



The Rotary Club of Kwinana

Rotary  District 9423 Western Australia
Chartered: 22 April 1971 

Team 2024-25

President
Terry Evans

Secretary
Genevieve Carr

Treasurer
Karen Zabiela



President Terry

Bulletin

No 7 19/08/2024



Rotary Club of Kwinana is 53 years' old 1971/2024

Facts & Figures

Attendance this week

- Total Members 27
- Apologies 2
- Make-up 2
- Attended 16
- Hon. Member 1
- LOA
- Guests
- Visitors
- Partners

69.2%

Raffle
Terry & Mike

Heads & Tails
Paul

Numbers still a bit light-on this week.

No guest speaker so we watched a video presentation by Rotary International President Stephanie Urchick, presenting her 2024/25 Rotary Theme Address.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4KW5wqdNoO4>

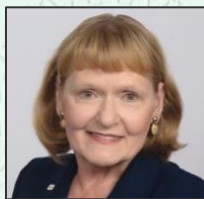
Preparations are underway for the 2024 Kwinana Community Fair to be held on Saturday November 9th, 2024.

Venue booked and paid for; all other associated items booked.

First committee meeting held, minutes and budget estimates issued to committee members by chairman John Iriks.

Bunnings BBQ scheduled this coming Sunday 25th August, Manager Tony very happy with the club member support, has forwarded an email to members detailing the roster. Always a very good fund-raiser for our club, sincere thanks to everyone involved.

Busy Bee will be called for in the near future as the hall grounds are starting to look a bit tatty, the grass/weeds are getting a bit high. President Terry suggests spraying the offending weeds, easier to remove after they're dead.

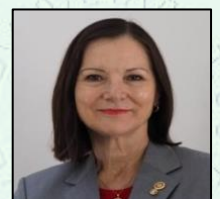


Rotary International President
2024/25
Stephanie Urchick

Rotary Club of McMurray
Pennsylvania USA

District Governor
9423
2024/25

Pat Schraven



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

Visitors welcome
contact us
0417 904 419

August 2024 Membership Month

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| Mon 5 th | Poets Corner | |
| Mon 12 th | Club Meeting | |
| Mon 19 th | Club Meeting | Stephanie Urchick presentation. |
| Sun 25 th | | Bunnings BBQ |
| Mon 26 th | Club Meeting | |

Attendance Officer: **Kertrina** 0401 632 749





Presidents Pen



19th August 2024



We should all be looking forward to another fun day at Sundays Bunnings BBQ. Thanks to all the volunteers and Tony for taking James's mantle so well.

Rotary are calling for nominations for our future DG. Kwinana has a proud history with several past DGs coming from our club. If any current members are interested, details are in the email posted out this week.

World Polio Day is approaching, and Foundation are promoting a movie fundraiser. Again, email forwarded on, and it may be a good social event if there is any interest among our membership and contacts. Please consider and let me know next week.

Furniture shop is going well and growing in its new location. The bread project and breakfast club are moving on nicely. Things are progressing, thanks to the help of the apprentices in Stephen's absence. Hopefully he is having a wonderful time overseas and not sparing us a thought.

Happy 75th to the forgetful birthday man. Trust, he has had a memorable few days.

Terry Evans
President 2024/25



Stephen Castelli

President 2025/26





2023/24

PP Genevieve Carr 19th August 2024



Inward Correspondence.

- City of Kwinana Budget and Rates 2024 – 2025
- NYSF update
- Request for donation from Salvation Army

Outward Correspondence

None

Kwinana Rotary Club, meeting at Rotary Hall, Monday 19th August 2024



Why don't the circus lions eat the clowns?
Because they taste funny!

Why did the golfer wear two pairs of pants?
Just in case he got a hole in one!



2024/25

PDG John Iriks



Applications for the RYPEN camp in September 2024 are OPEN NOW!

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 **13th - 15th September 2024.**

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 as soon as possible.

Applications close 1st September 2024.



2024/25

Rtn. Tony Miller



Bunnings sausage sizzle Sunday 25th August 2024

Thank you to all members and partners who are assisting.

R U OK Day Thursday 12th September 2024 (11am - 2pm)

Kwinana Community Fair, Saturday 9th November 2024



Project Director
Rtn. Tony Miller

Public Relations



Foundation Dir.
PP Max Bird

International



Membership Dir.
PP Edd Samut



Events Manager
PDG John Iriks

Youth



Community
Kertrina Riordan

Members Dues are now due and payable

Membership Dir. Edd recording a radio interview this week.

Foundation Dir' Max, enjoying the sunshine up north.

Preparations underway for Kwinana Community Fair 2024



Treasurer
Karen Zabiela



Fine Session: Sergeant Norm Mulcahy



PP Stephen Castelli
&
PP Greg Williams
stand-in when required.



Deputy



President Terry: Forgot to introduce the Sergeant's session.

Bob C: Held-up the meeting, 'Spending-a-penny'

Eric: Accused of withholding club pamphlets for 18 months.

Mike: Found sitting outside on a comfortable armchair at the Furniture Factory.

Tony: Missed a week, being very unwell.

Pres. Terry: Putting his 'Chain-of-Office on half way through the meeting.

Birthdays and Anniversaries August 2024

Birthday Congratulations:

John Iriks 19th
Chris Oughton 31st



Wedding Anniversaries

Sam Cuplovic & Lucy 13th 64 years



Club Anniversaries:

Stephen Castelli 14th 35 years in Rotary (2 clubs)
Bill Rowe 15th 6 years
Paul Durant 14th 4 years

Congratulations

Polio this week

19th Aug 2024

This week, the GPEI got the greenlight to resume house-to-house vaccination campaigns in Afghanistan which had been halted for over three years. Starting November 8, the campaigns will target over 3.3 million children in parts of the country that were previously inaccessible. [Read more](#) on this positive development.

For many of the women and men who spent their careers fighting polio, retirement offers not rest and relaxation, but a continuation of their life's work towards eradication. Across the Eastern Mediterranean Region, once and forever polio fighters are inspiring the next generation of eradicators with their commitment to the cause, and belief in the benefits of a polio-free future. [Read more](#) in our latest feature story.

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

- Nigeria: 37 cVDPV2 cases and 19 cVDPV2 positive environmental samples
- Senegal: one cVDPV2 case
- Somalia: one cVDPD2 case



I know they say that money talks, but all mine says is 'Goodbye.'

I can't believe I got fired from the calendar factory. All I did was take a day off.

Most people are shocked when they find out how bad I am as an electrician.



What happened this week in history?



Aug 19th to Aug 25th

19th

1692: Five more people hanged for witchcraft (19 in all) in Salem, Massachusetts
1796: Spain & France sign anti-British alliance
1897: 1st electric taxi driven in London
1909: Indianapolis Motor Speedway, home of Indianapolis 500, opens in Speedway, Indiana

20th

1578: Francis Drake renames his flagship the Pelican to the Golden Hind
1641: England & Scotland sign Treaty of Pacification
1866: President Andrew Johnson formally declares US Civil War over
1908: America's Great White Fleet arrives in Sydney, Australia, to be greeted with a tremendous welcome; 221 American sailors desert to remain in Australia

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.

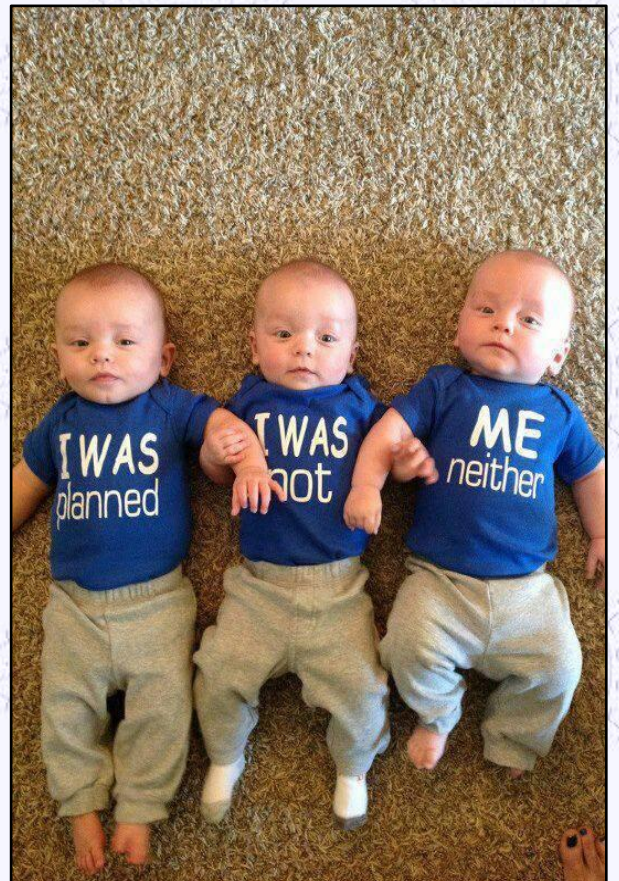
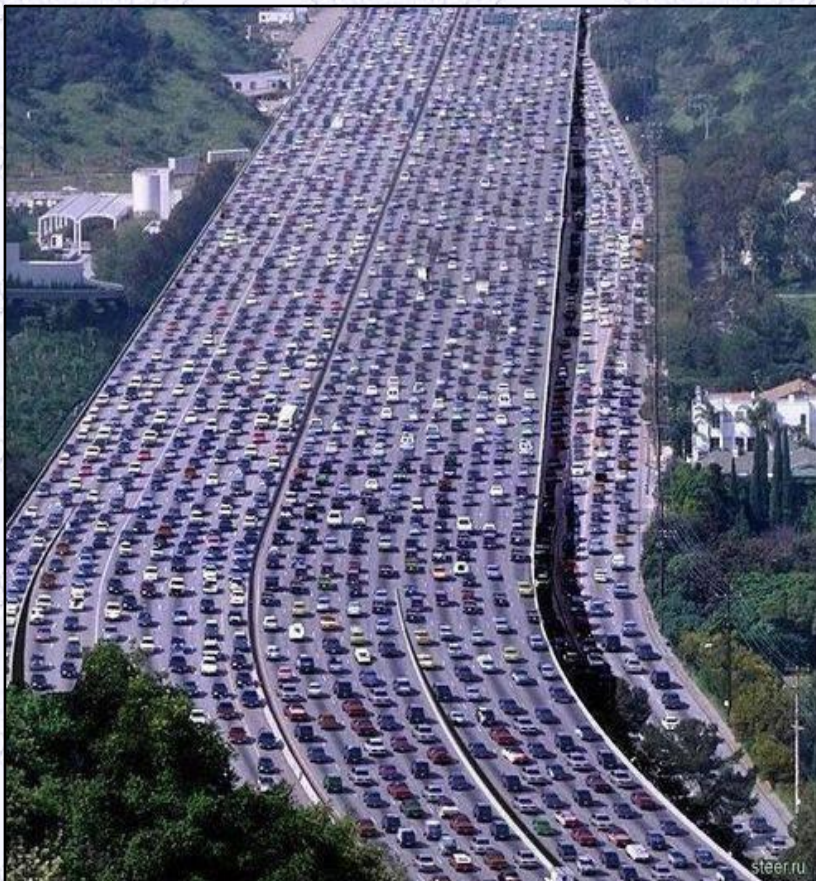
25th

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

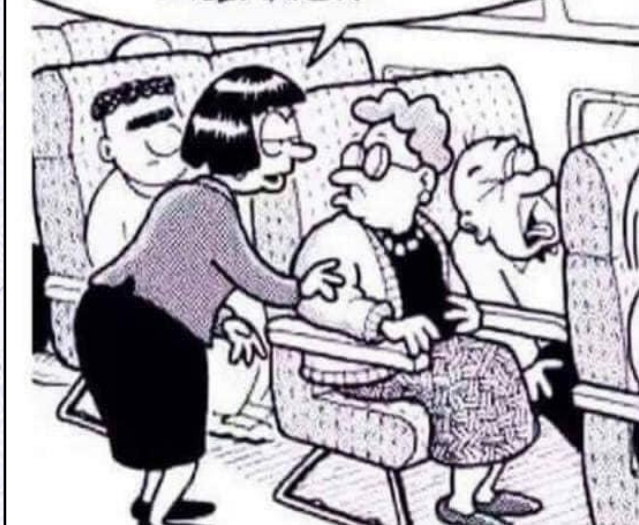
How creative is this artist?



Now that's a 'Traffic Jam'



WHEN WE ASKED YOU TO TURN OFF ALL ELECTRONIC DEVICES, WE DIDN'T MEAN YOUR HUSBAND'S PACEMAKER...



When I was a kid, this was how we made a playlist.



A big fire? At the doctor's surgery?



I'm sorry, we're only doing telephone appointments right now.

Group 9 Rotary Clubs, Meeting Times

Rockingham
Palm beach
Baldivis
Cockburn

Monday 6pm
Wednesday 6.30pm
Tuesday 6.30pm
Wednesday 6pm

Armadale
Mandurah Districts
Pinjarra
Byford & Districts

Tuesday 7pm
Tuesday 6pm
Thursday 6.45pm
Monday 7pm

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Contributions welcome: eblogg@bigpond.com