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District 9685 Australia



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2023-2024



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Club meets:

2nd and 4th Tuesdays at 6.00
for 6.30pm

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Meeting: 13 February 2024

TONIGHT'S MEETING - 13 FEBRUARY 2024

Tree of Joy Beneficiaries Dinner

This meeting is to acknowledge the support of the benefactors and to give beneficiaries the opportunity to express the value and benefits for their clients.

Speakers will have the opportunity to outline their reasons to be involved in this project, whilst beneficiaries will be able to publicly express a thank you to the beneficiaries and the Rotary Clubs involved.

Editor's note: See letter of thanks from Taldumande on page 8 of this Bulletin.



ATTENDANCE and APOLOGIES

Members must complete the **RSVP response**, or advise **John Hartley**, with your attendance, apology, guests, any special dietary requirements for you or guests, by the **Monday 8 days before a meeting** for catering purposes. If you fail to apologise you will be charged the cost of the meal. Visiting Rotarians, guests or Friends please advise **John** on johnehartley@me.com (0422 383 583), by the 8 days before a meeting you intend attending.



FROM THE PRESIDENT

Please welcome Joe Zhao, Juliet and their children, Jay and Joy this evening.

Joe is a physiotherapist who has treated both Lita and I. Juliet is a member of the Rotary Club of North Ryde.

Under the Regionalisation Pilot Program, Rotary Clubs like North Ryde, Turramurra and Crows Nest may be in the same Rotary Community Group as we are.



We will hold our first (Zoom) meeting in March and then elect our Rotary Community Leader. He or she would represent our Group (and clubs) in any discussion and planning with the Regional Community Council which is chaired by President Dallas Booth of Turramurra. Each club could nominate one person and is entitled to one vote. It is desirable that we nominate an experienced Rotarian from our club.

President Andre

NEXT MEETING - 27 FEBRUARY

Gordon Rover Scouts

“Strait to Tassie - Kayaking for youth mental health”

Our guests at our next meeting will be from the Gordon Rover Scouts (Edward Hosken, Ben Taylor, Tim Taylor, Jono Hargreaves, and Matt Taubam) who have recently kayaked across Bass Strait from Wilson Promontory on the Gippsland coast to north east Tasmania to raise funds in memory of their friend Dan, who tragically committed suicide 2 years ago at the age of 17.



They safely made it and have raised nearly \$40,000 for the Black Dog Institute. They hope their gruelling journey across Bass Strait will help others have “open communication” about mental health and seek help.

A short 40 second video is at the link below:

<https://www.abc.net.au/news/2024-01-13/strait-to-tassie-kayaking-fundraiser-for-mental-health/103314048>

Bring family, friends and others to hear the boys speak on this physically challenging and very successful fundraising expedition for the mental health of young men and women.



MEETING ROSTER

Meeting	Speaker/Event	Introduction	Vote of Thanks
13 February	Tree of Joy Beneficiaries Dinner	Peter Timmermann	Peter Timmermann
27 February	Gordon Rover Scouts - Kayaking Across Bass Strait	Diana Wilkinson	Richard Green
12 March	Michael MacQuillan Introduction to Club Runner	N/A	N/A

LAST MEETING ATTENDANCE - 23 JANUARY

Club Membership	42	Guest Speaker	1
Members Present	23	Guests	4
Attendance Percentage	54.8%	Partners	1
		Visiting Rotarians	0

BIRTHDAYS - FEBRUARY



February 8 Richard BINNS
15 Bob WARLAND
24 Peter LEWIS

BUNNINGS BBQs



REMINDER

NEXT BBQs - Sunday 25th February
Saturday 6th April

Please advise Peter Lefmann ASAP if you can assist on either of these days.



LAST MEETING - 23 JANUARY

Guest Speaker - Dr William Hariman

“Dental Clinic - Adventure on Wheels”



It was truly wonderful to have Dr William Hariman give us his first-hand insight into what life can be like, as a volunteer dentist in rural and remote communities. He has done three tours and will be doing one more in 2024 as a team leader.

William explained that volunteers provide a mobile dental service and teach oral health in strange locations with terrains much like our Blue Mountains. At the same time, another important role is transferring skills through training and mentoring clinicians after they have graduated.

We were shown photos of how a mobile pop-up clinic could be set up and various examples were given of teeth decay, deformities and severe mouth infections. Volunteer dentists perform 200 extractions a week, unlike the rare occasions in Australia.

William said that he and many other dentists go back to Timor-Leste multiple times because of the incredibly important work that needs to be done.



(from l to r) Michael MacQuillan, Dr William Hariman, Peggy Yu

Thank you Dr William Hariman for your inspiring talk on ‘Timor Dental Clinic on Wheels’. You have our best wishes on your next adventure.

Peggy Yu

INCREASE IN WEEKLY MEETING CHARGE

The Board at its meeting on 23 January has approved our dinners fees for Rotary meetings being increased to \$42 per person, from and including the next meeting on 13th February.

The Golf Club has increased its charges for meals, and we still have to pay for a minimum of 25 people.

If you are paying by cash it would greatly assist the Attendance officer if you have the correct amount of \$42. Otherwise please consider paying by credit card, so that the attendance officers are not fiddling with change.

Ross Symons (Secretary)



AUSTRALIA DAY

It was VERY hot & humid but the laughter & chatter echoed around the home of Tony Basten, overflowing with many Rotarians and friends celebrating Australia Day.

The food was terrific & plentiful with many different dishes to share & enjoy. Yum!

President Andre welcomed all attendees and ran a quick quiz whilst sharing some missing Santa gifts.

Noel & Hetti provided some Aussie culture with selected poetry & songs from various Australian artists to recite & sing. Unfortunately, nobody attended the compulsory practise days over the past few weeks ... so we were a few performances short of amazing!

And the attending Rotarians & guests shared the many food dishes eating & drinking their fill before it was time to clean up, pack up and go home! And then the cooling Southerly arrived!

Finally a big thank you to Tony Basten for offering his home for our celebratory Australia Day gathering.

Michael MacQuillan



VOCATIONAL SERVICE

HARS Aviation Museum Morning Tour Saturday 24 February

The entry fee is \$30 per adult. Admission is to the museum only and includes a guided tour to see and inspect a 747-438.

Opening Times: 9:30am till 3:30pm but it would be best to leave Sydney at 8am to arrive at 10am, then have a cafe lunch at noon before heading back to Sydney. Driving will take just over 2 hours and people should organise their own car pooling.

Email Peggy if there are any extra Rotarians or guests wishing to come along.



Pride of Workmanship (POW) Awards

The primary object of the Award is to encourage pride of workmanship by providing employers with the opportunity, through Rotary, of recognising and acknowledging the efforts and contributions of an employee who consistently achieves an overall high personal standard and work performance.



The Award is designed to acknowledge an employee, irrespective of age or vocation, who, in the eyes of their employer, displays outstanding qualities in terms of approach, attitude, dedication and commitment to their job. It is not a competition but a recognition of individual achievement and commitment. The Award's theme is "*Do It Once, Do It Well – Build A Better Australia*".

For many years, our Club has been holding POW Award evenings, where up to three employees who have been nominated by their respective local employers would each be presented with an Award. This year, our Awards evening will be Tuesday 9 April 2024 so be sure to keep this date free to come with your partners and friends!

Peggy, Brian and Avis

The Vocational Service Team

MEMBER TALKS

Nathan Cassar will be giving his talk on Tuesday 27 February.

We look forward to learning more about Nathan then.



SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING

27th FEBRUARY 2024

NOTICE

Notice was given on 31st January 2024, to all members that a Special General Meeting of members of the Rotary Club of Chatswood Roseville Inc. will be held at the Roseville Golf Club, 4 Links Avenue, Roseville, NSW on Tuesday, 27th February 2024, commencing at 6.30pm for the purpose of transacting and determining the following business on the Agenda.



AGENDA

Apologies

BUSINESS

1. Special Purpose Accounts for Year ended 30th June 2023.

Ross Symons (Secretary)

Rotary Club of Chatswood Roseville Inc.

Dated: 31st January 2024

LIFELINE CHATSWOOD BOOK FAIR



CHATSWOOD BOOK FAIR



Sunday 25th February from 5pm – 7pm at The Concourse, Chatswood

Lifeline are looking for volunteers to assist in the pack-up/clean-up following their book fair.

Please contact Phil Dunbar if you are available to help.



THANK YOU FROM TALDUMANDE



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24 January 2024

Sue Raveane and Peter Zimmerman
Rotary Clubs of Crows Nest and Chatswood Roseville

Dear Sue and Peter

Re: Donations of Christmas Presents and Gift Cards

Once again Taldumande Youth Services would like to sincerely thank you for your kind support during 2023. The young people within our care were so delighted to receive your most generous donations of beautiful Christmas presents and gift cards through the Tree of Joy Program. So many were not expecting to receive anything so their big smiles, squeals of delight and words of gratitude were so heartwarming and amazing.

The past few years have been some of the most challenging years and have been particularly hard on the young people within Taldumande already experiencing significant family relationship breakdown, trauma, mental health issues, isolation and struggles with the increase in the cost of living. The last year saw all our programs face an overwhelming demand from young people in need of skilled crisis response, case management and intensive residential care. Throughout 2023 we successfully increased our geographic spread by scaling up both our family preservation and justice services to meet the needs we had identified beyond northern Sydney. Through a mix of additional outreach, non-residential services and our Granville property, the need to support young people and their families almost doubled this Christmas. Without the support of generous community organisations such as the Rotary Clubs of Crows Nest and Chatswood Roseville we would not have brought so much joy to so many this year.

On behalf of Taldumande and our young people and families, thank you so very much. Please let everyone know their kindness and generosity has been felt deeply and we are so grateful for helping us bring some joy to our young people and families this Christmas.

With warm regards

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Liz de Rome'.

Liz de Rome
Community Engagement & Fundraising Officer



REPORT ON DENTAL PROJECT IN TIMOR-LESTE

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Norwest NSW 2153
02 8833 8317



TEAM LEADER REPORT

TEAM NUMBER - ER24-2023-24

Team Leader: Mary Tiutiunnik
Project Name: Supporting safe Dental services in Timor-Leste
Project Number: 110-2004-05
Project Manager: Peter Kindred
Deputy Project Manager: Michael MacQuillan

TEAM MEMBERS

<u>Name</u>	<u>Role</u>	<u>Date of Departure</u>	<u>Date of Arrival Home</u>	<u>Volunteers Work Value</u>	<u>Travel, Accomm & Meals Cost</u>	<u>Total Value</u>
Mary Tiutiunnik	Team Leader	14-Jan-2024	21-Jan-2024	\$3,500.00	\$2,200.00	\$5,700.00
Totals				\$3,500.00	\$2,200.00	\$5,700.00

NUMBER OF NATIONALS TRAINED BY TEAM

Number of nationals trained by team: 3
Hours on average training each received: 4
Type of training received: Training was provided to our Maubara dental nurse Miss Ana Tilman in restorative and diagnostic dentistry and in implementing a school dental program in the Maubara local schools. Training was also given to our casual dental assistant/ practice manager in implementing a school dental program in the Maubara local schools and the documentation required.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

Several dental teams travel each year to provide dental care to remote & rural communities in Timor-Leste & support East Timorese dental workers with training, equipment & mentoring. Rotary program, based in Maubara; Lions program, based in Dili.

PROJECT - SPONSORING ROTARY CLUBS & DISTRICTS

<u>Rotary Club</u>	<u>District</u>	<u>Email Address</u>
Rotary Club of Chatswood Roseville	9685	Secretary@ChatswoodRosevilleRotary.org.au

NAME THE ROTARY CLUBS OR ORGANISATIONS ASSISTED BY THIS PROJECT

<u>Rotary Club</u>	<u>District</u>	<u>Email Address</u>
Dili	9560	districtsecretary@rotary9780.org;
Lions Australia		info@lions.org.au



REPORT ON DENTAL PROJECT IN TIMOR-LESTE (con't)

WORK ACHIEVED BY TEAM

I travelled to Maubara Timor-Leste from the 14th of January 2024 to the 20th of January 2024 to reestablish our TLDP school dental program in the Maubara local schools. I trained the clinic dental nurse and her assistant in the steps needed to carry out this school dental program - writing the necessary documentation, introducing the program to the principal, oral health education to each class, screening of the students, and bringing the students who were permitted by their parents back to the clinic for treatment. We returned to a local school St John Paul the 2nd where we had screened the students in November 2023 but we had not completed their treatment or done oral health education. Our dental nurse Miss Ana Tilman did oral health education and we brought 2 to 3 children back to the clinic in the morning and the same number in the afternoon to have their treatment done. We liaised with the director of the Maubara clinic Sister Angela about how the program could be best carried out.



REPORT ON DENTAL PROJECT IN TIMOR-LESTE (con't)

ACCOMMODATION DETAILS

I stayed at the Maubara clinic where I have stayed in the past. The food, bathroom facilities, and sleeping arrangements are fine however there is a problem with some live electric equipment in the clinic (fridge and dental equipment) that will give you a mild electric shock if you touch the metal parts. We told the clinic director who is new and who was aware of the issue. She said she was trying to source an electrician.

TRAVEL DETAILS

Nil.

TOOLS, EQUIPMENT AND MATERIALS PROVIDED

Nil.

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH & SAFETY ISSUES DURING PERIOD

Issue with some equipment being "live" giving mild electric shocks.

INCIDENT OR ACCIDENT REPORTS DURING PERIOD

Nil.

INSURANCE CLAIMS

Nil.

CHILD PROTECTION OR VULNERABLE PERSONS ISSUES

Nil.

COUNTER TERRORISM ISSUES

Nil.

SUMMARY/RECOMMENDATIONS

Teams should be aware of the new location of the Rotary office in the Don Bosco compound in Dili and how helpful the staff Mario and Judite are.

COMPLETION OF FORM AND SUBMISSION

Name of Person Completing form:

Mary Tiutiunnik

Email Address:

tathra44@bigpond.com

Date:

23-Jan-2024



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Sunday 3rd March from 10am at Echo Point, Roseville Chase

Volunteers are needed to assist with the clean up of the Echo Point picnic area and around Echo Point Park.

Please contact Phil Dunbar if you are available to help.



Date	Day	Meeting, Speaker, Event, Activity	Organiser
FEBRUARY 2024			
8 February	Thursday	5.00pm Vocational Visit to RISPO & RDU	Peggy Yu
13 February	Tuesday	4.30pm Board Meeting	President Andre Hariman
		6.30pm Club Meeting	Peter Timmermann
18 February	Sunday	Lifeline Book Sale - Concourse Chatwood	Phil Dunbar
24 February	Saturday	Vocational Visit to Hars Aviation Museum Albion Park	Avis Manoukian
27 February	Tuesday	6.30pm Club Meeting	President Andre Hariman
MARCH 2024			
3 March	Sunday	Clean Up Australia Day	Peter Lewis
12 March	Tuesday	4.30pm Board Meeting	President Andre Hariman
		6.30pm Club Meeting	President Andre Hariman
15-16 March	Fri & Sat	District Conference, Crowne Plaza Terrigal	
26 March	Tuesday	6.30pm Club Meeting	President Andre Hariman
APRIL 2024			
9 April	Tuesday	4.30pm Board Meeting	President Andre Hariman
		6.30pm Club Meeting	President Andre Hariman
23 April	Tuesday	6.30pm Club Meeting	President Andre Hariman
MAY 2024			
14 May	Tuesday	4.30pm Board Meeting	President Andre Hariman
		6.30pm Club Meeting	President Andre Hariman
23 May	Thursday	Annual Gordon Waterhouse Memorial Music Scholarship - Zenith Theatre	Noel Cislowski
28 May	Tuesday	Bob Mugdan Public Schools Speaking and Essay Competition	Noel Cislowski



THE BACK PAGE

Groucho Marx says.....



- Politics is the art of looking for trouble, finding it, misdiagnosing it and then misapplying the wrong remedies.
- Age is not a particularly interesting subject. Anyone can get old. All you have to do is live long enough.
- Here's to our wives and girlfriends...may they never meet!
- I sent the club a wire stating, Please accept my resignation. I don't want to belong to any club that will accept me as a member.
- Send two dozen roses to Room 424 and put 'Emily, I love you' on the back of the bill.
- I never forget a face, but in your case I'll be glad to make an exception.
- I didn't like the play, but then I saw it under adverse conditions-the curtain was up.
- Now there's a man with an open mind - you can feel the breeze from here!
- There's one way to find out if a man is honest - ask him. If he says 'yes,' you know he is a crook.
- I find television very educating. Every time somebody turns on the set, I go into the other room and read a book.
- Those are my principles. If you don't like them I have others.
- I've had a perfectly wonderful evening. But this wasn't it.
- The secret of life is honesty and fair dealing..if you can fake that, you've got it made.
- I worked myself up from nothing to a state of extreme poverty.
- Remember men you are fighting for the ladies honor, which is probably more than she ever did.
- Paying alimony is like feeding hay to a dead horse.
- Last night I shot an elephant in my Pajamas and how he got in my pajamas I'll never know.
- A child of five would understand this. Send someone to fetch a child of five.
- I was married by a judge. I should have asked for a jury.
- Marriage is the chief cause of divorce.



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2020-21	David Brand/Peter Kindred
2021-22	Michael MacQuillan
2022-23	Norm Gibson

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?