



# ROTARY CLUB OF INVERLOCH Inc.

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**MEETINGS** at the **INLET HOTEL**: Wednesdays:- 6.15pm Fellowship, 6.30 Meeting  
**TONIGHT**: Club Meeting: Rotarians & Friends

## Rotary International:

R.I. President 2012-13: **Sakuji Tanaka** District 9820 Governor: **Tony Spring**  
Assistant Governor: **David Brook**

## Rotary Club of Inverloch:

### Board Members:

Gerry Lonergan (President), Ken Fisher (Immediate Past President), Ian Turnbull (President Elect & Treasurer), Terry Grace (Secretary), Rob Warren, Ron Paice, Ross Wise, Susan Hacker.

### Committees:

**Executive / Club Administration:** Gerry Lonergan, Ian Turnbull, Terry Grace

**International:** Susan Hacker (Director)

**New Generations:** Rob Warren (Director), Gerry Lonergan

**Public Relations:** Ron Paice (Chair), Ian Turnbull, Terry Grace

**Membership:** Terry Grace (Chair), Gerry Lonergan, Rosa Turner

**Community Projects:** Ross Wise (Director), Gerry Lonergan

**Service Projects:** Ross Wise (Director)

**Rotary Foundation:** TBC

### Other Responsibilities:

**Sergeant At Arms:** Ron Paice

**Clock Tower:** Paul Everitt

**Photographer:** Rosa Turner

**Web Master:** Terry Grace

**Boat Raffle:** Ian Turnbull

**Music In The Glade:** Paul Everitt

**Bulletin Editor:** Terry Grace

**Market Committee:** Ken Fisher

**Historian:** Ivan Fell

**Assistant Secretary:** Rosa Turner

**Program:** Ron Paice

**Jazz Festival:** Marilyn Warren

**Food & Wine Festival:** Terry Grace

**Asst Treasurer:** TBC

## **MEETING SCHEDULE**

DATE	PROGRAM	INVITE
Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> October	Board Meeting & Club Meeting	Rotarians
Wednesday 10 <sup>th</sup> October	Warrawee Seniors Club, Winston Parsons	Rotarians & Friends
Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> October	Social Night	Rotarians & Friends
Wednesday 24 <sup>th</sup> October	'Community Banking' - Jackie Laurie, Bendigo Bank	Rotarians & Friends
Wednesday 31 <sup>st</sup> October	TBC	Rotarians & Friends

**INVOCATION:** For good food, good fellowship and the privilege of giving service through Rotary, we give our thanks.

**TOAST:** Australia and Rotary.

**Last meeting:** Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> September 2012.  
**Agenda:** Club Meeting: Social night at Korumburra  
**Apologies:** Not taken.  
**Attendance:** Not recorded

### **This week's 'Attempt at Humour':**

Stevie Wonder is playing his first gig in Tokyo and the place is absolutely packed to the rafters. In a bid to break the ice with his new audience he asks if anyone would like him to play a request.

A little old Japanese man jumps out of his seat in the first row and shouts at the top of his voice "Play a jazz chord ! Play a jazz chord .

Amazed that this guy knows about Stevie's varied career, the blind impresario starts to play an E minor scale and then goes into a difficult jazz melody for about 10 minutes. When he finishes the whole place goes wild. The little old man jumps up again and shouts "No, no, play a Jazz chord, play a jazz chord".

A bit pissed off by this, Stevie, being the professional that he is, dives straight into a jazz improvisation with his band around the B flat minor chord and really tears the place apart. The crowd goes wild with this impromptu show of his technical expertise.

The little old man jumps up again. "No, no. Play a jazz chord, play A jazz chord". Well and truly teed off that this little guy doesn't seem to appreciate his playing ability Stevie says to him from the stage "OK smartie. You get up here and do it !"

The little old man climbs up onto the stage, takes hold of the mike and starts to sing: ". . . A jazz chord to say I *ruv you* "

### **From DISTRICT 9820**

#### **Rotary International President, Sakuji Tanaka, September Message:**

Many of you know that we now have five Avenues of Service in Rotary. The fifth, and newest, is New Generations Service. There are many ways to serve through this avenue, and you will read about some of them in this month's issue.

All of the work we do to educate children, to improve maternal health, to help families live healthier lives – all of this is service to New Generations. We also serve New Generations by working to eradicate polio, helping to ensure that future generations of children will be born into a polio-free world.

Our youth and young adult programs, such as Rotaract, Interact, Rotary Youth Leadership Awards, and Rotary Youth Exchange, are a very important part of this Avenue of Service. We must remember that the youth of today are the leaders of tomorrow. By helping to develop young leaders and bringing younger members into our clubs, we strengthen communities – and Rotary's future.

For most of my life, I have been a salesman. I learned long ago that being a good salesman is not enough. You must also have a good product. If you are a good salesman, you will make the first sale. But if you do not have a good product, you will make only the first sale. You will not make the second.

It is not enough to bring new members into Rotary. We want them to stay. We want the new, young members to become longtime members. We want them to be Rotary leaders in 10, 20, or 30 years.

How do we do this? We have to look at our product. We have to look at Rotary not with our own eyes, but with new eyes. When we invite a new member to join and that person's answer is no, we should ask why. This is not to pressure someone into joining. It is to find out more information. What are the obstacles to membership? Is it an inconvenient meeting time? Is it too much of a time commitment? Is it something else that we have not thought of?

We need to ask questions, and we need to open ourselves to the answers. We cannot say, "No, we will not do this," just because we have never done it before. Why not have child care at a meeting? Why not involve families in projects? Why not make attendance requirements less strict, or meet less often?

Our new Avenue of New Generations Service is an important step in ensuring many future generations of Rotary, and of Service Above Self.

### **September is New Generations Month**

**2012/13 District Conference:** GEELONG,  
February 21-24, 2013

**ROTARY INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION:** LISBORN, PORTUGAL  
23-26 June, 2013

Check out the District website for more details



## CLUB MEMBERS 2012/13

<u>MEMBER</u>	<u>PARTNER</u>	<u>HOME Ph.</u>	<u>MOBILE Ph.</u>	<u>CLASSIFICATION</u>
Frank Bain*	Lorraine	5674 1671		Plumbing.
Patrick Barry	Susan	5672 2945	0418 124 100.	Real Estate Consult.
Paul Everitt (P.P.)*	Heather	5674 2210	0408 242 210.	Sheetmetal.
Ivan Fell (P.O.)*	Fae	5674 1167		Pastrybaking.
Ken Fisher (P.P.)	Margaret	5663 5256		Grazier.
Tess Flaherty		5674 6270	0425 723 558	Administration
Terry Grace	Kathy	5674 2012	0423 749 227	Purchasing
Susan Hacker		5672 5058		Education Secondary
Sue Little		5674 6060	0400 835 100	Interior Design
Gerard Lonergan		5674 3931	0458 009 291	Education Secondary
Ron Paice (P.O.)	Jan	5674 1046		Govt Finance
Ray Peters (P.P.)	Joan	5674 3010	0408 055 988	Dairy Farming.
John Peterson	Christine	9428 7696	0407 813 389	Home Maintenance.
Ian Turnbull	Pam	5674 2392	0408 549 866	Teaching
Rosa Turner	John	5674 6183	0438 600 287	Care Services
Marilyn Warren (P.P.)	Robin	5674 1181	0429 696 450	Nursing.
Robin Warren	Marilyn	5674 1181	0448 533 021	Power Generation.
Ross Wise (P.P.)	Judy	5674 3090	0407 343 451	Bus Services.

*P.P. Past President of this club P.O. Past President of another club. \*Charter Member*

### HONORARY MEMBERS.

Kathy Everitt, Stan Stubbs, Fay Suckling, Ian & Mary Monro, Ian & Margaret Blackwell.

### Links & Club Contact Details:

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... and listen to Rotary Round Up on  
Hits & Memories 3mFM: 88.1, 89.1 or 89.5  
11am Fridays

Please take a look at our latest Rotary project: [www.inverloch.org.au](http://www.inverloch.org.au)



Rotary International President, **Sakuji Tanaka**, has announced the Rotary Theme for 2012-13:



.... **PEACE THROUGH SERVICE** ....

