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Program for Sep 2019

Theme: Fit for Purpose

You can use the theme for the month when you prepare a speech if you wish.

Meeting No.	262		263		264	
Date	2 nd Sep		16 th Sep		30 th Sep	
Speeches Coach	Michael		David		Rob	
Business Coach	Jenny		Ken		Michael	
Training Focus	Persuasive Speeches		Informative Speeches		Presentations	
Clyde Woods	Speech	8			Common Phrase	2
David Wajchman	CHAIRMAN	5	Training exercise	10		
Jenny Blain	Views on the News * with questions	8	Common Phrase	2		
Ken Parker			Persuasive Speech 1*	4	Presentation	5
Liron Lightwood			Persuasive Speech 3*	4	Presentation	5
Rob Ellison	Training Exercise	10	Views on the News * with questions	8		
Michael Middendorp			Persuasive Speech 2*	4	Presentation	5
Jurgis Maleckas			Persuasive Speech 2*	4	Presentation	5
Julian Howard	Speech	5	A review	5	Views on the News *with questions	8
Sharon Civiti	Speech	3			Persuasive Speech 4*	4
Melody Yu	Speech	5	CHAIRMAN		CHAIRMAN	4

Persuasive Speech 1: Persuade in favour of the statement "Social media has brought more harm than good"
 Persuasive Speech 2: Persuade against the statement "Social media has brought more harm than good"
 Persuasive Speech 3: Persuade in favour of the statement "iPads should be used in schools"
 Persuasive Speech 4: Persuade against the statement "iPads should be used in schools"

List of activities

A Word – Select a word that members may not have heard but that could be used in general conversation. Present your chosen word with a clear definition and some examples of its usage in a 2 minute speech. The members at the meeting are to try to incorporate the word into the speeches and activities for the evening.

Readings - An extract (generally 2 to 3 minutes) that stands on its own and can be memorable in some way. Use a short introduction before the reading to tell why you chose the piece and where it comes from.

Group Activity – An exercise that involves all the members **and that targets an aspect of public speaking**. You can contact the training officer for ideas if you need assistance or check out the members section of the website.

Views on the News – select a newspaper article and in 4 minutes or less give an overview of the issue and **your opinion** for or against on the issue presented in the article. A Q and A session will follow your presentation.

A Book, TV Show or Movie Review: This is not just a synopsis of the book, show or film. It is a review. Give your opinion on what worked well and what could have been done better in a 3-minute speech. Tell whether you recommend it or not.

Sell us something: Sell a product or service or concept to the audience in a 3-minute speech. This challenge is to persuade not to entertain.

What a Year: Your task is to give a 3 - 4 minute speech about a year in history – any year you choose. At the end of your speech the chairman will ask members to guess which year you spoke about. Don't make it too obvious but don't make it impossible.

Move a Motion: Your task is to move a motion in the business section of the meeting. The motion is non-binding on the club. The Chairman should note that Standing Orders are not in force during this exercise.

Common Phrase: Choose a common phrase, research its origin and discuss in a speech. Examples: Spill the beans, leave no stone unturned, fly off the handle, cook your own goose, rule of thumb

Helpful website: www.businessballs.com/clichesorigins.htm

Persuasive speech: Deliver a speech that persuades the audience to agree with your point of view.

UPCOMING MEETINGS - Please advise Rob Ellison rob.ellison8@bigpond.com or Jenny Blain jennyb@ninoxsolutions.com.au if you wish to add a speech or are unavailable for a role for which you are listed.

OFFICE BEARERS 2019

President	David Wajchman	david@wajchman.com
Secretary	Liron Lightwood	lironlightwood@gmail.com
Treasurer	Rob Ellison	rob.ellison8@bigpond.com
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Training Officers	Jenny Blain / Rob Ellison	rob.ellison8@bigpond.com jennyb@ninoxsolutions.com.au
Rostrum Vic Council Rep	Ken Parker	ken-p@bigpond.com
Club Photographer:	ALL members please look for photo opportunities	
GENERAL COMMITTEE MEMBERS as required		
Contact the club secretary using vicclub68@rostrum.com.au		

Jo Davis Topics for 2019

Imperfect perfection

The business

Fly me to the moon

Forked Lightning
Don't pay the ferryman
Star bright

AGENDA

Note that the business section of the Agenda is held only on the first Monday of the month.

- 7:15** President welcomes members and visitors to the Meeting and speaks the Acknowledgement of Country
- 7:17** Chairperson:
- Appoint time-keeper and minute-taker
 - Confirm coaches (listed in Agenda)
 - Appoint meeting monitor
 - Ask for apologies
 - New Member Induction (if required)
- 7:20** Group Activity or Tutorial or Guest Speaker
- 7:35** Activity / Tutorial review / Discussion
- 7:40** Speaking activities
- 8:00** Break - at Chairperson's discretion (Chairperson to confirm speakers and organise alternate activity with coach and/or training officer during the break if required)
- 8:10** Speaking activities – chairperson will announce time and topic for each speaker
- 8:25 or 8:35** Speaking activities Coaches Review
- * 8:30** Business section *
- Confirm and sign minutes of previous meeting
 - Business arising from the minutes of recent meeting
 - Reports – Treasurer, Secretary
 - General Business
 - Upcoming events (If any)
 - Chairman previews upcoming meeting
- 8:40** Business coach review
- 8:42** Meeting Monitor Questions
- 8:45** Chairperson hands over to President to close the meeting

*** First Meeting of the Month only**