



NATIONAL SKILLS WEEK 2018
August 27th – September 2nd

real skills for
real careers

Some ideas for Rotary Clubs on how they can be involved in National Skills Week 2018

- 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
- During National Skills Week, SkillsOne Television will be running programming opportunities on careers in the vocational sector on Foxtel (Aurora - Channel 173). Details of the programming and times will be found at 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

Australian Training Awards www.australiantrainingawards.gov.au

Career info for people with a disability www.jobaccess.gov.au

Defence Jobs www.defencejobs.gov.au

Discover Hospitality www.discoverhospitality.com.au

MySkills www.myskills.gov.au

Real Stories, Real Achievements www.australiantrainingawards.gov.au/story

SkillsOne www.skillsone.com.au

Smart and Skilled www.smartandskilled.nsw.gov.au

WorldSkills Australia 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