



18th OCTOBER 2016

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NEXT MEETING GUEST SPEAKER

Dr Zim Nwokora **"The US Presidential Election"**

The 2016 presidential election campaign is fascinating to watch from a distance. On the one hand, the USA seems to love the political dynasties (Bush and Clinton). On the other, one can only wonder how Donald Trump could manipulate the Republican Party to gain the presidential nomination despite so much internal resistance.



Zim will help us to understand the machinations of the US electoral system and the candidates themselves.

Zim Nwokora is a Lecturer in Politics and Policy Studies at Deakin University. A comparative political scientist by training, he holds a bachelor's degree (in Politics and Economics), a master's degree (in Comparative Government), and a doctorate degree (in American Politics), all from the University of Oxford.

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Meeting Responsibilities

18th October

Chair
DURAS, Peter

Greeter
CUTHBERT, Greg

Reporter
CAVELL, Warwick

Photographer
THORNTON, Roger

Door
DRIVER, Allan

Bulletin Editor
DRIVER, Allan

Presenter
THOMAS, Tony

MARKET BUMP IN

20th October
FRASER, Paul

Upcoming Events



TWO EVENTS TO SUPPORT THE FOUNDATION:

**2016 Rotary Foundation Paul Harris Breakfast
TUESDAY 22nd NOVEMBER**

**GUEST SPEAKER: TIM CARTWRIGHT
"HOLDING THEM TO ACCOUNT"**

Family Violence Reform

**THIS IS A PRE-BOOKED EVENT
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**World Polio Day Monday October
24th**

Prahran Rotary has organised a movie screening of the most amazing and dramatic documentary **"Every Last Child?"**

Please note RSVP by 14th October.

They have gone to great lengths (and expense) to get permission from the Abu Dhabi distributor to allow this movie to be shown in Melbourne on World Polio Day.

This film was made in 2014 and follows five people in the fight to eradicate polio in Pakistan and Afghanistan, with all the drama and human interest and shots of Polio Plus logos on vaccine transporters that any Rotary club could want on a day like World Polio Day.

It would be great if we could support the screening at the **Village Jam Factory** (Chapel Street South Yarra). Cost is \$30pp for the movie including a glass of wine (which can be taken into the theatre). \$9pp from this cost will go to PolioPlus in the clubs name.

With matching grant from The Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation your \$9.00 donation grows to \$27.00.

We would meet at 6.30pm (for conversion of the online ticket to

[Board Meeting](#)

RACV City Club

Oct 19, 2016

5:30 PM – 7:00 PM

[Garden DesignFest Melbourne](#)

Nov 12, 2016 – Nov 13, 2016

[Board Meeting](#)

RACV City Club

Nov 16, 2016

5:30 PM – 7:00 PM

[Garden DesignFest Euroa](#)

Nov 19, 2016 – Nov 20, 2016

[Paul Harris Breakfast](#)

RACV City Club

Nov 22, 2016

7:30 AM – 9:00 AM

Speakers

Oct 18, 2016

[Dr Zim Nwokora](#)

The US Presidential Election

Oct 25, 2016

[Mark Noonan](#)

Five years on – the reconstruction of Christchurch

Nov 01, 2016

[MELBOURNE CUP DAY](#)

No regular meeting today

Nov 22, 2016

[Tim Cartwright](#)

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the Cinema issued one plus glass of wine collection) and a 7pm screening with open seating arrangements.

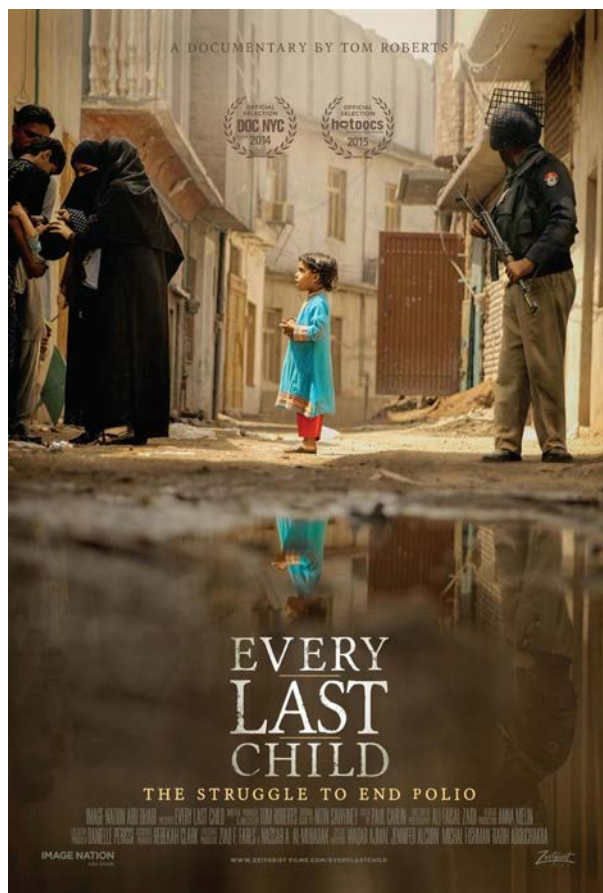
The film runs for 1hr 23 minutes.

If anyone was interested in going for a bite to eat afterwards let Marjorie know.

View the movie trailer here <https://youtu.be/5AQBAJJoZWE>

Members and partners who would like to attend please contact Marjorie - E-mail: marbern@bigpond.net.au and I will make a block booking.

RSVP by 14th October



A LETTER FROM AMERICA

Frank and Pauline are on holiday, in the US. Frank has written:

"I know you'll be concerned (?) about our welfare given Hurricane Matthew (which we will encounter in the next couple of days as we travel South !!) but thought you might be interested that I haven't forgotten Rotary.



Firstly, had a make up at RC Washington, chartered in 1912, and secondly, noticed a familiar face as we walked



outside the White House.

Pauline and I are just about 'museumed' out but were lucky enough to gain tickets to the latest Museum, opened 10 days ago, called "African American Museum" which will be the "go to Museum" in years to come. Absolutely riveting as to the Negro(ex Africa) history."



"a familiar face outside the White House"

WATCH THIS SPACE

The adreneline is rising;



***Something is about to be unveiled at
Rotary Central Melbourne***

Update 18/10/16 -

adreneline still rising, new design is being tightly held. Please be patient!

MEETING REPORT 11th OCTOBER

Posted by Tony THOMAS

Chair: Roy Garrett. Reporter Tony Thomas

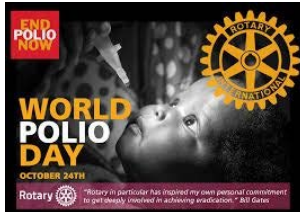
Visitors: Carola Sanders, Mt Barker (SA) RC; Michael Redding, Werribee RC.

Announcements

- Allan Driver:

- **Dick Mitchell** welcomes visitors during rehab after operations, Epworth Richmond.
 - **Wolfgang Jacobs** will return home shortly after treatment but no visitors as he needs privacy and rest.
- Marjorie Gerlinger promoted ;

- Rotary Foundation and **World Polio Day** Monday Oct 24. The important movie "Every Last Child" will be shown by Prahran RC at the Village Jam Factory, South Yarra, at 5.30pm at \$30pp incl a wine: \$9 of that going to Polio Plus and matched 200% by the Gates Foundation hence \$27 in total. Meet 6.30pm. Contact Marj by 14 October for details and maybe dinner after. The 1hr 23min documentary film celebrates Afghan/Pakistan polio field vaccine workers, some of whom have been assassinated.
- Marjorie also spruiked the **Paul Harris Breakfast** 22 November starring Tim Cartwright , Family Violence Monitor. We need a big crowd so start your invitation processes.



- Rob Hines outlined;
 - **Garden DesignFest** tasks and the need for more volunteers to do 3.5 hour shifts, contact Roger Thornton. We also need members' homes for planting of marketing signage in front yards facing high-traffic streets, and people to distribute flyers to local libraries and community spaces noticeboards. Tasks and proceeds will be split among RCM, Kew and Brighton North RC, with **potential for RCM to earn a stunning \$40,000 for the weekend**, a huge boost to our fund-raising coffers.
 - **"World of Difference"** tours to Cambodia for Rotarians, teachers, students and friends, may extend beyond Cambodia (which is having somewhat troubled elections now) to projects in Laos such as our school renovations, and to Vietnam projects.
 - Werribee's Michael Redding told the meeting of his considerable Vietnam charity involvement and help with distribution of \$200 wheelchairs made by Scarborough WA RC, especially for children. 7000 have gone there already. \$300 tricycle wheelchairs for adults are



also distributed. To donate to the cost of a wheelchair, contact Michael at michaelredding@lycos.com

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GALLERY



Rob with Michael Redding of Werribee club.



Bernie with his sister Carola Sanders of Mt Barker SA club



Frank and Pauline in Newport USA - reminiscent of

Roger and Pip in Cumbria!
...and those of us who remained in Melbourne.



...but all was not lost, unless you are a lobster.

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