



# ROTARY CLUB OF BLACKWOOD

Chartered 14<sup>th</sup> September 1970

## DISTRICT 9520



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2019-20

*Mark D. Maloney*

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### THE FOUR WAY TEST

Is it the TRUTH?

Is it FAIR to all concerned?

Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?

Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?



President Bernie

### President Bernie

#### CHANGE OVER MEETING (on Zoom)

7 pm The meeting was opened by Terry Tierney with 25 members and 2 guests present.

President Bernie cited the Four Way Test

The National Anthem was then sung by all and led by Kevin Marsh.

President Bernie then welcomed Rotarians, their partners and I.P.D.G. Kym Harvey, who was inducted as the president of the Holdfast Bay Rotary Club last Sunday.

C.F.S. Captain Jamie Emwiler

#### Apologies were received from

- C.F.S. Captain Mark Brooks who had a prior engagement
- C.F.S. Captain Ben Gloyn, who was dealing with a bereavement.
- Our honorary member, Sam Duluk (late sitting of parliament)
- Nicolle Flint.
- Neil White who pledged his support to continue "as a



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worker bee".

- Graham Lough.
- Naz Dastoor.
- Laura Richter
- Dave Russell
- Tom and Marlene Davenport, who wished Robyn and the Club well.

Bernie then proposed a toast to all our partners, particularly focussing on our life partners who provide all the support for the members to fulfil their motivations to better serve our community in our efforts to make the world a better place. -- All members then joined the toast.

Bernie then gave his Annual Report summary, stating that every member would get an electronic copy of the Club's Annual Report, but have the option of getting a printed copy if they desired. Please see the email from Secretary Chris.

### PRESENTATION OF AWARDS

#### Community Services Awards

Our Community Services Award this year was awarded by the board to Captain Mark Brooks of the Belair C.F.S, Captain Jamie Emswiler of the Blackwood C.F.S, and Captain Ben Gloyn of Eden Hills CFS. For full details of this Award and the recipients, please refer to the Annual Report.

- Mark joined the C.F.S. in February 1982 and volunteered for 34 years before being elected by his station's volunteers to be Captain of Belair in September 2016. In 2018/19 Belair station attended 142 incidents and gave 1,086 hours of service.
- Jamie joined the C.F.S. in 2006 and was elected as Captain in September 2018. In 2018/19 Blackwood station attended 230 incidents and gave 5,445 hours of service.
- Ben joined the C.F.S. in 2001 and was also elected as Captain in September 2018. In 2018/19 Eden Hills station attended 153 incidents and gave 6,885 hours of service.

The honour board will be displayed in Australia Fire and Rescue, 190 Main Road, Blackwood for the ensuing 12 months.

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### **Presidential Awards (Please see the Annual Report for details)**

Presidential Awards were given to **Alan Eldridge, Graham Lough, Ken Roscrow** and **Sue Wymond**.

### **Paul Harris Awards**

**Peter Geer** received a sapphire pin to his original Paul Harris Award of 2015.

**Lillian Ross** was admitted to Paul Harris Award status.

### **Vern Surman Award.**

This year Immediate Past President Bruce and Bernie took unprecedented action and vetoed the objections of the Vice President to give the Vern Surman Award to our Vice President **Michael McClaren**.

### **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

**Finance Director**

**Treasurer**

**Community Service**

**International**

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**Club Service**

### **INDUCTION**

President Bernie then formally inducted President Elect Robyn as President for the 2020/21 Rotary Year and had Don deliver collar and lapel pin.

After the informal gathering of participants on Zoom, Bernie welcomed 24 members, but no guests. Bernie particularly welcomed Helen Henbest and David Neil to their first Zoom meeting.

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### COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARDS



**Belair CFS Captain Mark Brooks**



**Blackwood CFS Captain  
Jamie Emswiler**



**Eden Hills CFS Captain Ben Gloyd**



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### Upcoming Events

**Next Meeting is at Pres. Robyn & Don's home on Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> July**

| Meeting No      | 2524        | 2525        | 2526                   | 2527                    |
|-----------------|-------------|-------------|------------------------|-------------------------|
| Date            | 7th July    | 21st July   | 4 <sup>th</sup> August | 18 <sup>th</sup> August |
| Speaker         | Committees  |             |                        |                         |
| Topic           |             |             |                        |                         |
| Chairman        | Pres. Robyn | Pres. Robyn | Pres. Robyn            | Pres. Robyn             |
| Sergeant        | Terry       | Terry       | Terry                  | Terry                   |
| Relationship    |             |             |                        |                         |
| Setup           |             |             |                        |                         |
| Registration    |             |             |                        |                         |
| Bulletin Editor | Richard     | Richard     | Richard                | Richard                 |

**To ensure guests are acknowledged properly their names should be given to the Registration Officer to assist the President and Bulletin Editor.**

**For BREC bookings: 1300 327100**