

From the President Alick Osborne

Great to see Rotarians at the George Pepperell gazebo on Wednesday 16th. We had a good evening once Dawn and Rosemary found a fish and chips shop that was open, and bought Trevor some dinner!

Back to normal at Matthew Flinders this week – **Please remember to let Lyle know if you can't make it.**

I stopped in at the **Avalon Centre's** new house in Narre Warren over the weekend. Lots of maintenance happening with walls and ceilings being washed, plaster patches being sanded, the garden getting a tidy up and some minor electrical work. The volunteers came from East Malvern Men's Shed, Malvern Rotary, Avalon itself and me from RCEM for about three hours. There will be more working bees in the coming weeks to finish cleaning and to paint the house. Lyle will have details in due course.



Saturday 9th February '19

Phoenix Park, Rob Roy Road, Malvern East

10am to 3pm

Indoor Market

Over 40 Fabulous Stall Holders

Cafe & BBQ

Leather Goods | Dog Accessories | Cupcakes | Nougat | Jewellery
Toys | Clothes | Terrariums | Original Artwork & So Much More



@ChadstoneCraftMarket



Chadstone/East Malvern



We have quite a few events coming up in February. **The Market is on Saturday 9th February**, the **Australian Henley Regatta BBQ follows on Saturday 23rd February**. Please **contact Chris Don if you can help**.

In between of course we have the **Multi-District conference here in Melbourne on the weekend of the 16-17th February**.

So the “to do” list:

- Get ready for The Market
- Let Chris Don know if you can help at the BBQ on Sat 23rd February.
- Come to Matthew Flinders on Wednesday 23rd January.
- Let Lyle know if you can't make it to a meeting!

Wednesday 23rd January

6:00 for 6:30 pm at Matthew Flinders

Speaker John Wallis – Destiny Rescue

Destiny Rescue is committed to liberating the enslaved and restoring those who have been abused. Already serving in several nations, Destiny Rescue will keep expanding to reach even more children.

Chair: Trevor.

Sergeant: Mystery Sergeant.

Wednesday 30th January

Update from Paul Rake for the team who visited Cambodia.

Rod Kenafacke - Governance and Working With Children checks.

Chair: Chris Don

Sergeant: Janet Massie

President Away

I am away for the next two weeks. There will be a full program of meetings and a roster to suit by the time I get back. (Good lord willing – creeks don't rise!!).

Chris Don will be running the meetings – ably assisted by all of you. Please email me with any announcements, updates etc. for the Chaddy Chatter.

Dates for your diary – 2019

Now is a good time for you to fill in your new 2019 diary with all of our important events and activities so you don't miss a thing.

Family Fun Day – A Taste of France

Sunday 24th March

The Market

Saturday 9th February

Saturday 11th May

Saturday 10th August

Saturday 9th November

Bunnings BBQ's

Sunday 24th February (we may hand off to Craig Family Centre... TBC).

Saturday 16th March

Sunday 7th April

Saturday 4th May

Saturday 22nd June

Saturday 20th July

Saturday 24th August

Sunday 22nd September

Saturday 19th October

Sunday 24th November

Saturday 21st December

Other BBQ's and Events

Victorian Multi District Conference – 16-17 February.

Australian Henley Regatta – Saturday 23rd February

Clean Up Australia Day – Sunday 3rd March

Model United Nations Assembly (MUNA) – 27-28 April.

MS Walk & Fun Run – Sunday 2nd June.

National Tree Planting Day – Sunday 28th July.

Christmas Tree Deliveries – Saturday 7th and 14th December.

There's something for everyone in that batch!

DON'T FORGET THE MULTI-DISTRICT CONFERENCE 16-17 FEBRUARY