

The Point















COMMUNITY ECONOMIC

From the President



President Martin and Secretary Matty attended the District Conference in Toowoomba. It was a fascinating weekend of networking, listening to inspiring speakers, and sharing ideas for future projects.

We continued to assist in delivering Jaipur Palace's generous meal donations to the Capalaba Community Centre.

Our plans to host a gin tasting event at Wellington Point Farm were put on hold due to lower-thanexpected ticket sales.

Not to miss out completely, we as a club went to a gin tasting evening at the Redlands Coast Gin Distillery in Capalaba, where we were ably hosted by Steve, who told us that his family's business is the first legal distillery in the Redlands. As well a sampling the drinks we had some very tasty food from the food trucks there that night.

The Rotary Club of Capalaba's major event, the Redlands Bluesfest, was a big drawcard for fans of blues, and we were proud to have been invited to assist in the running of this event.

A week later, we ran our own event of Music and Pancakes on the Village Green at Wellington Point. We would like to thank Night Ninjas for providing the delicious pancakes and the Birkdale Men's Shed musicians for the entertainment. Their help made this morning a success, and more of these events are scheduled for the future.

The last Saturday in April saw us providing a barbecue for the tree planting volunteers in Victoria Point. Redlands City Council continually strives to engage the public in helping make our environment green, and we are only too happy to help.

We, of course, continue with our own commitment to keeping our environment healthy by cleaning up litter at Wellington Point Reserve.

Best wishes to all our readers.

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