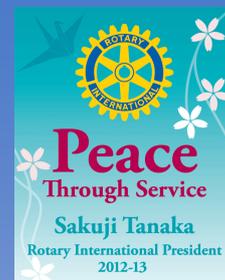




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ROTARY CLUB OF BEAUMARIS WEEKLY BULLETIN

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Presidents Report

Today we live in a world where technology seems to be taking over our lives.

The most noticeable thing to me is the amount of time you see young people on their smart phones. What are they doing on their phones all this time? As our guest speaker, Oscar Yildiz from "Bully Free Australia Foundation" pointed out to us, many kids these days are constantly chatting and checking what is happening amongst their circle of friends, using Facebook, twitter and text messages – they just don't want to miss out on the latest goss. Apparently they even sleep with their phones under their pillow!

Unfortunately this has a downside. It provides an ideal opportunity for bullies to say some pretty terrible things to vulnerable young people. These young people may not be able to handle this and could turn to suicide – which sadly is what happens.

Thank goodness we have people such as Oscar and the Bully Free Australia Foundation who are tackling this problem head-on and are trying to eradicate bullying from our society. See page three for more details on Oscar's presentation. And a big thank you to all our members who most generously provided a donation on the night to assist Oscar.

Our Mayoral golf day organiser Jim O'Brien filled us all in on this amazingly successful annual fund-raiser which is run jointly with Sandringham Rotary. Well done to Jim and all his team.

Jim and Tony brought along some "left over" coffee table books from the golf day that were offered to members for a donation. These were quickly snaffled up!

We had Carol Lawton along as our guest. She is the district chair for New Generations. Carol made a point of thanking our club, particularly Heather Chisholm, for the contribution made towards MUNA (Model United Nations Assembly), which is held over the weekend 4th and 5th of May at our State Parliament.

Next Meeting

THURSDAY 9 MAY

SPEAKER; MARTIN FOTHERGILL

TOPIC; NEW MEMBER TALK

CHAIR; DAVID RUSHWORTH

CASH; GLENDA LAUGHTON & CHRIS MARTIN

AV; DAVID LEA

HOST; HARRY WOLFE

THURSDAY 16 MAY

SPEAKER; A SHEN YUN PERFORMER

TOPIC; RENAISSANCE OF TRADITIONAL CHINESE CULTURE

CHAIR: MALCOLM SAWLE

CASH DESK: GLENDA LAUGHTON & CHRIS MARTIN

HOST: ZILLAY BATOOL

AV: DAVID LEA

THURSDAY 23 MAY

BEAUMARIS ROTARY ON THE WEB

CHAIR: MARY SEALY

CASH DESK: GLENDA LAUGHTON & CHRIS MARTIN

HOST: GEOFF ABBOTT

AV: DAVID HONE



AMAZING OPPORTUNITY

The Amazing Jonathon Usher

Magician / Comedian

30 July 2013 See Page 5

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We welcomed another guest John Morrison, who has previously, came along to our meetings – good to see you again John.

This week (9th May) we meet again at VGC where our own Martin Fothergill will give his new member talk. Martin is already a very active member and we very much look forward to hearing Martin’s story.

Stay safe everyone – and may your footy team win!

President John

Special Sight of the Week

With thanks to Tony Phillips our Sight of the Week contains a link to a very special movie;

Marvellous Melbourne - Queen City of the South

Made in 1910 this is not to be missed. See page 7 for details on how to access this treasure.



TRAILER AVAILABLE TO RCOB MEMBERS



OVERSEAS MODEL

A “6X4” steel box trailer is available to all RCOB Members for casual use. It has a 7 pin round plug, lights etc. . Please contact Geoff or Kerrie if you wish to borrow it. No registration / insurance; all responsibility

with the user.

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Come dressed in style for the opening of “The Great Gatsby” Prizes for best hat. 30 May 5:15 See page 6 for details.

people's choice
COMMUNITY LOTTERY

2013 People's Choice Community Lottery

Remember tickets are \$2 each and the buyer must fill in their name, address and a contact phone number. Each member is to complete the front page of their books and that front page is to be returned with their books. Please put the money in an envelope with your name on the front and return to Susan or Tony.

Please note;

- 1) Sales to Date; \$960
- 2) We have until end May to sell the tickets.
- 3) We have 3 spare books if anyone wants to sell more
- 4) In Susan’s absence please return money and books to Tony and Charmaine.

Note; As part of our arrangement with Hocking Stuart discounts on agents fees are available to RCOB members.

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MUNA (Model United Nations Assembly)

Another fantastic MUNA was held at Parliament House last weekend. Carol Lawton and her dedicated team spent many months of preparation to ensure that everything ran smoothly.

Thank you for the assistance of Beaumaris Rotarians during the weekend, some of us had a very early morning start. Jim O'Brien, Brian Kimpton, Chris D'Arcy, Richard Jones, Peter Flude and Maureen Flude. A special thank you to a vivacious young lady, Sallie Geary, who was on deck all weekend. President John dropped in to observe the proceedings. Rotaractors also assisted as "Diplomatic Couriers".

Beaumaris Rotary sponsored a team of delegates from Kilbreda College, Courtney and Melinda, representing Saudi Arabia. The winning team, France, Ashwood Secondary College. Runners up, Sweden, Emerald Secondary College. Best costumes, Russia, Mount Lilydale Mercy College.

Photos taken by Ian B during the weekend:
<http://rotarybmc.org/album/index.php?cat=32>

Heather Chisholm



This Week's Speaker; Oscar Yildiz
Topic; Bully Free Australia



Oscar was born in Melbourne and has 17 years teaching experience. He has taught in primary, secondary and tertiary institutions in Australia, Philippines, China, Turkey, Denmark and Tuvalu.

Oscar has an array of qualifications including Degrees and Diploma's in various disciplines; he's also a graduate of the Australian Institute of Company Directors.

As Mayor of the Moreland City Council in 2010/2011 – 2012/2013, Oscar a passionate advocate against bullying led the development of a range of bullying CALDCOM* storyboards to inform residents about all forms of bullying.

Through this work, Oscar developed relationships with Ali and Dina Halkic, (Parents of Allem Halkic), Senol and Aykut Erkan (Father and brother of Sheniz Erkan), who all participated in the launch of various storyboards on Workplace and Cyber Bullying. Allem and Aheniz both committed suicide as a direct result of suicide.

After discussions with various interested parties who had a passion for preventing bullying, Oscar was determined to establish a foundation that stood up against it. With the support of the Halkic family, Oscar brought a unique group of driven and passionate people with a common goal.

Vision

The vision of the Bully Free Australia Foundation is: to protect and empower Australian children and adolescents to live a fulfilling life free from all forms of bullying.



Mission

The mission of the Bully Free Australia Foundation is to provide genuine and enduring care for bullying victims and their families. We exist to identify and empower bullying victims, to support and stand side

(* Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Communication)

action and creating permanent positive change. We are dedicated and committed to raising awareness of bullying and its devastating consequences through schools, workplaces and the broader Community. We aim to provide young people with education to prevent bullying and work with bullies and their families to help create positive behavioural changes. We are passionate about establishing a no-tolerance culture of bullying in Australia and will work tirelessly to ensure that anti-bullying laws are implemented and enforced Nationally. We stand united in our quest to create a tomorrow where our children and adolescents live a fulfilling life free from bullying.

Oscar spoke with self evident passion about the problem of widespread extent of bullying across Australia. In the workplace it is those who are in positions of authority who are often responsible and the lives of their employees are made unbearable. It appears that those who should be able to help, human resource bodies and safety regulators are struggling to provide solutions.

However, most worrying, is the advent of cyber bullying, particularly, but not exclusively amongst adolescents. With the advent of social media and the 24/7 availability of mobile phones this form of bullying can be relentless and young vulnerable people do not always have the skills to handle this pressure.

The Bully Free Australia Foundation has only been in existence for less than a year and most of their small financial resources have so far been spent on establishment costs. While they have a wide range of sponsors most of these are sponsors in kind only and they have a desperate need for financial aid to progress their objectives.

To find out more about the organisation please see their website at;

<http://www.bfaf.org.au>





*The magnificent
Jonathan Usher*



*The Rotary Club of Beaumaris invites you to join us for
an evening of fun, fellowship and the magnificent
magic and humour of Jonathan Usher -Rotarian, P.P.
and DGE.*

*If you enjoyed Jonathan in Wangaratta you're going
to love this memorable night with a great meal in a
wonderful venue*

Bookings are essential.

Hurry—numbers are limited.

Contact: Megan Glenwright 0418 578 114
Email: glenwright@aapt.net.au
Venue: The Beaumaris, 472 Beach Road, Beaumaris
Date: 7.00pm Tuesday 30th July 2013.
Cost: \$60.00 per head (2 course dinner and coffee)

Drinks available from the bar. Please advise any Dietary requirements
when booking

Payment: Must be made prior to 15 July 2013 by cheque or direct
credit to BSB 633-000 Account No 121 443 964 -Account Name Rotary
Club of Beaumaris. Don't forget to include your name.

*All proceeds go towards the Reflection Garden at the
Sandringham Hospital and the Water and Sanitation
project in Sabu.*

AN EVENING WITH
JONATHAN

ROTARY CLUB OF BEAUMARIS
FUNDRAISING EVENT

THE GREAT GATSBY

OPENING NIGHT

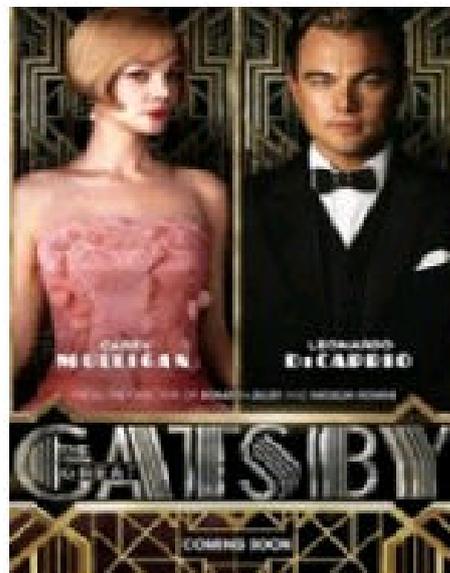
DENDY BRIGHTON

Thursday 30 May

Director: Ben Luhrmann

Main Cast: Carey Mulligan, Leonardo Di Caprio

The Great Gatsby follows Fitzgerald-like, would be writer Nick Caraway as he leaves the Midwest and comes to new York City in the spring of 1922, an era of loosening morals, glittering jazz and bootleg kings. Chasing his own American dream, Nick lands next door to the mysterious, party giving millionaire, Jay Gatsby, and across the bay from his cousin, Daisy, and her philandering, blue blooded husband, Tom Buchanan. It is thus that Nick is drawn into the captivating world of the super-rich, their illusions, loves and deceits. He pens a tale of impossible love, incorruptible dreams and high-octane tradgey.



Cost: \$30/ticket includes free pre dinner drink and food.

Time: 5:15pm to 5:45pm

Session Starts: 6pm

Funds raised go towards Rotary Club Of Beaumaris Projects

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		Vocation	Coordinate with program
TEAM MEMBERS			
International	Community	New Generations	Fundraising
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Larry Jackson	Mike Hede		Greg Every
Ken Mirams	Geoff Stringer		Susan De Bolfo
	Mal Parks		
	Ken Mirams		
	Judi Hall (TBC)	Membership and Marketing	Golf Day
	Chris D'Arcy	Peter Flude (Marketing)	Jim O'Brien
	Police car project	Antony Nixon	Peter Flude
	Roger Frewen		Tony Phillips
			Rob Fenton (Banker)

Marvellous Melbourne - Queen City of the South

An early documentary film about the City of Melbourne, then the interim capital city of Australia. Made in 1910.

The director Charles Cozens Spencer was famous for his bushranger films: He also made the 1915 Film "The Shepherd of the Southern Cross." He introduced Australia's greatest silent film-maker, Raymond Longford, to the business.

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