



# Rotary

## Club of Strathfield



### Strathfield Rotary Bulletin 16 November, 2022 District 9675

#### Club meeting held 9 November, 2022



The guest speaker was **Ian Albertson**. Ian is the President of the Homebush Probus Club and a Past President of Strathfield Rotary Club.

The Homebush Probus Club was sponsored by this Rotary Club and was accredited in May 2019.

Meetings are held on the second Monday of each month in the Ironbark Room at the Strathfield Library and Innovation Hub. Lunches and outings are held regularly. Members range in age from the 50's to 101 years of age.

Photo (left) **Ian Albertson**

Photo (below) President of the Homebush Probus Club and Rotary Past President, **Ian Albertson** and President of Strathfield Rotary Club, **Andrew Aravanis**.



## Club news

Following the Police Officer of the Year Awards Event held 25 October, 2022 the following email was sent to Steven Argyris, Chairman, Police Awards Organising Committee.

*Good Afternoon Sir,*

*Two weeks ago today, we were all getting ready for the Rotary Club of Strathfield Police Officer of the Year Awards. I wanted to thank yourself and your fellow Rotarians, for your generosity in hosting the night and acknowledging the work undertaken by myself and my peers at Auburn and our neighbours at Burwood. It is a privilege and an honour to be nominated for such a worthwhile Award. I've had the privilege of attending several of these events over the years and each and every time, they are a memorable night.*

*I can imagine how much time and effort goes into organising these events and be assured it was greatly appreciated by ourselves, the nominees, and our family and friends.*

*Thank you once again.*

*Regards,*

*Linda. Auburn Local Area Command.*

Following Professor Adam Guastella's presentation last week, the Board has agreed to donate \$1,000 to Australian Rotary Health for research into mental health – especially for those aged twelve years and under.

Chalmers Road School is holding a fundraising Trivia Evening Saturday 12 November. This Rotary Club has been a great supporter of the Chalmers Road School for many years – both in financial assistance and Rotarians dedicating time to support the Principal, staff and students.

**Volunteers are still needed** to attend the end of year presentation days at several local schools for the handing out of the **Strathfield Rotary Citizenship Awards**. If you are able to assist and attend one of these schools for the presentation, please contact **Bradley Ayres**. [brad.cheryl@bigpond.com](mailto:brad.cheryl@bigpond.com)

## Upcoming events

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| 16 November | Sue Williams – Author and Journalist<br>This event is a Partners' and Friends function |
| 23 November | In conversation with Rotarian Bill Carney  |
| 30 November | Teresa Russell. Topic is - Mason Park Wetlands   |
| 3 December  | Christmas Carols in Strathfield Park   |
| 7 December  | Club Annual General Meeting  |
| 14 December | <b>Christmas Party</b>   |



Left: Rotarian **Jan Barrett**



Right: Rotarian **Jaya Challa**



Above: Rotarian **James Cook** with Past President and Treasurer **Rod McDougall**.



Top left: Club Service Director and Past President **Grahame True**

Top right: Past President **Raymond McCluskie** and President **Andrew Aravanis**



President Homebush Probus Club and Past President Rotary **Ian Albertson**, Rotarian **Janelle** and Past President **Charles Pitt**.

(Photos taken and supplied by Club Secretary **Steven Argyris**)