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A switched on club working for our community.

Thursday 17th October 2019

HAT NIGHT - SOCIAL EVENT **PARTNERS WELCOME**

MATT McKAY - CLARENDON VALE GYM

Matt is the owner of a gym called Raw Strength in Rosny and also a successful power lifter. His gym not only caters for high level athletes but also those who are disabled or disadvantaged. In addition he works at a private hospital in Rokeby. Over fifty per cent of Raw Strength's clients are women over 40 years of age and its oldest athlete is 81 while the youngest is 16. Several athletes have cerebral palsy. Its easy to see that Matt is passionate about his sport and helping people achieve their best in a drug free environment. He is also keen to use his expertise to support the disadvantaged in our community. To this end he is trying to establish another gym in Clarendon Vale. With the help of the local neighbourhood centre he has the space and most of the equipment to start operating. His plans include providing child care for members while they train. Matt impressed our members with his energy and enthusiasm to make a difference and will come back to the Club with suggestions as to how we may be able to assist and support his project. We wish him every success. **Matt is pictured here with Rotarian Gloria who introduced him to our Club.**



**THIS THURSDAY
WILL BE HAT DAY
AND QUIZ
NIGHT!!**

Quizmaster George will test
your brain boxes with:

**A Quiz in four sections of 12
questions in the four
categories listed below:**

- 1. Local Tasmanian
Knowledge**
- 2. Australian Knowledge**
- 3. General Knowledge**
- 4. Around the World
Knowledge**

**Let's
LIFT
THE
LID on
MENTAL
ILLNESS**



with Australian Rotary Health

You will also need to be very creative by designing and wearing an outlandish
HAT. Extravagant PRIZES will be won by those how excel in this artistic
endeavour.

***TO INCREASE THE IQ QUOTA PARTNERS AND
FRIENDS WILL BE VERY WELCOME!**

**PS. Don't forget to contact Secretary Robyn before noon
on Tuesday if your partner is coming to this fun event.**

SOME HAT HUMOUR



Because I'm royal tea!

Spotted a chap playing tennis in a
hat the other day. Think it was
Roger Fedora.



HERE AND THERE

- A positive which arose from the 'almost' controlled burn at the Sandford Chapel site recently was that a dialogue was started between President Peter and the Fire Chief of the Sandford Fire Station. It appears the station's lease on its current site is due to expire within the next 12 months and they are looking for a new home. Our land around the Chapel is a possibility for relocation of the station and an initial, tentative discussion to assess our interest has happened. If a move went ahead it could include the development of amenities like toilets, showers and sewerage. Improved vehicular access, clearing and maintenance of the block and other mutually beneficial improvements were mentioned. Of course, the preservation and care of the existing grave sites beside the Chapel would be a key point of any discussions.
There was a relatively positive response from those members present and it was resolved that President Peter should continue discussions with the station chief to investigate the proposal further. No doubt there will be many opportunities for those members, who were absent last Thursday, to have their opinions included in any further developments.
- Don't forget to respond to Club Service Director Helen's email from last week about the date of the Xmas Lunch at the South Arm RSL . Choice of dates are Sundays 1st, 15th or 22nd December.
- **Raffle Winners:** A well overdue Rob took the Chocs. While our guest Matt McKay took the cider pack



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COMING EVENTS

OCTOBER

Thurs.17th Hat Day Aust. Rotary Health Social Night ***PARTNERS WELCOME***

Thurs. 24th *****SHOW DAY - NO MEETING*** OR GROUP 2 FORUM**

Thurs.31st Sailability Tas Pres. Rod Viney and Julie Pearson

NOVEMBER

Thurs. 7th Club Assembly and Board Meeting

Sat. 9th Set up for Govt. House Open Day.

Sun.10th Govt. House Open Day.

Mon. 11th Bunnings BBQ

Fri. 15th Set up for Special Children's Xmas Party DEC

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Fri. 22nd Set up for Fashion Parade 5pm

Sat. 23rd Fashion Parade

DECEMBER

Thurs. 1st Corpus Christi Fair - 3.30pm – 7pm.

Thurs. 5th Club Assembly, Board Meeting and AGM?

	DUTY	ROSTER	
Date	Chair	Registration	Duty
OCT 17th	George	Helen Shirin	Richard Rob
OCT 24th	Ray	Narender Roger	John Reg
OCT 31st	Rob	Gloria Gayle	Suzanne Bob