



The Rotary Club of Kwinana

District 9465 Western Australia

Chartered: 22 April 1971



Team 2020-21

President
John Iriks

Secretary
Brian McCallum

Treasurer
Stephen Castelli

Facts & Figures

Attendance this week

Total Members	28
Apologies	4
Make-up	
Attended	24
Hon. Member	1
LOA	
Guests	2
Visitors	
Partners	

86.0%

Raffle

Barry W & Brian T

Heads & Tails
Bob T



President John



No 8 24th Aug. 2020



Rotary Opens Opportunities

Rotary Club of Kwinana is in its 50th year 1971/2021

We had the privilege of welcoming two new members tonight with the official induction of Paul Durant and partner Kim Beciri.

PP Wendy Cooper read the induction charge, President John Iriks then presented Paul and Kim with respective paraphernalia.

We await the return of former member Terry Evans who will be re-joining us very soon.

This will take our membership to 29, just 1 short (I believe) of our highest membership number, when we had 30 members in 2004.

The media are in a 'frenzy' about holding the AFL Grand Final in Perth, they can't leave it alone, every news bulletin usually begins with another reason why it should happen, personally I have yet to meet an 'ordinary citizen' who supports the idea, most think it would be a disaster to even contemplate allowing 60 thousand people to attend the venue, having said that I'm sure there are lots that would disagree and come up with many reasons why it would be ok, we'll all know the answer next week.

We will meet at the 'Local' Saturday night for a long-overdue social night out. I believe we have about 30 attending, should be a great evening, thanks to Bob T for organising the fine details.



Rotary International President
2020/21

Holger Knaack

Rotary Club of Herzogtum
Lauenburg-Mölln, Germany

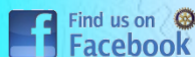
District Governor
9465

2020/21

Colin Burns



STAY SAFE



Meets Monday
6 for 6.30pm

At Rotary Hall

Brownell Crescent, Medina

Visitors always welcome

Attendance Officer:

Greg Williams 0435 083 069

Apologies by Saturday pm please



Coming Events August 2020

Membership and New Club Development Month

August.

Mon 24th Club Meeting Craig Hollywood and Jade Williamson

Sat 26th Social outing to the Kwinana Local for dinner 6pm

Mon 31st Club Meeting





John Iriks

President's Pen



24th Aug. 2020

Congratulations Kim and Paul on your induction, welcome to Rotary.
Many thanks to Bob Cooper and Norm for the tidy up of the gardens this week.
Thanks again to everyone for readily accepting various roles during each meeting.

Enjoy Rotary
John Iriks
President 2020/21



Welcome Paul and Kim to the Rotary Club of Kwinana
President John, Kim, Paul and sponsor PP Mike





Hotel Meal Partner's Night

Don't forget, The Local on Saturday 29 August for 6pm. Should be a good night out for members and partners.

Kwinana Loop Trail Guest Speaker

Arrangements are under way for a guest speaker from the City to come a meeting soon to speak to us on the Kwinana Loop Trail. It has been suggested that the Club take on a project (yet to be identified and adopted) in support of the trail so all the information we can get will help us in our possible project involvement considerations.

Club's Audio Visual Systems Review.

Eric met up with Francis Fragomeni of the audio visual firm 3 Monkeys last week to carry out an inspection of the systems we have in our hall. Eric provided a report on the meeting:

Quote from 3 Monkeys received via email, being evaluated, initial thoughts are that the quote is for a 'Roll Royce' package and does exceed the budget.

Eric to explore 'Plan B'

Defib Cabinet has arrived

The cabinet has arrived and will be installed by Bob Cooper.

See Club's COVID Safety Plan Phase 4 below

Bob Thompson
President Elect/Club Service Director

I've sure gotten old!

I've had two bypass surgeries, a hip replacement, new knees, fought prostate cancer and diabetes; I'm half blind, can't hear anything quieter than a jet engine, take 40 different medications that make me dizzy, winded, and subject to blackouts; have bouts with dementia, poor circulation; I hardly feel my hands and feet anymore; can't remember if I'm 85 or 92 and have lost all my friends.

But, thank God, I still have my driver's licence!

Club's COVID Safety Plan Phase 4

The Club's COVID Safety Plan has been updated for Phase 4 Government specified safety requirements. A copy of the Certificate has been displayed in the Hall.

Latest Government advice; WA's recent low numbers are encouraging, and the WA Government thanks the community for playing their part and taking this seriously. We cannot be complacent and need everyone in WA to stay the course.

This will give us the best chance of protecting every Western Australian.

Based on the latest health advice, Phase 4 of the WA COVID-19 roadmap, has been extended until Friday, 23 October.

The new tentative date for the roll-out of phase 5 will be Saturday, 24 October.

A final decision on whether Phase 5 can proceed on this date or if the date can be brought forward will be decided in October

The be on guard against complacency message is also relevant to our Club.

The Plan sets out obligations on us all to think seriously about and act accordingly.

The main ones are;

- **Persons who feel unwell, who have flu/respiratory symptoms, elevated body temperatures or who have been in contact with persons suspected to have, or who have been diagnosed with COVID-19, are not permitted to enter the Clubhouse.**
- Maintain social distancing
- All Club members and others attending at the Clubhouse are to wash their hands with soap and water **or** are to use an alcohol-based hand sanitiser both on entry to the Hall and before the meeting meal.
- Greeting exchanges should not be by handshake and should be given without physical contact.
- Cashless payments to the Club are to be promoted. Any persons involved in the handling of any money received are to ensure that their hands are washed with soap and water, or an alcohol-based hand sanitiser.
- Cleaning /disinfecting of premises after use.

Our thanks to Bob Cooper for carrying out the cleaning/disinfecting requirements for us. Let us know Bob if assistance is required so that we can arrange it.

Any concerns over our COVID safety plan or our responses to the issued Government safety requirements, please speak to me.

Bob Thompson
President Elect/Club Service Director



PP Brian McCallum



24th August 2020

Inward Correspondence.

Rotary Supplies: Membership Pins for 2 New Members,
Imprint Plastic's: Membership Badges for 2 New Members.

Outward Correspondence. Nil.

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



PP Stephen Castelli



August Birthdays and Anniversaries. August 2020

John Iriks. 19th
Chris Oughton. 31st

Chris Iriks 29th

Congratulations, Sam and Lucy Cuplovic, 60th Anniversary. 13th

Congratulations. Significant Club Anniversaries.

PP Ian Critchley 1st 31 years' service to our Rotary Club
PP Stephen Castelli 14th 31 years' service to Rotary



I feel like my body has gotten totally out of shape, so I got my doctor's permission to join a fitness club and start exercising.
I decided to take an aerobics class for seniors. I bent, twisted, gyrated, jumped up and down, and perspired for an hour...But, by the time I got my leotards on, the class was over.



24th August 2020

The international Committee (RPTLE) is carrying out the following.

1. Global grant GG 2095275 has been submitted to Foundation. We are now waiting on the rotary gods; we should now have a reply very shortly. Still waiting but it is Rotary
2. Brother Adriano has started working on the modifications to one of the two sea containers we have waiting at Don Bosco in Dili work is been funded by the Rotary Club of *Phillip* Island, with the technical students at Don Bosco Comoro carrying out all the work.
3. RPTLE has entered into partnership with the Rotary club of Matilda Bay to replace a broken pump at the orphanage run by Dominican Sisters in Tibar Timor-Leste, Matilda Bay will raise the funds required and RPTLE will manage the project. I now have a problem with the Rotary Club of Morisset also receiving a district grant for the same Project, Will approach Matilda bay to swap to another project
4. Also received request advice and support from District 9550 and the Rotary Club of Dili Lafaek including the Rotaract Club of Manatuto, for a water proposal to Technical Vocational School in Manatuto
5. Arranged DAA as Guest speaker from Melbourne via Zoom proving the Guest speaker does not have to be in the same venue location

Max Bird

An elderly woman decided to prepare her will and told her preacher she had two final requests. First, she wanted to be cremated, and second, she wanted her ashes scattered over Wal-Mart. 'Wal-Mart?' the preacher exclaimed. 'Why Wal-Mart?' 'Then I'll be sure my daughters visit me twice a week'.

THE SENILITY PRAYER:

Grant me the senility to forget the people I never liked anyway, the good fortune to run into the ones I do, and the eyesight to tell the difference.

(Now, I think you're supposed to share this with 5 or 6, maybe 10 others. Oh heck, give it to a bunch of your friends if you can remember who they are!)



Projects Director
PP Mike Nella



PP Max Bird
Foundation Dir.



PDG John Iriks
Membership Dir.



PP James Sharkey
Public Relations Dir.

Project Director's Report.

Bunnings Sausage Sizzles are now not expected to resume till 2021
New format: 5 people, no cash Eftpos only, Bendigo Bank can provide portable Eftpos machine, for a fee.

Thursday 10th September "Are You OK Day" ?

Food Caravan sold for a very reasonable price.

Volunteer work in Jakarta has been stopped due to COVID-19

Many thanks to Stephen, Norm and John I for their assistance.



Rtn. Veronica Burns
Community

Public Relations:

We continue to receive exposure on Rotary Out West.

Please continue to advise James of any stories or activities within our club which may be submitted to the local media.

We received a grant from Madeleine King MP to purchase a Defibrillator
Organising a 'Photo Shoot' to publicise the purchase.

Membership:

President John Iriks is Membership Director this year.

Membership Committee: Lee Davis, Bob Thompson and Eric Blogg.



Rtn Barry Winmar
Vocational

Community:

Bread Program, restarted.

Still looking for more helpers, please come along.

Vocational: No Report

International:

Latest meeting minutes available to view on ClubRunner.

View a complete review of my recent trip to Timor on ClubRunner.



PP. Max Bird
International

Youth:

Application forms for RYPEN and RYLA are open.

RYPEN candidate confirmed.

Contacted last year's RYLA prospect.

RYPEN 11th to 13th September 2020

RYLA. 16th to 23rd. January 2021

PP Wendy commented that there was a move afoot to change the name of HandiCamp, Wendy contemplated that the name was derived by combining 'Lending a Hand' with providing a camp.



PP Genevieve Carr
Youth

Visit your club webpage.

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

or type Kwinana Rotary Club into 'Search'



Guest Speaker:

Craig Hollywood
Jade Williamson



Short Back & Sidewalks

Craig, founded the Short, Back & Sidewalks not-for-profit back in 2015 alongside local barbers Justin Howley and James Howe, from Weston's Barbershop in Perth. I'm originally from Glasgow and have been living in Australia for around 13 years.

What is the concept behind SBSW?

To provide free haircuts for members of the community experiencing homelessness and those at the risk of experiencing homelessness.

Having a fresh haircut is an unaffordable luxury for people struggling to eat on a daily basis or have a safe and warm place to sleep each night. Our service also gives people the opportunity to have some non-judgemental and warm hearted human contact, whether it be with our barber team or volunteers, the ability to have a conversation with another person is something we take for granted, but for some of our clients it's something they may not get to experience all too often.

How does it work?

At the moment we are focusing on being present in venues that are most comfortable for our clients. So for example, our team will notify service providers such as St. Barts House, The Salvation Army, Passages, Uniting Care Australia, RUAH or Kensington Street Transitional Accommodation a few weeks beforehand, and then turn up ready to go.

Our events started back in early 2015, cutting around five clients in car parks around the Perth CBD; however, now that we've become more well known amongst the local street present community and that our clients are now more comfortable and aware of the service we provide, we can expect around 50 – 60 clients at any given cut each month.

How many barbers are involved?

We've gone from having two barbers in the very beginning from Westons to now having a team that consists of around seven or eight different barber shops from Scarbrabarbra, His Lid, Hilly Billy Barber, Uncle Joe's, Dandy Barber Co, Stanford Barber and The Milk Barber.

How do you hope to see it grow?

We hope to get SBSW running in every city across Australia. I've recently moved to Sydney for work and also to start SBSW over here, so this will be the next step.

What benefits do you see your service providing to the community?

Since starting, we've seen so many benefits that our service (alongside loads of other services) is able to provide to the community. We always say that it's the most simple of things that make the largest amount of difference, and for us it's just talking to people and giving folk the opportunity to share their story and to have some positive human connection.

A lot of the things you hear these days surrounding homelessness tends to be negative; however, the clients we meet are quite often some of the most warm hearted, positive people we've spoken to in a while, which really does say a lot.

www.shortbackandsidewalks.com

Kwinana President John Iriks with Jade Williamson and Craig Hollywood
from
Short Back and Sidewalks



The future of SBSW...

- Provide our volunteering team with the ability to have trauma informed coaching to assist during our events.
- Develop the SBSW DIY toolkit and assist communities across Australia.
- Create a chain of not-for-profit hair-cutting stores across Australia.

How can you help?

- Share the story of SBSW with your friends and families
- Tell other Rotary clubs about SBSW
- Volunteer with SBSW
- Join SBSW at our events
- Reach out to me via email or phone to ask how you can assist:
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craig@shortbackandsidewalks.com
0416 321 004





Fines for Monday 24th August 2020

About five members fined for 'No Badge'

Mike N: Had a haircut.

John I: Attendance record.

Question: "Hold the AFL Grand Final in Perth". Majority of members voted: No!

Chris O: Fined for some unrepeatabe remarks.

Greg W: No big notes tonight??

James S: Interrupting PDG Bob C.

Mike N: Helping with the floor replacement in the trailer, came to painting, had a 6 inch paint brush, wouldn't fit into the tin of paint.

Stephen C: Said to be, 'The chalk-line expert.

Mike N: Gave Mike a bag of Saffron seed, looked like 'Marajuarna'

Stephen C: Energetically cutting with a large angle-grinder, absolutely no PPE.



THE MINIMUM

If it's not in your job description, you shouldn't have to do it.



A wheel has been the symbol of Rotary since our earliest days. The first design was made (1905) by Chicago Rotarian Montague Bear, an engraver who drew a simple wagon wheel, with a few lines to show dust and motion. The wheel was said to illustrate "Civilization, Movement and Service work in action." Most of the early clubs had some form of wagon wheel on their publications and letterheads.

In 1922, it was decided that all Rotary clubs should adopt a single design as the exclusive emblem of Rotarians. So, the present gear wheel, with 24 teeth and six spokes was adopted by the "Rotary International Association." The gear teeth around the outside represent the fact that work is to be done. The six spokes represent the inner direction and path of our Vocational Service, through the representation of our membership via the classification system. Similarly, these same spokes represent an outward distribution path of Rotary's ideals of service and the Four Way Test... going out toward the community, vocations and businesses that our members represent.

A group of engineers advised that the geared wheel was mechanically unsound and would not work without a "keyway" in the centre of the gear to attach it to a power shaft. So, in 1923 the keyway was added to signify the wheel was a "worker and not an idler". The keyway in the centre of the hub is of great significance, because it represents the individual Rotarian member, who is the key factor in every club. Quality members are the keys, needed for the hub to engage with the shaft and turn, putting the energy into motion and creating the power for the gears to do their work.

At the 1929 Rotary International Convention, it was determined that blue and gold would be the official colours of the organization, so the wheel was designed with these colours. The four blue bands within the outer radius of the gear represent our four avenues of service. And the design which we now know was formally adopted as the official Rotary International emblem.

In the last few years, Rotary made a conscious decision to switch from the blue/gold legacy Rotary logo to one which explicitly had the Rotary name alongside the Rotary wheel. While the legacy logo did say 'Rotary International' inside the wheel, feedback suggested that this was hard to read. In turn, this meant that Rotary's involvement in projects might not be getting the attention they deserved.

If your Rotary club is still using the blue/gold legacy logo on promotional material, you should start switching to using the new Rotary logo. Clubs should all be using the same logos so Rotary's successes around the world can be associated with each individual Rotary club. This helps potential members have a better idea about what Rotary is when we have a strong and unified brand.

Rotary

Rotary Club of Kwinana Inc.



Polio This Week 19th August 2020

A cVDPV1 outbreak has been detected in Yemen. WHO and UNICEF are supporting local health authorities to plan and launch an effective outbreak response to limit virus spread.

This week the African Regional Certification Committee is anticipated to announce that the African Region has met the required standard to be certified as wild polio free. To mark the occasion, a live stream to the virtual ceremony will be publicly accessible via WHO channels and a dedicated website.

The [18th report of the Independent Monitoring Board](#) has been published on the GPEI website. The report presents an analysis of the current status of eradication efforts and makes recommendations to help accelerate progress toward interruption of wild poliovirus and the absence of all circulating vaccine-derived polioviruses (cVDPVs). The GPEI welcomes the IMB's recommendations, scrutiny and shared commitment to polio eradication, and will continue to work closely with the IMB, polio-affected countries and partners to optimize the polio programme's response.

Dr Ana Elena Chevez has dedicated over twenty years of her life to protecting children from vaccine preventable diseases. In the [latest story](#) in our '[Women Leaders](#)' series, she shares advice for the next generation of women leaders.

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

Afghanistan: three WPV1 cases, one WPV1 positive environmental sample and five cVDPV2 positive environmental samples

Pakistan: two WPV1 cases, two WPV1 positive environmental samples and two cVDPV2 positive environmental samples

Cote d'Ivoire: four cVDPV2 cases

Nigeria: one cVDPV2 case

Somalia: two cVDPV2 cases and four cVDPV2 positive environmental samples

Sudan: two cVDPV2 cases

Yemen: 15 cVDPV1 cases





What happened

In Australia, around the world

this week in history?



August 23rd to August 29th



23rd

- 1617: The first one-way streets are opened in London.
1836: William Hobson, later the first Governor of New Zealand, arrives in New South Wales, Australia.
1899: The first ship-to-shore wireless message is received.

24th

- 79: The ancient city of Pompeii is destroyed as Mt Vesuvius erupts.
1872: Queensland's borders are extended to include Thursday Island and the Torres Strait islands.
1995: Windows 95 is released by Microsoft

25th

- 1793: The first church opens in the penal colony of New South Wales
1909: Long Bay Gaol in Sydney is opened.
1989: Space probe 'Voyager 2' transmits the first ever pictures of Neptune.
2020: Today, the Africa Regional Certification Commission certified the WHO African Region as wild polio-free after four years without a case.

26th

- 1768: James Cook departs Plymouth on the journey during which he sights the east coast of Australia.
1883: The first of four major volcanic explosions occurs on the Indonesian island of Krakatoa.

27th

- 1908: Australian cricketer legend, Sir Donald Bradman, is born.
1979: Lord Louis Mountbatten, uncle of Prince Philip, Duke of Edinburgh, is killed in a bomb blast in Ireland.

28st

- 1894: Paddle steamer, the "Rodney", is burnt by unionist shearers in protest, was used as a strike breaker.
1963: Martin Luther King delivers his famous "I have a dream" speech.
1993: The first of the Australian-designed and built Collins class submarines is launched.

29th

- 28: John the Baptist is beheaded in the first century.
70: Romans begin their destruction of Jerusalem and the Jewish temple.
1866: The first cog railway in the world is demonstrated at Mount Washington in northeast USA.

One day, Bob and Greg went to the Local for dinner.
The waiter brought out two steaks, Bob quickly picked out the bigger steak for himself.
Greg wasn't happy about that: "When are you going to learn to be polite?"
Bob: "If you had the chance to pick first, which one would you pick?"
Greg: "The smaller piece, of course."
Bob: "What are you whinging about then? The smaller piece is what you wanted, right?"

The train was travelling along when a beautiful young woman entered the compartment which was deserted except for a businessman reading his paper.

The man peered over his paper and asked "Would you let me have sex with you for a dollar?"

"Certainly not!" exclaimed the young woman, and the businessman returned to his paper.

A short while later he looked across again and said "Would you let me have sex with you for a million dollars?"

After a brief pause, the woman replied "yes, I suppose I would." Again the man returned to his newspaper.

A few minutes later the man asked "Would you let me have sex with you for five dollars?"

"Certainly not!" replied the young woman, getting angry now "What kind of girl do you take me for?"

"We've already established that" replied the man, "We're just haggling over the price!"

One night, a police officer was staking out a particularly rowdy bar for possible drunk drivers. At closing time he saw a fellow stumble out of the bar, trip on the curb, and try his keys on five different cars before he found his. Then he sat in the front seat fumbling around with his keys for several minutes. Everyone left the bar and drove off. Finally, he started his engine and began to pull away.

The police officer was waiting for him. He stopped the driver, read him his rights and administered a Breathalyzer test. The results showed a reading of 0.0. The puzzled officer demanded to know how that could be.

The driver replied, "Tonight, I'm the designated decoy."

A woman walked into the kitchen to find her husband stalking around with a fly swatter.

"What are you doing?" She asked.

"Hunting Flies" He responded.

"Oh. Killing any?" She asked.

"Yep, 3 males, 2 Females," he replied.

Intrigued, she asked. "How can you tell that?"

He responded, "3 were on a beer can, 2 were on the phone."

Makeup opportunities

Rockingham	Monday	6pm for 6.30	Rockingham RSL Club
Palm beach	Wednesday	6pm for 6.30	Ocean Clipper Inn
Baldivis	1st & 3rd Mon	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

Rotary Club of Kwinana
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