



# ROTARY CLUB OF Wendouree Breakfast



## BREAKFAST BUGLE

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### *Duty roster this week*

**Chair:** Geoff Russell  
**Hospitality:** Michael Scarlett  
 Trevor Lea  
**Chook:** David Vendy  
**Pres. Table:** Bruce Norman  
 Jane Auchettl  
**Scribe** Trevor Ryan



### *Duty roster next week.....*

**Chair:** Jan Ross  
**Hospitality:** Sue Ann Permezal  
 Stephen Britton  
**Chook:** Gail Petrie  
**Pres. Table:** Allan Murphy  
 Jennifer Hudson  
**Scribe** Allan Murphy

### *This week's guest speaker/activity:*

Clare Bennett

### *Birthdays and anniversaries...*

#### **Wedding Anniversaries:**

11 February - Allan and Maree Murphy  
 12 February - Di and Bruce Gow  
 13 February - Mark and Clare Bennett



#### **Club Anniversaries:**

### *From Rotary International:*

RI President-elect Ray Klinginsmith announced the 2010-11 RI theme, *Building Communities -- Bridging Continents*, during the opening plenary session of the 2010 International Assembly .

Klinginsmith said he arrived at the theme after reviewing RI themes of years past. He noticed that only a few spoke to non-Rotarians.

"As a result, I decided to search for a briefly stated theme that would fulfill two objectives: the first to explain Rotary to non-Rotarians, and the second to validate our work for Rotarians," he said. "The words I have selected to describe Rotary's current mission and to highlight our achievements are what we do best: *Building Communities -- Bridging Continents.* "

### *Diary Dates:*

Date	Event	Contact	Details
12 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Friday arvo drinks	Vicki Fawcus	Lake View Hotel - 5.30pm onwards
21 <sup>st</sup> Feb	BBQ at Trash and Trivia	June Driscoll	7.00am to 1.00pm
22 <sup>nd</sup> Feb	Organ Donation week		Continues until 27th
1 <sup>st</sup> March	GSE team welcome BBQ	Kath Venters	6.00pm at Lake Wendouree
3 <sup>rd</sup> March	GSE team Dinner	Kath Venters	Ballarat Golf Club - 6.00pm
7 <sup>th</sup> March	BBQ at Begonia Festival	June Driscoll	
12 <sup>th</sup> - 14 <sup>th</sup> Mar	District Conference		Deakin Uni - Geelong

### *Attendance apologies...*

Please advise  
**Michael Scarlett**  
 at [scarlett@ncable.net.au](mailto:scarlett@ncable.net.au)  
 or **TXT or ring Michael on 0418518218 by 6.00 pm Tues.**



### *Where can I make up?...*

**Monday** 6:15 pm Wendouree at the Glass House, Belltower  
**Tuesday** 6:15 pm Ballarat West at Park Hotel, Sturt Street  
 6.15 pm Ballarat East at North Ballarat Sports Club  
**Wednesday** 6.30 pm South East Rotaract, First Wednesday of month at North Star Hotel  
**Thursday** 1:00 pm Ballarat at Mid City Motor Inn  
 6:15 pm Ballarat South at Ballarat Golf Club, Sturt St  
 6.00 pm Young Ambition at Porticos  
 7.00 pm Ballan at Flying Tea Pot Café (reservations preferred)  
**eclub** <http://www.rotaryclubone.org/>



## Rotary National "Nail Polio" Campaign February 2010

One of the reasons people join Rotary is to help make a difference in their community and the wider world. As an individual it is hard to make an appreciable difference but in even a small Club together you can make a real impact.

We have close to 34,000 Individual Rotarians across Australia. In February we would like those 34,000 Rotarians to join together in a very simple way to make a big impact to help to "End Polio Now".

The way to identify that a child has been immunised against Polio is to look at their little finger. It will be coloured blue.



Polio has been "Nailed".

So Rotarians, how about lifting your little finger for Polio – get "Nailed". It's so simple - at the beginning of February colour your little finger with a marker, nail polish or a large hammer.

When people say "what happen to your finger"? Explain it will cost them a gold coin for a very good cause to find out. You can then tell them about Rotary's challenge to eliminate Polio from the world and collect the coin.

Extend the idea and have a "Nail Polio Day" at your place of work or the local shopping centre.

Will it work? It certainly does according to PDG Bernie Rodgers from the Rotary Club of Hall. "I have been going around with a black little finger nail for 6 days and with no problem raised \$20.00".

Bernie is now perfecting sticking his little finger out whilst drinking tea.

If every Australian Rotarian collected just \$6.00 together we could raise over \$200,000.

If we followed Bernie's lead of \$20.00 it would be over \$600,000 nationally.

That's the impact that could be achieved by 34,000 Rotarians making a simple individual commitment.

It's not a big ask so lets all lift a little finger for Rotary to "End Polio Now" in February.

### Step 1:

At your first Club meeting in February paint your little finger nails.



### Step 2:

When someone sees your coloured finger nail and asks "what did you do your to finger nail? Ask for a gold coin for Polio to get the answer.



### Step 3:

First Club meeting in March bring your coins. Give them to your Club Foundation person to add to your Club's "End Polio Now" contribution.

*Lift Your Little Finger and Change the World*

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