



MONASH GULLY DISTRICT
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MONASH GULLY NEWSLETTER

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MONASH GULLY FREEMASONS' TASK FORCE

UNCLE BOB'S GOOD FRIDAY APPEAL 22nd April 2011.

The Task Force has just been notified that **SEVEN ELEVEN** will no longer allow Uncle Bob's Good Friday Appeal collections from their stores.

The Task Force executive is trying (at this late stage) to arrange alternate collection points, and as soon as information is supplied, I will pass it on to you. However, the collection **WILL** take place, in some form or other.

If your Lodge can assist with the Uncle Bob's Good Friday Appeal, please contact the Monash Gully District Task Force Coordinator Andrew Foster, on 9704-1259.
E-mail: gfos1111@bigpond.net.au

It would be appreciated if Lodges would notify me as soon as possible. Good Friday in 2011 is 22nd April, and it does not leave much time for Uncle Bob's to make arrangements for supply of rattle tins, identification etc.

Uncle Bob's will supply all collection materials including tabards prior to Good Friday. The tins will be collected and transported to Etihad Stadium for counting. All money collected will be presented to the Good Friday Appeal on behalf of Freemasons Victoria.

VICTORIAN TASK FORCE FLOOD ASSISTANCE

The Task Force has been busy in the Carisbrook area, helping a brother clean up and repair his home and restoring electrical power.

The weekend just past (February 26 and 27) had Task Force members at Dunolly, repairing fences for a lady farmer (her father is an elderly Freemason).

If you can assist at any time, email Glen Clement glenclementlodgesa@gmail.com or try his mobile 0418-184-382

Andrew Foster,
Monash Gully Task Force Coordinator.

CANTERBURY LODGE THEATRE NIGHT

Canterbury Lodge is running a Theatre Night at the Clayton Community Centre Theatrette, as per the flyer attached.

Len Richardson is the Canterbury Coordinator. 9807 9595 or email lenric1@bigpond.com

Date is 24th March Cost is \$20.00 per head.

All proceeds from this event will go to charity.

DISTRICT CHARITY

INTERCHANGE OUTER EAST

The District Panel has recommended that the Monash Gully District support this program for 3 years, at a cost of \$15,000 per year. The first and second year has already been accomplished, with the assistance of the Grand Lodge Board of Benevolence.

The third \$15,000 is required by the 30th June, 2011. I believe that this is an excellent on going charity for the Monash Gully District. The program is called THE FREEMASONS SIBLING GROUP PROGRAM.

I am sure that all Lodges in the Monash Gully District will support this very needy charity. Donations are Tax Deductable and cheques should be made out to Monash Gully District and posted to: Roland Denison, 73 Ayr Street, DONCASTER Vic 3108.

NEW DISTRICT COORDINATOR

Brethren, as mentioned in the February Newsletter, the Grand Master has appointed W.Bro. Lionel May, P.J.G.D, as the new District Coordinator for the Monash Gully District. Lionel will take up his appointment from 19th March, 2011. W.Bro. Lionel's contact details are:

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**Fraternal Greetings to all,
Graham Flaherty.
District Coordinator.**