



# 44th A.G.F.R. Tournament 27 March—1 April 2022

## "Tee off in Tassie!"

Newsletter No 2 of August 2021 Claremont Golf Club, 1 a Bourneville Crescent, Claremont, Tasmania, 7011

All members of the AGFR organising committee are Rotarians with a total of over 270 years of Rotary service.

P/P **Eric Lown** (Joint Chair Director) (Claremont) joined Rotary in August 2009. Interests: are Rotary, golf, freshwater angling, reading and colonial art appreciation.



P/P **Brian Richardson** (Joint Chair Director) (Glenorchy) Joined Rotary in 1989 (Moonah), Organised motorsport events for 40 years including Targa Tasmania, President of CGC for 8 years, played golf in all states and some overseas countries and enjoyed his job as an architect – designing houses.



Rotarian **Sharon Goldsworthy** (Admin Director) (Claremont) joined Rotary in Jan 2020 - treasurer 2020-2021 - interests: travel, reading, catching up with friends.



Rotarian **David Hurd** (Finance Director) (Claremont) Joined Rotary in 1982. David spent around 23 years as both a commercial Accountant and a public Accountant followed by 33 years as Managing Director of his family business operating a specialist printing business. Has been a Rotary Board member on many occasions. Both he and his wife have travelled extensively with the Tasmanian Rotary Travel Group and participated in a Friendship Exchange with Taiwan in 2019.



PDG **Paul Grubb** (AGFR Director & Trophies) (Claremont) Joined Rotary in 1976 and President in 1984-85. DG in 2005-2006 and has been a member of AGFR since 2000. Interests: include golf, travelling overseas, or around Australia, playing golf with his wife Ann plus spending time with grandchildren, especially at their holiday home on the East Coast.



P/P **Mike Quinn** (Bulletins & Photography) (Glenorchy) Joined Rotary in 1990. Interested in bulletins, photography, travelling to New Zealand to visit family and AFL.



Tour Directors: P/P **Greg Saunders** (Claremont) Joined Rotary in 2010. Interests -Gym, crosswords, horse racing, Australian Rules Football (Geelong FC), travelling overseas. Passion: Ronald McDonald House Volunteer.



P/P **Rosie Marine** (Glenorchy) Rotarian for 17 years. Interests include reading, gardening and sports.



Rotarian **Fiona Ralph** (Glenorchy) Rotarian for 15 years. Interests are: art, listening to classical music and outdoor activities such as bushwalking.



President **Paul Fernyhough** (Claremont) Joined Rotary 1990 in Qld, PP Caloundra, AG District 9600, AG District 9830. Interests: Returned Servicemen Welfare, Founder Shipmates For Cancer Foundation and family.



President **Terry West** (Glenorchy) A Rotarian for 39 years. Interests: gardening and propagation of plants.



### The Claremont Golf Club Since 1923



The club is situated on Cadbury Estate, Claremont, north of Hobart. The area was originally known as Triffitt's Point and during WW1 was used to train soldiers before they moved to the war zones overseas. About 5000 soldiers were trained here.

Then, just over 100 years ago Cadbury Chocolate in the UK, was looking for a suitable temperate climate close to shipping, to set up a factory in Australia and chose the site at Claremont.

Cadbury Chocolate was owned by the Quakers, who looked after the staff and provided sporting and other facilities. As well, many houses were built for the staff. It is said that in 1923 the staff at Cadburys set up a crude golf course using tin cans for holes. From then on the Golf club developed.

In the 1950's another part of the property was developed into a bowls club. Both the Bowls and Golf clubs have had a few ups and downs, but right now are in a very stable and sound financial position.

Claremont Golf club is the only private Golf Club with public access, situated in the northern suburbs of Hobart, Tasmania and is within close proximity to the city and surrounding suburbs.

For more about the Golf Club go to: - <https://www.claremontgolf.com.au/>



Contact Details -AGFR, Admin Director, Sharon Goldsworthy, Rotary Club of Claremont Inc., PO Box 52, CLAREMONT TAS, 7011



Australian Golf Fellowship of Rotary web site is <https://agfr.org>

Follow us on Facebook

## TOUR GUIDE

### Monday 28/3/22—Mount Nelson Signal Station



The historical Signal Station site has some of the best views any eatery in Tasmania has to offer capturing over 180-degree views across the southern Tasmanian coastal landscape from the city of Hobart to the Tasman Peninsula, the D'Entrecasteaux Channel and beyond.

Near the Mount Nelson Lookout, you can go to the restaurant (below). Clients say that they like Australian cuisine here. Perfectly cooked cured salmon, seafood chowder and scallops are among the dishes to be tried at the Signal Station Brasserie. It is good to enjoy delicious red wine, gin or white wine. Plus a magnificent view.



### Tuesday 29/3/22 —Cascades Female Factory

In late December 1828, the first women were transferred to the refurbished distillery site, which was to become known as the Cascades Female Factory. The choice of location was greatly disputed. Some were concerned about its position at the base of Mt Wellington, identifying it as damp and dark. Others celebrated its isolation from the main settlement, a chance to remove the inmates from the disruptive elements of the town. Discussion surrounding the factory continued throughout its years of operation, least of all, the question of how to best foster 'proper feminine behaviour' in the women who, according to Reverend Henry Phipps Fry, were 'utterly insubordinate' and led 'the most flagitious lives'.



### Thursday 31/3/22— Salmon Ponds

Tasmania is now world-famous for its pure breed of brown trout as well as an abundance of rainbow trout, but that was not always the case. There were no trout in the crystal clear waters of Australia's island state when European settlers began to arrive in the early 1800's. And thus the Salmon Ponds were born. The base stock for all the streams and lakes in Australia and New Zealand were first raised here in 1864.



The Rotary Club of Glenorchy was chartered on 20th April 1964 with the RC of Moonah being its Mentor. Over time the membership has fluctuated and now is 25. The club meets at the Claremont Golf Club each Thursday. This facility is used for training of future chefs and bar staff.



The Rotary Club of Claremont-Brighton was chartered in 1968 and in 1981 with the RC of Glenorchy as its Mentor, became the **Rotary Club of Claremont** when the Rotary Club of Brighton was formed. Club membership has fluctuated over the years, presently 25, and is still a very active club.

### Accommodation In Hobart

Two prominent hotels have offered discounts to accommodate visitors. Both are in central Hobart close to the renown Constitution Docks and Salamanca Place eateries and bars.

*(left) Hadley's Oriental Hotel, Murry St. And (below) The Old Woolstore Apartment Hotel in Macquarie St.*



**Bookings are coming in fast, so don't leave it too late.**



### Friday 1/4/2022— Richmond Village Tour

Richmond is a picture-perfect town in the heart of the Coal River Valley wine region that tells the story of an early

Australian colonial village. This is the perfect place to learn about Tasmania's past and can be as easy as a

stroll down the pretty nineteenth century streets. Richmond has more than 50 Georgian buildings, many beautifully restored and now operating as cafes, restaurants, galleries and accommodation.



*Parts of this newsletter have been digitally altered*