



# NATIONAL SKILLS WEEK

## MORE THAN YOU KNOW

# 2017

## Some ideas for Rotary Clubs on how they can be involved in National Skills Week 2017

- Invite an Australian Apprenticeships Ambassador or Australian Training Awards Alumni to speak
- Invite an apprentice who has completed their apprenticeship to talk to Rotarians about their experience
- Investigate school-based apprenticeships (what they are) – invite a teacher from a High School to explain
- Organise a joint function with a TAFE institute and/or Registered Training Organisation (RTO), or member of ACPET
- Invite a representative from a Registered Training Organisation or Group Training Organisation to address Rotary
- Invite an employer organisation representative from the National Farmers' Federation, Australian Chamber of Commerce (ACCI) or Australian Industry Group (Ai Group) to address Rotary
- Invite a WorldSkills representative to talk to Rotarians about their experience
- Opportunities to be connected to Rotary Youth Programs such as RYLA, RYPEN, etc. by engaging with the many organisations and networks provided in this checklist
- Organise a father daughter dinner with a local High School or parent night for parents and their daughters to be addressed by successful women who have succeeded in non-traditional trades. For example, more women are going into engineering, electrical, building and construction, mining, and agriculture
- Raise money for the TAFE Directors Foundation – a foundation launched in 2013 to raise money to assist disadvantaged students to undertake a VET course [www.tda.edu.au](http://www.tda.edu.au)
- During National Skills Week, SkillsOne Television will be running programming opportunities on careers in the vocational sector on Foxtel (Aurora - Channel 183). Details of the programming and times will be found at [www.skillsone.com.au](http://www.skillsone.com.au)
- Investigate and research useful websites to become more informed about careers, pathways, and Vocational Education, generally, for example:

ACPET Catalogue [www.acpetcatalogue.edu.au](http://www.acpetcatalogue.edu.au)

Australian Training Awards [www.australiantrainingawards.gov.au](http://www.australiantrainingawards.gov.au)

Career in the Building and Construction Industry [www.constructmycareer.com.au](http://www.constructmycareer.com.au)

Career info for people with a disability [www.jobaccess.gov.au](http://www.jobaccess.gov.au)

Defence Jobs [www.defencejobs.gov.au](http://www.defencejobs.gov.au)

Discover Hospitality [www.discoverhospitality.com.au](http://www.discoverhospitality.com.au)

IT Careers [www.aiia.com.au](http://www.aiia.com.au)

Job Outlook [www.joboutlook.gov.au](http://www.joboutlook.gov.au)

Real Stories, Real Achievements [www.australiantrainingawards.gov.au/story](http://www.australiantrainingawards.gov.au/story)

Rural Skills Australia [www.agrifoodcareers.com.au](http://www.agrifoodcareers.com.au)

SkillsOne [www.skillsone.com.au](http://www.skillsone.com.au)

Smart and Skilled [www.smartandskilled.nsw.gov.au](http://www.smartandskilled.nsw.gov.au)

The Job I Love [www.thejobilove.com.au](http://www.thejobilove.com.au)

WorldSkills Australia [www.worldskills.org.au](http://www.worldskills.org.au)

*Inspire people to discover and use their talent through quality vocational education and convince others of its real value to individuals and society.*

Be sure to email us information on your events at [info@skillsone.com.au](mailto:info@skillsone.com.au)