



Rotary Club of Roseville Chase

District 9685 Australia



Rotary



The Rotary Club of Roseville Chase

2019-2020



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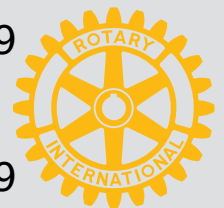
2nd and 4th Tuesdays at 6.00
for 6.30pm

Roseville Golf Club
4 Links Avenue
Roseville NSW 2069

PO Box 105
Roseville NSW 2069

www.rosevillechaserotary.org.au

Club Chartered 24 April 1990





Bulletin Volume; 30 Issue No; 21 9 June 2020

8.00 pm - Join ZOOM Meeting

GUEST PRESENTER - CAROLINE VIOTTO

Reports from a Brazilian Girl, by Carol.

Introduction of Caroline - Greg Muldoon

NOTE; 8.00 PM START - LOGON 7.45 PM



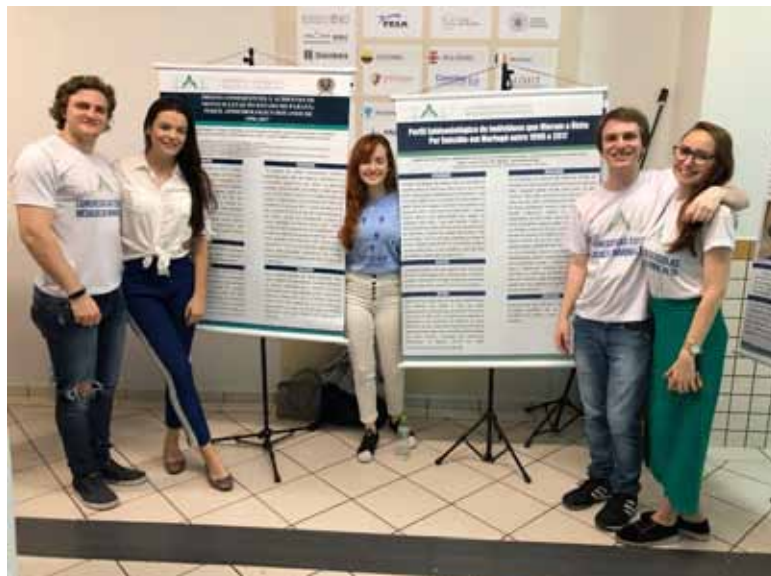
Tonight we will be joined by Caroline Viotto - our Brazilian Youth Exchange student of 6 years ago.

Carol has undertaken her medical degree and now faces assisting in the containment and treatment of the COVID - 19 virus in Brazil.

She will tell us of any exposure she and her family may have had to the virus and how Brazil is implementing strategies to deal with the spread and control of the virus.

Carol has sent me a number of photos of her Uni, medical training, social and family life, and I have included just a few on pages 4 and 5.

Brazil has over 600,000 reported confirmed cases and over 33,000 deaths, now being second in confirmed cases behind USA.



PRESIDENT RICHARD GREEN'S REPORT



This meeting we hear from Carol in Brazil.

NOTE the meeting starts at 8PM.

If you wish to join the zoom meeting send your email address to Ian Robertson.

Partners are welcome.

Last meeting we heard from Will and Louise. It was interesting to learn about their work. I am certain that many of us could not do the heavy lifting.

Peter Lefmann delivered a bottle of wine in appreciation of their talk.

We have received letters of thanks from Carevan and Taldumande for our donation to them. Please see pages 7, and 10 and 11.

The next meeting is the final Roseville Chase Rotary Club meeting.

We will be farewelling Malcolm and Kathy, Grant and Pam and Ian and Di and thanking them for their contribution to the club over many years.

I will also be awarding the two president's awards.

If you have any contribution to the night contact Ross.

The Golf Club has not decided when they will start taking bookings so it is highly likely that the meeting on the 23 June will be a zoom meeting.

It is not as good as a face to face meeting but I am sure it will be enjoyable and a good celebration. I expect to know by this weekend what the Club is doing.

Note the inaugural meeting of the merged club on Tuesday 14 July, will be a zoom meeting.

Richard Green.
President



APOLOGIES

Please advise Ian Garrard,
9452 2585 or email iangarrard@optusnet.com.au
before 5.00 pm on the Tuesday of the Meeting
if you will be unable to join the Zoom Meeting.

LAST MEETING STATISTICS - 26 MAY 2020

Club Membership	22	Attendance Percentage	81.18%
Members Participating	18	Make-ups	0
Apologies	4	Guests Participating	2
Absent - No Apology	0	Partners Participating	5
Guest Speaker	1	Visiting Rotarians	0

BIRTHDAYS JUNE and JULY 2020



JUNE 7	Arthur MARSHALL
JUNE 16	Michael HARROWELL
 JULY 6	 Greg MULDOON

COMING MEETINGS - ROSTERS

Date	Meeting Program	Introduction and Vote of Thanks
9 June 8.00 pm	Caroline Viotto - Zoom from Brazil. “The Reports from a Brazilian Girl, by Carol”. 5 Minute Member Talk - Avis Manoukian.	Greg Muldoon
23 June	Farewell to non transferring and recently retired Members - Malcolm, Ian, Grant. Members memories of the Rotary Club.	Richard Green Ross Symons All Members
14 July	Chatswood Roseville Rotary Club - Inaugural Meeting and Induction of Officers and Board.	



A FEW OF THE PHOTOS SENT BY CAROL





NOMINAL FINE AND CONTRIBUTIONS

ZOOM MEETING and FINE CONTRIBUTIONS.

There is an ongoing monthly charge for subscription to ZOOM meetings and, in the absence of attendance meetings, we need to receive some nominal fines and contributions for the cost of the Zoom account and for the presentation of gifts in recognition of our guest speakers.

Pay your \$3 per member, (plus meeting fines levied by Sergeant at Arms) to;

Account Holder; J & K HARTLEY

BSB; 732 - 090

Account; 636 566

“Family Name + Meeting Date” e.g. 9/06/20

CHATSWOOD ROSEVILLE ROTARY CLUB - 2020/21 DIRECTORS, BOARD MEMBERS AND OTHER OFFICERS

Co- Presidents – Peter Kindred and David Brand

President Elect – Michael MacQuillan (President 2021/2022)

Secretary – Peggy Yu

Treasurer – John Hartley

Directors:

Administration Director; Including Speaker programme – Neil Howie

International Service / Rotary Foundation Director; - Nick Dorsch

Youth Service Director – Richard Green

Vocational Service Director – Brian Townsend

Community Service Director – Peter Lewis

Non- Board Positions

Sergeant-at-Arms – Ian Garrard and Wayne Kearns

Attendance Officer – Peter McKeown

Social – Peter Timmerman and Allan Farrar

Welfare – Diana Wilkinson

Insurance/Legal - Allan Farrar

WWCC - Verification Officer - Peter Lefmann

Public Officer - Peggy Yu



Mr Richard Green,
Roseville Rotary Club
c/- Roseville Golf Club
4 Links Ave
Roseville NSW 2069
25/5/2020



Dear Richard and the Roseville Rotary Club,

On behalf of the Carevan Blacktown Committee, volunteers and community recipients, we would like to thank the Roseville Rotary Club for your generous donation of \$200 towards our charity, Carevan Blacktown.

Carevan, as you know, serves those battling hardship of all kinds, financial and social disadvantage and just as importantly, isolation and loneliness. These ever-present challenges are only exacerbated in this time of COVID and its devastating effects on all aspects of our communities.

Carevan could not manage without the wonderful support and generosity of the community towards shouldering the costs of meeting this need, and sadly the demand for our service is not diminishing, but grows week by week, with numbers pre COVID, reaching upwards of 70-80 people attending each Tuesday.

Richard, we are truly grateful for your ongoing care and attention for our charity and, by extension, for those we care for. We are touched by your reaching out to us and investing your faith in our work in this tangible and practical way and cannot thank you enough ... though we will try!

Carevan Blacktown will use this kind donation in the purchase of tables and chairs, as requested, to meet the growing demand for a place at the tables, distributing the goodness, care and warmth that the community entrusts Carevan to distribute on their behalf.

We are enormously grateful for the donation and will continue to serve the community on behalf of yourself and your (new) team at the Chatswood Roseville Rotary, and look forward to continuing our care and service together into the future.

With sincere gratitude and thanks,
Andrew Scott
Chief Executive Officer
Carevan Blacktown
Facebook @ Carevan Blacktown



NEXT MEETING - 23 JUNE 2020 FINAL CLUB MEETING - MEMBERS MEMORIES

Next meeting on 23 June is the last and final meeting of the Roseville Chase Rotary Club as we merge with the Chatswood Rotary Club on 1 July 2020. At this meeting President Richard will farewell and extend our thanks to Malcolm and Kathy Pilcher and Ian and Di Fraser who retired from the Club in December last year, and also to Grant and Pam Campbell, who are retiring from the Club at the end of this month.

The Bulletin for the meeting will have some brief details of the involvement of Malcolm, Ian, and Grant in our club and the contribution and commitment they have given to the Club and to Rotary.

President Richard has also asked if I could lead a session where members can reminisce about any special moments and memories during your time, in the Club, be they serious or humorous, that you would like to share.

I am aware that already Greg and Norm are keen to participate and share some stories and situations with us, and I invite all members to think about this over the next fortnight as well, and participate in the session. Past President Bob Warland is unable to participate but has provided his written recollections, which will be in the next Bulletin.

I plan on the session not being a history lesson, but to have a few photos of some past events and situations, which I hope will engender your comments and revise some memories of times past.

Finally time looks like it will prevent me from finishing a special Bulletin about the Club by this meeting, as I doubt I will have time to complete the research necessary, but I will try. If I can complete it I will distribute as a separate special Bulletin before the 23 June meeting.

It won't be the detailed history of the Club, but will have quite a lot of information about aspects of the Club since being Chartered.

Ross Symons.

NEW MEETING FEATURE - 5 MINUTE MEMBER'S TALK

Our meeting will feature a 5 minute members talk by Avis Manoukian.



LAST MEETING 26 MAY 2020

WILL ROGERS - BLAZE AID and THE FIRES OF 2020

An attendance of 18 members (81.8%) at the last meeting, together with some partners for all or part of the meeting, namely Di Brand, Nancy Lefmann, Lori Farrar, Ro Symons, Lenore Robertson, former member Ted Anderson, Louise Rogers (and not forgetting Di Wilkinson's dog,) were treated to quite a detailed presentation by Will Rogers on the Blaze Aid volunteer organisation.

Will also covered the experience he and Louise, together with Stephen and Charmaine Simpson and their neighbour, had with the organisation and then helping friends who are hazelnut farmers in the Batlow area, recover from the fires of early this year.

The presentation gave an insight into the work he, Louise, Stephen and Chatmaine did, and how they were accommodated and fed, how they provided moral support, comfort and a lift to the spirits of those who, in many cases, lost everything they had built by the devastating fires.

Will mentioned that enduring friendships have been formed through their involvement, and we congratulate Will and Louise, and the Simpsons, on their humanitarian commitment.

MEMBERS TALK - 26 MAY 2020

"THIS IS MY LIFE" - PP CLIFF GARRETT

If there is one thing that can be said about cliff, it is that he has had a varied and interesting career.

Born in New Zealand, Cliff studied and became an Engineer, before opting for a position as a Qantas flight steward in 1966, where he met his wife Dawn.

After Qantas, Cliff moved on and joined Kymmeme Paper producers, based in Finland, which eventually became UPM-Kymmeme, one of the worlds largest paper producers and recyclers. He ultimately became the Asian Pacific Manager for the group. The group has over 3 million hectares of plantations and produce 12-14 million tonnes of paper from its plantations annually. With all their mills overseas, Cliff spent much time in travel and overseas for work.

Domestically Cliff was Vice-President of Roseville College and, as we all are aware, he and Dawn have had around 20 overseas cruises, (but there are probably more to come).

Personally Ro and I were privileged to be present when I, in my former life, administered the oath for Cliff to become an Aussie Citizen in 2004.





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PO Box 6103, North Sydney NSW 2059 Phone: 02
94603777
www.taldumande.org.au
ABN: 67801 186 046 Charity: CC 17607

20 May 2020.

Dear President Richard Green and John Hartley

On behalf of the Board, staff and young people in our care at Taldumande Youth Services, thank you for your generosity, especially in this time when fundraising opportunities are limited and many people and charities are needing assistance. During the months of March, April and May, enquiries from vulnerable, homeless young people seeking assistance have been five-fold, so your support is very much appreciated.

Please don't hesitate to contact me or Matt Hankin should you wish to learn more about Taldumande and the work we do with our vulnerable youth.

Please see attached our official tax receipt and thank you letter.

Again, thank you for your support.

Kind regards
Liz

Liz de Rome
Community and Volunteers Officer
Taldumande Youth Services
Workdays: Tuesday & Thursday

On the following page is a copy of a letter from the Chair and Executive Officer of Taldumande.





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21 May 2020,

Rotary Club of Roseville Chase,
PO Box 105,
ROSEVILLE NSW 2069.

Dear Rotary Club of Roseville Chase.

Re: \$200 Donation

We would like to sincerely thank you for your donation and ongoing support to Taldumande Youth Services.

As you can imagine, we were delighted to receive this most generous donation for the young people in our care.

Taldumande relies heavily on the support of the community to continue to provide the best level of accommodation and support possible for the vulnerable children and young people in our care. Based in Northern Sydney and the Northern Beaches, we support young people from all across Sydney. Without the help of very kind people like you it would be difficult for us to provide this care and support.

Your donation will be put to excellent use and contribute tremendously to various programs such as our Family Restoration and Preservation Program. This program is run off the generosity of our donors.

On behalf of the board, the staff and the young people in our care, thank you again for your generosity.

Warm regards,

Virginia Howard OAM Chair

Lisa Graham Chief Executive Officer



RI PRESIDENT-ELECT HOLGER KNAACK 2020-2021 THEME

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENTIAL THEME 2020-21. RI President-elect Holger Knaack's theme for 2020-21, **Rotary Opens Opportunities**, asks Rotarians to create opportunities that strengthen their leadership, help put service ideas into action, and improve the lives of those in need.



Rotary Opens Opportunities

ANNOUNCEMENT: DISTRICT GOVERNOR 2022-2023

The District 9685 DG Nominating Committee has nominated **Mina Howard** of the Rotary Club of Blackheath as District Governor for the year 2022-2023.

Consistent with RI MOP 14.020.8, this nomination may be challenged by submission to the District Governor. Any such submission must be received within the next 14 days. If no submissions are received, the nomination will be confirmed.

The Committee congratulates Mina on her nomination.

Regards,

Kalma McLellan DG
1 June 2020.



COMMUNITY RADIO ON TRIPLE H 100.1 FM, FRIDAYS AT 3 PM

Getting soap to Manus Island to fight covid-19

As the coronavirus makes its way around the world, Lynne Shori is determined to stop it spreading to Manus Island. While we may know how to do this, it's a different story in a developing world where the information and resources available to us simply don't exist. One of these of course is soap. And this is where Lynne is stepping up by spearheading a campaign to provide soap through village elders to the villagers of Manus along with an education campaign on the importance of hand washing.

Another inspiring story of Service Above Self

Copy the link below into your browser for an edited version of Ian's chat with Lynne Shori, recorded on Zoom.

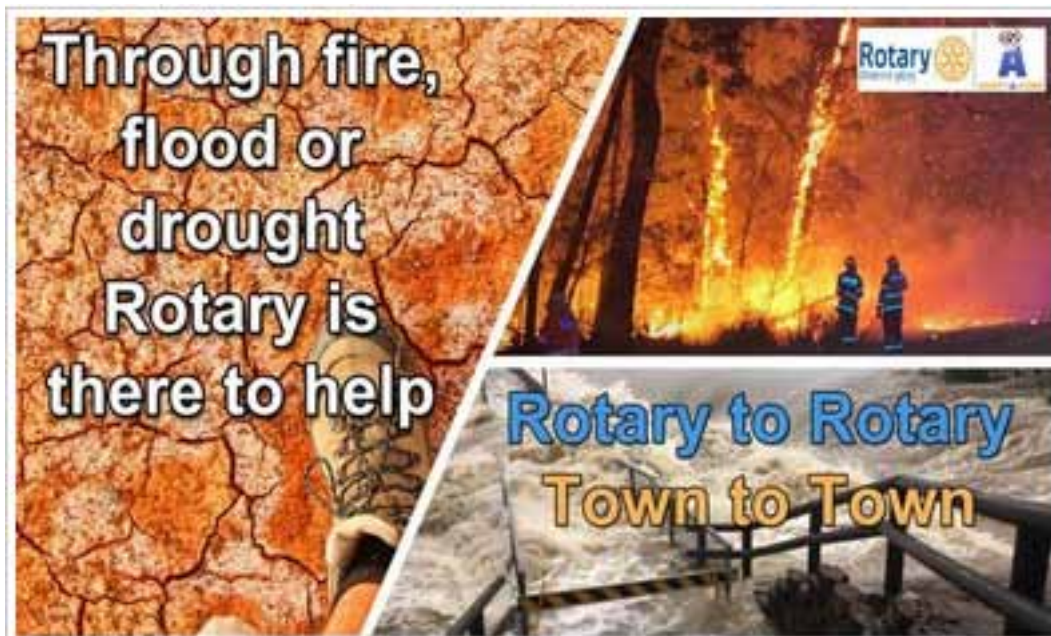
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ROTARY DISTRICT 9685 - DISTRICT AWARDS; 2019/2020

The club awards were presented 'remotely' this year at the last Zoom Presidents' meeting of the year. And CONGRATULATIONS go to the following clubs for their outstanding service to our District and to those in the community who have benefited from all your efforts and contributions – you are all amazing!!!

<u>Award</u>	<u>2019/20 Winner</u>	<u>Highly Commended</u>
Shelterbox Gold	Chatswood	
Shelterbox Silver	Crows Nest	
Community Service - Large	Lower Blue Mountains	Ryde
Community -Small Clubs	North Ryde	The Hills/Kellyville
International Service - Large	E Club Greater Sydney	
International -Small Clubs	The Hills/Kellyville	
Vocational Service	Wahroonga	
Youth Service – Large	Wahroonga	
Youth Service - Small Clubs	The Hills/Kellyville	
Membership growth - Large	Castle Hill (16%)	
Membership growth - Small	Kurrajong Nth Richmond (35%)	
Noel McDonald Bulletin	Ryde	
Golden Quill for Public Image	Lower Blue Mountains	
PI Norm Roach Website	Erina	





This project may be one for the merged club to consider as a community service project in the coming year.

Last week's presentation by Will Rogers on his experience with the recovery process in the Batlow area demonstrated the need that people affected by the drought and the bush fires require.

What does Rotary do?

- * Visit the Town
- * Stay in Hotels, Caravan Parks, etc
- * Eat in Restaurants, Cafes, etc
- * Shop in local shops
- * Find out what help is needed
- * Develop projects to help locals
- * Provide support and hope

More information at www.adoptatown.org.au



ANALYSIS OF A SUPER RUGBY UNION TEAM

- 1 Loose head Prop:** Moderately tall fat lad, often aggressive when something obstructs way to bar, pie shop and occasionally a ruck. Does weights - no one knows why.
- 2 Hooker:** Short fat lad with endless capacity for cheap booze and fascinated by women, miles out of his league. Believes he has rugby nous and is an athlete.
- 3 Tight head Prop:** Fat lad who believes he's technically a good player with good hands. Everyone else thinks he just gets in the way. Does weights, no one notices
- 4 Lock:** Big hard lad who thinks he's the enforcer. Police describe him as hooligan. Wears shorts and flip flops all year round, lives with his mum.
- 5 Lock:** Giraffe, looks funny when he runs. Long arms useful in the bar, takes up too much space. Often very fit and yet last to arrive at breakdown.
- 6 Blindside flanker:** Proper hard man, can disappear for 80 minutes but emerge holding someone's scrotum. Never buys a round.
- 7 Openside flanker:** Glory boy often with psychotic tendencies. Will spend a lot of time in A&E but when present can carry a team. Often unpopular or young. Or both.
- 8 Number 8:** Big bastard; talks a good game and describes himself as a footballer. Often vain, sometimes scruffy, generally can't hold their drink and have weird hobbies or jobs. Handy in a scuffle but best avoided socially.
- 9 scrum half.** Gobby midget who can get himself into trouble marginally faster than he can run away from it. Nothing is his fault. Good drinker.
- 10 fly half:** There are two sorts, running or kicking. Generally they don't know which one they are until it's too late. Unusually nice hair and over confident in every situation until it's too late.
- 11 left wing:** Lanky speed merchant. Can't catch. Live in a world of their own and always forget one item of kit, often boots.
- 12 inside centre:** Often the best player on the pitch as well as the fittest. Limited social skills and terrified of women until the beer kicks in.



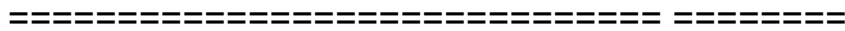
- 13 outside centre:** Does everything the other 2 don't. Socially active and often juggling multiple women. Has nice car, good job and demanding fitness regime as well as extensive debts and improbably large porn collection.
- 14 right wing:** The only reason he doesn't score 10 tries in every game is because no one can pass. Often a big lad who really looks the part and yet never quite has the impact you hope for. Doesn't drink.
- 15 full back:** 90% of them should be shot at dawn for cowardice. Last line of defence my bum! Secretly want to play at 10 and buys the skipper lots of pints. Too many hair products but useful source of spare socks and toiletries at away games.

PS Many thanks to former member and President Andrew Black for this.

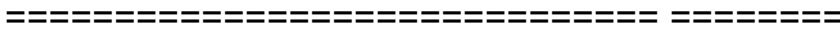
YOU WILL NEVER LOOK AT THESE LOGOS THE SAME WAY, AGAIN.



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The 2nd and 3rd "T's" are two people sharing (or fighting over) a tortilla and a bowl of salsa.

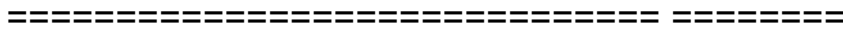


The world's most famous bike race. The "R" in "Tour" is a cyclist. The yellow circle is the front wheel of a bicycle, the "O" is the back wheel.

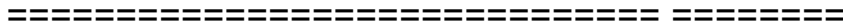




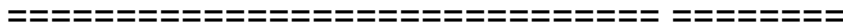
There is a dancing bear above the “obler”.
Toblerone chocolate bars originated in Berne, Switzerland,
whose symbol is the bear.



See the “ 31” embedded in the “ BR”?
Thirty-one-derful flavors!

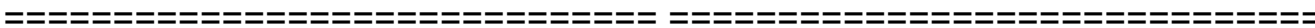


The smiley half face is also a ‘g’.



arrow means Amazon has everything from A to Z

Just think, people get paid hundreds of thousands of dollars to dream this up!





COMMITTEES 2019-2020



Club Administration

Program Manager
Public Relations
Social

Director; David Brand

Allan Farrar
PP Ross Symons
Chairman; Allan Farrar,
Lori Farrar, Di Wilkinson.

Vocational, Community & International Service

Director; PP Peter Lewis

PP Bob Warland, Grant Campbell, Di Wilkinson
Peter Lefmann.

Youth Service

Director; PDG, PP Greg Muldoon

PP Ian Robertson, Sue Ward,
Avis Manoukian.

Rotary Foundation & Funding

Director; PP Neil Howie

Mike Harrowell, PP Cliff Garrett,
PP John Hartley , Ian Garrard.

Membership

Director; David Brand

Sergeant-at-Arms

Ian Garrard; Sue Ward, Allan Farrar.

Attendance Officer

PP Peter McKeown

Bulletin Editor

PP Ross Symons.

Risk Management

Allan Farrar.

Working With Children Policy

Club Verification Officers

Peter Lefmann, Diana Wilkinson

Welfare Chair

Diana Wilkinson



MAJOR SUPPORTERS OF OUR CLUB

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Complimentary storage of our Graffiti trailer



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Club Program January 2020 to June 2020

January	February	March	April	May	June
7 No Meeting	4 No Meeting	3 No Meeting	7 No Meeting	5 No Meeting	2 No Meeting
14 No Meeting	11 Marcus Swift RYLA PRESENTATION Board Meeting	10 James Wells; "Nevil Shute"	14 No Meeting - cancelled	12 Martin Rodgers - How I built my own car from scratch.	9 Caroline Viotto - Zoom discussion with Carol starts at 8.00 pm.
21 No Meeting	18 No Meeting	17 No Meeting	21 No Meeting	19 No Meeting	16 Board Meeting
28 Peter Sweeney; The Attack on Sydney Harbour Board Meeting	25 David Wilson Parramatta Light Rail Special General Meeting Board Meeting	24 The Rotary Foundation Haran Ramachandran Board Meeting	28 ANZAC Meeting; John Lanser. What you don't know about General Sir John Monash Board Meeting	26 Will Rogers Blaze Aid Board Meeting	23 Farewell retired and non transferring members, and Members memories and stories about the Club Board Meeting
		31 No Meeting	30 No Meeting		30 No Meeting 14 July Change Over Meeting



PAST PRESIDENTS

1990-91	Stuart Frith
1991-92	Richard Wilmott
1992-93	Greg Muldoon
1993-94	Norm Gibson
1994-95	Trevor Holman
1995-96	Ross Symons
1996-97	John Hammond
1997-98	Arthur Marshall
1998-99	Ian Robertson
1999-00	Neil Howie
2000-01	Bob Fussell
2001-02	Duncan Whiley
2002-03	Bob Warland
2003-04	Bob Clarke
2004-05	John Hartley
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
2016-17	Peter Lewis
2017-18	Peter McKeown
2018-19	Richard Green

PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS

Richard Wilmott *	Duncan Campbell *
Greg Muldoon *	Robert Brell *
Greg Denning	Norm Gibson
Ross Symons *	Arthur Marshall
Glynn Ianno	Malcolm Pilcher
Ron Tacchi *	Ian Robertson
Helmut Buss *	Will Rogers
John Hartley *	Geoff Young
Bob Clarke	Andrew Black
Ted Anderson *	Peter Bowden
Ian Fraser *	Ian Garrard
Stuart Frith *	Bob Warland
Ann Muldoon	Peter McKeown *
Jade Catherall *	Sue Ward
Andrew Betty	Di Wilkinson
Catherine Williams	Allan Farrar
Richard Green *	Jill Lawson
John Mackintosh	David Brand
John Hammond	Pam Campbell
Stephen Goldring	Peter Lewis
Nick Brooke *	Michael Harrowell
Neil Howie *	Avis Manoukian
John Chinn	
Grant Campbell *	
Cliff Garrett	
Peter Lefmann *	
Phillip Cavanagh	
Duncan Whiley	

**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 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.

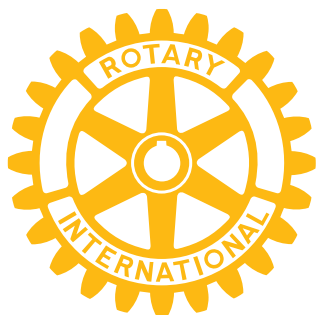
ADVANCE AUSTRALIA FAIR

Australians all, let us rejoice,
For we are 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?