



# The Rotary Club of Kwinana

**Rotary District 9465 Western Australia**  
 Chartered: 22 April 1971



### Team 2021-22

**President**  
**Bob Thompson**

**Secretary**  
**Genevieve Carr**

**Treasurer**  
**Stephen Castelli**



President Bob

# Bulletin

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SERVE TO CHANGE LIVES

**Rotary Club of Kwinana is 50 year's old 1971/2021**

### Facts & Figures

#### Attendance this week

- Total Members** 28
  - Apologies** 5
  - Make-up** 2
  - Attended** 17
  - Hon. Member** 1
  - LOA**
  - Guests** 1
  - Visitors**
  - Partners** 7
- 73.0%



We invited our wives/partners to attend this week's meeting, the reason being that our club has donated \$1k to the Andrea Mia Women's Refuge in Kwinana to purchase suitable everyday items needed on a daily basis. Lee, Cathy, Kylee and Chris accepted the challenge to 'go shopping' and obtain the required items. See pictures below highlighting their efforts and handing them over to The Lucy Saw CEO Anne Moore.

A number of volunteers made possible the changeover of our club tables and chairs from the existing to the new, our existing 6 tables were exchanged for 6 larger ones complete with 48 refurbished chairs made available by Kwinana Furniture-on-Line. Thanks to PP Mike Nella and the club members who put in the effort to make it happen. The new tables will seat up to eight people, thus giving us seating for 48, just 2 less than our approved maximum.

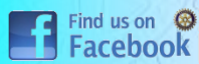
PP Michael Nella announced following a recent fire in Parmelia a lady has lost everything, Kwinana Furniture-on-Line has promised to refurbish her next rental home with all of the essentials necessary for herself and children as soon as they are able to find suitable premises.

**Raffle**  
Marge & John I

**Heads & Tails**  
Chris Iriks

	<b>Rotary International President</b>	<b>District Governor</b>	
	2021/22	9465	
	Shekar Mehta	2021/22	
	Rotary Club of		
	Calcutta- Mahanagar		
		<b>Pat Schraven</b>	

### STAY SAFE



**Meets Monday**  
6 for 6.30pm  
At Rotary Hall  
Brownell Crescent,  
Medina

**Visitors always welcome**

**August 2021 Membership Month**

**Coming Events**

<b>August:</b>		
Mon 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Club Meeting.	Rotary Hall
Mon 9 <sup>th</sup>	Club Meeting	Rotary Hall
Mon 16 <sup>th</sup>	Club Meeting	Rotary Hall
Mon 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Club Meeting.	Rotary Hall
Sun 29 <sup>th</sup>	Four Way Speech Comp.	6.30pm at the Darius
Mon 30 <sup>th</sup>	Club Meeting	Rotary Hall

**Attendance Officer:**  
Paul Durant 0402 794 323  
Apologies by Saturday pm please





**Bob Thompson**



President's Pen

26<sup>th</sup> July 2021

## Chairs Busy Bee

The Busy Bee held on Saturday morning 24 July was another success story.

The chairs and tables from our Hall were loaded up and taken to Naval Base Furniture Factory for later sale and 40 upgraded chairs and 6 tables were taken from Naval Base back to the Hall and set up ready for our meetings.

Thanks to John and Bill, who worked at Naval Base to finish the chairs and tables make over and to have them ready for going to the Hall.

Thanks to truck driver Eric, and to the furniture lifters and shifters, Gladys; Cyril; Steve; and James for being there with me.

Thanks to Mike for making the truck available.

In thanking those members and partners who have been able to be available and help on the chairs and tables project, I am also mindful that members are committed and involved in a number of important and ongoing Club projects and tasks and our thanks go out to you all.

These projects and tasks include the Furniture Factory, the Bread Run, 4 Way Speech Test, Proposed Rotary Kwinana Fair, weekly Bulletin production, weekly Club premises cleaning and meeting preparation, weekly attendance officer duties, and the challenges of finding and arranging guest speakers.

Lots of good people doing lots of good things. As we have heard, particularly from Mike for the Furnitures Factory and from Steve for the Bread Run, and from John for the proposed Kwinana fair, there is always a place and a job if you wish to help and be involved in some way in a particular project or task.

Bob Thompson  
President 2021/22

Our recently acquired tables and chairs now residing at Rotary Hall





### **Rotary Club of Kwinana Community Fair**

The Rotary Kwinana Community Fair will be held on Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> November 2021 on the Calista Oval between 10.00am and 2.00pm

A Community Fair planning meeting is scheduled for Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> July at the Darius Wells Centre.

Start time 6.30pm.

### **Rotary Club of Palm Beach**

The Rotary Club of Palm Beach has arranged a visit by State Premier Mark McGowan MLA. The venue will be the Hotel Clipper Inn on Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> October with a 6pm for 6.30pm start. Mark knows that Rotary is apolitical and has been informed that we are interested in what makes him tick and what set him on the path to a life of public service.

The Rotary Club of Palm Beach is inviting all local Rotarians and partners to a gala night, to increase fellowship with their neighbouring Rotary Clubs.

The Palm Beach Club will let us know more details closer to the event.

### **Four way test speech competition**

The Semi-final scheduled for 4 August 2021 in Mandurah has been cancelled. Instead, the winner and runner-up from club heats will go directly to District Final on Sunday 29 August 2021 at the Ken Jackman Hall in Kwinana. Time of the event will be 1.30pm for 2.00pm start.

James Sharkey  
President Elect/Club Service Director

Chris, Kylee, Cathy, Anne Moore and Lee with part of the items purchased for the Andrea Mia Centre





## PP Genevieve Carr



### Inward Correspondence.

- Disaster Aid Australia July newsletter
- Youth Protection Manual
- Update information about the Four Way Test Speaking Competition District Final – including times, club promotion, nomination fees
- District Governor's newsletter
- Update from RI South Pacific and Philippines
- Thank you card from Pat Gamage
- Australian Rotary Health update
- Appeals from District Secretary for members to consider serving on district committees for various youth programs, or serving on District Leadership Team
- Rotary Out West
- RYLA applications
- District 9465 eDigest
- Request from Gilmore College for support for upcoming NAIDOC event

### Outward Correspondence.

- Notification to staff at Peter Carnley Anglican Community School and The Kings College regarding the Four Way Test Speaking Competition District Final
- RYPEN information forwarded to individuals, local schools
- RYLA information forwarded to past candidate to help seek prospective candidate for January 2022
- Invitation to Gilmore College, Kolbe Catholic College to attend 4WT District Final

Would members please note that any correspondence received or posted by yourself, please ensure a copy is forwarded to your Secretary.



## PP Stephen Castelli



Bring your empty drink containers, we have collection bins.

Invoices for members dues for 2021/22 have been sent via email.

Pleased to announce that 14 have already paid. Payment Deadline: August end.

Please make an electronic payment if possible, details included in email.

# Birthdays and Anniversaries

July 2021

## Congratulations:

Karen Mulcahy 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Carol Adams 13<sup>th</sup>



## Wedding Anniversary's

Barry and Sam Winmar. 11<sup>th</sup> 29 years



## Club Anniversaries.

Greg Williams 1<sup>st</sup> 31 years  
Bob Cooper. 2<sup>nd</sup> 37 years. in Rotary  
Brian McCallum 3<sup>rd</sup> 15 years a member of our club

*Congratulations!*

Sorry! I can't reply to any emails today,  
something crashed on my lap-top  
and my mouse is missing



Okay, give it to me straight.

What did they do,  
and how much is bail?



THE BALL WENT  
UNDER THE COUCH

IT'S OK! I GOT IT...

If Jealousy had a face



Thanks  
Genevieve



Projects Director  
PP Mike Nella



PP Max Bird  
Foundation Dir.



PDG John Iriks  
Membership Dir.



Kim Beciri  
Public Relations Dir.

**Project Director's Report.**

Club members encouraged to assist any time, see Mike for info.  
Furniture-On-Line, best week, shop full of stock.  
Showroom status now means we can invite customers to view and purchase our stock.  
Help needed Thu, Fri and Saturday,  
Naval Base outlet situated at 13 Lionel Street, Naval Base, well stocked, will be opened for viewing and sales. My thanks to everyone who has assisted.



Rtn. Lee Davis  
Community

**Public Relations:**

We continue to receive exposure on Rotary Out West.

**Membership:**

President John Iriks is Membership Director  
Committee: Lee Davis, Bob Thompson, Ed Samut and Eric Blogg.  
Still the best option to invite new members, "ask someone"

**Community:**

Bread Program running well, 5 schools now on board.  
Still looking for more helpers, please come along.  
Kwinana Fair, date set for 13<sup>th</sup> November 2021 at Calista Oval.

**Vocational:**

**International:**

**Youth:**

?  
Vocational



PP. Max Bird  
International

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- **RYPEN:** Next weekend camp will be held 24-26 September 2021. Have forwarded information on to individuals and local schools, seeking suitable candidate.
- **RYLA:** Due to be held from Saturday 8 January until Saturday 15 January 2022 at Serpentine Camp Centre. The cost of club sponsorship will be \$870, with participants asked to contribute \$220. Applications are due by 30 November 2021.



PP Genevieve Carr  
Youth

**Gilmore College request:** Have received a request from Brett Pilling, director of the Clontarf Academy at Gilmore College. The school is due to have their NAIDOC football match on Friday 13 August at 1.15pm; have contacted us to ask if we are available and interested in participating in the event by cooking a sausage sizzle.

Visit your club webpage.

<http://www.clubrunner.ca/Portal/Home.aspx?accountid=8106>  
or type Kwinana Rotary Club into 'Search'



Guest Speaker: Anne Moore CEO Lucy Saw Centre



A new women's refuge capable of housing large families, including teenage boys, as well as pets has opened up in Kwinana.

The Andrea Mia centre, named after Andrea Pickett, whose brutal stabbing murder at the hands of her estranged husband led to significant changes in the WA family and domestic violence system after an inquest found government agencies had failed to put a plan in place to prevent her death, features six self-contained units with 24/7 security as well as communal facilities for therapy and service provisions.

It is being run by the Lucy Saw Centre Association, which has been operating women's refuges in the Kwinana and Rockingham area for the past 40 years and been described by its CEO, Anne Moore as "amazing".

"I think women that come here will just know that the community, the government and everyone respects them," Ms Moore said. "Something like this shows so much dignity for women."

The centre is one of two purpose-built refuges that have recently opened as part of the McGowan Government's 16 Days in WA campaign to stop violence against women and their families.

The Warlang Bidi - Supporting Women and Children, the State's first therapeutic women's refuge, opened in Peel last week.

Domestic Violence Minister Simone McGurk said the refuge not only strengthened the services available to women in the area but would also cater for clients with specific needs, including women with a disability, women with larger families, older women, Aboriginal women and women from culturally and linguistically diverse communities.

"The difference with this refuge compared to Peel is that it can accommodate large families, including teenage boys if necessary," she added.

While the \$2.5 million facility currently has six units, Ms McGurk said there were plans to build another six as part of WA Recovery Plan.

Work on those units, which will cost a further \$2 million, are expected to be completed by June 2021.



The exterior of a unit at the Andrea Mia Women's Refuge opened in Kwinana in 2020

**Fine Session: Sergeant Cyril Bennett**

Stand-in

Deputy Bill Rowe.



No Badges got fined as usual.

Last one through the door this week, PE James

Eagles because you won.

Dockers because you lost.

John I and Mike N: Leaving the number 1 badge on the floor of the truck!!!

Fine for the person who removed Eric's ladder from the hall, Bob T later owned-up.

Cyril B: Turning up on Saturday when the work was done.

Bill R: Had a washer returned to him after putting it in the fines box last week.

Lee, Chris, Kylee and Cathy, comment was made that these fine ladies had \$1,000 to spend on Women's essentials last Saturday and unusually for women they failed to spend it all. Eric had a possible answer, they were all spotted sitting at the Coffee Club drinking coffee.

John Mas. Reportedly had a police escort tonight.

Some good stuff for a change, thanks John I



**Almost 5,000 people queued for hours in the rain at a swabbing event in Worcester, to get tested to see if they were a match to help save the life of a five-year-old boy fighting a rare cancer after parents asked for help.**

Some months back in Nigeria one naked and dying 2-year abandoned child was seen being fed by a lady charity-worker from Denmark - Anja Ringgren Loven, that pic went viral in social media. She later adopted that child and named him Hope. Today, Hope looks like this:



## Polio this week

21<sup>th</sup> July 2021

In his latest blog, Bill Gates talks about the progress against polio made possible through the iron will of health workers and partners such as Rotary, GPEI's support to COVID and new strategy to secure success. He calls on global solidarity/support to deliver on promise of polio-free world. [Read more...](#)

The GPEI welcomes the [20<sup>th</sup> Report of the Independent Monitoring Board \(IMB\)](#) which provides independent assessments of the programme to help refine and improve the GPEI's work.

Summary of new WPV and cVDPV viruses this week (AFP cases and ES positives):

Ethiopia: 10 cVDPV2 cases and one cVDPV2 positive environmental sample

Liberia: one cVDPV2 case

Madagascar : two cVDPV1 cases

Nigeria: nine cVDPV2 case and five cVDPV2 positive environmental samples

Senegal: one cVDPV2 case

South Sudan: one cVDPV2 case



We all know that the Olympic Games can be fiercely competitive. They often force its competitors to ask themselves: how far will you go for gold? For some, however, going far does not only mean training harder and focusing more but rather sabotage. In 1994, the Olympic figure skater Nancy Kerrigan was training before the Olympic championships when her knee was shattered by a man posing as a photographer. It turned out that Kerrigan's top rival Tonya Harding's husband conspired the attack, proving that sometimes people will do anything to win.

Sadly, Harding did win that year. But in the Lillehammer, Norway Games, Kerrigan recovered, with Harding presented as a villain and Kerrigan as a saint. That year, Kerrigan won the silver and Harding came in eighth.

Meeting Monday 26<sup>th</sup> July 2021





# What happened this week in history?



July 25<sup>th</sup> to July 31<sup>st</sup>



25<sup>th</sup>

1797: Horatio Nelson loses more than 300 men and his right arm during the conquest of Tenerife  
1814: English engineer George Stephenson introduces his first steam locomotive,  
1837: The first commercial use of an electric telegraph between Euston and Camden Town in London  
1854: Walter Hunt is awarded the first U.S. patent for a paper shirt collar

26<sup>th</sup>

1579: Francis Drake leaves San Francisco to cross Pacific Ocean  
1835: 1st sugar cane plantation started in Hawaii  
1858: Baron Lionel de Rothschild becomes the 1st Jewish person elected to the British Parliament  
1865: The capital of New Zealand moves from Auckland to Wellington

27<sup>th</sup>

1586: Walter Raleigh brings the 1st tobacco to England from Virginia  
1643: Oliver Cromwell defeats Royalists at Battle of Gainsborough  
1836: The ship the "Duke of York" arrives with the 1<sup>st</sup> colonists to Kangaroo Island, South Australia  
1988: Radio Shack announces Tandy 1000 SL computer

28<sup>th</sup>

1586: Sir Thomas Harriot introduces potatoes to Europe on return to England  
1858: 1<sup>st</sup> use of fingerprints as a means of identification is made by Sir William James Herschel of the Indian Civil Service  
1900: Hamburger created by Louis Lassing in Connecticut  
1933: 1st singing telegram delivered (to Rudy Vallee), NYC

29<sup>th</sup>

1566: UK executes Agnes Waterhouse, the 1st British woman convicted of witchcraft in England  
1899: 1st motorcycle race, Manhattan Beach, NY  
1907: Sir Robert Baden-Powell forms Boy Scouts in England  
1921: Adolf Hitler becomes leader of the National Socialist German Workers Party

30<sup>th</sup>

762: City of Baghdad founded by Abbasid caliph Al-Mansur,  
1733: Society of Freemasons opens 1st American lodge in Boston  
1869: The Charles, considered the world's first "oil tanker", with a bulk capacity of 7k barrels of oil  
1928: George Eastman shows first amateur colour motion pictures

31<sup>st</sup>

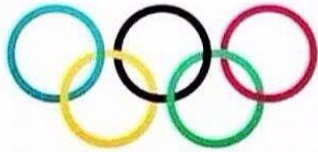
781: The oldest recorded eruption of Mt. Fuji (Traditional Japanese date: July 6, 781)  
1489: Christopher Columbus discovers the island of Trinidad on his third voyage  
1856: Christchurch, New Zealand, is chartered as a city.  
1941: U-boats sink and damage 21 allied ships this month (80,521 tons)



The rings most girls want

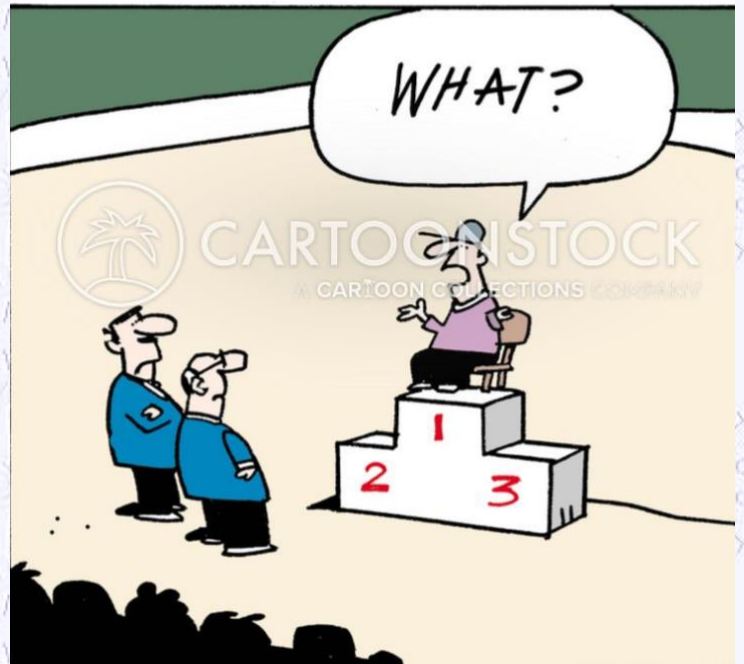


The rings most guys want



The rings i want

WHY IT IS BEST TO CHECK YOUR OLYMPICS SEAT LOCATION BEFORE BUYING TICKETS FROM SCALPERS



### Why does Mexico rarely wins any medals at the Olympic Games?

Because everyone who runs, swims, or jump really well is already across the border.

### If Trump was at the Olympics

Donald Trump is opening the Olympic Games and has to read a speech.

"Oh" he says. "Oh, oh, oh ..."

An aide nudges him, "Mr. Trump, stop," he says. "You're reading the Olympic symbol."

#### Makeup opportunities

Rockingham	Monday	6pm for 6.30	Rockingham RSL Club
Palm beach	Wednesday	6pm for 6.30	Ocean Clipper Inn
Baldivis	Mon/Fortnightly	6.30pm for 7.00	Peel Manor House
Cockburn	Thursday	7.15am for 7.30	Cockburn Seniors Centre
Byford & Districts	Monday	6.15pm for 6.45	Byford Tavern, South W Hwy

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