

# COMMUNITY SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

## The Rotary Club of Strathalbyn

### THE GREAT DUCK RACE 2017



The Great Duck Race is on Sunday the 12th of November at the Strathalbyn Memorial Garden.

This is a family fun day which has been going for around 30 years. Steam Ranger is putting on a special train service from Mt Barker for the day.

The event starts at 10:00am. At 11am the corporate duck race will see 100+ decoy ducks dressed up by local businesses and clubs judged on looks and speed as they race for bragging rights. This will also include "motorised Ducks" which is awesome.

The "Chuck-a-Duck" game will test skill and accuracy and there will be face painting, kid's games, a bouncy castle as well as food and drink and bric-a-brac stalls and music. Angus Plains will be providing tasting of their local Langhorne Creek wines.

At 1pm the duck boat will be fired up for the main event where 2500 yellow plastic ducks will race down the river with the winning duck providing its ticket holder a \$1,000 cash windfall. Cash prizes also for 2nd and 3rd place. Cluck a Duck will be excitedly waiting at the finish line.

The 10' high "Moby Duck" is showing himself at Strathalbyn, Mount Barker, Goolwa and at various spots around the Fleurieu, so keep an eye out for him.

Proceeds of this event will flow like the Angus River into our local community and Rotary International projects such as End Polio, a project partnering with Bill & Melinda Gates to completely eradicate Polio from the world.