

# Rotary Club of Howrah

Theme 2023-2024



## Bulletin

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**President:** Reg Emmett  
**Secretary:** Robyn Harrison  
**Bulletin Editor:** Rob Warren

**People Of Action In And For Our Community.**

**Thursday 24th August 2023**

**JULIE DUNBABIN - SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM**

### **KATHRYN CRANNY - ONE COMMUNITY TOGETHER ....**

Kathryn is the Project Officer for the One Community Together-Clarence Plains. OCT is a collective impact place based initiative for the Clarence Plains locality. It includes the suburbs of Rokeby, Clarendon Vale, Glebe Hill and Oakdowns. They work together on shared goals with, and for, the local community that build on their individual strengths to create positive change together. The mission for the CP area is to develop a welcoming, safe, proud and attractive community. "Over the last few years One Community Together has assisted in, organised and supported multiple events in our community. These events have ranged from community workshops to discuss issues that concern our neighbourhoods and how we can work together to come up with solutions, all the way through to community celebrations and festivals. We have mobilised volunteers to help clean up our streets and parks and have worked with Council on projects that have made the streets and green spaces more attractive and safe." Several Howrah Rotarians are regular participants in OCT programs Like the Landcare group and the 26Ten team. We thank Kathryn for her presentation and the wonderful project she is coordinating.



## CAN YOU HELP ONE COMMUNITY TOGETHER? ....

The Community Spaces, OCT Landcare Group and Clarendon Vale Primary School are organizing a Walk to School Event on Wednesday, August 30th at 8am.

We will join students, parents and teachers at different entrance points throughout the Clarendon Vale Community Park to supervise a small scale Clean the Plains as we walk through the park to the school grounds).



**We need extra volunteers to help distribute rubbish bags, gloves and clean up supplies, assist students during the walk, and help with rubbish disposal at the end of the event.**

If interested, please let Secretary Robyn know and she will advise Kathryn Cranny. More details will be provided closer to the event date.

## WE'RE IN THE EASTERN SHORE SUN ....

It was good to see some Bookshop publicity in the latest edition of the local newspaper the Eastern Shore Sun. While there were a couple of inaccuracies and the omission of some important information, it provided some key points of interest for potential customers. Many thanks to Bookshop Coordinator Terry Evans for organizing and doing the interview and also thanks to our friendly shop assistants Jill and Ken who were there to serve our customers.



## BOOKSHOP ACCESS CHANGED ....

With the closing of the store in the Little Howrah Beach Centre there has been some issues for Rotarians on duty in the Bookshop getting the key to access the shop. To solve any problems a key lock box (pictured) has been installed on the back door of the shop.

Those on duty should now drive to the rear carpark, find the lock box on the right hand side of the back door, enter the required code to gain access to key to the back door. The front door can be unlocked once inside the bookshop for our customers to enter. At the end of the day lock up both doors and put the key back in the lock box.



## HERE AND THERE ....

- Our duties organizing the entry gate for the Clarence Football Club's home games at Blundstone Arena were completed last weekend. Many thanks to all the volunteers who assisted throughout the season. Your diligence and friendliness were much appreciated by the CFC and the patrons.
- President Reg highly recommended all members read an article entitled "Your Guide To Everything Membership" in the current Rotary Down Under magazine. It has some excellent information and great ideas to ensure new members feel valued and engaged in the life of our Club.
- Next week is Book Week in all schools around the state. The 26 Ten groups at Rokeby and Clarendon Vale Primary Schools are organizing pop-up free book libraries for their families and students to celebrate reading and books. There will be free fruit too. Secretary Robyn advised that she will be proposing to the Board that our Club could support this initiative with a donation of new books.
- Projects Director Anne Reeves is asking for volunteers for the Rotary Young Driver Awareness program being run at Claremont College during Aug. and Sept. The volunteers act as ushers for groups of secondary students from southern Tasmanian high schools around the the various presentations about driver safety. Please contact Anne if you can assist and for more information.
- **RAFFLE WINNERS:** Annette took the red wine while Karin took the white.



## ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY .....

"We acknowledge and pay respect to the Tasmanian Aboriginal people as the traditional and original owners and continuing custodians of this land on which we gather and acknowledge Elders – past and present of Lutruwita".



## DIARY OF EVENTS ...

### AUGUST

Thurs. 24th Julie Dunbabin - Tasmanian Manager, School Lunch Prog.

Fri. 25th Friday Drinks @ Bellerive Yacht Club—5.00 pm.

Thurs. 31st Clarence City Council - Waste and Recycling

### SEPTEMBER

Thurs. 7th Club Assembly

Wed. 13th Coffee Club Local Grocer Cambridge 10.30.

Thurs. 14th Numan Rasul - Health Camp in Pakistan

Thur. 21st Behind the Badge - David Taylor

### Duty Roster.....

### Greeter

### Duty Officers

Thurs.24th Aug.

George

Anne S & Terry

Thurs. 31st Aug.

Bob

David H & Shirin

Thurs. 7th Sept.

Reg

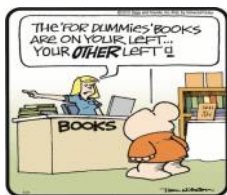
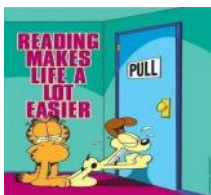
Rob & Helen

Thurs. 14th Sept.

Richard

Ken & Peter L

### ITS BOOK WEEK ...



### ATTENDANCE PROTOCOL

Members who **are unable** to attend Thursday meetings **OR** those who **do not require** a meal should **contact SHIRIN before lunchtime on Tuesdays.**

Contact SHIRIN at [smp@internode.on.net](mailto:smp@internode.on.net) OR 0466790991.