

## Club meets at Academy

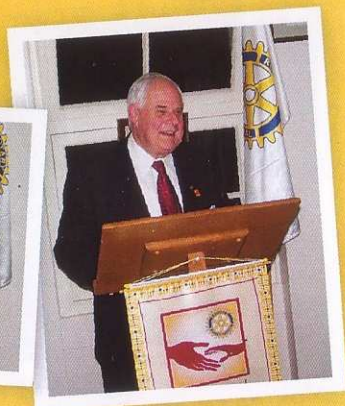
We enjoy a special relationship with the Victorian Police Academy and hold our breakfast meetings in their facility situated on the corner of Waverley Road and View Mount Roads, Glen Waverley. The meeting is held in a private function room, where a hot & cold buffet breakfast is provided at a very reasonable price.

Meetings commence at 7.00am for a 7.15am start every Wednesday and conclude at 8.15am sharp. At most meetings we have an informative guest speaker on an interesting subject. The Club is very democratic with little formality and a great emphasis on 'fun and enjoyment'.



## Guest Speakers of Interest

Membership covers working professional or business men and women in a variety of occupations, along with number of retired people who enjoy assisting their local community. It's a mix that works well.



We invite you to join us, to see if it's something you would like to be part of..

## Ladies are Welcome

The best way to test anything is to try it out, so why not come along as a guest and see if it's for you. You maybe surprised at the friendship you'll find. We especially hope that women will come along and meet up with our existing lady members.

Our membership is made up of people from many varied backgrounds, and we are keen to widen our pool of skills further. So, no matter what your occupation or interest, whether with your head or your hands, Monash Rotary welcomes you to 'trial' our CLUB.



## Want to know more:

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# THE CLUB



The Rotary Club  
Of Monash

## Local Schools get our support

The Club is involved with many Rotary Educational programs, but supporting and encouraging our local students is a prime commitment. This support is delivered through personal development programs with emphasis on Literacy, Science and Leadership.



## Learn Photography

In conjunction with RC Nunawading, one of our most visible projects is 'Rotary Photography' where hands on workshops are conducted on an ongoing basis throughout each year, training hundreds of people in the skills of Digital Imagery and photo retouching. The project provides funding for many local community service projects as well as Rotary Health Research.



## Tsunami damage repair creates international goodwill between Clubs

Monash Rotary is part of the world – wide network of service clubs that devote themselves to doing a little bit of good in the World. In 2005 a Tsunami devastated the water supply to the Uluru Girls Orphanage at kadappakkam, Tamil Nadu on the eastern coast of India. Monash Rotary in conjunction with a local Rotary Club in Chennai and RI International raised the funding to rebuild a new fresh water harvesting system to support the Orphanage.



## Drought relief for some

Nathalia in Victoria's North is one of regions devastated by the drought. As a measure of relief, we have been able to deliver what Government relief cannot, tonnes of household & personal cleaning/hygiene materials to the Country Womens Association for distribution to needy families.

## ARAST funding education of future farmers

ARAST is a recent major Club initiative to support farming youth who wish to make their future in agriculture. With the devastation caused by the drought, many farming families are not able to fund the education of their next generation in best practice farming. The Monash Rotary initiative - ARAST (Australian Rotary Agricultural Scholarship Trust) provides tertiary scholarships for talented youth from rural areas to help alleviate some of this future skill shortage.



## Social Events

Fun and enjoying the company of fellow Rotarians is an essential part of Club life. Social functions where partners & family get together and enjoy the company of other members and partners are a regular event. Partners are always welcome at weekly meetings as well. Winery tours, dinners, fund raising functions and conferences are typical functions.



## Support for ROMAC – saves Joyce

Recently a Rotary program called ROMAC (Reaching Overseas with Medical Aid for Children) was able to bring a badly burned girl Joyce Raymond from Papua New Guinea to Melbourne for life saving operations. Young Joyce who suffered horrific burns to 60% of her body languished almost a year in a Papua New Guinea hospital without complaint until discovered by a Rotarian. Through ROMAC her life saving treatment over many months at Monash Medical Centre was made possible.



## Anzac Ceremony for Schools

During ANZAC week in April each year, RC Monash conduct the annual 'Anzac Ceremony for Schools' event at the Cenotaph on the corner of Springvale/Waverley Roads. Over 800 school children attend to learn & participate in the history of our Anzac's. It is a very moving service delivered with the involvement of the RSL and the Defence forces.

