



ROTARY CLUB OF Wendouree Breakfast



BREAKFAST BUGLE

District 9780; *District Governor:* Chris Sims *World President:* John Kerry
President: Kath Venters PO Box 191, Ballarat VIC 3353

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 Club website - <http://www.wendoureebreakfast.org.au/>

Duty roster this Week

Chair: Keith Driscoll
Hospitality: Judy Barnes
 Mark Bennett
Chook: Dennis Best
Pres. Table: Jeremy Schocroft
 Michael Scarlett



Duty roster next week.....

Chair: Vicki Fawcus
Hospitality: Stephen Britton
 David Callil
Chook: June Driscoll
Pres. Table: Trevor Ryan
 John Ruyg

This week's guest speaker/activity:

Dean Lanyon – Thai Fusion Restaurant

More details can be found at:
<http://www.wendoureebreakfast.org.au/> and clicking on
 the meeting link on the top RHS.

Birthdays and anniversaries...

Wedding Anniversaries:

Happy Birthday:

Club Anniversaries:



Important Thought etc.:

A comment from RI president John Kenny – via last week's guest speaker, DG Chris Sims:

"Whether Rotary will thrive, or falter, whether Rotary service will mean much to many, or little to few, whether Rotary is known with respect or merely seen as a relic of days gone by - all this is up to you."

Diary Dates:

Date	Event	Contact	Details
Aug 15 th	Mioko's departure from Australia		
Aug 24 th	RC of Wendouree – Careers Expo Dinner meeting	John Ruyg	See details in this bulletin
Aug 28 th	RC of Young Ambition Trivia Night	Kay Macaulay	Alexandria on Lydiard, 7.00pm, \$25
Sept 1 st and 3 rd	Mock Interviews with SMB students	Ross Keating	Sept 1 st – 10:00 to 12 noon Sept 3 rd – 1.00pm to 3.00pm
Sept 7 th	Board Meeting	Kath Venters	DSE - Gillies Street – 7.30

Attendance apologies...

Please advise
Michael Scarlett
 at 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 Pipers
 6.00 pm Young Ambition at Porticos
 7.00 pm Ballan at Flying Tea Pot Café (reservations preferred)
eclub <http://www.rotaryclubone.org/>



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Summary of the Board Meeting 3rd August 2009

Present: **Leigh Johnson; Trevor Lea; June Driscoll; Ross Keating; Jane Auchettl; Sue Lewis; John Ruyg**
Apologies : **Kath Venters; Rob McDougall**

1. **Confirmation of minutes of the previous meeting**

2. **Business arising:**

- Membership issues to be followed up by June.

3. **Correspondence**

- Chocolates fundraiser – no action
- A resignation from Barry Auchettl was received and accepted.

4. **Treasurer's Report - Sue**

- 18 members haven't paid their subs yet – will be followed up.

5. **Reports**

Membership / Vocation – Ross

- Mock Interviews – with SMB: 1st and 3rd September.
- Partner badges – an audit to be done of what currently exist.
- Classifications – currently being updated.
- Proposal of a Sponsor's pin to be given to members annually who sponsor a new member.

Public Relations / Youth – John

- Committee to look at developing a new project for this Rotary year.
- Discussed the idea of working with schools to develop an interact club.
- Bugle to go "on line" shortly.

Rotary Foundation / International – Leigh

- The shelter box will be displayed on 17th October at St Andrew's Church.
- The committee is looking at developing a flyer to promote the shelter box. It is hoped that two displays will be held over the year.
- Stephen Britton to promote the petrol cards - \$100.00 earned so far.
- The bus trip on Tuesday morning raised \$200.00 for the club.

Service Projects / Community Service – Trevor

- Blood bank challenge, Bowel Scan project & Battery Change over are all on again for this Rotary year. is on again this year.
- The funding application for a grant of \$1,000 was successful – to be used for Nerrina Wetlands.
- Relay For Life – the club won't be participating in it this year.

President's Report – June (in Kath's absence)

- "The Rotarian" – had a write up about a used cell phone project

Fundraising – June

- The Blinky Bulb project is up and running – Trevor to discuss with Keith.
- A planner of all activities will be sent to all directors.
- Sausage Sizzle has been booked for Trash & Treasure for March 14th
- The club to run a Sausage Sizzle in October @ new Bunning's store.
- April 24th is the club's 20th Birthday: a special committee to be set up.
- It is the committee's aim to raise \$15,000 over the year.

6. **General Business**

- The DG visit to the club on 5th August is a partner's meeting.
- John requires information from each committee to go into the Bulletin

Next meeting – 7th September 2009,

A notice from John Tudball – President of the RC of Wendouree

Can I ask you to advise your members of the following opportunity to hear some interesting speakers?

In conjunction with one of our major projects - **The Careers Expo** at Ballarat Grammar on Monday 24th August - we are holding our normal dinner meeting in the Ballarat Grammar Sports Pavilion at 6pm.

Our guests at this dinner will be **Ken Lay**, Victoria Police Deputy Commissioner; **David Healy** - CEO Transport Accident Commission; and **Professor Ian Johnston** - International Roads Expert.

Your members, who may be interested in hearing and meeting these gentlemen, are most welcome. There will be an opportunity after dinner to tour the expo.

The cost of the dinner will be \$20 to be paid on the night. However advice on numbers attending would be appreciated by Wednesday 20th.

Vocational Committee Project – Mock Interviews.

Are you able to give two hours of your time on either

Tues 1st Sept (10.00 – 12.00) OR Thurs 3rd Sept (1.00 – 3.00) ?

The mock interview project involves organising ten Rotarians to interview two students each in a “mock interview situation”. The adult students came from a variety of backgrounds and greatly appreciated the opportunity to improve their interview techniques.

Where possible, Rotarians interview students for “jobs” broadly related to their fields of expertise / experience and interest. For example: hospitality, Information Technology, Babysitting, Sales, House Keeping, Retail, Labouring, Gardening, Basic administration jobs, childcare, hairdressing, working with animals, Bar work, Security work and volunteering.

The interviews are planned for September this year on:

Tuesday 1st Sept. @ 10.00 – 12.00 and Thursday 3rd Sept. @ 1.00 – 3.00.

They are held at the SMB campus in Lydiard St South, Ballarat.

Some of the students have never been in the workforce or ever sat in an interview. Often, the challenges they face have made them feel isolated and to have an employer tell them in an “interview”, that they have the capability to achieve, is enough to give them the confidence to take the next step.

It would be greatly appreciated if you could put these dates in your diary if you think it is possible to be available for two hours to run two half hour interviews with one student at a time. If something comes up for you on the day, and you are unable to attend, a ‘back up person’ will step in to make sure that the interview can still occur.

If you have the capacity to participate, please email your preferred date and a list of work / career / hobbies etc that you think you could “interview” for to: Ross Keating on playkey@hotkey.net.au by the 21st August.

Thank you for supporting this Project

Club Bulletin:

The Breakfast Bugle is currently being prepared by the Club’s Public Relations Committee. It will include details of upcoming events; reviews of past activities; highlights of the Rotary world outside of our club and issues of importance facing the club and Rotary International. Items of interest from club committee chairs and other members should be sent to j.ruyg@cfa.vic.gov.au for inclusion.