



# A Snakes Eye View

A Bulletin from the Rotary Club of Caboolture Inc.

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**WOW!! WE ARE BUSY FOR THE NEXT MONTH OR SO!!**

Hi All,

I am going to dedicate this Bulletin to listing the club's calendar for the rest of September, October and November as there is lot's happening that you all need to know about.

## **SEPTEMBER**

**20<sup>th</sup>** - A Special General Meeting of Caboolture Rotary Club will be held on Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> September, 6.30 for 7.00 pm, in the Cedar Room at Caboolture Sports Club, Morayfield.

Two Resolutions will be proposed at the meeting.

1. "That the **Constitution & Regulations** as printed in the attached "Proposed Caboolture Rotary Constitution and Regulations" be adopted."

This document is copied from one provided by District 9620 to confirm with the requirements of Rotary International and the Qld Office of Fair Trading, originally supplied by Rotary International South Pacific and Philippines Office (RISPPPO), North West, Sydney.

The only additions have been in Article 2 (Name of the Organization) and Article 4 (Locality).

No other changes to Part 1 would be acceptable. Any changes to Part 2 would require additional changes to Appendix A (attached). It is recommended that this Resolution be passed without amendment.

2. "This Club approves **participation in a pilot** to develop, test, and evaluate a new regional approach to supporting and governing Rotary and Rotaract Clubs and members in Zone 8 from July 2023 to June 2026."

Information on the **Regionalization Pilot Project** has been available to Rotarians and Clubs from several sources, including an address at our Club meeting by Past RI Director Noel Trevaskis, and on the web at <https://creatingtomorrowrotary.org/>. The project was supported by all Australian and NZ District Governors to gain initial authorization by the 2022 RI Council on Legislation.

Recent updates include:

- Rotary International Board's [statement](#) of support for the pilot
- A [statement and video](#) by RI Director Jessie Harman in support of the pilot
- Voting Fact Sheet (attached)

To proceed further it requires a Yes vote (by simple majority within each club) of two thirds of the Rotary clubs in Zone 8 (Australia, NZ, and the Pacific). As President I am required to forward this Club's decision to RISPPPO by noon on 29<sup>th</sup> September.

Before we vote on each resolution you can participate by asking questions and stating your opinion. You may also contact me before the meeting if you have questions

It is important to the future of Rotary in our Region that this project be allowed to continue, and that requires your vote. If you are not able to physically attend our meeting on 29<sup>th</sup> September you can join us by Zoom. A link will be sent to all members before the meeting

If you can't attend physically or by Zoom, I will accept your vote if you send it to be by email by 20<sup>th</sup> September. Please specify your vote Yes/No for Resolution 1 (Constitution), and also for Resolution 2 (Pilot Project)

Thank you and best wishes.

President Rob

**NB: Attachments mentioned here are available in the email sent to you all by President Rob dated 14/9/22**

**27<sup>th</sup> – Club meeting in the Cedar Room, Caboolture Sports Club – 6.30 for 7pm**

This evening we will hear from our NYSF student, Jess Scott after her recent trip to London to Attend another science forum. We will also hear from Bryson Kerr who will hopefully be attending NYSF in January with sponsorship from our club.

Just a reminder that the sports club is very busy on Tuesday evenings, so you need to get there as early as possible and order your meal. The room is available to us from 5.30pm.

**OCTOBER**

**4<sup>th</sup> – NO meeting** as we will be meeting for Officer of the Year the following evening.

**5<sup>th</sup>** – **Officer of the Year Awards** at Caboolture Sports Central (formerly RSL Club).

Please advise your attendance (or apology) to Riana asap if you have not already done so.

**6<sup>th</sup>** – **Pick up the trailer for the Christmas Raffle**

We are hoping to pick up the trailer on this day and store it in our shed.

**11<sup>th</sup>** – **RYDA – followed by our Club Business Meeting.**

The Business meeting will be held at the Rotary Shed immediately following the RYDA workshop – approximately 2.45pm. NO MEETING AT THE SPORTS CLUB!!

There is also a chance we will be involved with the BBQ at Terry Young's Seniors Expo at the same venue as RYDA that day.



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**16<sup>th</sup>** - **Lift the Lid Walk at North Lakes**

**18<sup>th</sup>** – **Another RYDA workshop.** Important business will be discussed at the shed following RYDA. NO MEETING AT THE SPORTS CLUB!!

**25<sup>th</sup>** – **Normal Club Meeting at Sports Club.** Program to be advised.

**29<sup>th</sup>** – **Bunnings BBQ.**

Contact Riana to secure your place on the team

**30<sup>th</sup>** – **Trailer moved into the shopping centre**

This will happen after 5pm on Sunday evening – volunteers needed to push it in and get it ready for the start of ticket sales on Monday 31<sup>st</sup> October.

Rotary has our first session on Thursday that week.

**31<sup>st</sup>** – **We dress up as ghosts and Ghoulies at the Historical Village**

A fun night out that you should get involved in!!

## **NOVEMBER**

**1<sup>st</sup>** – **Melbourne Cup Day – Club Business Meeting at a venue to be determined.**

The Sports Club will be really busy that day and may not be able to give us the Cedar Room.

**7<sup>th</sup>** – RYDA workshop

**8<sup>th</sup>** – Back to normal meetings I think

**12<sup>th</sup>** – BBQ at St Eugene's College

From 10:am to 1pm – all funds raised will go to a number of local foster care charities - Mercy, Anglicare, Uniting Care, and Churches of Christ. If you are available to assist please let Riana know

**15<sup>th</sup>** – Back to normal meetings I think

**22<sup>nd</sup>** – Club Annual General Meeting

This meeting will include the election of club officers and directors for the 2023/2024 Rotary year. Please prepare to put your hand up to get involved!!

**OK – ENOUGH!!!!!!!!!!!!**

### **The Rotary Scarecrow**

A few of us met at Bunnings recently to take on the challenge of building a Scarecrow! Something new and an enjoyable night.

Thankyou to Leon for the following description of our efforts:

A scarecrow stood in Bunnings one day  
Stuffed not with straw, but with rags and hay.  
She watched the shoppers pass on their way  
Who admired her garb so bright and gay.

She resulted from a night of fun,  
Built by Rotarians, planned on the run.  
The function was staged by Bunnings' staff

Bringing clubs together to have a good laugh.

She stood on a frame built by Chris,  
Clothed by Riana - too bright to miss,  
Star spangled shoes Lyn brought to the fray,  
Imported originally from the US of A.

Leon and Jan made a head and a wig,  
And a pair of old gloves completed her rig.  
To pad her out, with hay we filled her,  
Then, of course, we named her "Matilda."

We worked along with childish glee.  
Matilda resulted from our thinking free.  
At two metres tall, she looked quite grand,  
With two other scarecrows on either hand!

The one on her right had flowers and curls  
Put together by Zonta Club girls.  
While the gent on the left, for all to see,  
Came from the Orchid So-ciet-y.

Thanks to Bunnings for hosting the fun -  
One of the many odd things we have done -  
Scarecrow night we must remember  
Is on again, next year in September.

Leon Misfeld

Rotary Club of Caboolture

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The current Zoom link to our meetings is:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84245451534?pwd=UmM2MVBtU1FtSUpaUnc4U2FnMWJLZz09>

### **Meeting duties for September 2022**

The following Rotarians are rostered to help control our meetings in **September**:

**Charlie Cope**

**Kathy Finter**

**Lyn Griffith**

There are jobs that need to be done for each meeting and the **rostered trio will decide who does what.**

The room needs to be set up, preferably by 6pm.

One of them needs to chair the meeting.

Someone needs to look after guests and speakers.

The room needs to be packed up.

All simple stuff you say – but we can't keep relying on one or two people to do it all the time. Time to share the load a bit.

If you are un-able to meet these commitments, please organise to swap with another member.

## **RYDA**

### **Our next RYDA workshop is on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> October**

We are Hosting the Morayfield State High School year 11 students.

The following members are on the roster:

Catering: **Riana and Lurline**

Set up Speed and Stopping: **Leon and Bob**

Set up Community Hall: **Rob and Allen**

Set up Av: **Steve and Chris**

Guides: **Rob, Allen, Bob, Karen, Jan Page and Leon**

\*\*\*\*\* If you can help with setting up for the day between 7.30 and 9am you would be more than welcome as we really need some help. We might even give you a free coffee!!!!!!

## **Christmas Trailer Raffle**

The Trailer raffle is upon us again. We need to go shopping for goodies to fill the trailer – Riana will need help – contact her please.

Here is a Roster for the first week – Monday 31/10 until Sunday 6/11

Don't miss out on your favourite spot, contact Chris immediately!

Rotary Caboolture's times are in Red/Pink – Shifts are 4 Hours long!





