



Rotary Clubs of Sale

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Rotary District 9820

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**WEDNESDAY 13TH APRIL 2022 –
VISIT TO MAFFRA MOTOR MUSEUM
WITH ROTARY CLUB OF MAFFRA**



Some of the current display of English sportscars and Italian cars and bikes on display at the Gipsland Vehicle Collection

Members of the Rotary Clubs of Maffra and Sale had a most enjoyable visit to the Gipsland Vehicle Collection at Maffra. We wandered around the collection, including the current display of English sportscars and Italian cars and bikes.



Admiring the rebuilt rare Alfa Romeos owned by a Melbourne heart specialist

Some of us were fascinated by the chart of the timeline of cars in Australia, and spent time identifying the cars our families had owned down through the years, and by the amazing collection of model vehicles (supposed to be worth half a million dollars).



Rob Noble (3rd from left) gives an introduction to the collection to Neil Wishart (Rotary Club of Maffra), Philip Davis, Ted Pickering, Mike Smith, Adrian Rijs and Rod Exton

Collection volunteer Rob Noble and Collection Secretary Sue Lawrence gave us an introduction to the collection and the museum, and told us about the recent replacement of 23% of the asbestos roof (over the Model World collection).



Museum Secretary Sue Lawrence explains some of the history of the museum to Rotary Club of Maffra members and Kathy and Rob McKimm

We then travelled up to Duart to enjoy a meal and fellowship with the Maffra club members. There was much fun and laughter, especially with the fines session which took the form of passing the collection box around and everyone having the opportunity to pay a 'happy buck' or tell a humorous story of something that had happened to them. It was a most successful evening.



A very congenial meal is enjoyed by members of both clubs at Duart



Happy Birthday to Danny O'Brien on 2nd April, Ted Pickering on 4th April, Michael Page 13th April & John Castle on 16th April.

FUTURE MEETINGS and EVENTS:

Tuesday 19th April, 6pm Greyhounds Club, speaker Leah Adams, nursing during the pandemic

16th May onwards- Giant Rotary Book Sale

Trevor Watt is organising the great, big Book Sale which will be set up on 16th & 17th May and start selling on 18th May. We will be selling three year's supply of books that are no longer needed by the Wellington Shire libraries. This will be held at the Show Grounds.

Any queries re future meetings contact Adrian: Mob. 0408 517 062 (Text or call) Email arijs47@gmail.com

Please send Bulletin contributions to Sandra at sandrah@vic.australis.com.au by 21st April

**Next Rotary meeting- Tuesday 19th April 2022
at Sale Greyhounds at 6pm
book with Secretary Adrian Rijs by noon Tuesday**

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| Hutchinson | Elizabeth | Alan Lewis |
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