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# SEPTEMBER BASIC EDUCATION AND LITERACY

*"Education is the most  
powerful weapon with which  
you can change the world"*

*Nelson Mandela*



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# New this week

## Learn how your club can support prevention of Family & Domestic Violence

Family and Domestic Violence (FDV) continues to rise across our communities, with profound impacts on women, men, children, and families. Many Rotary clubs already contribute through fundraising and support services, but together, we can do more.

The FDV Collective was formed to:

- Raise awareness and understanding of FDV within Rotary.
  - Connect like-minded Rotarians to share ideas and collaborate.
  - Advocate for prevention and education, not just crisis response.
  - Build partnerships with service providers to ensure our efforts are targeted and effective.
- We have strong links with the Centre for Women's Safety and Wellbeing and have identified key gaps—particularly education and staff development in rural and remote WA. This is where Rotary can make a real difference.

We invite you or your club to get involved, nominate an interest, and join us for a discussion on how Rotary WA can strengthen its role in preventing FDV and supporting those affected. Together, we can turn awareness into action and create safer communities for all.

Date: Saturday 4th October 2025  
Venue: Colin Moore Community Centre - 724 Nth Beach Rd GWELUP (Cnr Lagonda Drive)  
Time: 09:30am for 10:00am until approximately 13:00

**Please RSVP your interest or intention to attend by return email to Wilma McBain ([williemac241@gmail.com](mailto:williemac241@gmail.com))**

**before 28th September 2025.**

# Looking for a grant to support Australians in need?

## Rotary Australia Compassionate Grants (RACG)

### Empowering Rotary Clubs to Support Australians in Need

**RACG** is a powerful support initiative enabling Rotary Clubs to deliver **direct, compassionate aid** to Australians facing hardship. Through **matching grants** ranging from **\$2,000 to \$15,000**, RACG helps boost project budgets and deliver timely, life-changing support.

These grants are administered under the **Rotary Australia Benevolent Society (RABS)**, ensuring **tax deductibility** for donors and streamlined project registration via the **RAWCS website**.

#### How It Works:

- Rotary Clubs identify a local need and register a project.
- Fundraising begins, including contributions from the community and donors.
- Once the matching target is reached, RACG **doubles the funds** (e.g., \$15,000 raised + \$15,000 RACG = \$30,000 project budget).
- Projects are locally managed, centrally accounted, and often shared through impactful stories.

#### Proven Impact:

Initiated by a generous \$2 million donation from the **Dick and Pip Smith Foundation** in 2017, RACG has already delivered **\$6 million in aid**. A recent **\$1 million top-up** from the Smiths is set to supercharge even more compassionate projects.

#### Who It Helps:

RACG supports **individuals, families, and marginalised groups** suffering disadvantage—especially from unforeseen events like accidents, assaults, or medical conditions.

#### Project Examples:

- Travel support for families with loved ones hospitalised far from home
- Equipment for disabled children to participate in school and sports
- Support gear for those not covered by NDIS
- Aid for women's refuges and the homeless
- Educational resources for Indigenous children

 **Scan the QR code** or visit [www.rawcs.org.au](http://www.rawcs.org.au) to explore RACG project criteria and start making a difference today.



# ENDING HOMELESSNESS IN WA



## Elsie Blay

Executive Manager, Services  
· Ruah Community Services

Elsie will share how the organisation supports people experiencing homelessness and her vision for ending it in WA through collaboration.

Elsie brings a diverse background in the health and community sectors, specialising in strategic development and health systems design.

She is passionate about expanding access to healthcare, education, and essential services for vulnerable populations. Elsie is a graduate of the AICD and serves as a Member on the WAAEH Alliance Steering Committee (ASC).

## EVENT DETAILS

### Date and Time

Wednesday · 24 September 2025  
**7:15am - 8:30am**

\$30 pp for Rotarian & guests

### Location

WACA, Bradman Room (Gate 8)  
Corner Braithwaite & Hay Street,  
East Perth WA 6004

To book your ticket, scan the QR code or visit the link:  
[cityrotaryperth.org.au/calendar/](http://cityrotaryperth.org.au/calendar/)





25<sup>TH</sup>

## ANNIVERSARY DINNER

SCAN FOR TICKETS



OR VISIT:  
[bit.ly/4fUKEIz](https://bit.ly/4fUKEIz)

*Meeting*

WED 22 OCT  
6-8PM

**Join us to celebrate 25 years of ShelterBox.**  
Come along to hear from ShelterBox CEO Mike Greenslade, who will be sharing about the evolution of ShelterBox's disaster relief aid over the last 25 years..

**TICKETS: \$32 PER PERSON**

**INCLUDES: MAIN COURSE, TEA, COFFEE & CAKE**



**ROYAL FREMANTLE GOLF CLUB**  
359 HIGH STREET, FREMANTLE WA 6160

**PROUDLY HOSTED BY Rotary**  
Club of ATTADALE



*Save the Date*

**Rotary**  
Club of Attadale



*presents*

*Festive* SEASON  
CONCERT

with the Fremantle Chamber Orchestra

Sunday, 7th December, 3:00 p.m.

Fremantle Town Hall

*Full booking details coming soon*

SPONSORS



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# Previously listed



**SOCKS IN THE CITY**



## Winter is Coming . . .

With wet and cold nights

- Homeless people struggle to find clean dry socks to wear. As a result they can develop both trench foot and warm water immersion foot. This becomes particularly bad during Winter.

The best treatment is Prevention

- Once trench foot or warm water immersion foot has developed healing occurs only when the feet are cleaned, dried and exposed to air for weeks. The best treatment is prevention and the best prevention is to wear clean dry socks

The value of a pair of socks is way more than the price

## Clubs can help by either:

1. **Donating socks** - preferably new adult socks in natural fibres (cotton or wool). Donated socks can be left with Perth Homeless Support Group (PHSG) at 28A Munt St, Bayswater. Alternatively contact Ken Mullin on [ken.mullin@iinet.net.au](mailto:ken.mullin@iinet.net.au) and we will organize to **collect and deliver** your socks to Perth Homeless Support Group. OR
2. **Donating money** to the web site - [www.socksinthecity.org.au](http://www.socksinthecity.org.au). \$6 will buy three pairs of socks. PHSG is a registered charity and all donations of \$2 and over are tax deductible.

2026  
District Conference

Northam

Accommodation

Rooms are being held under "Rotary"  
until 30 September so please book now.

BOOK NOW!

**THE REC HOTEL**

Caitlin Stewart  
9670 3450

**RIVERSIDE HOTEL**

Chloe Hawkins  
9622 1023

**FARMERS HOME**

Debbie  
6500 3920

**NORTHAM CARAVAN PARK**

Leilani Wilkins  
9622 1620

**NORTHAM TOURISM**

<https://www.northam.wa.gov.au/visit/visitor-information/accommodation.aspx>

# York

2026

District Conference

Accommodation

Rooms are being held under "Rotary" until 30 September so please book now.

BOOK NOW!



Kerry Elliot  
9641 2066

**YORK MOTEL**  
**10 WILLIAM STREET YORK**



9641 1884  
9461 1884

**SETTLERS HOUSE**  
**126 AVON TERRACE YORK**



Kerry  
0438 842 930

**NOSH AND NOD**  
**75A AVON TERRACE YORK**



Nola Bliss  
0426 181 948

**THE YORK**  
**145 AVON TERRCE YORK**



Michelle  
9689 4239

**THE IMPERIAL**  
**81 AVON TERRACE YORK**

York Tourism

<https://visit.york.wa.gov.au/stay/accommodation.aspx>

2026  
District Conference

Toodyay

Accommodation

These are extra accommodation suggestions  
Not reserved for Rotarians

BOOK NOW!

**TOODYAY MANOR  
82 STIRLING TERRACE**

0422 135 862  
[toodyaymanor.com](http://toodyaymanor.com)

**VICTORIA HOTEL  
116 STIRLING TERRACE**

9574 2165  
[vichotel2j@gmail.com](mailto:vichotel2j@gmail.com)

**BULLOCK & CO COTTAGE  
86 STIRLING TERRACE**

0402 298 826

**HODDYWELL COTTAGE  
925 CLACKLINE ROAD**

0419 221 212  
[stay@hoddywellcottage.com.au](mailto:stay@hoddywellcottage.com.au)

**VISIT THE TOURIST BUREAU  
LINK BELOW FOR MORE  
SUGGESTIONS**

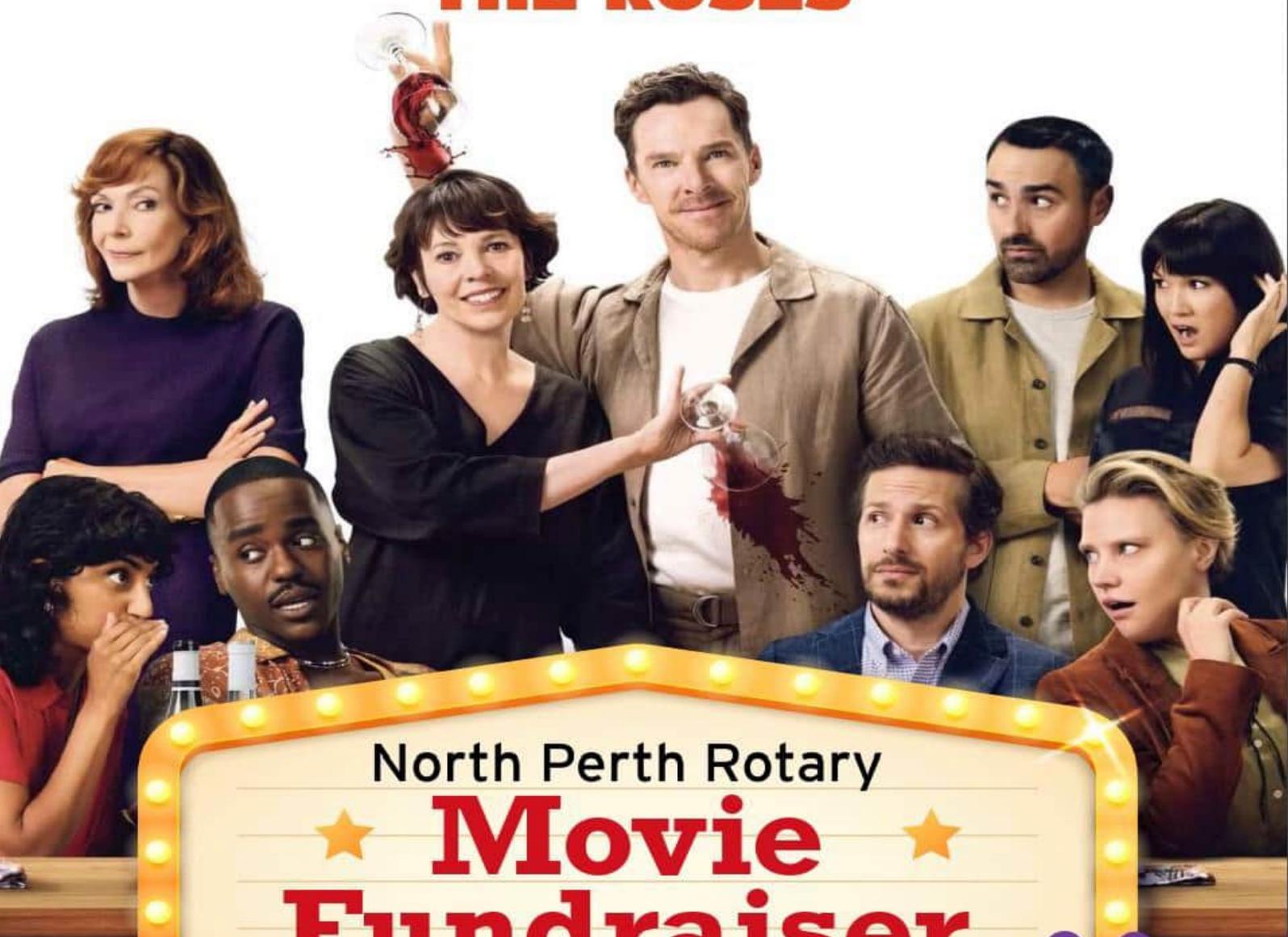
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Toodyay Tourism

<https://www.toodyay.wa.gov.au/visit-toodyay/accommodation>

COME AND SEE A GREAT MOVIE WITH FAMILY AND FRIENDS

# THE ROSES



North Perth Rotary  
★ **Movie** ★  
**Fundraiser**



**RAFFLE**

\$200 Gourmet  
Food & Wine Hamper.  
Tickets 1 for \$5  
or 3 for \$10

Sunday 14 September 2025 | 3-5pm

Luna Palace Cinema, Leederville

100% of funds raised will be donated to the Kids Cancer Support Group  
a not-for-profit helping families who experience Childhood Cancer/Blood Disorders.

**\$26 per ticket** | Purchase at: [www.trybooking.com/DEJTA](http://www.trybooking.com/DEJTA)

**Please Note:** Bring a printed hard copy of ticket to cinema to gain entry.  
- *Electronic tickets not accepted* -

# Understanding Voluntary Assisted Dying: Community Presentation

## JOIN US FOR AN INFORMATIVE DISCUSSION

This free presentation will cover **essential information** about voluntary assisted dying, including its implications and the laws surrounding it.

Rotary   
Club of Western Endeavour

## DATE, TIME, AND LOCATION DETAILS

17th September 2025

6:30 - 8:30pm

Leederville Sporting Club  
78 Cambridge St  
West Leederville

Supper provided



Scan the QR code or  
click [here](#) to book



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## Greater Geraldton



**Rotary Four-Way Test  
Public Speaking  
Competition - Year 10**

## *State Final*

Batavia Hall, Geraldton Grammar School

5:30 PM 20<sup>th</sup> September 2025



<https://www.trybooking.com/DEYWV>

(For Catering - No Charge)

# Rotary



## The Four-Way Test

of what we think, say or do

1. Is it the truth?
2. Is it fair to all concerned?
3. Will it build good will and better friendships?
4. Will it be beneficial to all concerned?

To book, scan the QR code above or click on the link <https://www.trybooking.com/DEYWV>

Any enquiries can be sent Hugh Lavery, E: [4wtsc@rotarywa.au](mailto:4wtsc@rotarywa.au) , M: 0419 045 203 .

## ROTARY IS GREAT FOR MENTAL HEALTH! & Mental Health Day, Week & Month is coming

<b>Tuesday 2 September</b>	Rotary ARH WA Mental Health PhD Awards  Rotary Means Business - <i>Why Mental Health Matters</i>	
<b>Wednesday 24 September</b>	Perron Institute - <i>Healthy Minds, Brains &amp; Bodies</i> - John McGrath Pavilion, South Perth	
<b>Sunday 28 September</b>	Como Classic Car Carnival - Wesley College	
<b>Wednesday 1 October</b>	Wellness Wednesday - Mandurah Foreshore	
<b>Saturday 4 October</b>	Lift the Lid Walk - Busselton	
<b>4-11 October</b>	Mental Health Week - <i>Empowering Communities, Thriving Workforces</i>	
<b>Friday 10 October</b>	World Mental Health Day	
<b>Sunday 2 November</b>	Mind the Walk - Rockingham	

## October is Mental Health Month

- Are you arranging something locally?
- Are you representing Rotary at local events in your community and linked schools?
- Have you invited a local speaker?

Contact [ARHWAteam@gmail.com](mailto:ARHWAteam@gmail.com) for more ...

AUSTRALIAN ROTARY HEALTH AND THE  
PERRON INSTITUTE PRESENT...

Healthy Minds,



Brains & Bodies

Wednesday  
**24<sup>th</sup>**  
September

Registration 5:30 |  
6 – 8:30 pm  
John McGrath Pavillion  
South Perth

Join us for an evening of  
answering your neuroscience  
and mental health questions!  
Scan here to register!





# ROTARY RIDERS

11 & 12 October 2025



**maca**  
**RIDE TO  
CONQUER  
CANCER**  
HARRY PERKINS INSTITUTE  
OF MEDICAL RESEARCH



Have you lost friends or family to cancer? Want to make a difference?

Team Rotary Riders is once again gearing up to raise funds for the Harry Perkins Cancer Research Institute. Last year combined teams successfully raised an impressive \$10.3 million!

Booragoon Rotary Club will continue to coordinate Team Rotary Riders during the 200 km ride. We invite you to share this message with your members, encouraging them to join the ride or to make a financial contribution.

Clubs, members and friends have generously donated \$6,800 so far. Contributions from individuals and clubs are greatly appreciated. The big ride is in October 2025. It's a ride, not a race. I will be riding again, proving that age is no barrier to making a difference.

<https://www.cancer200.org.au/fundraisers/peterbest/cancer-200-2025>



**Rotary**  
Booragoon 

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# EVEN IF YOU AREN'T RIDING THE TRAIN, REGISTER AND WEAR YOUR END POLIO T-SHIRT ON THE DAY TO RAISE AWARENESS

Join us for drinks and a photo shoot at Yagan Square at 6:00pm

Cut off date for t-shirt orders is 1 September—be quick



## Ride The Train - Next Stop Polio Eradication!

Choose a train that stops at every station on your selected line(s).  
Get your club to sponsor the ride  
\$5- \$10 per station.  
Individuals can sponsor \$1 per station.  
Wear your red Polio T-Shirt.

### The Challenge

8.00am to 6.00pm  
World Polio Day  
24 October 2025

### When

No getting on and off at each station.  
**No fundraising on trains or station property.**  
Do not block carriage doors.  
Rotarians should enter the train and sit.  
Take photos in between stations.  
Talk to people but don't ask for money.

### The Rules

Rotary remains committed to Ending Polio, and aims to completely eradicate the disease *poliomyelitis* through the vaccination of children throughout the world.

Today there are 98 cases in Afghanistan and Pakistan and our aim is for a Polio Free world.

In order to achieve this, we need to raise funds.

**By creating awareness** RotaryWA aims to raise \$50,000 to 'End Polio Now' over the next 12 months.

The Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation will match funds raised by Rotary.

The plan is for Rotarians from RotaryWA to ride the trains throughout the Western Australia Railway network on Friday 24 October promoting End Polio Now to **create awareness**.

Perth has 86 stations and Rotary Western Australia has 86 Clubs.

There are 59 Metro Clubs and 27 Regional Clubs in our District.

Ideally this would mean 5-10 Rotarians from each Club to travel on the train line(s) closest to their Club.

The journey will begin from 8.00am and ends at 6.00pm.

Register your Club's participation now and together let's make Polio a thing of the past!  
at <https://www.trybooking.com/CYVGP>



# BLACKWOOD MARATHON RELAY



**ENTER AS A TEAM OR GO SOLO!**

**SATURDAY 25 OCTOBER 2025**

**BOYUP BROOK TO BRIDGETOWN**



**REGISTER NOW!**

**WWW.BLACKWOODMARATHON.ORG**

Follow us:



@blackwoodmarathonrelay

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# INVITATION

The President and Members of the Rotary Club of Mandurah Districts  
invite you to an entertaining evening.

## International Service Dinner and Presentations

**Tuesday 25 November 2025**

6.00 pm for 6.30 pm start

At the Mandurah Country Club, Marsh Street, Halls Head, Mandurah

### Presentations

- **“The Internationality of Rotary”** DG Veronica Lawrence
- **Rotary Australia World Community Service**
- **District Grants and some existing Projects**
- **Exchange Students** - Current and returned.
- **Peace Scholar** and the international program.
- **Rotary Sumba Project** - Update on programs, and a  
live chat with Dr Alex Wettstein in East Sumba

A two-course meal, bottle of wine per table for **\$25.00** pp. Cash bar.

**Payments** can be made to: - Rotary Club Mandurah Districts

**BSB 036 192 Account 131 420** Reference: - “Dinner and Name”

**A wonderful opportunity for a Club visit!**

Details on any dietary or other requirements or questions to John Kevan  
[john.kevan@iinet.net.au](mailto:john.kevan@iinet.net.au) 0419 947 862

We look forward to meeting you.



## EMERGENCY: FLOODING IN PAKISTAN



Hundreds of people have lost their lives, and tens of thousands of people have been impacted by flash floods and landslides triggered by unusually intense storms, including rare cloudbursts that have devastated entire mountain villages.

**We already have a team on the ground** and are preparing to deploy another to Islamabad in the coming days. This team will work closely with our trusted partner, Islamic Relief Pakistan (IRP) to assess needs and coordinate support for displaced families. **We are also in contact with Rotary leadership in the region.**

We are mobilising quickly to provide emergency shelter and essential items, including:

- **Shelter repair kits** to repair or rebuild shelters
- **Water filters and carriers** to ensure access to clean drinking water
- **Mosquito nets** to help prevent the spread of disease, especially dengue and malaria

**We have pre-positioned supplies in Pakistan and Dubai, which is allowing us to respond quickly in this critical moment.** However, the situation is rapidly changing. The full extent of the damage still being assessed, while ongoing rains complicate already dire rescue efforts.



**ShelterBox is Rotary's Project Partner in disaster relief, working to ensure that no family is left without shelter.** With the ongoing support of Rotary Club's across Australia we can make a difference.

### HOW YOU CAN HELP

**Donate:** [Donate now](#) to support families affected by disaster.

<https://shelterbox-pakistan-flood-appeal.raiselysite.com/>

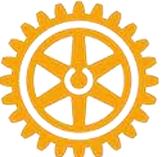
**Fundraise:** Host an event or hold a fundraiser at your next meeting

**Spread the word:** Share our updates on social media to let your community know about the difference ShelterBox and Rotary are making together.

Support our team's challenge to save lives  
and deliver healthcare to the outback



E-WA Rotary is inviting the whole family of Rotary in Western Australia to join our 'Rotary and Friends WA' team in support of the Royal Flying Doctor Service. <https://www.oceanstooutback.org.au/join/rotaryandfriendswa>  
The Oceans to Outback challenge runs for the month of October but you can sign up now to be part of our team. You can walk, run, cycle or swim and share your progress while fundraising for the RFDS. Last year, with the help of our friends from Rotary Club of Esperance, our team was the third highest fundraiser in Australia. This year we aim to top the list! Get fit, have fun, tell great stories, connect all our clubs across our great state.

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E-Club of Western Australia

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## **Respect and Action Trust for the Environment (RATE)**

### **A Rotary Pathway to Environmental Impact**

Are you passionate about protecting our planet? Now, Rotary Clubs across Australia can take meaningful environmental action with full support from **RAWCS**—both locally and globally—through the **Respect and Action Trust for the Environment (RATE)**.

RATE is a newly registered **Environmental Organisation** with the **ACNC and ATO**, offering the same benefits as RAWCS humanitarian projects, including **tax-deductibility for donors**. It's designed to empower Rotarians to lead and support projects that directly benefit the **natural environment**.

### **What RATE Supports:**

RATE projects must focus on the **natural environment**, including:

-  **Significant ecosystems** like rainforests
-  **Wildlife and habitats**
-  **Environmental issues:** air & water quality, waste minimisation, soil conservation, biodiversity
-  **Sustainable development principles**

### **Project Examples:**

- Tree planting & habitat rehabilitation (including disaster recovery)
- Community education & advocacy for environmental protection
- Conservation of native flora & fauna
- Rescue and care of native wildlife

### **Why Get Involved?**

RATE projects are a powerful way to:

- Show Rotary's commitment to environmental stewardship
- Engage your local community
- Attract environmentally conscious members
- Drive real change through **direct action** and **awareness**

 **Scan the QR code** or visit [www.rawcs.org.au](http://www.rawcs.org.au) to explore RATE project criteria and start your journey toward a greener future.





A laptop can make a huge difference to a student

Aranmore Catholic College in Leederville has an Intensive English Centre that provides lessons for students recently arrived from other countries with limited English. These students spend up to two years in the Intensive English Centre and then move into mainstream classes to further their study. To complete their mainstream education, they require laptops.

These students, who are often refugees, do not always have the financial means to purchase laptops required for their schooling. The Wangara Men's Shed has kindly made their refurbished devices available at a cost of \$150.00 to \$250.00. Any assistance you could offer to help with the purchase of these devices would be greatly appreciated.

Aranmore students who have had the benefit of time in the Intensive English Program and who then move into mainstream education grow into successful members of our community with bright futures, valuing education and a keen sense of service towards others.

If your club feels that they can help in some way with this appeal – OR if a club member has an unused laptop that they could donate, please contact Jim Joseph – [jim.joseph2017@outlook.com](mailto:jim.joseph2017@outlook.com) – 0402 898 690 OR Jerry Pilcher – [jerry.pilcher@gmail.com](mailto:jerry.pilcher@gmail.com) – 0428 911 505 – both from Scarborough Rotary.



# Putting a face to the story...



Thiri, a 25-year-old mother, had just given birth via C-section when the ground began to shake. This was the start of the 7.7 magnitude earthquake that struck Myanmar on March 28, 2025,

***“The earthquake hit as I met my baby. I thought I was going to die.”***



Forced to flee the collapsing hospital with her newborn, Thiri faced days of uncertainty in emergency shelters.

***“We were outside the hospital for two or three days. I had to lie on the ground. It was hard to eat or drink.”***

With your support, ShelterBox is providing shelter, clean water, and essential aid to families like Thiri's.



“I would like to thank those who have come to donate to us. I am very grateful for the help during this difficult time. My baby is in good health, and I am proud to have delivered him despite the challenges.”

Despite the fear of aftershocks, Thiri remains hopeful: “As a mother, I have a son and a daughter to care for. I pray to Buddha that no more disasters happen again.”

Please share Thiri's story to help us reach more people in need.

Looking for speaker at meetings?

Wesley Sim

0411-603-936

[wesley@simkids.net](mailto:wesley@simkids.net)

[ShelterBoxAustralia.org.au](http://ShelterBoxAustralia.org.au)





*eBikers 2025 E-Venture Ryde - Wild Gravel Trail  
September 14-20, 2025*

**WILD  
GRAVEL**  
CYCLING TRAIL  
GNOWANGERUP, WA



**B4H WA** has been collecting, repairing and re-distributing pre-loved bikes since 2011. Every one of their all-volunteer team is proud to have been able donate over 10,000 bikes to NGO and corporate partners in Africa, and to schools and indigenous organisations in remote WA and NT communities.

**Eventure Rydes by Ebikers** have seen a small group of dedicated riders give a week each year since 2020 to enjoy a fun ride in the WA countryside, and raise much needed financial support for the charitable work of B4H WA. Past rides have been from Fremantle to Kalbarri, Albany, Kalgoorlie, Margaret River and Esperance. In 2025, the Ebikers Ryder team will take on the 6-day, 440km Wild Gravel Trail in the heart of the Great Southern.

**CHANGING LIVES TWO WHEELS AT A TIME**

Please support their effort, for the benefit of people whose lives will be changed by future refurbished, preloved bike shipments to Africa or to inland WA/NT.

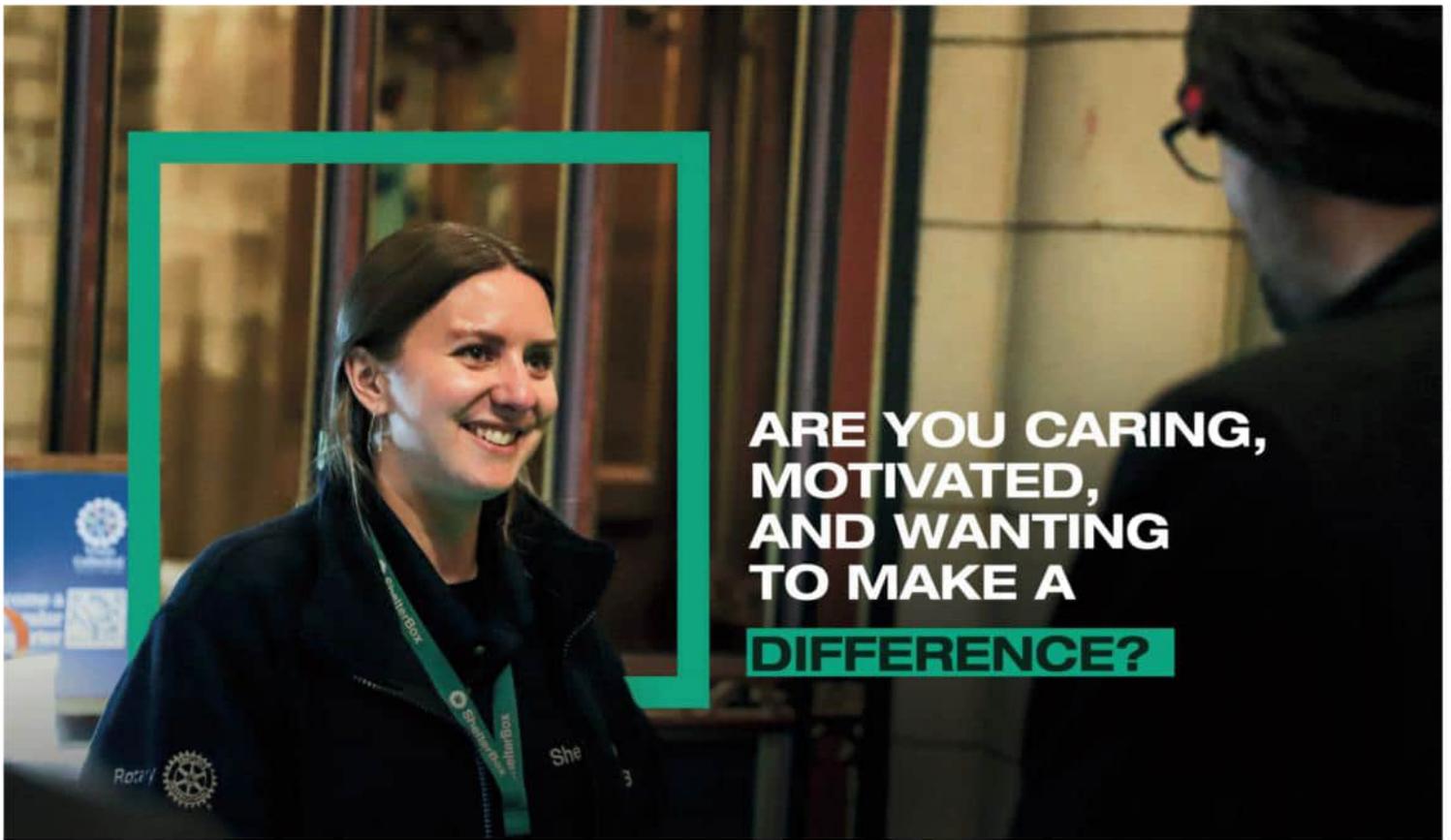
SCAN HERE to donate



<https://www.givenow.com.au/cr/wild-gravel-trail-eventure>

(donations > \$2 are tax deductible)





**ARE YOU CARING,  
MOTIVATED,  
AND WANTING  
TO MAKE A  
DIFFERENCE?**

### WHAT WILL YOU DO?

- Stay informed about ShelterBox and our operations
- Share news at your club meeting each month
- Promote our fundraising campaigns and awards to your Rotary club

### WHAT IMPACT WILL YOU HAVE?

Advocates raise awareness and vital funds for our work and the people we support. You will be a voice in your club for our disaster relief partnership and our impact.

### WHAT WILL YOU GET?

You will receive all the necessary training and resources to allow you to confidently share news about our work. Our team will provide regular support throughout your time as part of the ShelterBox volunteer community.

**“WE HAVE THESE  
TENTS, WE HAVE A LOT  
OF BLANKETS THAT  
GOOD PEOPLE AND  
ASSOCIATIONS HAVE  
GIVEN TO US, SO WE ARE  
ALL GOOD, WE ARE SAFE.”**

– Mohamed, Morocco



or  
scan me

For more information, role description and application, visit [shelterboxaustralia.org.au](https://shelterboxaustralia.org.au) or contact Kieryn Deutrom at [kieryn.deutrom@shelterbox.org.au](mailto:kieryn.deutrom@shelterbox.org.au)



**ShelterBox**

**Rotary**



ShelterBox and Rotary are project partners in disaster relief. ShelterBox is a charity independent of Rotary International and The Rotary Foundation.

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## **Rotary South Pacific Conference 2025**

### **Gold Coast**

### **31 October—2 November**

All Rotarians and Rotaractors are invited to come together to Connect, Share and Grow at the 2025 Rotary South Pacific Zone Conference.

You will be inspired and motivated as we connect and share ideas to grow Rotary and activate the strategic priorities of Rotary International and The Rotary Foundation.

The 2025 event will be held at Twin Towns Conference and Function Centre, Tweed Heads, just a few minutes stroll to Coolangatta and the Gold Coast's spectacular beaches.

Special accommodation rates at The Sebel Twin Towns and Mantra Twin Towns have been negotiated. To secure a room [click here](#) and complete the form.

From golden beaches to lush hinterland, this iconic part of Australia offers a plethora of experiences to enjoy before or after the conference. It is fast becoming a foodie hotspot, whether you're after fresh fish and chips on the beach or chef-hatted haute cuisine.

Register early to enjoy the region's warm hospitality.

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