



The Rotary Club of Kwinana

Rotary District 9465 Western Australia
 Chartered: 22 April 1971



Team 2022-23

- President**
James Sharkey
- Secretary**
Genevieve Carr
- Treasurer**
Stephen Castelli



President James

Bulletin

No 6 22/08/2022



Rotary Club of Kwinana is 51 years' old 1971/2022

Facts & Figures

Attendance this week

- Total Members** 28
- Apologies** 9
- Make-up** 12
- Hon. Member** 6
- LOA** 2
- Guests**
- Visitors**
- Partners**

84.0%

Raffle

Mike & Eric

Heads & Tails

Pushpa



Couple of visitors this week, PDG Brian Foley, Genevieve's Dad from Mordialloc, Victoria, and Pushpa Pushpalingam, 9465 Foundation Chair.

Just a POI, Pushpa is Veterinary Surgeon and has a 'Small Animal Hospital' in Southern River, which he founded in 1984.

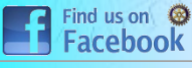
Guest Speaker tonight was our own Genevieve Carr who told us how we can individually or collectively contribute to Rotary Foundation on an annual basis.

I think we may have set a bit of a record tonight, only 12 members present but we were able to conjure together 9 make-ups because most of those away contribute regularly to either the Furniture shop, the Bread Project or some other club project.

I note that Bob and Wendy are on their way home to Kwinana, they recently met up with Max and Diane at Edith Falls, Nitmiluk, NT. About 60ks from Katherine. Bob and Wendy left Kwinana late November last year, they are returning home a little earlier than was originally planned.

	<p>Rotary International President 2022/23 Jennifer E Jones</p> <p>Rotary Club of Windsor-Roseland Ontario Canada. 6400</p>	<p>District Governor 9465 2022/23 Ric McDonald</p>	
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STAY SAFE



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

Visitors always welcome

August 2022: Membership & Extension Month Coming Events

- Mon 22nd Club Meeting PP Genevieve Carr, Rotary Foundation
- Mon 29th Club Meeting Chris Cleghorn, an ex-Royal Marine commando Partners

Attendance Officer:
Paul Durant 0402 794 323
Apologies by Saturday 4 pm please





James Sharkey



President's Pen

22nd August 2022

Regionalisation Pilot Project

A team has been working for some three years establishing a pilot project to explore, develop and test a new model of governing and operating Rotary that is relevant for our region.

Two regions in the World have been chosen to work with this pilot project, which is expected to take up to three years to complete. Our zone 8, covering Australia, New Zealand and the Pacific Islands is one of the zones involved the other being Great Britain and Ireland.

Our Club will have to vote on whether we wish to be part of this pilot project, or not, possibly by the middle of next month. On 5th September I will be showing three short videos which explain what the Regionalisation Pilot Project is all about.

2022 Volunteer Grants

Following our August meeting our Club Board is considering lodging a submission for a Federal Govt grant brought to our attention via Madelaine King, Member for Brand.

Grants between \$1000-5000 available to eligible Not For Profit community organisations.

The Board is considering two of the areas that funding applications cover;

*contribute to volunteers' fuel costs

*conduct activities to promote awareness of and increase participation in volunteering opportunities.

To help the Board get a truer picture of possible volunteer's fuel costs that we could seek a possible contribution for, would you please advise of your average weekly fuel costs covering your volunteer work with our Club that you would consider receiving a fuel contribution for?

A copy of your workings covering your Club volunteering to arrive at your figure should also help the Board in determining whether the Club should proceed with the grant application including the fuel contribution option basis, or not.

Any comments that you want to make for the Board to consider in this matter, please feel free to get back to Bob Thompson with them as the Board has asked that he follow up with this suggestion.

Your feedback by next Monday's meeting would be appreciated as there is a timeline on submitting our interest.

Club garden Area

A big thank you to Greg who sprayed weed killer around our back garden last week.

Guest Speaker Programs Manager

Please contact Grace with any possible guest speaker contacts.

Rotary Hall Cleaning (Urgent Request)

Volunteers required to form a roster to keep our facilities clean and presentable for our members and guests.

Food Delivery to the Frank Konecny Community Centre

IKEA are providing a truck load of food to the Frank Konecny Centre at 11.00am on Thursday 25th August.

Terry and Tish Evans with Brian Thompson and myself will assist with traffic control on the day.

Bunning's BBQ

I have provisionally booked a Bunnings BBQ on Sunday 6th November 2022.

Four Way Test Speech Competition

I attended the District final of the Four Way Test Speech Competition yesterday afternoon. The winner was Zoey Seah from Rossmoyne Senior High School and the runner up was Aberley Arianto from Rehoboth Christian College. Both will now go forward to the State Finals to be held in September.

Partners Meeting

Next week 29th August will be a partner's night.

Guest speaker Chris Cleghorn, an ex-Royal Marine Commando who has successfully rowed across the Atlantic Ocean and intends to skipper a four-man team to row across the Indian Ocean in May next year. He is raising funds for research into Parkinson's Disease.

Phil Orchard will also be a guest, he served 24 years in the Royal Navy and 10 years in the Royal Australian Navy having been the Commanding Officer at HMAS Stirling.

In 2011 Phil was diagnosed with Parkinson's causing him to retire from the work force in 2016.

Phil will be discussing the effects that Parkinson's has on his life.

James Sharkey
President 2022/23



President 2023/24

Looking for a candidate?

Club Service

Attendance Officer

A reminder to text Paul's mobile prior to our next meeting if you have any problems attending.

Next social event planned for Sunday October 16th Lunch at 'Lavoro's' at Rockingham Beach.

Come 1, come all. Bring any potential members and show them that we are a club that enjoys each other's company. The basic arrangement will be that you order off the menu and pay for what you order.

<https://lavoroitaliano.com.au/>

Meeting at Rotary Hall, Monday 22nd August 2022



PP Genevieve Carr

22nd August 2022



Inward Correspondence.

- Information from MP Madeleine King regarding availability of volunteer grants
- Promotion of COK project – recovery of the South Western Snake Neck Turtle (potential guest speaker)
- Rotary Out West

Outward Correspondence

- 'Get Well' card sent to Brian McCallum

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



2021/22

PP Stephen Castelli



Bills paid, money in the bank.

Rotary Down Under Magazine now comes to you electronically.
Bring your empty drink containers, we have collection bins.

Treasurer Stephen reports that only 4 members have not paid their dues.



2022/23

PP Genevieve Carr



Youth Services Report 22/08/2022

1. Four Way Test Speech Contest: Thank you to President James for representing our Club at the District Final which was held on Sunday 21 August. The State Final will be held on Thursday 8 September at UWA Club in Crawley from 6-9pm; ticket booking via TryBooking.
2. RYLA: Camp will be held 7-14 January 2023 at the Serpentine Camping Centre; open to young people aged 18-28 years. If anyone knows of a suitable young person, Genevieve would be keen to hear from you.



Projects Director
PP Mike Nella



PP Max Bird
Foundation Dir.



PDG John Iriks
Membership Dir.



Kim Beciri
Public Relations Dir.

Project Director's Report.

Furniture-On-Line, 2022 going really well, my sincere thanks to all who are assisting.

Club members encouraged to assist any time, see Mike for info.

The building of our new shed at Rotary Hall is now complete and lockable.

Mike wished to thank Stephen, Terry, and Peter for their efforts last weekend'



Kertrina Riordan
Community

Public Relations:

We continue to receive exposure on Rotary Out West.

Kim is promoting our club on Facebook.

Kwinana Community Fair 2022, Saturday 12th November at Calista Oval,

planning progressing, being promoted on Facebook.

To Aug. 24th 8411 reached, 1297 last 7 days, 566 responses, 27 last 7 days

Membership:

PDG John Iriks is Membership Director

Committee: Bob Thompson, Ed Samut and Eric Blogg.

Still the best option to invite new members, "ask someone"



Peter Schulz
Vocational

Community:

Bread Program, ongoing. All welcome to assist.

RYOK BBQ September 8th 11.30am

Breakfast Club is in need of more assistance, see Mike if you can help.



PP. Max Bird
International

Vocational:

International:

Disaster Aid Australia: latest news, focus on Max.

<https://www.disasteraidaustralia.org.au/>

Youth: Report above.



PP Genevieve Carr
Youth

Visit your club webpage.

<http://www.clubrunner.ca/Portal/Home.aspx?accountid=8106>

or type Kwinana Rotary into 'Search'



Guest Speaker: PP Genevieve Carr
9465 Centurion Chair



How can I support Rotary Foundation?

Global Grants, Polio Plus, Annual Fund, where do these funds come from?
Rotary Foundation, founded in 1917.

Paul Harris Society, what is the PHS?

Donors who elect to give US\$1,000 every year, doing so helps ensure the continued good work of Rotary members.

An important source of funding, 7% of all Rotarians give \$1,000 or more to the Annual Fund, these donors represent about 45% of all Annual Fund giving.

How do I join the Paul Harris Society?

Join online, Complete the brochure, or call the Rotary Support Center.

Choose your designation, set amount and frequency: Month, Quarterly, or Annually.

Enrol online @ www.rotary.org/give



Is the PHS out of your budget? Consider becoming a 'Centurion'

The Rotary Foundation **Centurion Program**.

Program requires a donation to the Annual Fund of US\$100 per year.

Benefits of becoming a Centurion, your contribution is tax deductible

Your contribution goes into the Annual Fund of Rotary International.

You receive a recognition pin.

50% of your contribution comes back to your District after 3 years.

Your contribution earns Paul Harris Credit points for your club.



You have the personal satisfaction of supporting 'Our Charity' The Rotary Foundation

One suggestion is to give via your club, Club forms a 'group' member gives to the club, club then forwards the group form with 1 cheque, each member receives a tax receipt.

A member can also give directly, credit card or direct debit. Register your annual giving with TARFT. (Advise Centurion Chair)

Who else could be invited to join the Paul Harris Society or the Centurion Program?

Family and friends, Business and Professional associates,
Past Rotarians or in fact anyone who may be interested.





Fine Session: Sergeant Cyril Bennett

Stand-in: John Maskell/Greg Williams
Deputy Bill Rowe.



- James: Stand-in sergeant Greg dinged the bell, no response from James!!!
- Pushpa and Brian: Always eager to extract 'foreign money.
- Norm Mc: Just returned from Scotland, sergeant wanted to know who he had to bribe to be let back into Australia?
- Eric: You weren't supposed to be holed up in hospital for a week!!!
- Chris O: Arrived after dinner was served, just made it!!
- Chris O: Fined again because he was last to finish dinner!!
- Genevieve: Does she regard us as 'Guinea pigs?
- Mike N: Had trouble getting into the tip? Not surprised if you were wearing that shirt.
- Mike N: Stephen tells that when one turns-up for a single job on Saturday, it always multiple!!!
- Kertrina: Fined because she usually manages to fly under the radar'

Birthdays and Anniversaries

August 2022

Birthday Congratulations:

- John Iriks 19th
- Grace Obidike 23rd
- Chris Oughton 31st
- Chris Iriks 29th



Wedding Anniversary's

Sam & Lucy 13th 62 years



Club Anniversaries.

- Chris Oughton 1st 18 years
- Stephen Castelli 14th 33 years in Rotary
- Bill Rowe 15th 4 years

Congratulations!

Polio this week

17th August 2022

Wild poliovirus transmission in Afghanistan is currently at its lowest level in history. Fifty-six children were paralysed by wild polio in 2020. In 2021, the number fell to four. This year to date, only one child has been paralysed, giving the country an extraordinary opportunity to end polio. [Read more...](#)

- **Summary of new polioviruses this week:**

- Benin: two cVDPV2 positive environmental samples
- DR Congo: one cVDPV2 positive environmental sample
- Ghana: four cVDPV2 positive environmental samples
- Niger: two cVDPV2 cases and one positive environmental sample
- Nigeria: three cVDPV2 cases and five positive environmental samples
- Yemen: two cVDPV2 cases



Couple of mature Kwinana Rotarians you may recognise





What happened this week in history?



Aug. 21st to Aug. 27th



21st

1841: John Hampton patents venetian blind
1842: The city of Hobart, Tasmania, is founded.
1888: American inventor William Seward Burroughs patents the adding machine
1911: "Mona Lisa" stolen from the Louvre by Vincenzo Perugia; recovered in 1913

22nd

565: St Columba reports seeing monster in Loch Ness
1642: English Civil War begins between Royalists and Parliament
1770: James Cook's expedition lands on the east coast of Australia
1851: Gold fields discovered in Australia

23rd

1541: French explorer Jacques Cartier lands near Quebec City in his third voyage to Canada
1617: 1st one-way streets open (London)
1839: British capture Hong Kong from China
1921: British declare a truce with Irish Nationalists Sinn Féin

24th

1349: 6,000 Jews, blamed for the Black Death Plague, are killed in Mainz
1456: The printing of the Gutenberg Bible is completed
1608: 1st English convoy lands at Surat, India
1891: Thomas Edison patents motion picture camera.

25th

1537: The Honourable Artillery Company, the oldest regiment in the British Army, is formed
1609: Galileo demonstrates his 1st telescope to Venetian lawmakers
1768: Captain James Cook departs from Plymouth, on his first voyage on board the Endeavour
1875: Captain Matthew Webb makes the 1st unassisted swim across the English Channel

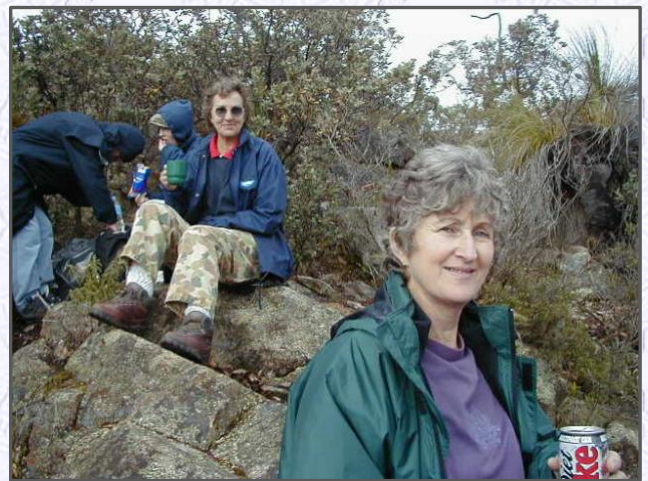
26th

1682: English astronomer Edmond Halley first observes the comet named after him
1843: American inventor Charles Thurber patents a typewriter
1895: Electric generator at Niagara Falls produces first power
1959: British Motor Corporation introduces the Morris Mini-Minor, designed by Alec Issigonis

27th

1783: First hydrogen balloon flight (unmanned); reaches an altitude of 900m
1859: 1st successful oil well drilled, near Titusville, Pennsylvania, by Edwin Drake
1913: Swedish engineer Gideon Sundback of Hoboken applies to patent all-purpose zipper
1918: Spanish flu arrives in Boston, beginning of the second wave and deadliest wave in the US

Blast from the Past
July 22nd 2000 Bush walking near Mount Cooke, Albany Hwy. on a Saturday afternoon



It's my wife's birthday tomorrow, she's been leaving jewellery catalogues all over the house, so I've bought her a magazine rack



PAT'S COURT DAY



Judge: "Where do you work?"
 Pat: "Here and there."
 Judge: "What do you do for a living?"
 Pat: "This and that."
 Judge: "Take him away and lock him up."
 Pat: "Wait; when will I get out?"
 Judge: "Sooner or later."

I JUST SAW A CAR BEING DRIVEN BY A SHEEP IN A SWIMSUIT...

IT WAS A LAMB BIKINI.

(please don't unfriend me)

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	6.45pm for 7.15	Byford Tavern, South W Hwy

Rotary Club of Kwinana
 Contributions welcome: eblogg@bigpond.com