



# Rotary Club of Roseville Chase

District 9685 Australia



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# The Rotary Club of Roseville Chase

## 2018-2019



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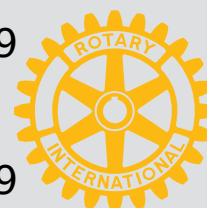
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# The Parrot's Perch



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**MEETING on 9 April (6.00 pm for 6.30 pm start)**

## **SPECIAL YOUTH NIGHT**

The club will be addresses by some of the students and young people who the Club has sponsored to attend RYLA, RAIC and NYSF youth programs.

Below are some notes on the those persons attending tonight.

(1) **Peter Taylor** was sponsored by our Club to attend RYLA ( Rotary Youth Leadership awards) in January 2019 at Elanora Heights.

Peter is 21 years of age and is presently undertaking a Bachelor of Information Technology at Macquarie University.

His interests outside of University studies include scouting, in which he is the Venturer Chairman of 2nd Gordon Venturer Unit. He is also involved with cycling and kayaking.

(2) **Mari Watkins** will be attending the Rotary Adventure in Citizenship (RAIC) in Canberra in early April and will be sponsored by our Club.

Mari is a Year 11 student at Roseville College and was Year 10 Dux in 2018. She has received a number of awards including the Sydney University Academic Excellence Award 2018 and the Australian Defence Force Long Tan Award for Leadership and Teamwork in 2018.

(3) **Madeline Carmody** attended the NYSF ( National Youth Science Forum) in Canberra in January 2019 and was partly sponsored by our Club. Unfortunately due to Year 12 assessments, Madeline will not be able to attend the Youth Night on 9 April. She has submitted a written report which is on **page 5** of the Bulletin.

Madeline is a Year 12 student at Roseville College.



## PRESIDENT RICHARD GREEN'S REPORT



Thank you to our debating team of Ian Garrard, Arthur Marshall and Sue Ward for doing an excellent job and winning the debate against the Lindfield Rotary team.

By the time you read this, the wine and cheese tasting will probably be over. It looks like we will have 90 guests.

Thanks to Neil Howie for all your hard work.

Seven people from the club attended the district conference in Newcastle last weekend. It was very well organised and there were some excellent speakers. It was attended by nearly 500 people. The band on

Saturday night was very good and had nearly everyone up and dancing.

Looking forward to next year we have an attendance officer, a number of sergeants and a bulletin editor, but we need another director, mainly to organise the programme. This is a very important role. If we cannot get one we will set up a schedule and all members will be allocated a night for them to organise the speaker or event.

Four directors for next year will attend the District Assembly on Sunday 14th April to hear what the new DG has to say about her year, and their roles.

The next meeting will be a youth night with two speakers, one from RYLA and one from RIC. Unfortunately the student who attended the science school is in the middle of her HSC.

Also on the night we have to vote on the investigation of the possible amalgamation of the two Sydney districts. Before the meeting please look at the two videos. (See page 15 for the video links)

The good news is that Northbridge club has agreed to donate \$5,000 towards the head coil making a total from Rotary of \$20,000. The head coil is installed and has been working since 22 March.

The next meeting in April is on **MONDAY 29 April** and the next board meeting will be before the meeting on the 14 May.

Don't forget Bunnings - April 27th - at Chatswood..

Richard Green  
President.



## APOLOGIES AND GUESTS

Advise Attendance Officer, **Avis Manoukian**, on **0418 411 404** or email him at **avis@amcomms.com.au** **before 10.00am SATURDAY before the meeting.** You must pay for your meal if you are absent without an apology by the deadline. **Special dietary requirements you or Guests? please also advise Avis.**

## MEETING ROSTERS

Date	Meeting Program	Introduction and Vote of Thanks
9 April	<b>Special Youth Night.</b> NYSF, RYLA, RAIC (Rotary Adventure in Citizenship)	David Brand
29 April	Anzac Meeting. Visit Hyde Park War Memorial & dinner at City Restaurant	N/A
14 May	PDG Pam Pritchard and William Chan - Global Grant Scholarships. Chatswood Rotary will join us for this night	Neil Howie
28 May	Jacqui Jones - Youth Mental Health	Peter Lewis

## LAST MEETING - 25 MARCH 2019

Club Membership	24	Attendance Percentage	46.0%
Members Present	11	Make-ups	0
Apologies	13	Guests Attending	1
Absent - No Apology	0	Partners Attending	1
Guest Speaker	0	Visiting Rotarians	0

## APRIL and MAY BIRTHDAYS



4 April  
7 April  
10 April  
20 April  
24 April  
17 May  
22 May

Ross Symons  
Norm Gibson  
Richard Green  
Cliff Garrett  
Roseville Chase Rotary Club  
David Brand  
Grant Campbell





## BUNNINGS BBQ - SCHEDULE

**Saturday 27 April 2019 - Chatswood**

### CALENDAR OF COMING ROTARY EVENTS (See also Club Meeting Program inside back cover.)

APRIL 2019		
6 April	Saturday	<b>Wine and Cheese Tasting Night</b>
9 April	Tuesday	<b>Club Meeting</b> - Youth Night
14 April	Sunday	<b>District Assembly</b> - All 2019/20 Board Members to attend
24 April	Wednesday	29th Anniversary of Roseville Chase Rotary Club Charter
27 April	Saturday	Bunnings BBQ - Chatswood
29 April	Monday	<b>Anzac Meeting</b> - Visit to the new exhibition space at Hyde Park War Memorial - Dinner at City Restaurant
MAY 2019		
14 May	Tuesday	<b>Club Meeting</b> - Chatswood Rotary joining us. William Chan- Global Grant Scholarships <b>Board Meeting</b> ,
28 May	Tuesday	<b>Club Meeting</b> Jacqui Jones Mental Health.
JUNE 2019		
11 June	Tuesday	<b>Club Meeting</b> - Primary School Public Speaking and Essay Competition
25 June	Tuesday	<b>Club Meeting</b> <b>Combined Board Meeting</b>
9 July	Tuesday	<b>Club Changeover Meeting</b>



## LETTER FROM MADELINE CARMONDY NATIONAL YOUTH SCIENCE FORUM ATTENDEE

NYSF was some of most memorable, fun and transformative two weeks of my life.

Over the course of the trip I was able to gain an invaluable insight into what real world science actually looks like, as well as meet some incredible young people who have become lifelong friends. My interest group for specialist lectures and lab trips on NYSF was a medical science group, and in this group we were able to gain insight into the different careers available to us both in this field and beyond.

We heard from leading scientists such as Ms Sian Keys who is currently working at the new Australian Space Agency, Professor Lisa Kewley, an ANU professor at the Research School of Astronomy and Astrophysics, Dr Bryan Lessard, a CSIRO insect researcher, Biomedical engineer Kiera Bruggeman, ANU Fundamental Physics PhD candidate Mr Akber, and Dr Michael Dosser from the CERN physics department via Skype (which included a skype tour of the Large Hadron Collider in Europe).

We also got to visit several labs and other worksites, which provided an invaluable picture of what a career in science really looks like. We visited the ANU microbiology laboratory, the University of Canberra Health Sciences Centre, the Therapeutic Goods Association, and the Canberra Hospital Pathology Unit and Human Tissue Museum (my personal favourite visit).

On Partner's Day we also got to hear further about where science can take you in the workforce from corporate program sponsors, as well as about opportunities offered by partnered universities.

Beyond the science visits on the Forum there were many social activities such as the Science Disco, a flashmob, and the Science Dinner, as well Home Hospitality Sunday when we were hosted by Canberra Rotarians for a day.

All in all my NYSF experience was incredible. I learnt so much about what a career in science can actually look like, and beyond this I have made countless new friends and good memories I hope to keep for the rest of my life.

I can't thank the Roseville Chase Rotary club, in particular the Youth Services sector, enough for enabling me to participate in, and experience the magic of the National Youth Science Forum.

Madeline Carmody.



## LAST MEETING - 25 MARCH

### VISIT TO, AND DEBATE AGAINST, LINDFIELD CLUB

#### Debate with Lindfield.

*Well it certainly ended in a better state then it started.*

A great idea...a debate with a mutual club, in this case Lindfield's Rotary Club.

The topic was picked by Lindfield, namely, **'Australia's big four banks are too big and too powerful'** and we picked the affirmative.

We had debated before and these are entertaining, with a few key messages and are fun to be part of or observe. IF, that is, you are well prepared and we were not at that stage.

A Royal Commission, Senate inquiries and the general loathing of Banks by the community, provided the facts and figure but do we have a team? Well, no ... not until late when Arthur Marshal and Sue Ward were co-opted by President Richard.

A quick circulation of roles and responsibilities. A strict 3-minute delivery time (...so time yourself at least three times) and a check of consistency of the evidence, literally an hour before the event, was our organisation.

Sue lead off setting out our respective debating theme, defining the topic and introducing our arguments. Timing was excellent and the arguments were put forceful, but empathetically.

Arthur then gave them both barrels of fact, figure and impacts. Also, right on time and equally forceful spoken from a man who had actually been in the bank system when it had been respected.

Me? I had a 'mop up' role, discrediting our opponents' arguments and delivering few home truths.

Then the wait for the adjudicator's scores...Hooray a win but a close one reflecting the standard of our opponent's arguments, analysis and vigour.

Thanks, Sue and Arthur and the good people of Lindfield Club for a good night

Ian Garrard





## KILLARA HIGH SCHOOL MOCK INTERVIEWS 10 APRIL- REMINDER

The Club has been participating in the Killara High School Mock interviews in previous years and the school has highly valued our contribution to their careers program.

A reminder that the Mock interviews will be conducted on **Wednesday 10th of April**. Full details re meeting point, time etc from David Brand.

Youth Director David Brand is organising, so if you indicated you could assist but if you have any problems or not able to participate, or now want to participate, please let David know ASAP.

## NEXT MEETING - MONDAY 29 APRIL 2019 ANZAC MEETING - VISIT TO HYDE PARK WAR MEMORIAL AND DINNER IN CITY

**NOTE ; MEETING MONDAY 29 APRIL.**

We will visit the Hyde Park War Memorial to inspect the upgrade and extension works that has been carried out as part of the annual ANZAC meeting.

After the inspection, we will meet at a city Restaurant being organised by Sue Ward for dinner.

Full details of the time, meeting location, and the dinner restaurant will be provided to all members in the coming days, and well before the visit.

Previously our ANZAC meeting Bulletin have had a dedicated program for our observance of ANZAC Day , but because we will not be meeting at the Club, we do not have the special usual ANZAC program.

*When you go Home, Tell them of us, and say  
"For your tomorrow, we gave our today"*



## HIGHLIGHTS FROM DISTRICT CONFERENCE - NEWCASTLE 29-31 MARCH 2019

This year's Rotary District 9685 Conference, held in Newcastle from 29-31 March, was attended by President Richard Green, Neil and Merry Howie, Greg and Ann Muldoon and Ro and Ross Symons.

58 Clubs were represented at the Conference, with an attendance of 475+.

The Conference provides a great opportunity for fellowship and to see and hear what some other clubs (some with less members than us) are doing. Those who were unable to attend missed a truly good Conference.

To say the range and quality of the guest speakers and presenters was outstanding, even brilliant in some cases, is an understatement. They were inspiring, emotional, encouraging, insightful, personal and humorous.

The diverse range of speakers addresses on topics such as;

- Their experiences as past GSE, RYPEN and RYLA students,
- How the PYCY is a critical service to youth and youth behavioural problems
- What inspired Martha Jabour to establish "Grace's Place"
- How the Great Lakes Agency for Peace and Development is involved in the settling of refugees in rural Australia
- "Rotary Changed Me" - how a shy New Zealand Rotarian changed into a dynamic businessman and Rotary Leader (see also precis of his fundraising idea on page 10).
- An indigenous person's journey from being an illiterate to an Assoc. Professor and beneficiary of the Australian Rotary Indigenous Health scholarship
- An eye watering ROMAC story of surgery to correct the reversed feet of the disabled legs of a boy
- On being a Rotary Foundation Scholar and an urbanist and design Strategist
- Inspiring lives in East Timor
- Aboriginal Health and Handup Congo's Emergency medicine program,
- A Detective Superintendent's "Life of Crime".

A highlight of Friday night was a musical presentation by the Australian Waratah Girls' Choir, who have already performed at the New York Carnegie Hall, but specifically invited back to perform again. \$1,200 was raised on the night towards their travel costs. Read all about them at [www.waratahgirlschoir.com.au](http://www.waratahgirlschoir.com.au)

Saturday night was a chance for our group, in "sixties dress up" to make "Rotary Rock" to the music of the incredible Enormous Horns band. A great night.





From left to right; President Richard Green, Neil Howie, Merry Howie, Greg Muldoon, Ross Symons, Ro Symons and Ann Muldoon at the Conference.

## **Some other features of the conference**

### **Vocational Excellence Awards;**

Recognition and awards were presented to the following;

- Professor Geoffrey Hull; Linguistics expert working in Timor Leste (Nominated by the Mosman Rotary Club.)
- David Glanville - a Luthier, making stringed musical instruments and violins (Nominated by the Lane Cove Rotary Club.)
- Assoc. Professor Murjel al Muderis, and orthopaedic surgeon and refugee from Iraq (Nominated by the Carlingford Rotary Club).

A copy of the citations for each nominee and their achievements follow on pages 12, 13 and 14.

### **Gnomes Decorating Competition;**

This novelty event, involving “voting” for the most popular gnome with a gold coin donation into an individual money jar, raised \$1,654 over the weekend.

The winning club, West Pennant Hills/Cherrybrook, was awarded a Paul Harris Fellow that they may present to a local COMMUNITY member.

On the following page are some pictures of the gnomes and our Club’s entry.

### **“End Polio Now” City walk;**

Hundreds of Rotarians, with their “End Polio Now” red shirts, walked the 3 klms from the centre of the CBD to Nobby’s Beach to promote End Polio Now - though some of our attendees opted for a relaxing easy return trip to the Hotel by light rail. Some photos on next page.







Above a photo of some of the gnomes entered by the clubs, and on the right, the Roseville Chase Rotary Club gnome. We might not have won, but thanks to Anna and Richard Green for the decorative work.

### Effigy of Phantom Conference Non-Attendee

Knowing a senior and respected member of our club , Norm Gibson, could not attend the District Conference, the Newcastle community erected an effigy of Norm to remind attendees of his devotion to the Rotary cause.

I happened to snap an exclusive photo of the effigy below left.



At left, the commencement of the walk to “End Polio Now” in the CBD central park, and above, the walkers assembled at Nobby’s Beach.





## PDG JOHN PRENTERGAST ROTARY CLUB OF INVERCARGILL SOUTH

PDG John Prentergast, in addition to speaking on “Rotary Changed Me” was also the keynote speaker on Saturday night and relayed the funniest story of a brilliant rotary fundraising idea he had for his club, over 17 years ago, which he still has not been able to get implemented by his club.

In Australia and New Zealand John estimates there are around 36,000 Rotarians, all of whom daily wear one essential piece of clothing - **UNDERPANTS**.

John’s idea was to have black underpants manufactured with the words “**ROTARY DOWNUNDER**” emblazened in large white letters, across the back.

With over 36,000 potential customers, and a daily need for these items, what a big boost to the club’s funds this unique ongoing project would have!.

But he then thought to increase sales appeal, that the underpants also needed some Rotary inspiring logo printed across the front, and what better idea and Rotary promotion than to have the **Rotary International President’s Annual Theme** emblazened in white letters across the front of the underpants.

So how has he faired with his idea?

- 17 years ago, the 2002/03 Theme “**Sow the Seeds of Love**”, was immediately ruled out as too risque for the underpants.
- he thought next year 2003/04 will be OK, but the theme “**Lend a Hand**” didn’t help his idea at all.
- 2005/06, theme “**Service above Self**” was not much better and again his club wasn’t impressed with this on the front of the undies.
- Then his club again vetoed the idea of the 2006/07 Theme of “**Lead the Way**” as not passing the “pub or club test”.
- John pondered all through 2007/08, and was hopeful that the theme for 2008/09 would be his big breakthrough. But after “**Make Dreams Come True**” was announced as the theme, he nearly gave the whole idea away and wasn’t game to even raise it with his club.
- 2009/10, John, undaunted, was sure a suitable theme would emerge and his fund raising emblazened underpants idea get off the ground , but ` that years theme “**The Future of Rotary is in Your Hands**”, didn’t pass muster at all.
- Neither did the 2011/12 theme, “**Reach Within to Embrace Humanity**”, meet with any degree of approval.

after 17 years of determination, John has not fully abandoned his fund raising idea. With the huge market for Rotary promotional Underpants in the Rotary clubs in Australia and New Zealand, he is just waiting for that suitable theme to emerge.



# Rotary District 9685 Vocational Excellence Awards 2019

## **Professor Geoffrey Hull**

Academic Linguist

Professor Geoffrey Hull is a highly qualified Linguistics academic and has lectured at many universities here and overseas. He is an acknowledged expert, having authored scores of academic publications, reports to Government and the first standard dictionary of the Timor-Leste native Tetum language.

Professor Hull has made contributions to the study of Romance, Celtic, Slavonic, Semitic, Austronesian and Papuan languages, and to the relationship between language and culture. He is also well known for his writings on religious questions, most notably the historical causes and socio-cultural impact of church reforms of the 1960s on the Latin Catholic and Eastern Catholic tradition.

In addition to purely academic achievements, Prof Hull has made significant contributions to the establishment of Timor-Leste via the standardisation of the Tetum language and the creation of a range of linguistic and literary resources for Tetum and other languages of Timor-Leste.

Prof. Hull's contribution to Timor-Leste's pre and post Independence era has been remarkable. He viewed the Timorese struggle for freedom from different perspectives – freedom from oppression physically, mentally, linguistically and culturally. After Independence, he knew that the Timorese struggle for linguistic and cultural identity would be a long one and challenging.

With his academic background and expertise, he worked with Timorese both abroad and at home to establish Timor-Leste language policy and develop its vernaculars. His ability to speak various Timorese languages with which he has worked has distinguished him greatly from other linguists. He has since been an invaluable language expert for local and international academics.

Language and culture are fundamental to understandings between peoples at all levels and especially in bringing peoples together and in gaining international understanding. Through his vocation Prof. Hull has contributed to the highest possible level.

Rotary District 9685 is honoured to recognise Professor Geoffrey Hull with the 2019 District Vocational Excellence Award.



# Rotary District 9685 Vocational Excellence Awards 2019

## **David Glanville**

Luthier (Violin Maker), Company Director

An exceptional luthier (a person who makes stringed instruments) and a highly successful businessman, David Glanville is an Australian success story. People of David's calibre, expertise and professionalism are often overlooked because they do not hold any formal qualification for their chosen vocation.

David is, however, a most remarkable man. His vision has been and continues to be, to provide quality musical instruments for all who wish to learn, to play and to perform, to build up the industry in Australia by producing a line of locally crafted instruments under the brand Glanville & Co, to embrace technological change and to marry such change with traditional hand craftsmanship.

David's business has established an in-house, state-of-the-art, local manufacturing facility specialising in the making of orchestral string instruments, right in the heart of Sydney! Combining tradition with technology, he is proud to be utilising modern 3D modelling software and CNC machinery with traditional violin making techniques to create a range of beautiful, high quality string instruments in Australia.

That the Sydney String Centre is now an internationally acclaimed centre for the making, repairing and restoring of beautiful instruments is testament to David's perseverance, determination, passion and commitment to excellence.

David is highly respected internationally with world acclaimed artists seeking his services. David has put Australia front and centre on the world stage for Orchestral musicians, who can now own a violin that is proudly certified 'Australian Made'!

David Glanville displays those qualities that distinguish him as someone who is a most worthy recipient of the 2019 District Vocational Excellence Award.



# Rotary District 9685 Vocational Excellence Awards 2019

## **Associate Professor Munjed Al Muderis**

Orthopaedic Surgeon, Hip, Knee, Trauma and Osseointegration

How does one introduce a man with the courage to defy Saddam Hussein, fleeing for his life rather than obey orders to torture?

A man who arrived in Australia by boat as a refugee, who then rose to the heights of his profession as an Orthopaedic Surgeon recognised by his peers as an outstanding example of his Vocation? This is the story of success against all odds of our next awardee, Associate Professor Munjed Al Muderis.

Born in Baghdad, Munjed had to flee Iraq as a 27 year old doctor having refused the orders of Saddam Hussein to mutilate army deserters' ears.

Munjed endured a life-threatening journey to Australia.

After spending 10 months in Curtin Detention Centre, he embarked on a mission to become an Orthopaedic Surgeon. He is now a world leader in the revolutionary technology of Osseointegration.

As a leading surgeon in this complex reconstructive and robotic surgery, Munjed has helped more than 550 amputees world-wide by improving mobility, reducing pain and overall enhancing their quality of life.

Munjed's day-to-day work as an Orthopaedic Surgeon involves hip and knee arthroplasty and major reconstructive surgery. He teaches at Notre Dame and Macquarie Universities, trains local and international surgeons, registrars and medical students.

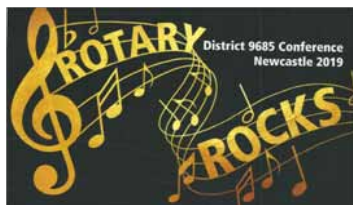
Apart from his academic and clinical roles, Munjed is heavily involved in humanitarian work volunteering his time as a surgeon and as a human rights advocate.

A/Prof Al Muderis is an Australian trained Orthopaedic Surgeon and a Squadron Leader in the Australian Air Force Reserve. Munjed is an Ambassador and Patron for several organisations, a human rights activist and a refugee.

Rotary District 9685 is honoured to recognise Munjed Al Muderis with the 2019 District Vocational Excellence Award.







Dressed in their best “sixties” gear the Roseville Chase Conference attendees kicked up their heels on Saturday night and helped make Rotary Rock to the music of the Enormous Horns band.



## POSSIBLE COMBINED SYDNEY DISTRICT

At the Meeting on 9 April, the Club will vote on whether to proceed with discussions investigating the proposal to establish one Sydney District (combining Districts 9685 and 9675).

NOTE This is not voting on whether the two districts should combine , but on whether discussions on the amalgamations should be continued.

On 27 February, President Richard circulated to all members, some information from ADG Fiona Jenkins and DG Susan Wakefield, on how the combined District would work, and Frequently Asked Questions about the pros and cons of it.

Please make sure you have read these before the 9 April and remember at that meeting the club will be asked to vote;

**Yes to continue the discussion**

**or**

**No, not to continue the discussions at this time.**

The links to 2 videos about the proposal are;

[http://youtu.be/dW1\\_5jPhNKU](http://youtu.be/dW1_5jPhNKU) and <http://youtu.be/MiXR2pqEdmU>



# **SATURDAY NIGHT - WINE AND CHEESE TASTING 6 APRIL 2019**

## **WINE AND CHEESE TASTING EVENING SATURDAY 6 APRIL**



Preparation is going well for Saturday evening.

David Kelly from Wine Selectors has shipped the wine down from Newcastle to the custody of John Hartley (that may be a mistake!). Cheese and accompanying fruit etc to hone the palates are almost sorted with the aid of Lori Farrar and bookings have picked up.

It will be a good fun evening.

To make the evening a success, not only for our entertainment, but as a fundraiser as well, we still need more bookings. Originally bookings were to close on Monday but we have extended the closing date to this coming Thursday 4 April.

Could you please do what you can to make a last effort to promote bookings.

Was there a chance that you or friends, family or neighbours might be able to come? Did you have someone in mind but didn't ask? If so could you book now and ask others to book.

Bookings can be made online. Enter the following into their browser

**<https://www.trybooking.com/468826>.**

Give me a call if I can help on any issue.

Cheers

Neil

0419 699 996



## JOINT MEETING WITH CHATSWOOD ON 14 MAY. WILLIAM CHAN - GLOBAL GRANT SCHOLAR



William Chan is an urbanist and design strategist with a passion to create resilient and inclusive places for people. Educated in Australia and Italy, William graduated with the University Medal in Architecture and Convocation Medal from the University of Sydney. Supported by the Rotary Foundation Global Grant, he undertook further study at the Politecnico di Milano as a Rotary Ambassadorial Scholar in 2015-2017.

His Dottore Magistrale thesis was unanimously awarded cum laude.

William has worked on sustainable urban development projects for Arup Foresight, Hassell, Cox Architecture and the Australian Government Department of the Environment. With architecture and design experience in both the private and public sector, William is a World Economic Forum Global Shaper and Fellow in sustainable cities with the UN Sustainable Development Solutions Network (SDSN). He is a Research Affiliate with the Center for Sustainable Urban Development (CSUD) at Columbia University's Earth Institute in New York. He was most recently a Fellow in innovation and executive education with the Qatar Foundation's World Innovation Summit for Education.

He has led community-building projects for the homeless, slum dwellers and refugees worldwide. In 2009 he contributed to Global Studio in South Africa, an action-research program to improve the lives of the urban poor, and returned in 2012 as a project Associate in India. He assisted the 2013-2015 People Building Better Cities: Participation and Inclusive Urbanization travelling exhibition, and is currently involved in the Agenda 2030 Local Projects Challenge. He founded a plastic waste circular economy initiative that educates youth in design-thinking, circular economy and STEM skills, which was presented at the 2018 UN General Assembly High Level Meeting on Social Business, Youth and Technology.

William has been named one of Australia's top 100 Brightest Young Minds, an inaugural Australian Government Creative Young Star and UNICEF Young Ambassador. Recipient of an Australian Achievement in Architecture Award from the Royal Australian Institute of Architects (RAIA), Order of Australia Association Medallion for leadership and service to the community.

William's involvement in Rotary began at the age of 12, where he completed a community service award program through his local club. Throughout high school, he contributed to Interact and was elected President as a Year 11 student. He has since participated in RYLA.

In his spare time William volunteers as a surf lifesaver at Tamarama Beach.



## 1ST EAST ROSEVILLE SCOUTS 70TH YEAR CELEBRATION

On Sunday March 31st, President Richard and PP Peter Lewis attended the 1st East Roseville Scouts 70th Anniversary Celebrations at 'Kalloona'.

Special guests included Federal Member Paul Fletcher, State Member Jonathan O'Dea and illustrious past Scout Dick Smith. A number of our Club members and past members have had a close association with this Scout Group, and the Group have partnered with our Rotary Club in many activities and projects such as the Roseville Chase Playground, the annual Fun Run and the Clean Up Australia Day. The Celebration Day appears to have been a great success with many family members joining the Cubs, Scouts, Venturers, Rovers and Leaders.



Photos left; Paul Fletcher speaking and Group Leader Graeme Steverson, Dick Smith is to the right of the speakers. Jonathan O'Dea is in the front row, left.

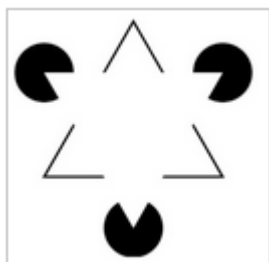
The speeches were in the hall but there were also numerous activities and exhibits





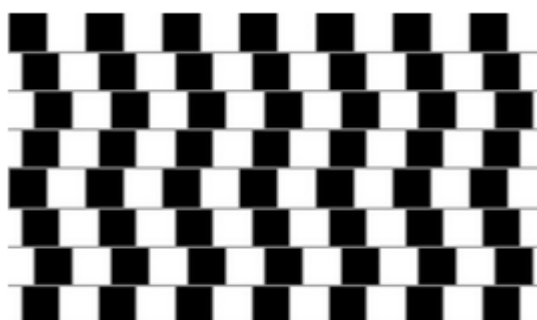
# SOME ILLUSIONS AND PUZZLES

(Solutions and Answers on page 21)



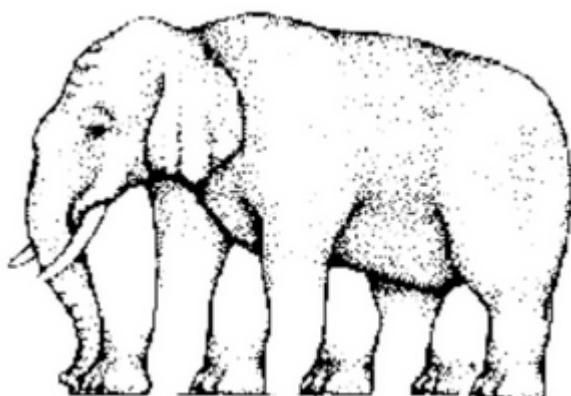
## Illusions No 1 - Triangles

How many triangles are there in this diagram.



## Illusion Number 2 - The Cafe' Wall

Are the lines shown on this Cafe' Wall straight or sloping.



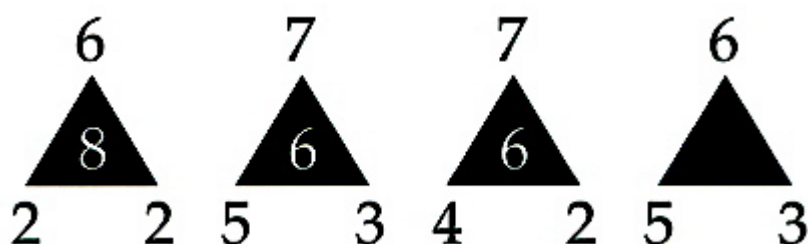
## Illusion Number 3.

How many legs does this elephant have.

## Puzzle Number 4.

### Question;

Of the 100 people at a recent party, 90 spoke Spanish, 80 spoke Italian, and 75 spoke Mandarin. At least how many spoke all three languages?



## Puzzle Number 5

### Question;

What number should be in the 4th triangle.

## Puzzle Number 6.

For each number in the matrix on the right, decide whether it is a normal or reversed number, as in the example immediately right:



Normal



Reversed

(don't rotate your device, or your head)



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## SOLUTIONS TO SOME ILLUSIONS AND PUZZLES

### ILLUSION NUMBER 1

A white triangle (pointing down) can be seen in this figure even though no triangle is actually drawn.

### ILLUSION NUMBER 2

The horizontal lines are straight, even though they do not seem straight. In this illusion, the vertical zigzag patterns disrupt our horizontal perception.

### PUZZLE 4

ANSWER: 45

EXPLANATION:

10 could not speak Spanish, 20 could not speak Italian, and 25 could not speak Mandarin. So there could have been 10 people who spoke none of those languages.

However, that would maximize the number of people who could speak all three, and the problem asks at least how many speak all three. Therefore, we must assume that these 10, 20, and 25 people are all separate people.

Having identified 55 each of whom is missing one language, the remaining 45 speak all three.

### PUZZLE NUMBER 4

SOLUTION: 3

EXPLANATION.

The top number minus the bottom left-hand number is multiplied by the bottom right-hand number to give the number inside the triangle.

### PUZZLE NUMBER 5

ANSWERS

Row 1: normal, reversed, reversed

Row 2: normal, normal, reversed

Row 3: normal, reversed, reversed





# Committees 2018 - 2019



## **Club Administration**

Programs  
Public Relations

### **Director PP Greg Muldoon**

Acting Chair; John Hartley  
Greg Muldoon, Ross Symons

## **Vocational, Community & International Service**

Vocational Service  
Community Service  
International Service

### **Director PP Peter Lewis**

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## **Youth Service**

### **Director David Brand**

Ian Fraser, Ian Robertson, John Hartley

## **Rotary Foundation & Funding**

### **Director PP Neil Howie**

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## **Membership and Social**

### **Director; Sue Ward**

Allan Farrar, Lori Farrar, Peter McKeown, Di Wilkinson

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## **Attendance Officer**

Avis Manoukian

## **Bulletin Editor**

Ross Symons

## **Risk Management**

Allan Farrar

## **Working With Children Policy**

### **Club Verification Officers**

Peter Lefmann, Diana Wilkinson

## **Welfare Chair**

Diana Wilkinson





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**Partytime**  
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# Club Program January 2019 - June 2019

January	February	March	April	May	June
Vocational Service	Peace & Conflict Prevention/Resolution	Water & Sanitation	Maternal & Child Health	Youth Service	Rotary Fellowships
1 No Meeting	5 No Meeting	5 No Meeting	2 No Meeting	7 No Meeting	4 No Meeting
8 No Meeting	12 DG Susan Wakefield OAM Official Visit Anthony Haworth CEO - Capt Cook Cruises	12 Jack Cannons AM Variety Club Bash. History and his experiences Sat 16 March PETS	9 YOUTH NIGHT RYLA, RYPEN, NYSE, Etc Sun 14 District Assembly	14 PDG Pam Pritchard & William Chan - Global Grant Scholarships	11 Primary School Public Speaking & Essay Competition Night
15 No Meeting	19 No Meeting	19 No Meeting	16 No Meeting	21 No Meeting	18 No Meeting
22 Members Talks on Holidays  5.30 Board Meeting	26 Peter Tonkin -Walsh Bay Arts Precinct. Special Club Meeting - Bylaws Proposed Sydney District 5.30 Board Meeting	25 MEETING AT LINDFIELD CLUB Debate	29 Monday Anzac Meeting - Visit to Hyde Park War Memorial. Dinner at City Restaurant	28 Jacqui Jones Youth Mental Health  5.30 Board Meeting	25   Combined Board Meeting
29 No Meeting		29, 30 31 March District Conference Newcastle	30 No Meeting		<b>Note:</b> Club Changeover Tues 9 July 2019



## PAST PRESIDENTS

1990-91	Stuart Frith
1991-92	Richard Wilmott
1992-93	Greg Muldoon
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1994-95	Trevor Holman
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1996-97	John Hammond
1997-98	Arthur Marshall
1998-99	Ian Robertson
1999-00	Neil Howie
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2001-02	Duncan Whiley
2002-03	Bob Warland
2003-04	Bob Clarke
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2005-06	Ian Fraser
2006-07	Cliff Garrett
2007-08	Geoff Young
2008-09	Warren McGurgan
2009-10	Malcolm Pilcher
2010-11	Nick Brooke
2011-12	Will Rogers
2012-13	Julian Gregory
2013-14	Jade Catherall
2014-15	Andrew Black
2015-16	Duncan Campbell
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2017-18	Peter McKeown

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*\*Sapphire Pin*



## 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 34,100 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 young 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?