

PRESIDENT DAVID VIRGIN

2020/2021



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MEETING NUMBER 2084 Thursday 10th June 2021
Venue: The Grosvenor Hotel

Our Chair for this meeting was Peter Francis

President David:

- Welcomed members, Tim Prance (speaker) and Janice Prance.
- Informed members that Reg Arnold is home from hospital. And, Bob Hall is in the Victor Harbor Hospital undergoing some tests. We send our best wishes to both Reg and Bob.
- Birthday Raelene Mullins – 9th June
- Rotary Anniversary Alan Kluske - June, 1987
- Thank you and congratulations to everyone involved in the Quiz night. It was a terrific success and raised a total of \$3,720.
- More Community Grants have been distributed this week to some very enthusiastic and appreciative group representatives.

Secretary Deidre:

- Placed an order for a variety of badges today. The order can be added to – please let her know if you need a badge. If haven't already done so.
- The Annual Report is nearing completion and will be sent via email to members.
- Arrangements for the Changeover are going well. There are 46 bookings.

Director's reports:

Vocational Service: Peter Francis

- Arrangements are well underway to support the Victor Harbor High School Personal Learning Plan Mentors program on Friday Morning 18 June from 9-11.30. Please arrive at 8.50am.

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- Attendees are: Sue Dixon, Alan Mullins, Peter Manuel, Ken Carter, Bob McFarland, Jeanette Rich and Peter Francis. (Please contact Peter Francis if there are changes to this list)

Community Service: Ken Carter

- Thanked members for their contributions to the very successful Quiz Night. A total of \$3,720 was raised. Funds raised will assist students from the Fleurieu Peninsula to address barriers to participation in tertiary education.
- More Community Grants have been distributed this week to some very enthusiastic and appreciative group representatives. More to be distributed next week.
- A draft list of 2021-2022 Committee structures has been distributed this week. Please let Ken know if you wish to change.

Youth Service: No Report

Rotary Matters:

Community Grants Distribution:

Victor Harbor Lutheran Church	Purchase of a defibrillator for emergency use by the 20 community groups that use the church facilities.
South Coast Environment Centre	To support a young, local resident to publish his book "Birds of the Hindmarsh River Trails"
Victor Dragons Inc	Construction of a storage & maintenance facility at Encounter Bay Sporting Precinct.
Friends of the Hindmarsh River Estuary Group	Purchase 2 'tree poppers' to remove invasive saplings from the estuary area.
Victor Harbor Regional Art Gallery	Upgrade signage in keeping with the historical precinct.
South Coast Christian Community Care	A helping hand to those in need (Various)
Open Light Community Garden	Build an espalier fence for fruit trees.
Pt Elliot Town & Foreshore Imp Committee	Create an artistic defining feature in Contemplation Site (Soldiers Memorial Gdns).

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Guest Speaker: Tim Prance
**Topic: The High-Country
History and Scenery**



Janice & Tim Prance

This meeting was a wonderful opportunity for members to catch-up with Tim and Janice Prance. Their friendships & community involvement have lasted many years. Tim has an enduring love of the Victorian High Country – making 8 camping trips over the last few years. Not for the faint-hearted the area is remote, rough and challenging. The history extends back to the goldfields when life was often difficult. The scenery is magnificent; vegetation changes with the snowline, there's a mix of forest land where timber is cleared sustainably and National Park. Single tracks, open in the summer months, are only suitable for 4WD – when another car approaches, one has to back-back. There are steep drops or high cliffs on either side making 3-point turns nigh impossible. Tim recommends travelling with other people in a group. There are many benefits in sitting around a camp-fire drinking wine with friends and for assistance with vehicle break-downs.

High Country Hut, Mountains and Rivers



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Peter Manuel

- Thanked members for undertaking his duties while he has been away.
- While away Peter contacted past president, Gill Houlihan and Paul Houlihan. They enjoyed a wonderful catch-up over drinks at the Yeppoon Yacht Club. Gill sends her best wishes to members.



Jeanette Rich

- Is unable to do the market duty at Goolwa on the 20th June. Alan Kluske will fill-in and tow the trailer back.

Attendance: Members In attendance 17 - Apologies 6 - LOA 2 = 68%

Also, in attendance Hon member Graham Brown

200 Club: 55 – Brenton Abbott

MARKETS:

Port Elliot Markets – Des – is seeking assistance from a member to occasionally put-up and take-down the “market today” signs. (Des and Phil have been sharing the task– could a member please offer to take Phil’s spot?)

MARKET ROSTER:

Jeanette Rich is now taking on the Market Roster. Please contact Jeanette for Market Roster duties.

Paperwork for markets July onwards has been distributed to members. Please return paperwork or email your availability to Jeanette ASAP.

20th JUNE Goolwa: AM – David Virgin and Alan Mullins

PM – Alan Kluske and Jenny Whitnall

Alan Kluske will tow trailer back

19th JUNE Pt Elliot: AM – Jeanette Rich and David Virgin

PM – Barry P and Ken Buckley

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PROGRAM - Rotary Club of Encounter Bay

Partners and guests very welcome

RSVP for the Changeover is required by 17th June

For catering and/or attendance purposes, if you will be an apology or are bringing guests you must advise **Fleurieu Crash Repairs 8552-4833** no later than **1600 hrs the day before (Wednesday)**. Remember also, when food is available, to advise of any dietary requirements.

Date	17 June 2021	24 June 2021	1 July 2021	8 July 2021
Meeting No:	2085	2086	2087	2088
Guest Speaker	Leann Symonds	Changeover	Club Assembly	
Topic	VH Council Community Programs			Committee Meetings
Chair	Alan Mullins		President Ken Carter	
Raffle	NA	Brenton Abbott Ken Carter Cherilyn Fleming Alan Kluske Colin Wormald	NA	NA
Location	Grosvenor Hotel Order from the menu	Port Elliot Bowling Club	Grosvenor Hotel Order from the menu	Directors to meet with their committee at a day/time/venue to suit

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