



Around the club...

Change to meeting venue

Cheryle has finally managed to get hold of the Sporting Club Hotel, and the scope of renovations is now greater than expected. They have to conform further to meet Council requirements and will not be a viable venue in the short to medium term. Cheryle has spoken with the caterer who has the contract for Carlton Football Club. We have booked their other venue "The Treacy Conference Centre" at 126 The Avenue (on the corner of Walker Street and The Avenue) for all relevant meetings until the end of June (except for the meeting at BIA – see our upcoming program below).

Bagong Barrio Visit

Cheryle tells us that the club President and incoming President will be considered "VIP's" in Manila, and she presented David Kennedy with an Income President's Rotary medal!

Two Rotary wheels will be presented in Bagong Barrio, one to the Health Centre with a plaque (see picture to the right), and the other to the kiddie centre.



President's change over

Income President David Kennedy advised that change over will be a **lunchtime event on Sunday July 6th**, venue TBA.

Minor raffle prizes

David Earley advised that all of the minor raffle prizes, which were drawn at the Dance into Autumn, have now been distributed.

John Lazzaro

Greg advised that John Lazzaro has moved from hospital into a nursing home, and suggested the club contact Sylvia to organise a visit.

Guest Speaker

Our guest speaker today was Timm, one of our most recent members, who's Regional Manager of National Storage. NS is an Australian based business which started in Queensland in 1990, and grew from 3 centres in Queensland to 59 around the country (except ACT and NT), and went from 10 to 210 staff. Timm started with them the day after "September 11," 2001 of course. Another 10 centres will be opened next month. Melbourne storage centres have around 15,000 customers, or around 1,000 per centre.



Clients include residential clients, commercial (including Mars and Swarovski... *this little bulletin editor would LOOOOVE to see those units... drool, drool!!!!*) They also have wine storage and archiving units, along with “personally designed by Timm” very strong storage boxes, that as Timm demonstrated, a person can stand on!

Timm had some interesting stories which I won't include in this bulletin, but for those of you who missed the meeting, make sure you ask Timm!!

Upcoming Club Program

Wednesday May 28	Breakfast 7:15 for 7:30am	Brunswick Industries function Carlton Football Club Function Rooms*
Thursday 5 June	Night meeting 6:15 for 6:30pm	Treacy Conference Centre (see location and map below)
Thursday 12 June	Lunchtime 12:45 for 1:00pm	Meeting at Brunswick Industries 3-7 Syme Street, Brunswick
Thursday 19 June	Lunchtime 12:45 for 1:00pm	Treacy Conference Centre
Thursday 26 June	Lunchtime 12:45 for 1:00pm	Treacy Conference Centre

* the BIA function is in place of our regular weekly lunchtime meeting.

Treacy Conference Centre is at 126 The Avenue (corner Walker Street), Parkville, behind Wool House. Parking is on the street street or at the zoo.

