

LAKE TAUPO ROTARY RAMBLE



News Brief

Rotary Foundation donations can be given to Bob Jollands or RoseMary. The function for the Cycle Challenge volunteers will now be 2 weeks before the next Cycle Challenge (rather than the 18th of May as originally advised).

As we gather more information about the heart ultrasound machine we are developing a clearer understanding of how it will be used. It will initially be housed in the outpatients' area and manned by a trained operator for two days per week. This means that it will essentially be a diagnostic tool to look at the general health of the heart. Access will be by appointment. Emergencies will still be dealt with at Rotorua or Hamilton hospital. Also, a correction from Maureen – "David Clark is minister of Health, David Parker is Attorney General".

A reminder from RoseMary – Our Community Awards, and Pride of Workmanship awards are being given out on the 20th of May (that's next month!!!). Keep looking for suitable awardees. Please give details to RoseMary.

Next meeting:

Tuesday 16th April

Area 12 meeting in Turangi.
Speaker: Winner of Taupo Nui-a-Tia
College RSA ANZAC Essay comp
Venue: Tongariro Lodge
Time: 6.00 for 6.30 pm
Cost: \$25pp Raffle \$5
Rotary Bus: 5.15 pm Departs Rotary House
Self Drive: 5.20 - 5.25 pm depart

Apologies -

Call Margy by 11am Sunday prior to meeting –
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Upcoming Meetings

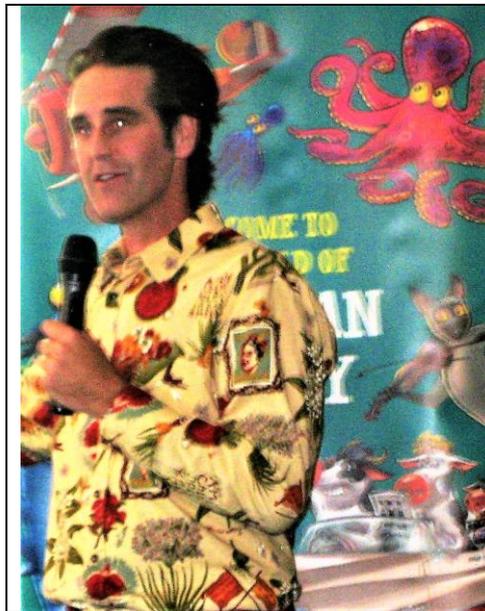
29th April – Club Forum & Board meeting
6th May – RYLA awardee & ANZAC competition winner
13th May – Verna Cool-Jackson (Medical Miracles)
20th May – Community Awards

Upcoming Events

22nd April – Easter Monday (no meeting)

Special note

Your editor is on holiday next week so there will not be a newsletter. Please refer to the notes above for upcoming meetings and events.



Donovan Bixley gave us an insight into how he has published over 100 books and has had some of his work translated into 18 languages. His version of "Wheels on the Bus" is instantly recognisable and just keeps on selling.

The secret to his success is to give his own spin on easily recognisable stories and characters. Then, he uses a combination of images (to give detail to the setting) and a minimal amount of script (to make it easy for children to read).

The Free Rotary Community Van



We are grateful to the local business listed for their support of our Community Van. Please support them!