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President's Message:

The month of September is looking exciting!

It was our pleasure to welcome our District Governor Kalma McLellan to our meeting last Thursday, and we look forward to sharing her Rotary vision for achievement over the next 12 months.

Also attending our meeting and always welcome was Assistant Governor Ward Pollard and Ryde Rotarian Geoff Brennan.

Geoff reminded us of the importance of attending the upcoming District Conference in March 2020 in Wollongong. Robust discussions and feedback on this important event followed and your support and attendance at the conference would be great.

September looks exciting and busy with excellent Guest Speakers on the list, a Board meeting on September 12 and working on our target goals for achievement during this month.



DG. Kalma McLellan, Geoff Brennan and President Lily



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"For Good Food, Good Fellowship and the Opportunity to serve through Rotary, we give thanks".



President's Message cont.....



It's nice to be remembered!

For our 91st Birthday we received a Birthday Card in the mail

from the Parliament of New South Wales, Sydney Australia





Dear Warth Sydney Rotomy
Happy 9187 Bullday!
Congratulations on
reading another unlestone in
Serving our community
Falcily

President's Message cont.....

Special Guest—Exchange Banner

A warm welcome to our Rotary Guest Harikrishnan Srinivasan from The Rotary Club of Madras Coromandel, India.



Fundraiser News

It's official!

I've been dreaming about this for a while and now it's finally going to happen! The official go ahead has come through to open a new secondary school for girls — and we're doing it in January!!!

You probably think we don't know when to stop, I sometimes wonder that myself! This is a really important next step for St Jude's though, a chance to make an even bigger impact than we are already.

By reconfiguring our current boarding and school facilities, we can turn part of our Sisia Primary Campus into a girls' secondary school, which in time, will cater for nearly 600 students. More students will get a free, high-quality education at St Jude's and we're so excited about what this means for Tanzania.

Because of the new school we'll be increasing the number of students who can graduate Form 6 and, in particular, increase the number of girls getting a secondary education.

Currently, when students are selected from government schools to St Jude's at the beginning of secondary school (Form 1), at least 60% are boys and for selection to A Levels (the last two years of school), it's more than 80%. As you go up the levels, there's less and less girls staying in school. That means by Form 5 there are fewer girls to invite to sit our A level entrance exams and less girls being offered St Jude's A Level scholarships.

By increasing our intake of girls into secondary school, St Jude's can help stack the odds in their favour, in a country where girls from a poor rural background will only receive 3.7 years of schooling on average. And it's pretty hard to argue with the mountain of research about the MANY benefits to families and communities in having educated women.

This means there'll be more girls in secondary school, more graduates and more future leaders because of St Jude's each year.

Thank you for your support so far, it's what has given us the confidence to embark on this expansion. I can't wait to keep you updated on our progress in the next few months.

Gemma

Upcoming Events for your diary

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Date	Speaker	Subject
5th September	Glenn O'Rourke	NSW Rural Fire Service The Largest Volunteer Fire Service in the World
12th September	Elaine Newman	Connecting Disadvantaged Youth to Opportunities.
19th September	Pauline Vamos	Superannuation & the Royal Commission
20-22nd September	Regeneration NZ/AUS Conference	Christchurch NZ
23rd September	Dinner Hosted by RI President Mark Maloney	Direct bookings are essential. Registrations close 15/9/19
26th September	No meeting	
6th November	North Shore Business Awards	Sponsored by our Club. Kirribilli RSL



Date	Birthdays	Date	Anniversaries
13th September	Ross Waugh	10th September	Peter & Millie Lulic
21st September	Jenny Thomas		
29th September	John Taylor		

Date	Front Desk & Room Set Up Attendance Required from 12:00pm
5th September	Jeff McDougall
12th September	Geoff Pritchard
19th September	John Taylor

Upcoming Events for your diary

Next Board Meeting September 12, 2019

.....please send your Agenda items to Tony D'Arbon







The Rotary Club of North Sydney is the Major Sponsor for the upcoming 2019 North Shore Local Business Awards.

Timeline for 2019 is as follows:

July 16 Program Commences – Voting Opens

September 10 Voting closes

October 16 RSVP

November 6 Gala Presentation Evening

Please see website www.rotarydistrict9685.org.au for details on the following events:-

September 20-22 – REGENERATION NZ/AUS CONFERENCE, CHRISTCHURCH, NZ

Monday September 23 Dinner hosted by RI President Mark Maloney Direct bookings are essential. Registrations close 15/9/19

Thursday October 24 Join the Train Ride to End Polio Sunday 27 October, 2019 Graffiti Removal Day

March 20-22 Reasons Conference 2020 - Wollongong

Upcoming Events for your diary cont...



Visitors & Apologies for 22nd August 2019

Visitors

District Governor, Kalma McLennan
Assistant District Governor, Ward Pollard
Narmla, Rotary Club of Coramandel, South India
Geoff Brennan, Rotary Club of Ryde
Stella Li, Guest of Lili Lee

Leave of Absence:

Robert Lau

Apologies

Doug Garner Jiji Lee

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