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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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Rotary Club of Chatswood Roseville



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Bulletin

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Meeting: 14 November 2023

TONIGHT'S MEETING - 14 NOVEMBER 2023

Guest Speaker - District Governor Christine Owen

"Official Club Visit"



Each Rotary year the new District Governor plans an Official Visit to every Rotary Club in the District. Whilst quite an arduous undertaking visiting so many Clubs, it is one of the highlights of the DG's year.

It is a great opportunity to learn what every Club is doing and to encourage and inspire the Rotarians in the District.

Please come along to meet District Governor Christine and hear some of her plans for the year.

We will also be inducting two new members at tonight's meeting. Nathan Cassar and Tony Jaksich will be joining our Club.

There will also be a Paul Harris Fellow Recognition, so stay tuned.

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

In the last 12 months we welcomed two new members, Phil Dunbar and Andrew Chew. Both have attended most of our meetings and have been involved in all our activities and projects. We have yet to taste Andrew's delicious Malaysian Beef Curry, however, we have requested it for our Australia Day Family celebration on 26th January 2024.



In the next four months we are planning to induct three more new members. Please welcome them warmly into our Rotary Family. All five are men, so we would most welcome women into our club.

We would like to thank our Friend, Tony Jaksic who has kindly donated 5 stunning model ships. All proceeds from the sale of the ships will go towards our local community projects.

President Andre

NEXT MEETING - 28 NOVEMBER

Guest Speaker - Kieran Kelly

“Author, explorer and outdoor sportsman”

Our Guest Speaker for our next meeting is Kieran Kelly, an amateur historian, author and explorer who lives and works in Sydney.



Kieran has participated as leader or navigator in numerous expeditions in Central and Northern Australia, including in 2002 the first crossing on foot of the Tanami desert in central Australia, linking the expeditions of the explorers Augustus Gregory and John Mcdouall Stuart.

In 2006, Kieran and photographer Andrew Gregory, sponsored by the Australian Geographic in the Lost Crocs of the Old River Expedition, made the first successful kayak passage down the Negri and Old Rivers and across Lake Argyle documenting for the first time the survival of the Saltwater Crocodile, following the building of the Lake Argyle dam wall.

In 2004, Kieran was honoured with a fellowship of the Explorer's Club of New York, and in 2007, along with Andrew Gregory, was awarded the Australian Geographic Society's Spirit of Adventure Award for the Lost Crocs of the Ord Expedition.



MEETING ROSTER

Meeting	Speaker/Event	Introduction	Vote of Thanks
14 November	DG Christine Owen Official Club Visit	President Andre	President Andre
28 November	Kieran Kelly - Author, explorer and outdoor sportsman	Peter Kindred	Arthur Marshall
5 December	Annual General Meeting	Ross Symons John Hartley	N/A

LAST MEETING ATTENDANCE - 24 OCTOBER

Club Membership	40	Guest Speaker	1
Members Present	20	Guests	2
Attendance Percentage	50.0%	Partners	0
		Visiting Rotarians	0

BIRTHDAYS - NOVEMBER



20 Nick DORSCH
24 Elizabeth HUH

MEMBER TALKS

President Andre Hariman gave his talk at last week's meeting. As a dentist, he spoke about the importance of oral health and hygiene. He also showed some graphic photos of cancers in the mouth.

We are looking forward to new member Andrew Chew giving his talk at our meeting on 28 November.



LAST MEETING - 24 OCTOBER

Guest Speaker - Noel Phelan

“The Teddy Sheean VC RAN Story”

Noel Phelan is a man who has enormous energy for telling a story with the passion of *“let’s get to the bottom of this”* and that was seen at our last meeting.

As you know, he is a retired naval man with a knowing of the Royal Australian Navy which, he not only served, but has continued to represent its history as well as the permanent display in Darling harbour.

Noel has had a journey of following through the cause of a young hero, Teddy Sheean of the Second World War. Teddy’s feat was a single handed effort, in going down with his ship and holding the enemy at bay whilst his shipmates were being attacked in open waters.

For this effort he was belatedly awarded a Victoria Cross, and this award is the only one of a kind within the ranks of the Royal Australian Navy.

It is the passion in which we were treated that shows us the beauty of a man and his career and the want to never retire.

I think we are enriched to have this quality of speaker.

Brian Townsend



Teddy Sheean

THE ROTARY FOUNDATION RECOGNITION DINNER



At the Rotary Foundation Recognition Dinner, Peter Kindred was recognised as a Level 1 Donor.

Peter (*centre*) is pictured with Mark Anderson (*left*) Senior Coordinator, Fund Development for The Rotary Foundation and Past Rotary International President Barry Rassin (*right*).



ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

5th December 2023

Forward Notice



Forward Notice is hereby given that the Annual 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, 5th December 2023, commencing at 6.30 p.m. for the purpose of transacting and determining the following business on the Agenda.

AGENDA

Apologies

BUSINESS

1. Confirmation of Minutes of the A G M of 4th December 2022; Special General Meeting of 9th May 2023, and Special General Meeting of 24th October 2023.
2. Matters arising from Minutes of the above meetings.
3. President's and Directors' Mid-Year Reports for 2023/2024 Year.
4. Mid-Year Report on Income and Expenses for the Year 2023/2024.
5. Special Purpose Accounts for Year ended 30th June 2023.
6. Annual Membership Dues for 2024/2025.
7. Entrance Fee – (New Members Joining Fee) for 2024/2025.
8. Appointment of Independent Auditor - year ending 30th June 2024.
9. Special Resolutions - of which 21 days Notice must be given to members.
10. Election of Officers and Directors for 2024/2025, being;
 - (i) Election of President-Elect 2024/2025 (i.e. becomes President for 2025/2026 on 1 July 2025).
 - (ii) Election of Secretary for the year 2024/2025.
 - (iii) Election of Treasurer for the year 2024/2025.
 - (iv) Election of eight (8) members to be appointed as Directors for 2024/2025.
11. General Business.

Ross Symons

Secretary

Rotary Club of Chatswood Roseville Inc.

Dated: 11th Day of November 2023



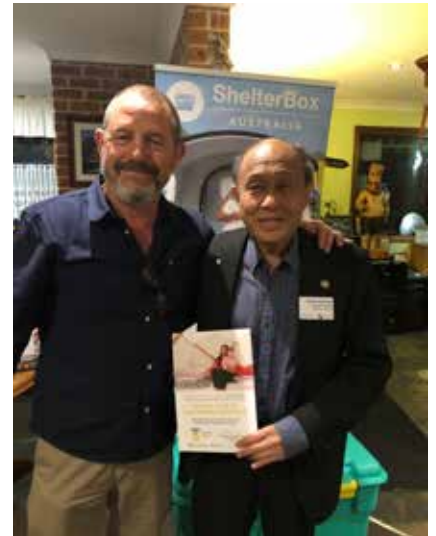
OKTOBERFEST



Michael MacQuillan using every trick to sell raffle tickets ... very successfully



Mike Greenslate CEO of ShelterBox Australia seems to enjoy the evening

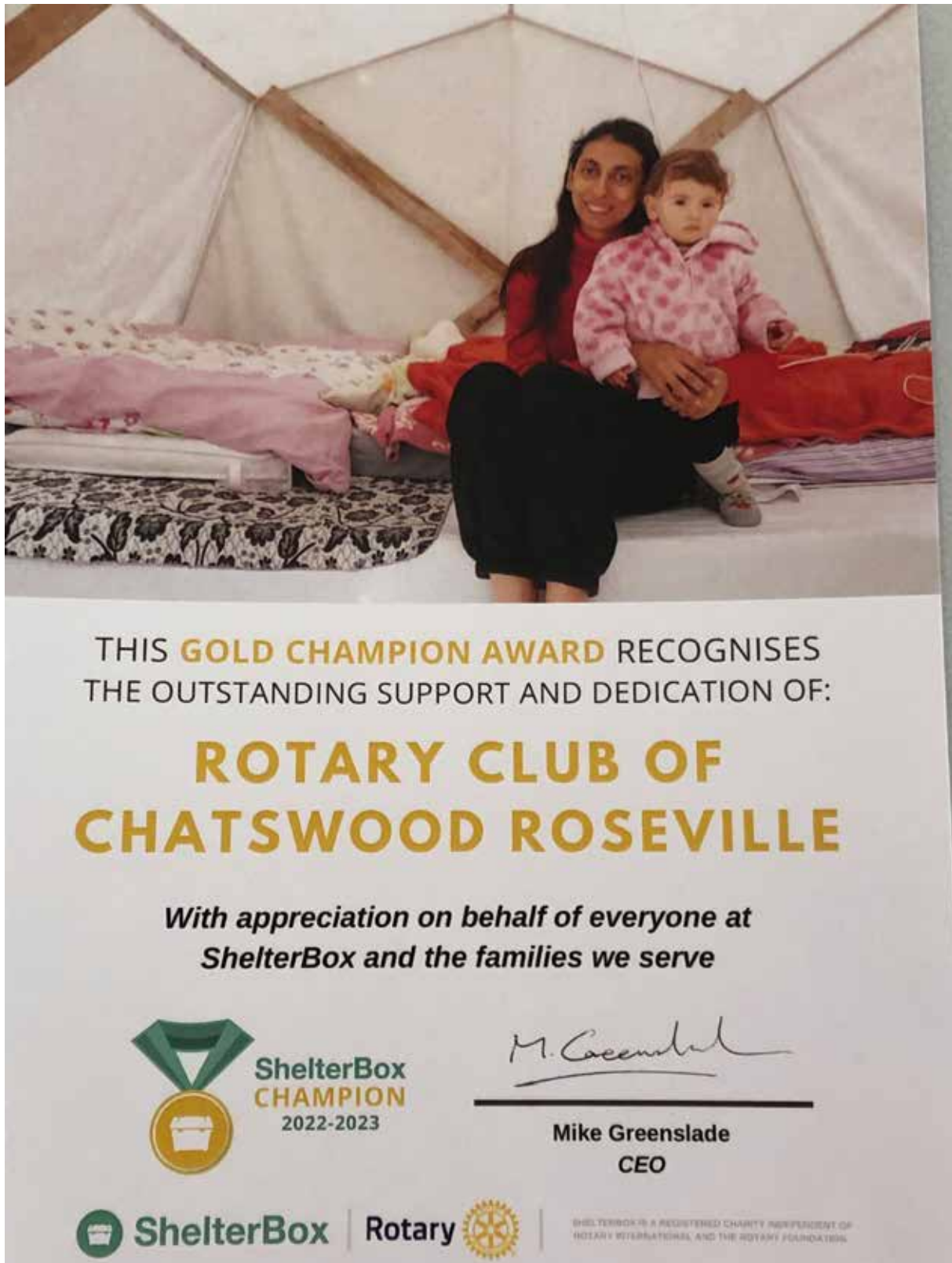


Mike Greenslate CEO of ShelterBox presents President Andre with the 2022-2023 Gold Champion Award for the Rotary Club of Chatswood Roseville



SHELTERBOX PRESENTATION AT OKTOBERFEST

The Gold Champion Award for 2022-23 presented to the Rotary Club of Chatswood Roseville by Mike Greenslade on Friday night at the Oktoberfest dinner.



YEOVAL CENTRAL SCHOOL

I visited the Yeoval Central school on 13th October and met the Principal, Trish Henderson and the Head Teacher Secondary Studies, Helen Tremain.

Some summary information on the school:

- Year K-12, with a total of 80 students, slightly more than 50% in high school
- 31% indigenous
- 7 students doing the HSC in 2023
- Generally, they combine classes over 2 year groups – i.e. K to year 1, years 2 - 4, years 5 & 6 etc.
- They have also adopted project-based learning, where they learn life skills outside of the standard curriculum. These skills include topics such as conflict resolution, relationships, working in teams.
- While they are well set up with audio visual equipment in the classrooms we visited, they lack the ability to attract and keep teachers. Teacher shortage is a key issue. Areas where the Government funds' assets and equipment – they are well set up.
- Kids have to BYO their own technical equipment for years 7-12. (e.g. iPads). Government provides for years 1 - 6.
- It is a low socio-economic area and there were instances where teachers have paid for students equipment.
- There has been a large drain of students to larger surrounding towns, e.g. Dubbo, since the recent introduction of school buses servicing the route between Yeoval and Dubbo.

In April this year they were devastated when their 2023 head student was killed in a bike accident.



The Driving lessons provided by Chatswood Roseville Rotary were a big success, not only contributing to recorded learning hours, but were very well received by the students, and the ones we spoke with were very grateful. They also provided a confidence boost for the students. The lessons were conducted at the end of last term.

We discussed other ways Rotary could assist the school through provision of books – they also mentioned adult learning books for parents, and a planned visit of years 9 and 10 to Sydney in 2024. These will be explored further.

Phil Dunbar

Community Service Director

Extract from November 2023 issue of Rotary Down Under magazine



LIFELINE CHRISTMAS HAMPER APPEAL



The poster features the Lifeline logo at the top, which includes a circular icon of dots and the text 'Lifeline Saving Lives'. Below the logo is the tagline 'Crisis Support. Suicide Prevention.' and the title 'Christmas Hamper Appeal' in a mix of script and bold fonts. The main text explains the purpose of the hamper and lists suggested items in three columns. It also provides instructions on how to donate, either online via a QR code or in person at a collection point. A QR code is shown on the left side of the lower half. At the bottom, there is a disclaimer about not including alcohol and a note about food expiration dates. The footer mentions 'Lifeline Harbour to Hawkesbury Sydney - supporting your community'.

Lifeline Saving Lives
Crisis Support. Suicide Prevention.

Christmas Hamper Appeal

You can help make this Christmas special for someone.
Many people in our community are experiencing financial hardship, social isolation or are trying to cope with varying levels of distress.
You can help by contributing to a Christmas Hamper for a family in need.

The following items are suggestions to include in a hamper:

- Tinned Ham
- Christmas Cake
- Christmas Pudding
- Savoury/Festive Biscuits
- Fruit Mince Pies
- Assorted Sweets
- Long Life Custard
- Mixed Nuts
- Chocolates
- Milo/Coffee/Tea
- Jams/Marmalades

Please scan this QR code to make a financial donation to a hamper online.

Or please leave donations by Friday 1 December at your local collection point or deliver goods to Lifeline Harbour to Hawkesbury Sydney, 4 Park Avenue, Gordon from 9am–5pm Mon–Fri.

For enquiries, please visit lifelineh2hsydney.org.au

Please do not include any food items that contain alcohol and ensure that all food items are within the Use By Date.

Lifeline Harbour to Hawkesbury Sydney – supporting your community

In past years, our Club members have supported Lifeline by donating food items for the Lifeline Christmas Hampers.

We are asking our members to help again this year by:

- Donating food items (*I can collect and take to Lifeline*) - by December 1st
- Volunteering to collect donated items from local schools on December 4th
- Volunteering to deliver the hampers to Lifeline clients on December 7-8th

Peter Lewis



The Christmas Hamper Collection for Lifeline is well under way. The picture was taken at the entrance of The Residences at Castlecrag, where tenants are invited to place their donations in the red buckets to support the efforts of Lifeline, who look after the less fortunate at Christmas time.



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Turramurra
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Club of Chatswood Roseville



Pymble Players Theatre

55 Mona Vale Road, Pymble (cnr. Bromley Ave.)

21st November 2023 - 7.30 p.m. for 8.00 p.m. start

\$50 PER PERSON

**1 ticket, sumptuous supper, nice lucky door prizes and Q&A
the cast and director on stage after the show.**

A FABULOUS CHRISTMAS HAMPER TO BE 'SILENT AUCTIONED'

Please pay Rotary Club of Turramurra BSB: 633 000

Account: 196 131 031 with your name(s) and club

Further information please contact Andre Hariman 0479 178 999

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The Founding of our Foundation

From an initial contribution of \$26.50, The Rotary Foundation has spent more than \$4 billion on life-changing, sustainable projects since it was founded more than 100 years ago.

RIGHT: Rotary President Arch Klumph and the 1916-17 Board of Directors. Top (L-R): FW Galbraith Jr., E Leslie Pidgeon, Chesley R Perry, and Guy Gundaker. Bottom (L-R): Arch C Klumph, Allen D Albert.

AT the 1917 Rotary International Convention, outgoing Rotary International President Arch C Klumph proposed setting up an endowment "for the purpose of doing good in the world".

That one idea, and an initial contribution of \$26.50 from the Rotary Club of Kansas City, US, set in motion a powerful force that has

transformed millions of lives around the globe.

During the Convention Arch reminded Rotarians that "Rotary is at the present time entering a new era, demanding improved methods in administrative machinery, with which to carry out the splendid principles which have been laid down heretofore." He defined six points of action, including the establishment of an endowment, which would later become The Rotary Foundation.

"Carrying on, as we are, a miscellaneous community service, it seems eminently proper that we should accept endowments for the purpose of doing good in the world, in charitable, educational or other avenues of community progress, or such funds could be well used for extension work."

Through Arch's simple yet profound statement,

the Rotary Endowment Fund was born. In 1928, the name formally changed to The Rotary Foundation, and a Board of Trustees was established, with Arch serving as the first trustee chair from 1928 to 1935. Even after stepping down as chair, he remained dedicated to educating Rotary leaders and members about the importance of the Foundation and encouraging contributions.

Today, Rotary Foundation grants fund thousands of projects every year, with contributions reaching into the tens of millions. In the 2022-23 Rotary year, The Rotary Foundation funded 1,092 global grants at a cost of \$68 million; 473 district grants at a cost of \$28 million; 324 disaster response grants at a cost of \$15 million; and one program of scale grant at a cost of \$2 million. ^{RSO}



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ROTARY'S DESIGNATED MONTHS

July	Maternal and Child Health Month
August	Membership and New Club Development Month
September	Basic Education and Literacy Month
October	Community Economic and Development Month
November	Rotary Foundation Month
December	Disease Prevention and Treatment Month
January	Vocational Service Month
February	Peacebuilding and Conflict Prevention Month
March	Water, Sanitation, and Hygiene Month
April	Environmental Month
May	Youth Service Month
June	Rotary Fellowships Month



FRIENDS OF OUR ROTARY CLUB

Friends of our Rotary Club are always most welcome to join in, or volunteer to participate in, any of the Club's activities, including assisting at the Bunnings BBQ's, School Mothers and Fathers days, and attending any of the social events and other outings of the club.

Or to come to a dinner meeting and experience the friendship of the Club and interesting guest speakers.

All events appear in the Bulletin (see *Club Calendar*), so if you notice an event or activity you would wish to help with or join in, contact Andre Hariman on 0479 178 999, or by email at ahariman@tpg.com.au



Friends are always most welcome at a dinner - just use the contacts shown under **"Attendance and Apologies"** on page 1 of the Bulletin.



Date	Day	Meeting, Speaker, Event, Activity	Organiser
NOVEMBER 2023			
14 November	Tuesday	4.30pm Board Meeting	President Andre Hariman
		6.30pm Club Meeting	President Andre Hariman
		DG Official Visit & PHF Recognitions	
21 November	Tuesday	"Gaslight" Theatre - End Polio Now Fundraiser at Pymble Players Theatre	Peter Kindred
28 November	Tuesday	6.30pm Club Meeting	President Andre Hariman
DECEMBER 2023			
5 December	Tuesday	4.30pm Board Meeting	President Andre Hariman
		6.30pm Annual General Meeting	PP Norm Gibson
12 December	Tuesday	Christmas Party - Roseville Golf Club	
JANUARY 2024			
9 January	Tuesday	No Meeting	
23 January	Tuesday	4.30pm Board Meeting	President Andre Hariman
		6.30pm Club Meeting	President Andre Hariman
FEBRUARY 2024			
8 February	Thursday	5.00pm Vocational Visit to RISPP0 & 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 Chatswood	Phil Dunbar
27 February	Tuesday	6.30pm Club Meeting	President Andre Hariman



THE BACK PAGE

Interesting Unknown Facts That You Need To Know

- ◆ **When the moon is directly overhead, you will weigh slightly less**

Yes, this is true, as per the calculation it is said that a person will weigh 0.48g lighter for a 100kg person. When the moon is directly overhead, they are going to weigh 0.5g lighter as the moon attracts you in the same way it attracts water when it makes tides.



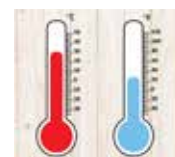
- ◆ **Camels have 3 eyelids to protect themselves from the blowing desert sand**

Camels have different ways to adapt to their environment. They have a third clear eyelid that helps in protecting their eyes from blowing sand. Also, two rows of long lashes protect their eyes.



- ◆ **Minus 40 degrees Celsius is exactly the same as minus 40 degrees Fahrenheit**

Indeed true, Celsius and Fahrenheit are two different temperature scales. The Fahrenheit and Celsius intersect at one point and they equal at -40 °C and -40 °F.



- ◆ **Chocolate can kill dogs, as it contains theobromine, which affects their heart and nervous system**

Chocolate consists of an ingredient called theobromine (similar to caffeine) that is toxic to dogs. Dogs are not capable of breaking it down or metabolizing theobromine as humans can. Theobromine majorly affects a dog's central nervous system, heart and kidneys.



- ◆ **“Rhythm” is the longest English word without a vowel**

Without using any vowel letter, the longest English word can be formed which is seven letter word - ‘Rhythm’.

- ◆ **Each king in a deck of playing cards represents a great king from history**

Clubs - Alexander the Great

Spades - King David

Diamonds - Julius Caesar

Hearts - Charlemagne



- ◆ **$111,111,111 \times 111,111,111 = 12,345,678,987,654,321$**



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PAST PRESIDENTS

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?