlery, Rotary Placemats, Salt, Pepper, Serviettes, Water Carafes  
(*Note—tablecloths to be used only for ‘special’ occasions*)
  - c) To ensure that glasses are either placed on side table with drinks. Note: Only one bottle of red and one bottle of white to be opened at beginning of night, if more are required these are held at the President’s table.
  - d) To place on table with 2 kettles—mugs, spoons, tea, coffee etc. Ensure kettles are filled, power point on, and set kettles to boil
  - e) Heaters on (as required)
  - f) Set up PA System
  - g) Assist with Attendance (check Weekly Duties list)
3. **Pack-Up** (assistance from all Rotarians appreciated)
  - a) Everything off tables and back to kitchen
  - b) At the end of the night all opened bottles of wine should be removed from the Function Centre
  - c) Pack up PA system
  - d) When tablecloths are used, to take home and wash
  - e) Tables and chairs—put away
  - f) Check toilets
  - g) Lights off, lock up and keys back in box.

**Caterers:** Meander Progress Association

**Set Up:** This is on a rotational basis:

Youth Service	20 <sup>th</sup> August
Community Service	27 <sup>th</sup> August
Vocational Committee	3 <sup>rd</sup> September
PR and Membership Committee	17 <sup>th</sup> September
International Service	24 <sup>th</sup> September
Club Service & TCF Committees	1 <sup>st</sup> October

## ROTARY FAMILY WEEKEND

8<sup>th</sup>—10<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER

ULVERSTONE

### ITINERARY

Friday 8 <sup>th</sup>	BBQ + Salad + Dessert (Rotary Shed)	\$25
Saturday 9 <sup>th</sup>	Lunch Eastford Creek (Platter)	\$33
	Dinner Bowls Club 2 Course	\$35
Sunday 10 <sup>th</sup>	District AGM – Breakfast (Rotary Shed)	\$10
	<b>Total = \$103</b>	

*Please select from the above and pay Direct Debit to:*

*Rotary Club of Ulverstone*

*BSB No.: 067 406*

*Account No.: 0080 0106*

*Reference your name and email Damian with your selection plus any dietary requirements by 31<sup>st</sup> October.*

*[damiangriffin@y7mail.com](mailto:damiangriffin@y7mail.com)*

We have the opportunity to hire a bus to travel to **Eastford Creek Winery**. This will cost \$10pp and is limited to the first 11 people who pay.

Please contact Elizabeth Anderson to reserve your seat 0437 717 744.

There is also the opportunity to have a cruise with Leven River Cruises on Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> or Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> at 3pm.

Please contact Kim 0400 130 258, [kimhaines01@bigppond.com](mailto:kimhaines01@bigppond.com) **if you are interested.**

*Information obtained from District Newsletter*

*A young couple moves into a new neighbourhood.*

*The next morning while they are eating breakfast, the young woman sees her neighbour hanging the wash outside.*

*"That laundry is not very clean," she said. "She doesn't know how to wash correctly. Perhaps she needs better laundry soap." Her husband looked on, but remained silent.*

*Every time her neighbour would hang her wash to dry, the young woman would make the same comments.*

*About one month later, the woman was surprised to see a nice clean wash on the line and said to her husband: "Look, she has learned how to wash correctly. I wonder who taught her this?"*

*The husband said, "I got up early this morning and cleaned our windows."*



## CENTENARY OF ROTARY GOVERNMENT HOUSE PICNIC



Centenary of Rotary in Tasmania  
Picnic at Government House

Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> September, 2024  
12.30-2pm  
at the Tennis Pavilion, fully catered

Booking information available soon.  
Limit of 60 people.



## THE ROTARY END PLASTIC SOUP PROJECT

### Why Support 'Rotary End Plastic Soup'?

- 1 STOP the plastic pollution problem
- 2 PROTECT climate, life and our health
- 3 SUPPORT the younger generation

## PLASTIC IS FANTASTIC

Plastic is a fantastic product offering many different products and applications. It is lightweight, long-living and cheap. Plastic also causes huge problems since many countries cannot process the waste.

Plastic never disappears, it just becomes smaller. Microplastics (0.1-5 mm) and nanoplastics (smaller than 0.1 mm) cause real issues for our climate, for all life on our planet as well as our health.

In the past couple of years, more data has been gained from research regarding the impact of nanoplastics and the poisonous additives on them. Polyfluorinated Substances, or PFAS is just one of the examples.



## Generic Email Addresses

### Club Officers:

President: president.deloraine@rotary9830.org.au

Secretary: secretary.deloraine@rotary9830.org.au

Treasurer: treasurer.deloraine@rotary9830.org.au



### Craft Fair:-

Director: director@tascraftfair.com.au

Secretary: secretary@tascraftfair.com.au

Treasurer: treasurer@tascraftfair.com.au



## Websites

[www.rotaryclubofdeloraine.org.au](http://www.rotaryclubofdeloraine.org.au)

[www.rotaryclubofdeloraine.org.au/rotary-function-centre](http://www.rotaryclubofdeloraine.org.au/rotary-function-centre)

[www.tascraftfair.com.au](http://www.tascraftfair.com.au)

## Social Media



<https://www.facebook.com/RotaryClubofDeloraine/>

<https://www.facebook.com/tascraftfair>



[https://www.instagram.com/deloraine\\_rotary/](https://www.instagram.com/deloraine_rotary/)



District Website  
MY Rotary

[www.rotary9830.org.au](http://www.rotary9830.org.au)  
<https://my.rotary.org/>

### Rotary Officers:

**R.I. President:**

Stephanie Urchick

**District Governor (9830)**

Pam Scott OAM

**District Governor-Elect (9830)**

Craig Perkins

**Rotary Community Leader (North)**

Alan Harris

## DISTRICT 9830 CLUBS IN THE NORTHERN REGION

### Monday:

Central Launceston	Launceston Grand Chancellor	12.45 for 1.00pm
Launceston West	The Boathouse on Northbank 55a Lindsay St	5.30 for 6.00pm
West Tamar	Riviera Hotel, 19 Lenborough St Beauty Point	6.00 for 6.15pm
Youngtown	Launceston Golf Club, Opossum Road, Kings Meadows	5.45 for 6.15pm

### Tuesday:

Deloraine	Rotary Function Centre	6.15 for 6.30pm
Scottsdale	Anabel's Restaurant	6.00 for 6.30pm

### Wednesday:

Georgetown	The Bass and Flinders Centre <i>(not 1<sup>st</sup> Wed of month)</i>	6.45 for 7.00pm
Kings Meadows	Abel Motor Inn	5.45 for 6.15pm
Launceston	Hotel Grand Chancellor, Cameron St	6.00 for 6.15pm
St Helens	Bayside Inn <i>(1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Wed only)</i>	6.15 for 6.30pm
Tamar Sunrise	Pierre's Café Bar Restaurant, George St	7.00 for 7.15am
Westbury	Westbury RSL Club	6.45 for 7.00pm

### Thursday:

Longford	Longford RSL Club, Wellington St	6.30 for 7.00pm
South Launceston	Launceston Grand Chancellor	5.45 for 6.15pm

Clubs in other Regions are listed at

<http://www.rotary9830.org.au/administration/club-meetings/>

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## COMMITTEES

### CLUB SERVICE: Greg Burgess

#### Public Officer - Steen Andersen

##### Apologies

Ann Axelsen  
041 111 6480

##### Bulletin

Ann Axelsen

##### Club Night Set Up

Committees on a Roster basis

##### Heads & Tails

Tim Biggs  
John Tabor

##### Club History

Roy Axelsen  
John Dare

##### Sergeant

Maree Matanle  
Anthea Griffin-Davey

##### Programme

Maree Matanle  
Ann Axelsen

##### Photographer

Marc Smith

##### Family of Rotary

Ann Axelsen

##### Fellowship

Lois Catchlove

##### Rotary Function Centre Andrew Dare (Chairman)

John Dare  
Michael Plunkett

##### Club Property

Lois Catchlove

##### Rotary Information

John Dare  
Paul Bowman

##### Club Protection Officer

Michael Plunkett

##### Webmaster

Greg Burgess

##### Rotary Function Centre Caretaker

Ann Axelsen (041 111 6480)

#### VOCATIONAL SERVICE

##### Director:

##### Anne Forsyth

Stephanie Johnston  
Andrew Johnston  
Anthea Davey-Griffin  
Bev Ritchie  
John Tabor  
Annette Viney

#### COMMUNITY SERVICE

##### Director:

##### Peter Griffin

John Dare  
Tony Wadley  
Paul Bowman  
Maree Matanle

#### TASMANIAN CRAFT FAIR

##### Director: Michael Plunkett

Treasurer: Tim Biggs  
Secretary: Merrilyn Young

#### YOUTH SERVICE

##### Director:

Michael Swannell

#### INTERNATIONAL SERVICE

##### Director:

B.Lee Cervantes  
Merrilyn Young  
Marc Smith  
Annette Viney

#### MUNA & RYDA

Annette Viney

#### MEMBERSHIP & PR

##### Director:

#### Rotary Pratt Foundation

Andrew Johnston (Chairman), Annette Viney (Secretary),  
Tim Biggs (Treasurer), Barb Harvey, Kim Burgess