



**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 .....	
Youth Service .....	Michael Swannell
Community Service .....	Peter Griffin
International Service .....	B.Lee Cervantes
Membership & PR .....	
Tasmanian Craft Fair .....	Michael Plunkett



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	Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup>	Tuesday 27 <sup>th</sup>
<b>Chairman:</b>	Andrew Johnston	Tony Wadley
<b>Toast:</b>	Ann Axelsen	Paul Bowman
<b>Sergeant:</b>	Maree Matanle	Anthea Davey-Griffin
<b>Corporal:</b>	Michael Plunkett	Gayle Plunkett
<b>Heads &amp; Tails:</b>	Tim Biggs	John Tabor
<b>President's Table</b>	Lois Catchlove Gayle Plunkett	Ann Axelsen Greg Burgess
<b>Caterers:</b>	MV Netball	Meander Progress Ass
<b>Venue Set-Up:</b>	International Service	Vocational Service
<b>Attendance:</b>	Annette Viney	Greg Burgess
<i>assisted by</i>	Anthea Davey-Griffin	Michael Bennett
<b>Guest Speaker:</b>	Dep Premier Guy Barnett	Michael Plunkett
<b>MAY</b>		
Tuesday 13 <sup>th</sup>	No Dinner Meeting	
	Board Meeting 7.00pm—Bendigo Bank Meeting Room	
Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup>	Dinner Meeting at Rotary Function Centre	
	"Polli's Pedal for Diabetes"	
Tuesday 27 <sup>th</sup>	Dinner Meeting at Rotary Function Centre	

### 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**.



The next TCF Meeting will be held on **Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> June**, commencing at **5.30pm** in the meeting room of the Bendigo Bank.

The Launch of the 2025 TCF will be on **Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> June**. From this day tickets will be available from the Western Tiers Visitor Centre and Online.



## **BREAKFAST FELLOWSHIP AT THE DELORAINE DELI**

We will continue to hold Breakfast Fellowship Meetings at the Deloraine Deli in 2025, meeting from 8.00am

This is a great time to enjoy the company of each other in a social atmosphere. Please note that all are invited to this gathering (Honorary Members, Partners, friends, PHFs) you just need to make sure that you advise Ann of your attendance by the Friday prior.

Next Breakfast date will be Monday 7<sup>th</sup> July

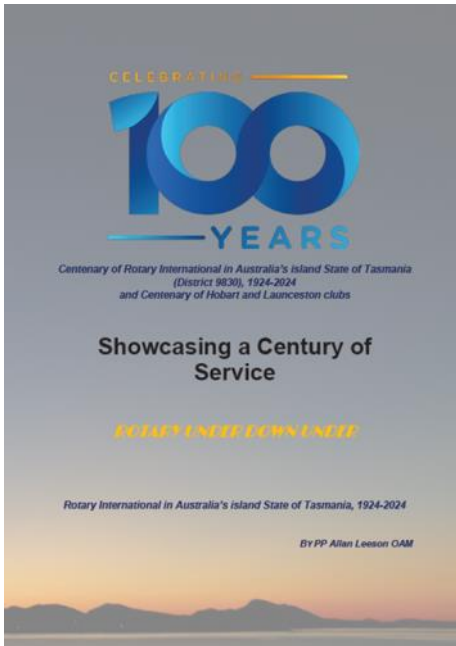
## **COMBINED ROTARY DISTRICT CONFERENCE DISTRICTS 9815 AND 9830**

**FRIDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> TO SUNDAY 15<sup>TH</sup> 2026  
HOBART**

We are combining with Rotary District 9815 to hold a combined Conference in March to showcase Rotary at its best

**ROTARY 9815 & 9830 DISTRICT CONFERENCE  
13th-15th March 2026  
Hobart Tasmania**





## CENTENARY OF ROTARY (DISTRICT 9830)

Copies of the Centenary Of Rotary Book are available at a cost of \$25.00 each.

If you would like a copy please contact President Andrew



**The lighter  
side...**

A young businessman had just started his own firm. He had just rented a beautiful office and had it furnished with antiques.

Sitting there, he saw a man come into the outer office. Wishing to appear the hot shot, the businessman picked up the phone and started to pretend he had a big deal working.

He threw huge figures around and made giant commitments. Finally he hung up and asked the visitor, "Can I help you?"

"Yeah, I've come to activate your phone lines."





## NEWS FROM MOLLY TILLICK-SMITH EXCHANGEE TO DENMARK



Molly writes:-

My Danish is coming along! I am using it a fair bit, but unfortunately it's hard for me to practise in public, as most people hear my accent and reply in English. But, I practise a lot with the other exchange students, so that's good!

The weather is beautiful here at the moment! Lots of flowers and sun, which is a nice change from the cold rain we had last month.

So far, Exchange has been an incredible experience! I've learnt a lot about the Danish language, and culture.

I've been lucky enough to explore the area I live in quite thoroughly. I spend a majority of my time in Copenhagen, as that's where I go to school, but I have also been to many smaller cities around Denmark, as well as Oslo and Trysil in Norway, and Helsingborg in Sweden. I'm looking forward to my Euro-tour where I get the chance to explore Europe as a whole. I'll travel to 8 countries over the 18 day period, and I'll see large cities, including Berlin, Vienna, Paris, Prague, Venice, Brussels and Amsterdam.

Other than all of that travel, I've been able to have some incredible local experiences as well. I have been to Tivoli, the third oldest theme park in the world. I have also been to the Copenhagen zoo, to national soccer games, and experienced a 'dansk påske' (Danish Easter)

Overall, I am having a great time living and learning in Denmark, and it's all thanks to Rotary, so I'm grateful for that. As the Danes would say, 'tusind tak for det!'

Thanks!

Regards, Molly



## LAST WEEKS' MEETING DISTRICT GOVERNOR PAM SCOTT

Last week, DG Pam Scott visited our Club, and gave us all something to think about. She gave a short run-down of her year, information re the Regionalisation Pilot program

Regionalisation Pilot	
District Governor	Rotary Community Leader
Officer of RI in District	Support and Facilitate clubs to:
Achieve annual goals of RI President	Establish larger scale partnerships
Promote the Action Plan	Increase community impact
Support the Regionalisation pilot	Build a higher public profile
Responsible for Rotary Foundation	Attract new members
Supervise district management committee	Increase club member engagement and satisfaction
Be a point of contact for media	Do not report to District Governor
Tenure is 1 year	Tenure is 2 years



## DELORAINE JUNIOR BEEF EXPO

Dear Deloraine Rotary

And just like that, a month has passed since our biggest expo yet, with 65 competitors, many of them travelling from the mainland.

The Tasmanian Junior Beef Expo would like to express our sincere gratitude for sponsoring and supporting this year's TJBE event.

Our event wouldn't be possible without your generosity.

We have received overwhelmingly positive feedback about the impact our event has on competitors, their families and the Ag industry.

We hope to work with you again next year, which will be the 10<sup>th</sup> year of the Tasmanian Junior Beef Expo.

### Thank You

The Tasmanian Junior Beef Expo  
would like to extend our  
sincere appreciation for your  
sponsorship and support in 2025





**Rotary**  
Tasmania



rotary youth  
leadership  
awards

Held at Camp Clayton Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> to Friday 9<sup>th</sup> May, 2025



Rotarians Make the World Better,  
One Community at a Time.

**Rotary**





## WHAT'S HAPPENING and WHEN??

(Please note details are subject to change)

### MAY

**Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup>**

No Dinner Meeting

**Saturday 17<sup>th</sup>**

Board Meeting 7.00pm at Bendigo Bank Meeting Room  
President Elect Learning and Development at Rotary  
Function Centre

**Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup>**

Dinner Meeting at Rotary Function Centre

**Friday 23<sup>rd</sup>**

*Deputy Premier, Guy Barnett—Pollies Pedal for Diabetes*

**Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup>**

Biggest Morning Tea Fundraiser at the Function Centre

Dinner Meeting at Rotary Function Centre

Michael Plunkett—Council on Legislation

*"The Serious discussions and the Lighter side"*

### JUNE

**Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup>**

Dinner Meeting at Rotary Function Centre

**Thursday 5<sup>th</sup>**

TCF Meeting—5.30pm at Bendigo Bank Meeting Room

**Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup>**

No Dinner Meeting

Board Meeting 7.00pm at Bendigo Bank Meeting Room

**Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup>**

Dinner Meeting at Rotary Function Centre

**Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> to Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup>**

RI Convention in Calgary

**Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup>**

Dinner Meeting at Rotary Function Centre

**Sunday 29<sup>th</sup>**

District Changeover—Launceston

### JULY

**Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup>**

Club Changeover Dinner (Venue to be advised)

**Monday 7<sup>th</sup>**

Breakfast at Deloraine Deli (8.00am)

**Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup>**

No Dinner Meeting

Board Meeting 7.00pm at Bendigo Bank Meeting Room

**Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup>**

Dinner Meeting at Rotary Function Centre

**Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup>**

Dinner Meeting at Rotary Function Centre

**Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup>**

No Dinner Meeting

### MARCH 2026

**Friday 13<sup>th</sup> to Sunday 15<sup>th</sup>**

Combined District 9815 and 9830 District Conference

**ROTARY CATERING INFORMATION**  
**SET UP — INTERNATIONAL SERVICE**  
**TUESDAY 20<sup>TH</sup> MAY**

**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 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 Valley Netball

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

Vocational Service	27 <sup>th</sup> May
Club Service & TCF Committees	3 <sup>rd</sup> June
Youth Service	17 <sup>th</sup> June
Community Service	24 <sup>th</sup> June
International Service	15 <sup>th</sup> July

## 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

## 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:

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: Ann Axelsen  
  
Lois Catchlove  
Annette Viney

### YOUTH SERVICE

#### Director:

Michael Swannell  
Anthea Davey-Griffin  
Lois Catchlove  
John Dare

### INTERNATIONAL SERVICE

#### Director:

B.Lee Cervantes  
Merrilyn Young  
Marc Smith  
Annette Viney

### MEMBERSHIP & PR

#### Director:

MUNA & RYDA  
Annette Viney

#### Rotary Pratt Foundation

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