



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 8 05/09/2022



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

Facts & Figures

Attendance this week

- Total Members** 27
- Apologies** 2
- Make-up** 6
- Attended** 16
- Hon. Member LOA** 3
- Guests**
- Visitors**
- Partners**

91.7%

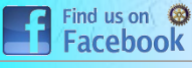
Raffle

Mike & Greg

Heads & Tails

Bob T

STAY SAFE



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

Visitors always welcome

We watched a couple of videos tonight dealing with 'Regionalisation' a project being conducted by Zone 8, 1 of only two regions in the world conducting the exercise, the other being Rotary GB&I.

The rationale is to tailor Rotary to suit the geographical location and not the 'One size fits all' model currently administered from Evanston.

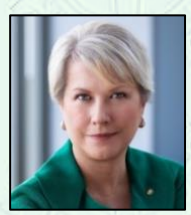
Clubs in Zone 8 are being asked to cast a vote either accepting or rejecting change. Our club voted by a show of hands from those present to support the project.

Rotary International is certainly getting serious about the future and the need to sell Rotary to a younger audience considering the average age of members world-wide is 58 years, while the average age in Australia is 71 years. Our club mirrors that statistic.

In the past 22 years Rotary membership per capita in Australia has halved. So, it's not surprising that Rotary International is in survival mode, let's hope that the current initiatives form the foundation for success.

Next week, September 12th will be a 'Soup Night' by all accounts we have a tempting array of soups lined up, \$25 pp, proceeds to partners night.

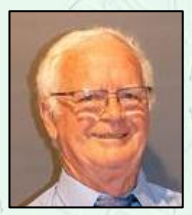
The Queen dies aged 96, I remember watching her coronation in 1953 on our new device called 'Television', aged 10 in Newcastle-Upon-Tyne, England, 2 years before we emigrated to Australia and set-up a home in Medina.



Rotary International President
2022/23
Jennifer E Jones

Rotary Club of Windsor-Roseland
Ontario Canada. 6400

District Governor
9465
2022/23
Ric McDonald



September 2022: Basic Education & Literacy Month Coming Events

Mon 5 th	Club Meeting	Regionalisation	
Mon 12 th	Club Meeting	Soup Night	Partners
Mon 19 th	Club Meeting		
Mon 26 th	Club Meeting		

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





James Sharkey

President's Pen

05th September 2022



Regionalisation Pilot Project

At tonight's meeting we discussed the regionalisation pilot project and whether the Club was in favour of voting for or against the project going ahead.

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 Madeleine 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. More on this after our next board meeting

Club garden Area

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

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

Safety Inspection

Our safety officer Brian Thompson carried out a safety inspection of our hall, grounds and sheds.

Bunning's BBQ

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

James Sharkey
President 2022/23

Meeting at Rotary Hall Monday 5th September 2022





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/> Booked for 30

PP Genevieve Carr

05 September 2022



Inward Correspondence.

- Water bills for Brownell Crescent premises, 1 Gentle Rd
- Synergy Bill
- Message from Brian McCallum expressing thanks to the Club for their support
- Email from David Redpath regarding presentation of Valk Scholarships at Gilmore College
- Reminder regarding the Four Way Test Speech Competition
- Copy of 'Old Flames' audit from David Redpath
- Promotion of Disaster Response from Rotary Foundation
- Rotary Out West

Outward Correspondence None.

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 now only 2 members are unfinancial.

Why is it that when you transport something by car it is called shipment, but when you transport something by ship it's called Cargo?

Why are they called apartments when they are all stuck together?

If flying is so safe, why do they call the airport the terminal?

Why don't sheep shrink when it rains?



2022/23

PP Genevieve Carr



Youth Services Report 05/09/2022

1. Four Way Test Speech Competition
State Final to be held on Thursday 8 September at UWA Club in Crawley from 6-9pm; tickets available through TryBooking
2. RYLA: To be held 7-14 January 2023; looking to sponsor up to two young people aged 18-28 years to attend this event.

Centurion Club/Paul Harris Society

Contact Genevieve if interested. Open to members, partners and friends.

Max currently in East Timor continuing the promise of providing 'clean water'





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.

Grant applied for, needing to lock-in about 80 community stalls.

Kim reports that she now has 66 completed forms.

To Sept 6th 8745 reached, 283 last 7 days, 596 responses, 17 last 7 days



Peter Schulz
Vocational

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"



PP. Max Bird
International

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.

Vocational:

International: Max is currently in East Timor providing 'clean water'

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'



Rotary International is considering establishing a regional governance pilot to address membership, public image, communication, and fundraising challenges to ensure our organisation thrives long into the future.

Creating tomorrow




Regionalisation Project

Should this proceed, in Australia, New Zealand, and the Pacific Islands we have an opportunity to be one of a small number of regions across the globe to pilot this new governance structure, created by RI's Shaping Rotary's Future Committee (SRF)

The vote for Regionalisation is approaching. Every club will have one vote, which will be made by the club President on behalf of the members.

The clubs and districts in our zone will be asked to vote whether they approve participation in a pilot to develop, test and evaluate a new regional approach to supporting and governing Rotary and Rotaract clubs and members in Zone 8 from July 2023 to June 2026.

For more information, go to  <https://creatingtomorrowrotary.org>

From (now):



To (opportunity):

Small local projects connecting through personal contacts for local impact.

Collaboration

Multi district collaboration. Large scale projects. Large scale noticeable and measurable impact. Partnerships.

Local and/or internal audience with limited reach. So, people don't know who we are, what we do.

One voice

External audience. Large scale campaigns. National media. Wide reach. Partnerships.

Local support that's geographically based. Specialist expertise is difficult to access and not readily visible.

Club support

Clubs at the heart. Elected, motivating leadership. Connect clubs through affinity and commonality. Support for new membership models. Access to specialist support and partners.

Duplication of processes. Multiple and independent communications making information difficult to find.

Efficiency and technology

Automation of common processes. Common technology and better use. Ready access to information. Support for small clubs. Reduced costs.

Traditional ways of operating. Too dependent on individuals. Annual turnover of leaders.

Innovation and adaptation

More support for new ideas. More leadership than management/administration. Adapt to new trends of volunteering. Longer term planning and roles.



Fine Session: Sergeant Cyril Bennett

Stand-in: John Maskell/Stephen C
Deputy Bill Rowe.



Dockers paid up for their great win last weekend.

Chris O: Paid because the All Blacks also had a win.

Ed S: For telling the 'Treasurer' 'where to go' and 'how to get there'

Norm Mc: Came along to the bread project last Friday, insisted on using the bread slicer, anything that could go wrong, went wrong.

Norm Mc: Went to the Bowling Club to get Fish & Chips, had a couple of beer's came back without them.

Greg: Insinuating that Terry had not paid for his honey!!!

Greg: Phone call.

Ed: Phone call.

No one noticed that when we did the Loyal Toast tonight, there was a Dockers flag in the mix.

Mike fined Stephen and John: The last three times they took out the truck he asked for it to be filled with fuel, not done!!!

James: Dress code of the week, back to the old days.

Birthdays and Anniversaries September 2022

Birthday Congratulations:

James Sharkey	11 th
Max Bird	18 th
Greg Williams	21 st

Jo Thompson	25 th
Damian Carr	27 th

Wedding Anniversary's

Genevieve & Damian	9 th	22 years
Eric & Gladys	12 th	58 years

Club Anniversaries.

Eric Blogg	1 st	33 years
James Sharkey	22 nd	14 years
Brian Thompson	26 th	6 years

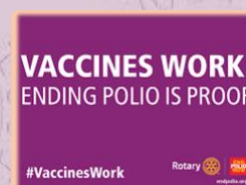


Congratulations!

Polio this week

31st August 2022

- **Pakistan floods:** WHO EMRO has released US\$4 million in emergency funding for Pakistan, while polio teams are supporting disease surveillance for other diseases during the flood emergency. Dr Hamid Jafari, WHO EMRO Director for Polio Eradication, said via his Twitter account: “Heartbreaking sights from Pakistan, as the damage to the lives, livelihoods and health of people requires all of us to come together and provide support. WHO has been activated to provide emergency support to the Government of Pakistan with medical supplies and expertise, and of course our polio workforce is assisting efforts.”
- **[African Ministers of Health Commit to Polio Eradication Efforts:](#)** This year’s detection of imported wild poliovirus in Malawi and Mozambique set off a series of coordinated campaigns across East Africa, as countries acted to swiftly protect their populations and prevent further transmission. On 24 August, in a special side session to the 72nd Meeting of the WHO Regional Committee for Africa in Lomé, Togo, Ministers of Health from these responding committed to improving vaccination campaigns, strengthening disease surveillance and continuing to lead in the rollout of the novel oral polio vaccine (nOPV2), hearing from [Dr. Matshidiso Moeti](#) (Director, WHO AFRO), Dr. Modjirom Ndoutabe (Polio Programme Coordinator, WHO AFRO) and [Chris Elias](#) (Chair, Polio Oversight Board) on what is needed to keep Africa wild polio-free.
- **nOPV2 rollout:** Approximately 450 million doses of nOPV2 have been administered across 22 countries under its WHO Emergency Use Listing (EUL) to date. An additional 16 countries have met the requirements for nOPV2 use in the event of an outbreak. [More information on nOPV2.](#)
- Last week, the Strategic Advisory Group of Experts on immunization (SAGE) Polio Working Group convened at WHO in Geneva, Switzerland, to discuss policy options and will formulate recommendations for endorsement to the upcoming full [SAGE meeting](#), on 3-6 October 2022.
- **Summary of new polioviruses this week:**
 - Pakistan: one WPV1 case and four positive environmental samples
 - Benin: two cVDPV2 cases
 - Chad: four cVDPV2 cases
 - DR Congo: two cVDPV2 cases
 - Ghana: two cVDPV2 positive environmental samples
 - Yemen: 18 cVDPV2 cases





What happened this week in history?



Sept. 4th to Sept. 10th



4th

1609: Navigator Henry Hudson is the first European to discover island of Manhattan
1861: Brit. Advancement of Science proposes standard units of electrical measurement, the Volt
1884: Britain ends its policy of penal transportation to New South Wales in Australia
1888: George Eastman patents the first roll-film camera & registers "Kodak"

5th

1666: Great Fire of London ends, leaving 13,200 houses destroyed and 8 dead
1698: Russian Tsar Peter the Great imposes a tax on beards
1800: Malta surrenders to British after they blockade French troops
1958: 1st colour video recording on magnetic tape presented, Charlotte, North Carolina

6th

1522: Ferdinand Magellan's Spanish expedition returns to Spain. First to circumnavigate the earth.
1880: Commencement of 1st Test Cricket match in England, v Australia at The Oval
1886: Queen Victoria establishes Distinguished Service Order (DSO)
1939: 1st German air attack on Great Britain in WW II

7th

1630: City of Boston, Massachusetts, is founded
1813: "Uncle Sam" 1st used to refer to the US, by Troy Post of New York
1888: Edith Eleanor McLean is 1st baby to be placed in an incubator at Ward's Island, New York
1907: Ocean liner RMS Lusitania begins her maiden voyage sailing from Liverpool to New York

8th

1504: Michelangelo's statue of David is unveiled in Florence
1565: 1st permanent European settlement in the US founded at St. Augustine, Florida
1888: In England the first six Football League matches ever are played
1914: HMS (formerly RMS) Oceanic, sister ship of RMS Titanic, sinks off Scotland
2022: Queen Elizabeth 11 dies aged 96 at Balmoral, Scotland.

9th

1776: Congress officially renames the country the United States of America from United Colonies)
1839: English scientist and astronomer John Herschel takes 1st glass plate photograph
1908: Orville Wright makes 1st 1-hr airplane flight, Fort Myer, Va
1956: Elvis Presley appears on "The Ed Sullivan Show" for the 1st time

10th

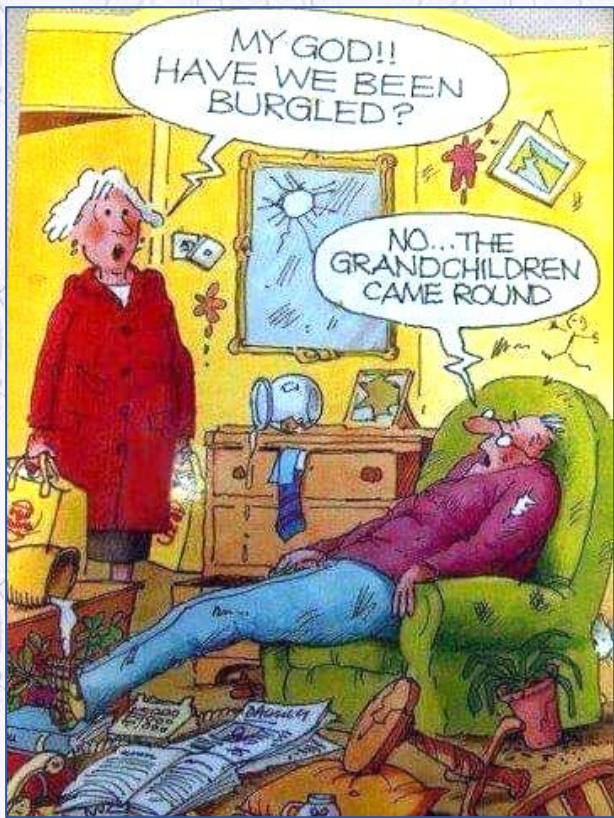
1894: London taxi driver George Smith is the first to be fined for drunk driving
1919: China becomes a member of the League of Nations
1931: Lord Cecil of British government says War was never so improbable
1948: Bradman scores 153 in his last 1st-class cricket innings in England

Blast from the Past
President James assisting in East Timor 2011



**DID YOU KNOW THAT
"DAMMIT I'M MAD"
SPELLED BACKWARDS IS
"DAMMIT I'M MAD"**

**I spend a
large amount of time
wondering if I'm doing
it right. At some point
I just remind myself
that I'm doing my best.
That is enough.**



**I am the captain of my
destiny, I do not abandon
the ship in hard times,
But, I do have sense
enough not to go down
with the ship.**

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	Peel Manor House
Cockburn	Thursday	7.15am for 7.30	Cockburn Bowling & Rec. Club
Byford & Districts	Monday	6.45pm for 7.15	Byford Tavern, South W Hwy

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