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Hope Island Rotarians, friends and family are asked not to forget that our Boat Show BBQ fundraiser is this weekend. Please don't forget to let Jill Wade know your availabilities to help out over the weekend. She has a roster going around at the moment with still some empty spaces for Rotarians to help out which I have provided below.

PLEASE DO WHAT YOU CAN TO FILL THESE.

Our committee is meeting again Monday night this week and will finalize our orders and food offerings to the public this year. If you know of any businesses that you think might be interested in supporting our fundraising efforts this year through sponsoring us at this event please forward details to Phil or myself so we can follow up ASAP.

Unfortunately we are still well short of our required staffing levels for the Boat Show.

The following gaps need to be filled:

Thursday:

11am to 2pm - still need 2 people

12.30pm to 4.30pm - still need 2 people

Friday:

7:30am to 11:30am - need 2 people

11am to 2pm - need 2 people

2pm to 4:30pm - need 2 people

Saturday:

7:30am to 11am - need 1 person

11am to 1pm - need 1 person

2pm to 4:30pm - need 2 people

Sunday:

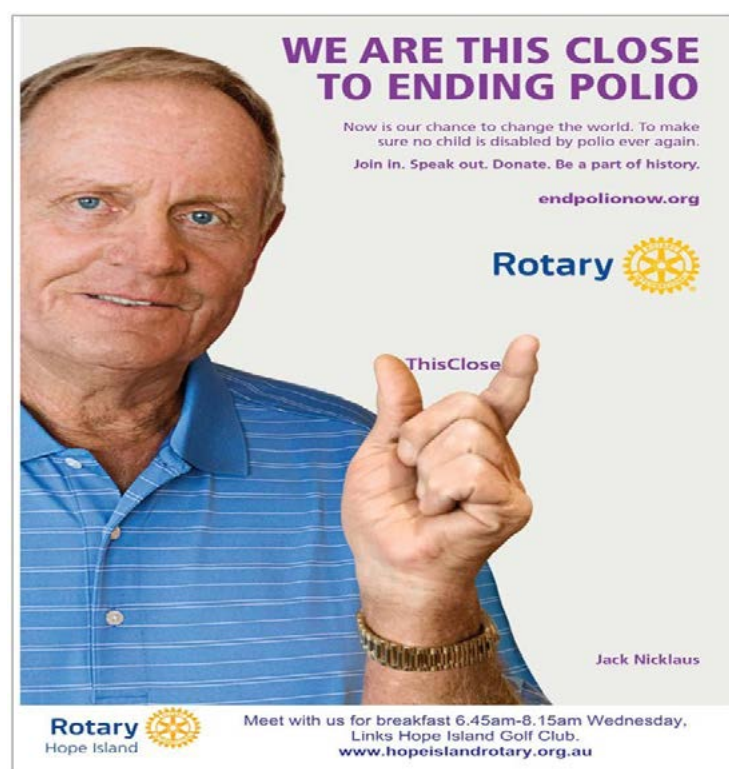
7:30am to 11am - need 3 people

11am to 2pm - need 3 people

3pm to 6pm - need 5 people to help pack up

Could you please contact Jill Wade on jill.m.wade@icloud.com or 0421 013 745 to advise when you may be able to volunteer.

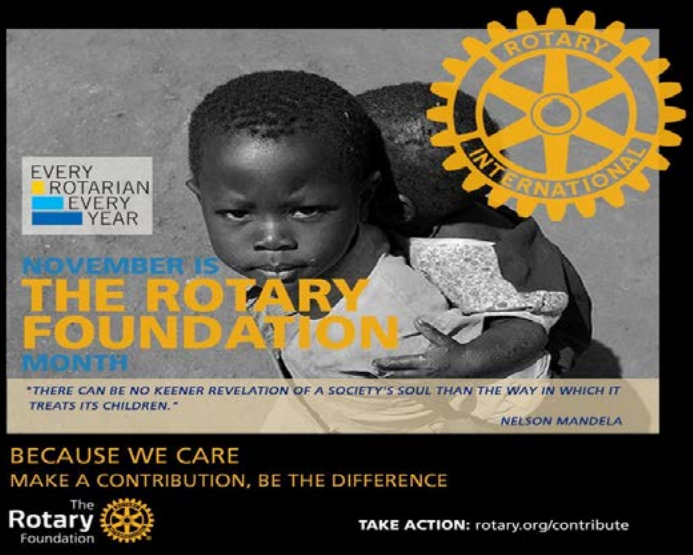
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An wonderful first for ROMAC on the Gold Coast



The Northern Region Committee of ROMAC have arranged for a Fijian Boy to be treated at Gold Coast University Hospital. Normally all of our incoming patients are treated in Brisbane, but our fantastic new facility has agreed for us to begin sending patients there—this young man is the first.

The Patient is Agnesh Kumar, a 15 year old Fijian boy, who will arrive on the Gold Coast on 24th or 25th of May, with his Stepfather for an operation to straighten a deformed neck—the picture only shows a part of the problem. He will require hospitalisation for approximately one week with follow up examinations and treatment for around four more weeks.

Accommodation needed

We need a Rotarian in the Gold Coast Area to step up and agree to host this boy and his Stepfather during this period—or indeed several to share the hosting over the approximately 5 weeks of there stay for his treatment. Host families will receive \$30 per day for the duration of Agnesh's stay, other Rotarians will be responsible for transporting Agnesh and his Stepfather to hospital appointments etc.

Best wishes,

Brian Pearson

ROMAC Committee

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Final Rotary Foundation Reminder

All Club members are reminded that the Rotary year is drawing to a close (as we are all so well aware). If you usually make an extra donation to the Rotary Foundation during the year but normally do so by way of a one off donation prior to 30 June, would you please give consideration to this at the present time. Donations made in this year will have an enormous impact on the work that District Governor Nominee Designate Terry is able to do during his Rotary year as District Governor and the monies that he is able to allocate by way of District Grants. Please ensure that he is given the appropriate resources to be able to plan and undertake a successful year. With Michael Irving as District Governor we have a record amount to distribute by way of District designated grants. It would be good to be able to continue such level of available financial resources for grants into the future. You can easily make donations yourself at www.rotary.org/myrotary/en/take-action/give

All members are thanked for their generous support

Final Reminder for ROMAC Trivia Night

ROMAC is continually doing great work ROMAC as you can see. So here is another reminder for their annual Trivia Night on Friday 27 May 2016 at the Paradise Show Room Arts Centre Gold Coast. The event will kick off at 6.15pm for 7.30pm. The cost is \$35 per person and Clubs are encourage to book at least one table (although I am not sure how many are on a table). There will be a selection of moderately priced dishes available to purchase for dinner. Ensure you arrive early to relax, eat and enjoy with friends. Bookings are made through your Club's on-to-trivia co-ordinator or you can contact

Phil Rosenberg on 0412 374 363,
email: philtini@hotmail.com.

This event is sponsored by the Rotary Club of Gold Coast.



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DG Anne and Jeff Eagan gift to you this week:

There are no great people in this world, only great challenges which ordinary people rise to meet
(William Frederick Halsey)

Well that's me for another week. I look forward to seeing you all on Wednesday and at the Boat Show over the four days.

Yours in Rotary,

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Meeting 18.05.2016

Calendar

<u>Role</u>			Guest Speaker	
Chair	LEIGH WATSON	18.5.16	HELEN WALLIS DUNN	Down-sized living
4 way test	BRON McDOWALL	27.5.16	Andrea Simmons	Australian Anti-Ice Campaign
Speaker	HELEN WALLIS DUNN	1.6.16	Club Assembly	
International toast	BRYAN FULCHER			
Sergeant	Neil Moxey			



You don't have to be famous to enjoy a fun night out! And it's now cheaper!



The tickets are cheaper, a tasty selection of optional food is available and the fun gets better every year. Enjoy the humorous photos that accompany the questions, the camaraderie and, of course, that you're helping to save and change deserving children's lives.

Show everyone that your team is the smartest and accept this lighthearted challenge.

Bring your partners, friends and potential new members (before someone else invites them!) to the friendliest, most fun night out you've had ever since... well, you'll know the answer to that one too!

Date: 6:15 for 7:30pm, Friday 27th May 2016.

Venue: Paradise Showroom, Arts Centre Gold Coast.

Cost: \$35 p/p. Payment in advance to your club's coordinator please.

Dinner: A tasty selection of moderately-priced dishes are available from the counter on the night. Ensure you arrive early to relax, eat and enjoy with friends.

RSVP: To your club's on-to-trivia coordinator, or contact Phil Rosenberg on 0412 374 363 or philini@hotmail.com

A request: Please consider helping Rotarian volunteers continue saving children's lives with your club donation: \$1,000, \$1,500, \$2,500, \$5,000 or whatever you can. If possible please bring your cheque, payable to ROMAC.

On behalf of the children whose lives you'll save, thank you.

