



ROTARY CLUB OF ASCOT

Chartered 26 February 1969

District 9465

We meet at **Belmont Tavern**

174 Wright Street, **Cloverdale**, Western Australia, 6105

On 2nd and 4th **Tuesday's** at **7:00 am** for **7:30 am start** and finished by 8:30 am.



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WEB LINKS:

Club website: www.ascotrotary.org.au

Club Facebook page:

www.facebook.com/AscotRotary

Bricktober website:

www.bricktober.info

Bricktober Facebook:

www.facebook.com/Bricktober.Perth

District 9465: <http://rotary9465.org.au>

Rotary International:

<https://www.rotary.org>

What's happening at Ascot:



President Aidan welcome 10 Rotarians and 3 guests Gabriella (Gabby) Fitzpatrick, Ascot's participant at the recent National Youth Science Forum 2019 (NYSF), and Gabby's mother Gail and her brother Caleb to Ascot breakfast meeting.



Refer to page 3 for Gabby's presentation of her time at the NYSF 2019

PROGRAM 2018-2019 - CLUB ROSTER

Please note the following dates and advise Michelle Kendall of details of your Guest Speaker and Topic or advise promptly if the dates are unsuitable.

Date	Welcoming	Type of Meeting	Venue	Host Chair	Speaker and Topic
20 Mar 19		Social	Rotary Club of South Perth – at Burswood Crown Metropol Hotel – Atrium Restaurant	Club Service	Lisa Sprlyan – manager Service Operations Orange Sky Austalia
26 Mar 19		Club	Belmont Tavern	TBA	TBA
02 Apr 19		No Meeting			
09 Apr 19		Club	TBA – NGALA Perth Airport?		
16 Apr 19		Club		Joanna Kendall	RYLA Participants

MORE DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

12-18 March 2019	World Rotaract Week
22-24 March 2019	District 9465 Annual Conference AGM
1 – 5 June 2019	2019 Rotary International Convention, Hamburg, Germany Register by 15 December 2018 to save

MEMBERS IN FOCUS

BIRTHDAYS:

Ros McLernon	03 March
Michelle Kendall	04 March
Joanna Kendall	05 March
Ron Alexander	09 March
Sue Richardson	16 March



ROTARY ANNIVERSARIES:

CLUB BANK ACCOUNT :

BSB: 036-078 ACCOUNT NO: 494404

COMMUNITY BANK ACCOUNT:

BSB: 036-078 ACCOUNT NO: 494420

CHARITABLE TRUST ACCOUNT:

BSB: 036-046 ACCOUNT NO: 156996

DISTRICT GOVERNORS

WHO HAVE	Norm Bell	1970 – 1971
COME FROM	Hugh Langridge	2004 – 2005
	Paul Gianatti	2006 – 2007
ASCOT ROTARY CLUB:	Jodie Sparks	2011 – 2012

What's on this coming next Week:

Social Meeting with the Rotary Club of South Perth – at Burswood Crown Metropol Hotel – Atrium Restaurant

RSVP to Michelle Kendall by 12 noon Friday 15 March 2019

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Rotary NYSF Speech – My NYSF

NYSF. Going into this experience I was told it was going to change my life. I wasn't ready for it to actually follow through. For those mere 12 days I spent in Brisbane with the program feel like they were just yesterday yet so long ago, as those days are going to remain with me forever. They have shown me the true meaning of comradery and togetherness. The true potential of a path in science.

For those who don't know, the National Youth Science Forum is a residential program run at either the University of Queensland or Australian National University during the Christmas holidays which has the goal of creating not just young scientists, but well-rounded science leaders that can change the world. Through multiple lab visits with my interest group, Cornforth, to lectures, networking events and experiencing life on campus at a leading university, the rareness of this unique experience is so surreal, something that I hope all year 11 students who are love science get to experience.

Over the course of the program, I was exposed to so much science, not only in my chosen field of chemistry but in all science fields. Through listening to my fellow nerds and getting the chance to go on elective STEM visits, I saw how we can never be confined to just one discipline of science, as everything in our world is a mixture of them all. Something that interested me were our STEM plus visits, which emphasised how science can interact with other non-related areas such as nutrition, criminology and entrepreneurship.

This program has motivated me in pursuing a career in this field whilst broadening my studies by applying to multiple universities interstate, something I had never really considered before. It has also inspired me to put 110% into my year 12 work as my ambition has grown in wanting to change the world. And I can now say with certainty that science is my calling in order to achieve that. A spark has been set off inside of me which I believe isn't going to ember off soon.

Something that made the experience incredible for me was the people. It was the first time that I was surrounded with young people of my age group that have the same drive, same passion and same interest as me. This like-mindedness and constant supportiveness in which consumed the environment is what I believe makes NYSF different to the rest of the programs of its kind. It was in the little things that my enjoyment was in enhanced. Whether it be about science, jamming out with all the musicians or deconstructing a simple, hypothetical would you rather question for a solid 15 minutes before coming up with a fully thought out answer for what we would pick (let's just say that critical thinking workshop must have worked!)

Not only that, but it was a once in a lifetime chance to meet industry professionals and learn about their science background at a more personal level at the formal science dinner, a major highlight of the event. Additionally, we had opportunities to interact with alumni who are living breathing examples of the paths you can take when using what they had learnt from the NYSF program.

From exploring the boundaries of forensic chemistry at Griffiths with my interest group to the entertaining nightly chats with my floor group, this experience would not have been possible without your contribution. Thank you doesn't even emphasise how grateful I am for being able to have this experience, so enough cannot be said in this speech. Rotary is such an integral part of the program, and I hope I will be able to give back to you to the same extent to what you gave me, the experience of a lifetime.

To conclude my presentation, I would like to leave you with this parting quote used by a student at the closing ceremony of my session, "It will take you 2 seconds to say no to applying to NYSF but it will take a lifetime to get back what you would have missed," NYSF is now such an integral part of my schooling journey, therefore my life so far, and I owe it all to the people, especially those here today, who helped me along the way.



Science Dinner

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RYPEN Email"

Dear Dianne,

I hope this email finds you well.

The RYPEN (Rotary Youth Program of Enrichment) camp in May is fast approaching!

If you know someone who is 14-17 years of age who is

- Wanting an opportunity to develop and challenge themselves
- Looking to develop their self-esteem and confidence
- Interested in developing skills including leadership, teamwork, communication, goal setting and problem solving
- Wanting to build a network of young people and to make new friends
- Excited for a weekend of fun

Then we'd love to have them attend the RYPEN camp from **17th to 19th May 2019**.

RYPEN depends on Rotary Clubs to sponsor participants, and the more participants we get the better the camp will be. We would love to welcome your applicant to the camp.

We've got an exciting and challenging program lined up for the weekend, so if you know of someone who would like to attend please get your applications in by 5th May.

Please send applications to rypen@rotary9465.org.au The camp costs \$300 per attendee and your club will be invoiced later for the camp.

Applications close 5th May 2019!

If you have any questions or would like further information, please don't hesitate to let me know. You can email me rypen@rotary9465.org.au or call 0402 491 139

Yours in Service,

Ian Ball

District 9465 RYPEN Chair



This email was sent to all Secretaries & Youth Directors in District 9465. Please include your Rotary Club name on any correspondence. Rotary Club of Ascot - Dist 9465 Western Australia

Ascot members if you wish to nominate a student to attend RYPEN please email Stuart Rutter at:

stuartrutter@gmail.com

A application form is included with the Bulletin Email for your use if required.



DISTRICT 9465 CONFERENCE
will be at COLLIE on 22 - 24 March 2019

