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## Rotary Club of Chatswood Roseville

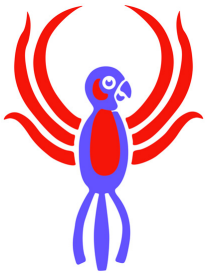
District 9685 Australia



# IMAGINE ROTARY

# The Rotary Club of Chatswood Roseville

## 2022-2023



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***Club meets:***

2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesdays at 6.00  
for 6.30pm

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# Rotary Club of Chatswood Roseville Inc.



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## TONIGHTS MEETING - 11 OCTOBER 2022

Introduction by Michael MacQuillan.

Vote of thanks by Richard Binns

**BURN BRIGHT - SPEAKER CEO; ANDY SKIDMORE**



Andy Skidmore is a life long social entrepreneur and is passionate about equipping young people to grow as leaders by taking a wellbeing approach and fostering positive and meaningful relationships.

When he was 21 he founded the Not For Profit organisation Burn Bright, a social enterprise with the mission of growing the next generation of young Australians through student leadership, wellbeing programs and national camps.

Over the past 5 years Burn Bright has worked with over 50,000, 12-17 year olds, from all corners of Australia through school based programs and hosting the Australian National Leadership Camp.

Burn Bright are student leadership and wellbeing specialists who work with students in a collaborative, fun and inclusive team culture. This brings about positive behavioural change, a shift in mindset and personal wellbeing, allowing students to make informed choices and decisions.

Burn Bright's programs are focused on demonstrating how students can turn theory into action by practicing and road testing skills learnt before applying them in their own lives.

## ATTENDANCE and APOLOGIES

You must complete the **RSVP sender email response** with your attendance/apology/guests for catering purposed and arrangements with the Golf Club. If you fail to apologise you will be charged with the cost of the meal. If you or any of your guests have any special dietary requirements please indicate on the RSVP response.

Also advise Avis on [avis@amcomms.com.au](mailto:avis@amcomms.com.au)



## FROM YOUR PRESIDENT

What an amazing series of successes our club has achieved since I last wrote to you 2 weeks ago.

Rotary International has approved a Global Grant for the Golden Needle project which will assist poorly educated women in Turkey to obtain the necessary skills to gain employment and the resultant self confidence and independence.

This project was initiated by Ian Garrard. Ian led a Group Study Exchange group to Turkey in 2013 and became concerned with the plight of child brides and subsequently encouraged the former Roseville Chase Rotary club to raise money to help prevent that abuse.



About one year ago Ian was asked by a Turkish Rotary club to assist with the Golden Needle project and with the considerable help of Peter Kindred they arranged for personal donations by members of, and friends of, our club to raise US\$15,000 which was needed to trigger the program. As a result of assistance from District and Rotary International, more than US\$71,000 will be made available for this most meritorious scheme. [At the current exchange rates this will be much more than AUS\$110,000. An astonishing amount.]

And on Friday the 30th September, Peter Timmermann with the enthusiastic support of Andre Hariman and other members of our club, held an Oktoberfest function which raised over \$7,675 for the purchase of Shelter Boxes which will be used to assist people who have been displaced as a result of disasters, such as the war in Ukraine and the horrendous floods in Pakistan.

And on the following day Peter Lefmann, with the assistance of John Hartley and many members of our club, organised the most successful Bunnings Sausage Sizzle our club has ever held and raised more than \$2,630, plus further donations of \$158.00 for the purchase of Shelter Boxes. This result was aided by the donation of the sausages used on that day by Coles Local of Chatswood Westfield who have generously agreed to collaborate with us with some of our fund raising activities in the future. (Below is the text of my letter to Coles about this).

As many of you are aware I will tick off the item at the top of my Bucket List with a Round the World trip commencing on the 11th of October to meet up with some of the wonderful people I have made friends with during my life to date.

Our Vice President, Tony Basten will continue to lead and update you with the successes and activities of our club during my unpaid sabbatical.

Norm Gibson

President





22nd September 2022

Good afternoon Trent

*I am following up on our discussion on Tuesday with you, John Hartley and me about a collaboration between Coles Local at Chatswood and the Rotary Club of Chatswood Roseville.*

*As you are aware I have already discussed the matter with the Board of our club and they are very keen to progress an affiliation between both of our organisations to our mutual benefit.*

*As I understood the next move, I am to arrange for the preparation of an A3 poster for display near the front door of your store announcing our affiliation with the intention of publicising the connection of Coles Local Chatswood with Rotary. Although he is not a professional graphic artist, one of our members will draft the sign and I will submit it to you for your comments. If our club is arranging a special event for the benefit of the community we will discuss a larger poster. If necessary, we will engage a professional to assist.*

*One of the current major fund raising events of our club is organising sausage sizzles at Bunnings Chatswood. We, and other charities, are offered the opportunity to do so every 6 to 8 weeks. We serve a few hundred customers during a Saturday or Sunday and as you may know they create a considerable amount of good will for Rotary and any organisation that we are connected with.*

*Obviously the labour costs are non existent and our main/sole expenses are the sausages, bread, condiments and soft drinks. Our next appearance is on Saturday the 1st October. John and I discussed with you the possibility of Coles Local Chatswood providing the sausages without charge. We usually need in the vicinity of 700 thin sausages each time. There is no wastage as any sausages left over are deep frozen.*

*In return we would display a prominent A3 sign notifying the customers of your donation. If you find that the publicity is to your liking you may consider at some time in the future supplying other items e.g. bread or soft drinks. Obviously those donations would also be clearly publicised.*

*I would appreciate your comments on our suggestion. My phone number is 0414 565 557. The best contact number for John Hartley is 9451 6986 .*

*Best regards,  
Norm Gibson  
President.*



## MEETING ROSTER

Meeting	Speaker/Event	Introduction/Host	Vote of Thanks
11 October	Andy Skidmore - CEO Burn Bright	Michael MacQuillan	Richard Binns
25 October	Ken Hutt - Assault on Mt Everest for End Polio Now	Neil Howie	Nick Dorsch
8 Nov	Elizabeth Lovell, Lifeline Hawkesbury to Harbour	Andre Hariman	Richard Green

## LAST MEETING ATTENDANCE - 27 SEPTEMBER 2022

Club Membership	39	Guest Speakers	1
Members Present	22	Make-ups	0
Apologies	17	Guests	1
No Apologies	0	Partners	3
Attendance Percentage	56.4%	Visiting Rotarians	0

## BIRTHDAYS - OCTOBER 2022



1	Ian ROBERTSON	31	Allan FARRAR
2	Neil HOWIE		
13	Sue WARD		
15	Peter TOWNSEND		
19	Peter KINDRED		
25	Ian GARRARD		

## BUNNINGS BBQ's



**Result from 1 October was \$ 2,630.33**

ShelterBox cash donations \$158.25

(See some Photos on page 8)

**NEXT BBQ IS SUNDAY 30 OCTOBER 2022.**

**Please advise Peter Lefmann if you are able to assist on the day, and which shift suites you.**



## NEXT MEETING - 25 OCTOBER 2022

### Ken HUTT - ASSAULT on EVEREST for END POLIO NOW

#### KEN HUTT – Australian adventurer and mountaineer

A thwarted attempt by Australian adventurer and mountaineer Ken Hutt to become the first person to legally paraglide off the top of Mount Everest to raise money for Rotary International's **End Polio Now** campaign has been placed on ice but his message went all the way to the top.

Ken developed a life-threatening chest infection at camp 2 (6400m). He had no choice but to descend. Once you get beyond camp 2, you cannot get medical aid or be rescued. It was heartbreaking because Ken had been working on securing the flying permit for more than three years, but it was the only decision he could make.

Although Ken didn't get to launch the paraglider from Mt Everest, his team (right) still managed to succeed with their goal. Three other Brazilian climbers in his team made it to the summit and carried **the End Polio Now** banner with them.

Filmmaker Joe Carter, who accompanied Ken and was producing a documentary *Fly from Everest* said, "to have a storyline now where Ken was forced to retreat from the mountain without achieving the summit or the paragliding flight is not necessarily a sad ending"

"In fact, seeing Ken reunited with his son at basecamp (below), and that he has achieved so much for Rotary's **End Polio Now** campaign and is going home to his family is actually a heart-warming and inspirational way to end our story here."



Ken's expedition raised over \$250,000 for **End Polio Now**.

"The dream lives on – to fly the message about Polio from the top of the world, and Ken's courage and determination has brought us an authentic and epic human story which will make for an amazing conclusion to a unique documentary film."



#### Monday 24 October is WORLD POLIO DAY.

Ending Polio is the number one priority of both Rotary International and The Rotary Foundation. Each Club is asked to make a commitment to contribute US\$1,500 (\$2,175).

Over the past four years we have conducted the **All Stations challenge train ride** to End Polio. Over those four years we have raised in Greater Sydney over \$450,000 to ending Polio before the Gates Match. This year more than ever we need your commitment and support. Go to the September issue of the District 9685 ENews for the train timetable, and other information.





## LAST MEETING 27 SEPTEMBER 2022 VIRTUAL MORTUARY TOUR



Peggy Yu conducting the presentation of the video and photos of the Mortuary Station, and the Club members showed their very enthusiastic appreciation for the efforts of Brian Townsend and Peggy in preparing the presentation, and the history of the Mortuary Station. They also brought to our attention the outstanding work of architect James Barnet, in shaping this and some of Sydney's other landmark buildings, .

## VOCATIONAL VISIT - 18 OCTOBER 2022 TALK-TOUR AND LUNCH AT PHOENIX HOUSE

Phoenix House Youth Services has a successful 35+ years track record working with "at-risk" young people (aged 13-24) in the Northern Sydney region. Their Mission has three pillars, Care, Educate and Connect.

To learn more about how they empower the young people in this community to work confidently toward achieving their goals and reconnecting to their community, here are the visit details:

- Date: Tuesday 18 October 2022
- Time: 11.30am to around 1.30pm
- Address: 10 Holtermann Street, Crows Nest
- Car parking: 2 hours free in the multi-storey carpark opposite
- Cost: \$20pp (lunch includes minestrone soup and bread, a dessert and tea/coffee)

Phoenix House has advised that Federal Independent MP, Kylea Tink, will also be visiting on the day.

**If you would like to attend and haven't booked yet please email PP Peggy Yu**



## Classic **C h r i s t m a s** pudding Classic **C h r i s t m a s** cake



In the past couple of years our club has worked very closely with the Rotary Club of Turramurra and supported by North Ryde and Wahroonga to supply thousands of books to Indigenous Children at the East Moree Public School. All net proceeds from the sale of Christmas Puddings and Christmas Cakes will go to the Books In Homes program.

This year all orders and payment will go through the Rotary Club of North Ryde. You can Cc me.

All the puddings will be sent to my surgery and I will check and deliver them to you.

Thank you for your kind support, if possible please send order before 28th October.

Please do not hesitate to contact me should you wish to find out more.

With kind regards,

Andre Hariman

0479 178 999

**You can get the Order Form and Price list from Andre's email of 20 September 2022;**

## GOLDEN NEEDLE PROJECT - UPDATE

Ian Garrard has forwarded the following letter of great success in securing our Global Grant: "Golden Needle"

*"Dear Rotary members:*

*"Congratulations! Your global grant application for funding to provide vocational training for women to gain sewing skills and job placements at three training centers in İzmir, Turkey, submitted by the Rotary Club of Izmir-Dokuz Eylül and the Rotary Club of Chatswood Roseville, has been approved by The Rotary Foundation. The award is in the amount of US\$ 71,050.00. The generous gift of the David J. Dean Directed Gift is providing US \$15,000.00 of the total amount for global grant GG2236510."*

The letter goes on to advise of numerous requirements and reporting procedures... after all it is Rotary.





## BUNNINGS BBQ - 1 OCTOBER 2022

Some Photos of some members with the ShelterBox Donations and Coles local Chatswood Sponsorship signs.

Coles local Chatswood donated the sausages for the BBQ worth about \$400, and President Norm and John Hartley are in discussions with Coles about a potential partnership and further sponsorship, including maybe bread and soft drinks.



Above; The team with the BBQ Coles Sponsorship and Donations Signs.

Below; Norm with the BBQ promotional table, and (right) the sausage “cookers and sellers” at work.



## OKTOBERFEST and SHELTERBOX DINNER 30 SEPTEMBER 2022

Peter Timmermann has expressed “thank you” to all participants, helpers and contributors for the night.

*I think it was a enjoyable evening and we achieved a rather good net result for ShelterBox being \$ 7,675.50. This a record for an international dinner event. Thank you for your support that made it all possible.*

*Peter Timmermann.*

International Service Director.

### **Message from ShelterBox Australia CEO, Mike Greenslade**

Read by PP Johanna Johns, ShelterBox District Ambassador for District 9685.

“President Norman, past presidents, fellow Rotarians, partners and esteemed guests. I wish I could be with you all this evening to share your annual Oktoberfest and sample the pure, cold German beer, hot currywurst and spicy sauerkraut. Instead, I’ll be toasting you with room temperature Cornish ale and munching on a pasty.

I have enjoyed the warm hospitality of the Rotary Club of Chatswood Roseville on several occasions, through international dinners and special club nights. ShelterBox has enjoyed the solid and generous support of the club over the years, through members like Dieter Torheiden, Michael McQuillan and Peter Timmerman. I was privileged to be able to award the club with their Diamond Lifetime Giving Award, several years ago, in recognition of donating more than \$50,000 to ShelterBox. Such is the support of the club, that they are one of only three clubs that have maintained Gold Champion status, donating \$5,000 or more per year, for the 5 years that the awards have been running. It is worth noting that there is only one other club that has reached the \$50,000 Diamond Supporter status, and they were the conduit of a single donation from a large social club.

We are now entering uncharted territory, as Chatswood Roseville reach a level of giving, previously unimagined. So much so, that we had to invent a new award! It gives me great please to vicariously present the club with a unique, Blue Diamond Award, for lifetime giving totally \$102,000!

In the end, what we do is not about money, not about numbers, certainly no longer about boxes of stuff. It’s about the people we help to recover from disaster and the communities we enable to rebuild and return to ‘normal’ life. Showing that someone who they’ve never met and never will, cares about them is a powerful tool for those who’ve lost everything. As a Rotarian, as a supporter, a volunteer or member of staff, we are all part of the same team and we share a common goal of





a world where no one goes without shelter, following disaster.  
 I would like to thank Johanna for delivering my message and thank you all for your incredible support. Please enjoy the rest of your night.  
 Danke und Prost! Mike."

Photos Below;

- (Top) (L) Peter Timmermann with certificate;  
 (R) Michael MacQuillan and friends enjoying the evening.  
 (Bottom) (L) The extensive prizes for the night;  
 (R) PP Johanna Johns, ShelterBox District Ambassador for District 9685.



# UPDATE MESSAGES FROM TONY BASTEN

## COVID 19 and POLIO

### AN UPDATE ON COVID-19 AND POLIO

#### COVID-19.

Is the infection about to go away? It has been downgraded from a pandemic to an epidemic, but it is not about to disappear; on the contrary the causative virus, SARS-Cov2 has become endemic in many parts of the world including Australia. Moreover, reservoirs remain in immune compromised humans and animals (eg white tailed deer in Canada and minks).

When will the next vaccine resistant variant emerge? We don't know although the current Omicron family of variants, by virtue of their high transmissibility may have been outcompeting other variants as they arise. This could explain why no serious new variants have been reported in the past few months.

When will herd immunity be achieved? It may not due to ongoing emergence of new variants in which case COVID will become a seasonal infection like the flu. In that case an annual booster covering new variants will be routine as it currently is for the flu.

The winter in the northern hemisphere is likely to herald an increase in case numbers. By the time of our next winter, however, updated versions of the mRNA (Pfizer and Moderna) and protein-based (Novavax) vaccines will be available here. These together with the anti-viral drugs already available should keep serious infections at bay and further reduce the death rates except in the unvaccinated and those with poor immune systems (eg the elderly in aged care facilities).

#### POLIO.

Are we losing the battle against polio now that cases are being reported in New York, London and further afield? No, I don't think so since the recent cases have been due to infection with the 'vaccine-derived polio virus' (VDPV). VDPV is a strain derived from the weakened (attenuated) live polio virus contained in the oral versions of the vaccine still used particularly in developing countries. However, should it circulate in unimmunised populations or in immune deficient individuals for long enough, VDPV may revert to a form capable of causing clinical disease including paralysis as happened in the case of the recent New York patient.

This does, however, raise the question of how did patients acquire VDPV in countries like the USA and UK\* where the live oral (Sabin) vaccine was replaced





over two decades ago with an injectable non-replicating inert vaccine. What has been shown is that they 'caught' the VDPV from someone who had previously received the live vaccine in another country before travelling to the USA (and UK).

Given the practical value of using an oral vaccine in developing country settings, WHO has been sponsoring the replacement of the current oral vaccine (called mOPV2) with a genetically more stable version (nOPV2) in order to reduce the incidence of VDPV infections.

Ongoing regular testing of sewage for the presence of VDPV is needed to determine the extent of the risk of infection from it in developed as well as developing countries. But above all, it remains essential to vaccinate the entire population of the world which remains a problem in countries like the USA where the anti-vaxx lobby has gained momentum during the COVID-19 pandemic.

- And Australia  
Tony Basten

## ZONE 8 REGIONALISATION PROJECT VOTING RESULT

Co-Chairs Regionalisation Group Zone 8, have advised of the outcome of the voting on the Zone 8 Regionalisation Project as set out below.

"We were delighted with the result with more than 89% of clubs across the zone expressing a YES vote. This lets us know that there is strong support for a pilot which will enable us to trial, explore, design and evaluate a new regional approach to supporting and governing Rotary and Rotaract clubs in Australia, New Zealand and Pacific Island region.

We are pleased to advise that 20 out of 21 Districts achieved the required threshold of two thirds majority of clubs voting Yes. The club vote was also endorsed by all 21 District Governors in their role as Rotary International Officers. Whilst one district had more than 50% of clubs vote yes, it did not meet the two thirds threshold.

At this point in time, we will advise the Rotary International Board of the outcome as well as seek guidance on the path forward. Thank you for your patience and we will be in touch once we have a clear course of action.

We would like to thank all Rotary and Rotaract volunteers who have supported this project. We would also like to thank the Rotary International staff at our Sydney office and elsewhere for their ongoing support."



## ROTARY INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION 2023



Message from the Convention Organising Committee;

“When the Rotary world arrives in Australia for the 2023 Rotary International Convention, 27-31 May, your vibrant country will be in the spotlight. This is a rare chance to be an ambassador for Rotary in Australia and for the warm, welcoming host city of Melbourne, so register today!

The convention promises to be an inspirational event, with distinguished speakers, energizing breakout sessions, and abundant opportunities to brainstorm ideas for Doing Good in the World with Rotary and Rotaract members from around the globe.

Join us in Melbourne, the cultural capital of Australia, to Imagine What's Next as we form and strengthen connections and learn from one another.

Register now to get a reduced rate, and encourage your friends to do the same. This offer expires 15 December.”

**Registration**, copy the link below to your browser.

<https://convention.rotary.org/en/melbourne>



## 2022 - 2023 CLUB CALENDAR

Date	Day	Meeting, Speaker, Event or Activity	Speaker Host	Speaker Thanks
<b>OCTOBER 2022 - Community and Economic Development Month</b>				
11th Oct.	Tuesday	<b>4.30 pm - Board Meeting.</b> <b>6.30 pm - Club Meeting;</b> Speaker: Andy Skidmore, Burn Bright	V/Pres Tony & Board V/P Tony Basten Michael MacQuillan	Richard Binns
18th Oct	Tuesday	Phoenix House visit, 12 Holtermann St, Crows Nest. 11.30 am, lunch at Phoenix House	Organiser, Peggy Yu	
25th Oct	Tuesday	<b>6.30 pm - Club Meeting.</b> Speaker Ken Hutt - Assault on Everest for End Polio Now.	V/Pres Tony Basten Neil Howie	Nick Dorsch
<b>NOVEMBER 2022 - Rotary Foundation Month</b>				
8th Nov	Tuesday	<b>4.30 pm - Board Meeting.</b> <b>6.30 pm - Club Meeting;</b> Speaker Elizabeth Lovell, Lifeline, Hawkesbury to Harbour.	V/Pres Tony & Board V/Pres Tony Basten Andre Hariman	Richard Green
22nd Nov	Tuesday	<b>6.30 pm - Club Meeting</b> Speaker Alan Hall-Watson; Transforming a Golf Course	President Norm Peter Timmermann	Cliff Garrett



Date	Day	Meeting, Speaker, Event or Activity	Speaker Host	Speaker Thanks
<b>DECEMBER 2022 - Disease Prevention and Treatment Month</b>				
9th Dec	Friday	Dance to the 9's Christmas Function Club support role	Organiser; Tony Basten	
13th Dec	Tuesday	<b>4.30 pm - Board Meeting</b> <b>6.30 pm - Annual General Meeting</b>	President & Board President Norm, Treasurer & Secretary.	N/A
16th Dec	Friday	<b>6.30 pm - Club Christmas Party</b> All members, partners and guests. Date and Location TBA	N/A	N/A
<b>JANUARY 2023 - Vocational Service Month</b>				
10th Jan	Tuesday	<b>4.30 pm - Board Meeting</b> <b>6.30 pm - Club Meeting</b> Speaker to be advised	President & Board President Norm Peter Lewis	David Williams
24th Jan	Tuesday	<b>6.30 pm - Club Meeting</b> Vocational Service Awards Night	President Norm Brian Townsend	Brian Townsend
<b>FEBRUARY 2023 - Peace building and Conflict Resolution Month</b>				
14th Feb	Tuesday	<b>4.30 pm - Board Meeting</b> <b>6.30 pm - Club Meeting</b> Speaker to be advised	President & Board President Norm Wayne Kearns	Sue Ward
17th Feb	Friday	Visit to Lucas Heights Nuclear Plant TBS	Organiser ; Avis Manoukian	
28th Feb	Tuesday	<b>6.30 pm - Club Meeting</b> Speaker to be advised	President Norm Noel Cislowski	Greg Muldoon



# Committees and Activities Positions 2022-2023

## CLUB ADMINISTRATION and SERVICE

Director; PP Neil Howie  
Club Service Officer; Wayne Kearns  
Programs; PP Neil Howie

## COMMUNITY SERVICE

Director PP Peter Lewis; Megan Evans  
Graffiti Removal; PP Peter Lefmann, PP Peter Lewis  
Liaison with Willoughby City Council; Bruce Carfrae  
Clean Up Australia; PP Peter Lewis

INTERNATIONAL SERVICE - Director; PP Peter Timmermann

MEMBERSHIP - Director; PDG Greg Muldoon

PUBLIC RELATIONS - Director; PP Michael MacQuillan

## ROTARY FOUNDATION

Director; PP Nick Dorsch; Elizabeth Huh, PP Peter Kindred  
Sustainable Communities in Sri Lanka; PP Peter Kindred  
Golden Needle Project; Ian Garrard, PP Peter Kindred PP Nick Dorsch

## VOCATIONAL SERVICE

Director: PP Peggy Yu; PP Brian Townsend, Avis Manoukian

## YOUTH SERVICE

Director: PP Richard Green;  
Bob Mugden School Speaking/Essay Competition; PP Richard Green  
Gordon Waterhouse Memorial Musical Scholarship; PP Noel Cislowski

## SERGEANT AT ARMS

Ian Garrard, Wayne Kearns, Sue Ward

## FUNDRAISING

Bunnings BBQ's; PP Peter Lefmann, PP John Hartley





## WELFARE OFFICER

Diana Wilkinson.

## SOCIAL COMMITTEE

Sue Ward, PP Peter McKeown, Allan Farrar

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PP John Hartley, Avis Manoukian.  
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## BULLETIN EDITORS

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## RISK MANAGEMENT and INSURANCE

Allan Farrar

## WEBSITE, CLUBRUNNER and COMMUNICATIONS

PP Michael MacQuillan, PP David Williams

## **SPECIFIC POSITIONS AND ROLES.**

WORKING WITH CHILDREN	PP Peter Lefmann
TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE	PP Ian Robertson, PP David Williams
TREE OF JOY	PP Peter Timmermann, Bruce Carfrae Lloyd Lucas (Hon.)
DANCE TO THE 9s	PP Tony Basten
CHATSWOOD STREET FAIR	Andre Hariman, PP Peter Timmermann, PDG Greg Muldoon
SPECIAL EVENTS COORDINATOR	Andre Hariman
ROSEVILLE PUBLIC SCHOOL FATHER'S DAY BREAKFAST BBQ	PP Peter Lewis, PP John Hartley
PUBLIC OFFICER (SECRETARY)	PP Arthur Marshall



## THE BACK PAGE

### **Getting a Hairdryer Through Customs.**

An attractive young woman on a flight from Ireland asked the Priest beside her, "Father, may I ask a favour?"

"Of course child. What may I do for you?"

"Well, I bought my mother an expensive hair dryer for her birthday. It is unopened but well over the Customs limits and I'm afraid they'll confiscate it. Is there any way you could carry it through customs for me? Hide it under your robes perhaps?"

"I would love to help you, dear, but I must warn you, I will not lie."

"With your honest face, Father, no one will question you."

When they got to Customs, she let the priest go first.

The official asked, "Father, do you have anything to declare?"

"From the top of my head down to my waist I have nothing to declare"

The official thought this answer strange, so asked, "And what do you have to declare from your waist to the floor?"

"I have a marvellous instrument designed to be used by a woman, but which is, to date, unused."

Roaring with laughter, the official said, "Go ahead, Father. Next please!"

### **Murphy's Dog**

Murphy lived alone in the Irish countryside with only a pet dog for company. One day the dog died, and Murphy went to the parish priest and asked, "Father, my dog is dead. Could ya' be sayin' a Mass for the poor creature?"

Father Patrick replied, "I'm afraid not; we cannot have services for an animal in the church. But there are some Baptists down the lane, and there's no tellin' what they believe. Maybe they'll do something for the creature."

Murphy said, "I'll go right away Father. Do ya' think \$10,000 is enough to donate to them for the service?"

Father Patrick exclaimed, "Sweet Mary, Mother of Jesus! Why didn't ya' tell me the dog was Catholic?".

### **Husband Wanted**

A woman inserted an 'ad' in the classifieds of her local newspaper:

"Husband wanted."

Next day she received a hundred letters. They all said the same thing:

"You can have mine."



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2021-22 Michael MacQuillan

## ABOUT ROTARY



*Paul Harris*

The world's first service club, the Rotary Club of Chicago, Illinois, USA, was formed on 23 February 1905 by Paul Harris.

Rotary is a worldwide organisation of business and professional leaders that provides humanitarian service, encourages high ethical standards in all vocations, and helps build goodwill and peace in the world. More than 1.2 million Rotarians belong to over 35,000 Clubs in 210 countries and geographical areas. Rotary Club membership represents a cross-section of the community's business and professional men and women. The world's Rotary Clubs meet regularly and are non-political, non-religious, and open to all cultures, races, and creeds.

The Rotary motto is ***Service Above Self.***

## ***OBJECT OF ROTARY***

The Object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster:

- FIRST. The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;
- SECOND. High ethical standards in business and professions, the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations, and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society;
- THIRD. The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business, and community life;
- FOURTH. The advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.

## ***ADVANCE AUSTRALIA FAIR***

Australians all, let us rejoice,  
For we are one and free,  
We've golden soil and wealth for toil  
Our home is girt by sea;  
Our land abounds in nature's gifts  
Of beauty rich and rare;  
In history's page, let every stage  
Advance Australia Fair.  
In joyful strains then let us sing  
Advance Australia Fair.



## ***ROTARY THANKS***

For the community, friendship, and the opportunity to serve through Rotary, we give thanks.



## ***THE FOUR-WAY TEST***

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?