Rotary

The Rotator

District 9640
District Governor Terry Brown

Service above self

Rotary Club of Southport

Chartered 20 August 1945. Club No. 17905

Club President: Tony Pritchett

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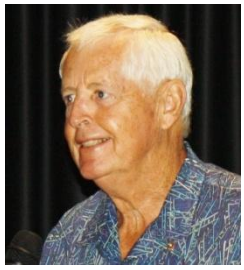
Rotary Month: September: Basic Education and Literacy

Next Club meeting: Tuesday 17 September Club and board meeting Ferry Rd Tavern. 6.15PM. Guest speaker Justine Dillon Project manager at Ngarang-Wal Gold Coast Aboriginal Association.



A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

There was a touch of nostalgia present at our meeting last night as we recalled the many years of service to both the Gold Coast city and Southport Rotary by Jack Cronin. He was undoubtedly an oustanding engineer, a great mentor and a dedicated Rotarian. It was a pleasure to have Derek Cronin attend the meeting to speak about Jack and Joan and to present our cheque to Bart Jones. Bart explained that he was focusing his degree studies on Coastal Management, a subject that Jack would have proudly endorsed. We wish Bart success in his future career.

It was also a pleasure to welcome several visitors, Daryl White, Adeline Yap and Michelle Dumbrell who are considering joining Rotary; and Kylie Jones, wife of Bart.
It was regrettable that Ferry Road Tavern's standard of service was below par with some meals served very late. They have apologised for their mismanagement.

Peter and Barbara Overell have kindly offered their place for a (BYO everything) lunch from 11:30am on Sunday 15th September. This will be an enjoyable outing for everyone to socialise and share good food and fellowship. So far only two people have registered to attend. If you can make it, please register now on CR at: https://southportrotary.com.au/event/byo-lunch-at-overells/ and note in the comments section what platter you prefer to bring to share.

Next meeting on Tuesday 17th is a Club + Board meeting. I expect it will be more like a normal Rotary meeting as there is not a lot of business to discuss. We will try to arrange a guest speaker.

At our meeting on Tuesday, 1st October we will be hosting another Business Networking Event. A flyer will be sent out soon for you to attach to emails to people in your contact lists.
Check our full program of events in CR or on our website:

- https://southportrotary.com.au/

Tony Pritchett

SCRIBE'S REPORT – 3rd September 2019

Chairman Graham Cooper opened the meeting at 6.15 pm. With the four way test and toast to the queen and Australian and invited **PDG Michael Irving** to Present the Rotary Minute.

Rotary Minute

PDG Michael Irving detailed the roles of PDG Jack Cronin and Joan in the success of Southport Rotary Club over the past 74 years in particular the planning and engineering of the Canal system which is now the backbone of the Gold Coast as we know it.Jack was a staunch Rotarian who with Joan's help was responsible for many of the Club's successful projects. Jack was president in 1956-57.

Chairman Graham then invited President Tony to welcome Rotarians and guests. Tony welcomed awardee Bart Jones and his wife Kylie, Derek Cronin grandson of Jack Cronin and club guests Daryl White, Michelle Dumbrell and Adeline Yap.

Secretary's Report. Graham Cooper Attendance – Members 8 – Club Guests – 6 – Partners – 1 for a total of 15.

Directors Report. – **Sally Pritchett** spoke of the involvement of Joan Cronin with the Rotaryannes in Southport and the many projects she supported over the years. She died a few months short of her 100th birthday.

Lionel P spoke about Meals on Wheels and that they have installed a 20W solar power system in Southport. The meals are now delivered frozen and cost $10 for a three course meal. Great care is taken with the nutritional value of the food supplied.

Sergeants Session

Tony Gardner conducted a short but financially rewarding session with the following fines :- Fathers day and the youthful appearance of the great grandfather pres Tony. Duncan's golf cost him a little and chair Graham got his Tonys mixed up.

Heads and Tails – Tony Pritchett

Raffle – Elizabeth Schulle

Guest Speaker Derek Cronin – Presentation of 2019 Jack Cronin Engineering Scholarship.

Jack's grandson **Derek**, a partner in a Cold Coast law firm, presented the Scholarship cheque of $1000 to 3rd Year Engineering **Student Bart Jones** who advised he would be concentrating his future studies on the coastal environment ensuring that future development would be compatible with current standards. Bart is married with two young children and was previously a teacher.

Chair Graham C read the duty roster for our next meeting on 17 September which is a club night and board meeting.

Closure In closing the meeting Pres Tony thanked our guests and visitors for attending and invited Michelle Dumbrell up to promote a function her organization is running on 18th October in Miami.

The meeting was closed at 7.30pm by Pres Tony.
Jim S.

The Couch Outloud From Michelle Dumbrell

The Couch Outloud show is on Friday 18 October at Karma Collab Hub, 47 Lemana Lane, Miami.

The Couch Outloud is an entertaining community live talk show that inspires social connectivity. We design the show so that you can be involved in something that you have never experienced before, which will leave you feeling confident, uplifted and energised after each show. The Couch Outloud's mission is to bring the Gold Coast community together in celebration and acknowledgement of how we can add to the creation and expression of our city in progressive ways.

The Couch Outloud presents "Self-Empowerment – The Road Less Travelled"

This eclectic, energetic and fun mix of guest speakers will open your mind to possibilities of boundless potential. They understand that the road to self-empowerment is as distinctive as the individual, not to mention the power of potential to effect societal change with like-minded visionaries. Together with our live audience, we will unravel these conversations to discover if there is a common thread to how we all, as humans, empower ourselves.

Tickets via the link below:

https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/self-empowerment-the-road-less-travelled-tickets-70593038679

You're invited to attend the Gold Coast Leaders in Business Brunch

Please join us for our exclusive
Gold Coast Leaders in Business Brunch

Proudly presented by ANGIE BELL MP Federal Member for Moncrieff
in association with GOLD COAST WOMEN IN BUSINESS

Featuring

The Hon Josh Frydenberg MP
Treasurer
Deputy Leader of the Liberal Party

WHEN: Tuesday September 24th 2019
TIME: Sparkling served from 10.30am for 11am-12.30 Brunch
WHERE: QT Surfers Paradise Ballroom
COST: $75 inc glass of sparkling & brunch
Corporate Tables of 10 $700
RSVP: Before Friday September 20
BOOKINGS: https://www.trybooking.com/547453
PAYMENT: Tickets must be purchased before the event, see link below for purchasing tickets.
Proudly advocating The Small Business Capital of Australia

Gold Coast
Women in Business

THIS EVENT IS PROUDLY SUPPORTED BY

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This is a Limited seating exclusive event

World Suicide Prevention Day

WORKING TOGETHER TO PREVENT SUICIDE

FREE COMMUNITY EVENT

Proudly supported by:

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GOLD COAST Youth Service

phn GOLD COAST

Tuesday, 10th September 2019

9.00am-2.30pm

(Registration will commence at least 30 minutes before start time)

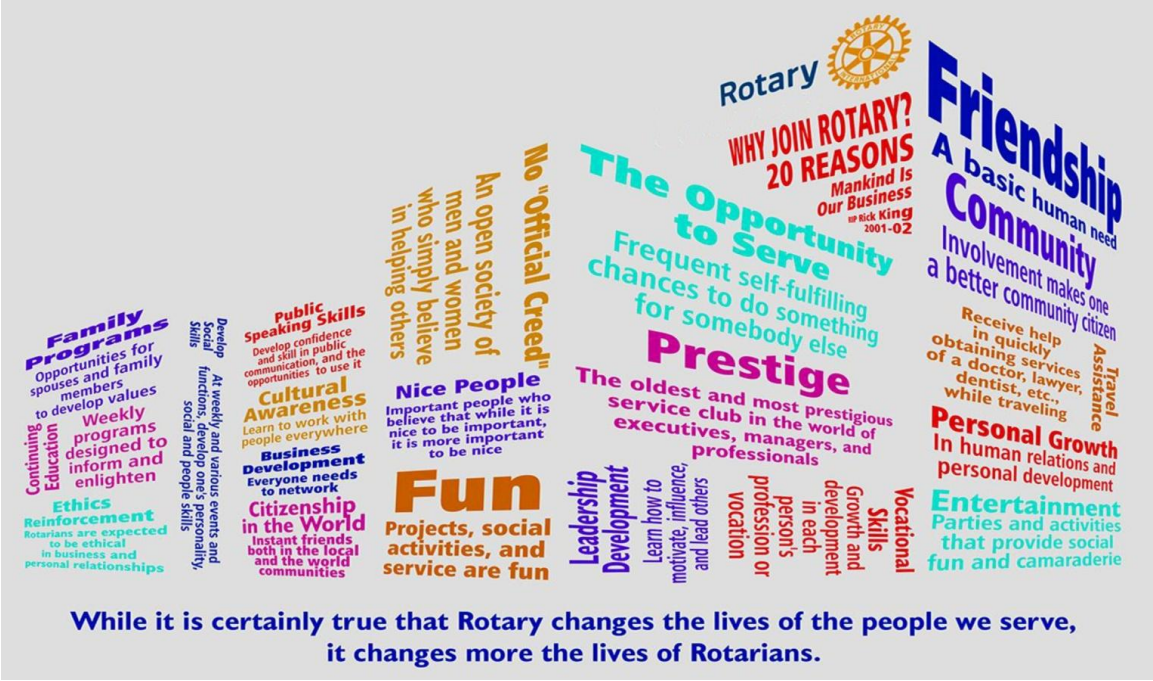
Albert Waterways Community Centre,

cnr Sunshine/ Hooker Blvds, Broadbeach Waters

- ***Keynote Speakers***
- ***Support Service Information/Stalls***
- ***Connect with Local & Community Support***

RSVP & QUESTIONS: *contact@careforlife.com.au*

Care For Life Suicide Prevention Network - *www.careforlife.com.au*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WHY JOIN ROTARY?
20 REASONS
Mankind Is Our Business
RP Rick King 2001-02
Friendship
A basic human need
Community
Involvement makes one a better community citizen
Travel Assistance
Receive help in quickly obtaining services of a doctor, lawyer, dentist, etc., while traveling
Personal Growth
In human relations and personal development
Entertainment
Parties and activities that provide social fun and camaraderie
The Opportunity to Serve
Frequent self-fulfilling chances to do something for somebody else
Prestige
The oldest and most prestigious service club in the world of executives, managers, and professionals
Vocational Skills
Growth and development in each person's profession or vocation
Leadership Development
Learn how to motivate, influence, and lead others
No "Official Creed"
An open society of men and women who simply believe in helping others
Nice People
Important people who believe that while it is nice to be important, it is more important to be nice
Fun
Projects, social activities, and service are fun
Public Speaking Skills
Develop confidence and skill in public communication, and the opportunities to use it
Cultural Awareness
Learn to work with people everywhere
Business Development
Everyone needs to network
Citizenship in the World
Instant friends both in the local and the world communities
Develop Social Skills
At weekly and various events and functions, develop one's personality, social and people skills
Family Programs
Opportunities for spouses and family members to develop values
Continuing Education
Weekly programs designed to inform and enlighten
Ethics Reinforcement
Rotarians are expected to be ethical in business and personal relationships
While it is certainly true that Rotary changes the lives of the people we serve, it changes more the lives of Rotarians.

ROTARY
Surfers Paradise
17th Charity Race Day
Come & join us on the first day of Spring Racing Carnival at the Gold Coast Turf Club
DATE
11:30am
Saturday 12th October 2019
LOCATION
The Event Centre
Gold Coast Turf Club
Racecourse Drive, Bundall
COST
$85 p/p in advance
Includes a fantastic hot & cold buffet lunch. Cash Bar.
Tables of 10 available.
RSVP
10th September 2019.
Call Sheila 0410 625 801 or
Email: rotaryraceday@yahoo.com
Lucky door prize
Multi raffle draws with exciting prizes
Prizes for Best Dressed Male & Female & Best Hat
Saturday 12th October 2019
Fashion Parade featuring Liz Cliff International Spring Collection
All monies raised go to nominated charities
Griffith UNIVERSITY Institute for Glycomics
Contact: First Name: Surname:
Organisation / Table Name: Mobile Contact:
Booking: Number of People: Tables (of 10): @ $85 p/p Total:
PAYMENT: Please note ALL BOOKINGS MUST INCLUDE your Organisation or Name Reference (If there is no reference we will be unable to allocate your ticket)
Bank Transfer: Surfers Paradise Rotary Club - Race Day BSB: 084-462 Account: 606424086
Cheques Payable to: Surfers Paradise Rotary (PO Box 5276, GCMC Qld 9726)
Ticket Delivery Address:

You are invited to a BYO everything lunch at the Overells on Sunday15th September.
Time: 11.30AM
BYO: Food and drink and cutlery
Address: 55a Hillview Par . Ashmore
RSVP: by 13 September to the club web site Clubrunner

Members , partners and friends welcome.

Members: 8	Club Guests: 3	Visiting Rotarians:	Partners:1
Members Guests: 3	Visitors:		**Total: 15**
Fines: $ 36.10	Raffle: $	Polio Plus: $	Club Admin: $
Billy: $	Billy YTD: $		

Sewing Day Monday 23 September at Nancy Stentons 9.30AM
Bring a plate.
Courtesy soaps welcome.

Sally Pritchett

CONFIRM YOUR ATTENDANCE (OR APOLOGY) FOR EVERY MEETING:
Please register your intention to ATTEND or DECLINE (apology) via the EVENT on Southport Rotary website: https://southportrotary.com.au/ or ClubRunner.
To register partners or guests: first register yourself; SAVE, then add guests one at a time, SAVE each time.
Apologies are required if you are unable to attend a dinner.

DUTIES ROSTER – If members are unable to fulfil a duty, it is their responsibility to find a replacement. CHAIRMAN- The chairman is responsible for telephoning the members on duty to confirm their attendance.

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Guest speakers, events and meeting calendar:

17 September	Club and board meeting . Ferry Rd Tavern Speaker Justine Dillon
1 October	Evolve Business Networking Meeting 6.00PM Ferry Rd Tavern
15 October	DG's Visit to our club Ferry Rd Tavern Partners night

DUTIES	17 September	1 October
Chair	Jim S	Evolve business night
Sergeant	Peter O	
Attendance/Trs	Elisabeth S	
Rotary Minute	Ian C	
Vote of thanks	Duncan P	
Ups and Downs	Graham C	
Scribe	Michael I	
Meet and Greet	All	

Note: It is the responsibility of members to arrange a replacement if they cannot fulfill a duty
Note: The Chairman is responsible for telephoning the members on duty to confirm their attendance

Celebrations

Birthdays 19 September Ian C	**Anniversaries** 12 September Merv and Glenda 16 Sept Jim and Ev Scotte
Rotary induction	**Spouse birthday** 16 September Ev Scotte 12 October Yvonne P 30 October Glenda P

Themes for Rotary months

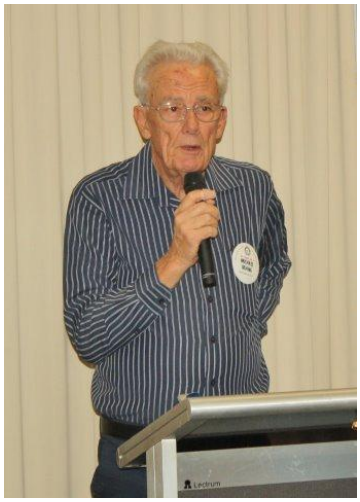
August: Membership & Extension
September: Basic Education & Literacy
October: Economic & Community Develop't
November: The Rotary Foundation
December: Disease Prevention & Treatment
January: Vocational Service Month
February: Peace & Conflict Prev/Resolution
March: Water & Sanitation
April: Maternal & Child Health
May: Youth Services
June: Rotary Fellowships

Contributions to The Rotator are most welcome, please e-mail tonyandmira@optusnet.com.au **before 6.00pm Thursday.**
Copies to Sue Dux suedux@hotmail.com

Photos meeting 3 September

Chair Graham C

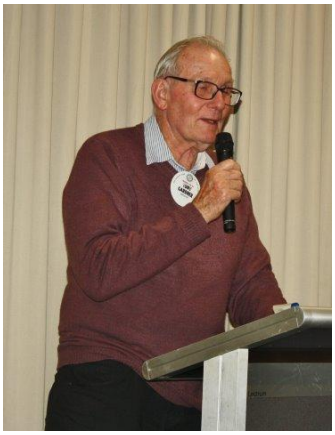
Pres Tony P



Rotary Minute Michael I

Sally P

Meals on Wheels with Lionel P



Tony G Sergeant

Bart Jones

Cronin award from Derek Cronin

Derek Cronin

Michelle Dumbrell

Pres Tony, Bart, Kylie and Derek

<u>Engineering Award Night.</u>

What award did the inventor of knock knock jokes recieve?

The No Bell Prize

I wrote a play about pasta and fairly won an award

Didn't even have to rig a Tony

After years at my job, I finally managed to walk away with the “Employee of the Month” award.

Unfortunately security caught me at the door.

Lately my comment karma has been so good, Reddit sent me an award featuring a colorful lizard.

It's a comment karma chameleon.

What award do you give a bad dentist?

A plaque

Why didn't the flat-earther accept his award at the ceremony?

He didn't believe in golden globes

I hate those people who knock on your door and tell you that you need to be "saved" or else you'll "burn"

Stupid firemen

Q: How Do You Drive an Engineer Insane?
A: Make them watch as you fold up a road map the wrong way

Q: What's the Difference Between a Chemist and a Chemical Engineer?
A: About $10k a year

Hey baby I'm an engineer. I can mend your broken heart

Good engineers are not born, they are Pre-fabricated

Nearby clubs for make-ups:

Day	Time	Club	Venue	Address
Monday	6.30pm	Surfers Paradise	Mantra Legends	Gold Coast Hwy and Laycock St Surfers Paradise
	6.30pm	Coomera Valley	Arundel Tavern	226 Napper Rd Parkwood
Tuesday	6.30pm	Runaway Bay	Paradise Point Bowls Club	22 Thrush Ave Paradise Pt
Tuesday	6.30pm	Parkwood	Arundel Tavern	226 Napper Rd. Arundel
Tuesday	6.30pm	Broadbeach	Quality Inn	Mermaid Waters
1st and 3rd Wednesdays	7.00am Fpr 7.15am	Surfers Sunrise	Surfers Paradise Life Saving Club	Surfers Paradise
Wednesday	7.00am	Hope Is	Sanctuary Cove Country Club	Sanctuary Cove
Wednesday	12.30pm	Mermaid Beach	Quality Inn	Markeri St. Mermaid Beach
Wednesday	6.30pm	Ashmore	Ashmore Steak and Seafood	Cnr Ashmore Rd and Reed St.
Second and fourth Thursdays	7.00 for 7.15 AM	Griffith University Club	G's restaurant	Griffith University
Thursday	7.00am	Burleigh Hds	Burleigh Hds Surf Club	Goodwin Tce. Burleigh Hds
2nd and 4th Thursdays	6.15pm	Gold Coast Central	Southport Golf Club	Slatyer Ave
	7.00am	Coomera River	Waterlife Restaurant	Gold Coast Marina 76-84 Waterway Dv Coomera.
Friday	7.00am	Broadwater Southport	Southport Yacht Club	Main Beach
First and third Thursdays	7.15AM	Griffith Gold Coast	G's Restaurant Griffith Uni	Griffith University