



**Lots of Rotarians currently “on the move”**



**MVPS Fundraising BBQ – 20<sup>th</sup> October**

Richard is team leader.

To the best of my knowledge we have **Richard, Tania, Tracey, Trevor, Paul, Raj Susarla and Rosemary.**

It would be great to hear from any others who could help. Please contact Richard to let him know you are available.



**RCEM BIRTHDAY 24 OCTOBER**



**\$30 per person for buffet & \$2 corkage for BYO alcohol**

Dear Rotarians, Partners & Friends,  
It's the club birthday, come & celebrate the evening at:  
**Venue: 2Q Rotary Hotpot,**  
**Address: 1525 Dandenong Road, Oakleigh, 3166, Vic**  
**Wednesday: 24<sup>th</sup> October 6pm for 6.30**  
Please **RSVP by Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> October** if you are **able to come** so we can book a table for the evening

Your President Elect & Social Organiser in Rotary,  
**Tania Aisbett,**  
Mob: 0492 531 832  
E: [Tania.Aisbett@monashhealth.org](mailto:Tania.Aisbett@monashhealth.org)

**French Car Festival BBQ – 28<sup>th</sup> October**

**Rod “tow-bar” Kenefacke** is leading this team and we have **Paul, Louise, Lyle, Trevor, Raj Shinde, Tawanda and Walter** signed up. As above I know any additional help would be welcome.



**French Car Festival**  
**Sunday October 28 2018 at 10 am**  
**81 Victory Boulevard, Ashburton**

Jointly organised by  
Citroen Car Club of Victoria  
Citroen Classic Owners Club of Australia  
in association with Peugeot Car Club of Victoria and Renault Car Club of Victoria

**Sat 27<sup>th</sup> & Sun 28<sup>th</sup> October**

*Muckfest*



Hein & Veronica have invited those who can make it to Mucklefest to help take some classic cars to the event and run the jumping castle, fairy floss, shaved ice etc. Camping and dinner at Hein

& Veronica's farm and maybe one or two beds if you get in quick. Contact Hein.

The Multi District Conference will bring together 1500 Rotarians, 700 young people between the ages of 18-30 in a Youth Forum and Interactors /Earlyactors in a separate Forum.

A Showcase occupying over 3,000 sq. metres showing Rotarians and the public of Melbourne -

**"What Rotary Does!"**

**REGISTER BEFORE OCTOBER 31ST**

**TO GO IN A DRAW TO WIN FREE REGISTRATION FOR 2 PEOPLE PLUS ACCOMMODATION FOR 2 NIGHTS (UP TO \$500)**

**EARLY BIRD GREEN**

February 16 -17<sup>th</sup> 2019  
Melbourne Convention Centre



**CONFERENCE REGISTRATION**  
Up to November 30th

Normal	\$175
Concession	\$125

(New Rotarian (joined after Jan 2017), Rotaractor, YEX student)

after November	\$225	Gala Dinner	\$110
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**Rotary** **Victorian Multi District Conference**

Districts 9790, 9800, 9810, 9820  
[www.rotaryconference.org.au](http://www.rotaryconference.org.au)

**Peace Through Service** 

2019 Victorian Multi District Conference

**REGISTRATION \$150**  
OR  
**WITH MD Conference \$75**

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

**Friday February 15th 2019**  
MELBOURNE CONVENTION CENTRE

**THE ROAD TO HARMONY**





**MC Brittany Arthur**  
MC of the 2016 Rotary International Convention, Toronto  
Member of the Rotary International Joint Committee for Young Leaders and Alumni Engagement. Former Ambassadorial Scholar from District 9810 to Germany International business development consultant in Germany, Japan & Australia.



**Ian H.S. Riseley OAM**  
will report on the Peace Conferences that took place during his year as Rotary International President.



**Dr Edna Adan Ismail**  
Humanitarian / Former politician in Somaliland. Activist against female genital mutilation. Founder of the Edna Adan Maternity Hospital.



**A/Prof Tilman Ruff AM**  
Founder of International Campaign to Abolish Nuclear Weapons. Nobel Peace Prize winner.



**Bryn Styles**  
Chair Rotary Peace Centres Committee, Chair, Rotary Cadre of Technical Advisers 2018-19, Post Rotary Foundation Trustee.



**Steve Killelea AM,**  
Founder & Executive Chairman Institute for Economics and Peace.



**Tony Stuart**  
Chief Executive Officer of UNICEF Australia. Involved in the Rotary Australia Centenary Project involving immunising children in the South Pacific.

**Boroondara 2018 CHANCES Golf Day**  
Box Hill Golf Club Monday 29<sup>th</sup> October 11.00 a.m.  
\$95.00 per person  
Includes a light lunch & dinner following the event.

Registration and Payment Trybooking Boroondara CHANCES Golf Day 2018  
<https://www.trybooking.com/book/event?eid=409816&>

Competition Format: Ambrose

Hole in One Prize  
Kia Cerato valued at \$25,700.



**Rotary Hawthorn**

## Want to know what is happening around the District?

Go to the District 9800 website and look at events:

<https://rotarydistrict9800.org.au/Events/Cards>

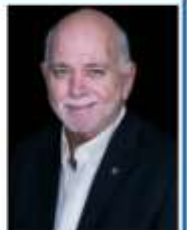
You can also subscribe to the District 9800 Bulletin – The Networker:

<https://rotarydistrict9800.org.au/Bulletin/AddSubscriber>

The latest edition has just been released. One of the articles...

### RI President Barry Rassin

Every Thursday morning, I receive an email from the **World Health Organization** with an update on the status of polio eradication. It contains a wealth of information, country by country, where and how immunization campaigns are being conducted, how many millions of children are being vaccinated, and where environmental surveillance has found evidence of circulating virus.



But every week, when that email appears in my inbox, my heart seems to stop for just a moment until I read the first few lines – and learn whether a child was paralyzed by wild poliovirus that week.

That, my friends, is where we are today in the work of polio eradication. The question on my mind as I open that message isn't how many thousands of cases we might see in a year, as we did not too long ago, or even how many hundreds. Instead, when that WHO email arrives every Thursday, the single, binary question it answers is: Was there a new case this week, or wasn't there?

Thirty years ago, 1,000 children were paralyzed by polio every single day. Since then, we've marked our progress, year by year, week by week. We've celebrated as country after country, region after region has been declared polio-free. As we've come closer and closer to our goal, and the number of cases has dropped further and further, the children those numbers reflect have become less and less of an abstraction. When I open that Thursday email, I don't wonder what number I'll see. I wonder, was a child paralyzed this week or not?

We are so close to eradication – but there is so much work left to do.

This month, I ask every Rotary club to help **End Polio Now** by marking **World Polio Day** on 24 October. Last year, thousands of Rotary clubs around the world held events to raise awareness and funds for polio eradication. This year, we want to see more World Polio Day events registered than ever. If you have an event planned, be sure to register and promote it at [endpolio.org](http://endpolio.org) so that more people can take part. If you haven't planned one yet, it's not too late – visit [endpolio.org](http://endpolio.org) to find ideas, information on this year's livestream, and resources to help your club organize a successful event.

### CHANCES Scholarships



#### A CHANCE for Boroondara Students

Boroondara Cares Foundation (formerly known as Foundation Boroondara) through its CHANCES Scholarship Program supports talented and motivated young people to overcome barriers to educational success. Our program aims to provide opportunities and support for young people in our community who are experiencing financial disadvantage and social isolation.

District 9800

## LET'S PRANCE!

Around Albert Park Lake for Polio

Saturday, November 17<sup>th</sup>



ENDING POLIO IS OUR GOAL AND TO DO IT WE'RE INVITING 3 PRANCERS FROM EVERY CLUB IN DISTRICT 9800 TO GRAB SOME SPONSORS AND WALK THE LAKE. STAY TUNED FOR MORE INFORMATION



I will see you at the Club Birthday dinner when I get back from East Timor. In the meantime Sandi will be guest editor – thanks Sandi !!