



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

No 10 06/09/2021



SERVE TO CHANGE LIVES

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

Facts & Figures

Attendance this week

Total Members	28
Apologies	
Make-up	2
Attended	20
Hon. Member	1
LOA	2
Guests	2
Visitors	
Partners	9
	84 %

Raffle

Stephen & Eric

Heads & Tails

Natalie R & Bob T

District Governor Pat Schraven along with Assistant Governor Rick Dawson joined us tonight on the official District Governors club visit, DG Pat met with our Board directly before our meeting.

DG Pat's address was supported by a ppt. presentation, at the conclusion Pat showed a prepared video promoting the 9465 2022 Conference to be held at the Garry Holland Centre, Rockingham from March 25-27 2022.

Attendance to District Conferences has been declining over the years, however I would encourage our newer members to consider attending next year's event. The presentations by key-note speakers are always a highlight for me, it's not always about Rotary, most speakers present on topics familiar to all.

All four group clubs are asked to be involved, our Kwinana Club is being requested to manage and co-ordinate the Friday night 'Sundowner' which will be held at the Kwinana Golf Club, meeting have already taken place and some firm ideas are already in place, we as a club are right behind the opportunity to put Kwinana into the forefront of next year's District Conference.

The only uncertain factor of course is COVID, hopefully we will by then have a fully vaccinated community. I must say I'm bewildered by the resistance of some, especially the health care workers and the elderly who are not fronting up to be vaccinated, surely they must realise that when our borders are opened, COVID will be everywhere and our best protection is vaccination, the alternative is frightening.



Rotary International President
2021/22
Shekar Mehta

Rotary Club of
Calcutta- Mahanagar

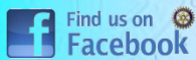
District Governor
9465

2021/22

Pat Schraven



STAY SAFE



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

Visitors always
welcome

September 2021 Basic Education and Literacy Month

Coming Events

September:

Mon 6 th	Club Meeting	DG Pat Schraven official visit.
Mon 13 th	Club Meeting	
Mon 20 th	Club Meeting	
Mon 27 th	Club Meeting	

Attendance Officer:

Paul Durant 0402 794 323
Apologies by Saturday 4 pm please





Bob Thompson



President's Pen

06th September 2021

DG Visit

It is great that we have DG Pat and AG Rick here visiting with us tonight. Such visits serve to remind us that we are not just an isolated local Club serving our local community.

We are a part of a worldwide voluntary service organisation and we have the support, backup and access to the massive well of resources that this member network provides, Internationally, Nationally and at District level.

Bob Thompson
President 2021/22

Official club visit from 9465 District Governor 2021/22
District Governor 9465 2021/22 Pat Schraven with Assistant Governor Rick Dawson,
together with Kwinana President Bob Thompson





President 2022/23

James Sharkey



Club Service Report: 6th September 2021

Attendance Officer

Please put Paul's mobile number in your mobile phone contacts list, **0402 794 323**. Diners apologies for Monday meetings by 4.00pm Saturday please.

Club Social Evening Saturday 11th September 2021

I will be booking a table at the Well Tavern in Wellard for 7.00pm this Saturday evening. My apologies for such short notice but these last minute decisions can often work out really good. Please let me know by Friday 10th September if you or your partner intend joining us.

Proposed Bus 'Day Out' Tour Mid October 2021

Treasurer Stephen and myself are working to arrange a 'Day Out' Bus Tour on Saturday 16th October. We had a winery tour a few years back and it was a very successful day out. Eric has volunteered to be our coach driver, so watch this space!!!!

James Sharkey
President Elect/Club Service Director



PP Max Bird, International 2021/22



The Rotary Projects Timor-Leste East, Committee are carrying out the following.

WE were advised by RAWCS that the recent appeal for Flood Relief in Timor-Leste has raised over \$30,000.00 I will now work with Both the Rotary Clubs of Timor-Leste as to how these monies is to be put to the best use. Spreading it over several projects and several groups within Timor-Leste.

\$10,000 of this money has been allocated to Rotary Projects Timor-Leste East Team and I'm working with the Timorese people as to how do we spent this money on critical food aid in the Baucau District ensuring it goes to those most in need.

This now brings the Total of monies raised by Rotary Projects Timor-Leste east to over \$17,000.00 for critical food aid to the people of Timor-Leste



PP Genevieve Carr



Inward Correspondence.

- District 9465 e Digest
- Promotion of online fundraising platform for Rotary Foundation
- Rotary Marketing information
- Rotary Camp Inspiration notification
- Invitation to Year 6 Graduation Ceremony at Calista Primary School
- Invitation to Youth Directors Zoom Meeting
- Reminder for RYPEN applicants
- Rotary Out West
- Invitations for President Bob Thompson and Vice-President John Iriks to attend Year 12 Valedictory Dinner for Gilmore College

Outward Correspondence.

- Application form for Camp Inspiration camper sent to Activ Industries

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.

**Would the 5 members who have not paid their dues please do so.
Payment Deadline now reached: August end.**

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

Ability to pay by EFTPOS now available at meetings.

Thank you

Birthdays and Anniversaries

September 2021

Congratulations:

James Sharkey. 11th
Max Bird. 18th
Greg Williams. 21st
Jo Thompson. 25th
Damian Carr. 27th

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Wedding Anniversary's

Genevieve and Damian. Sept. 9th 21 years
Eric and Gladys Blogg. Sept. 12th 57 years



Club Anniversaries.

Eric Blogg Sept. 1st 32 years
James Sharkey Sept. 22nd 13 years
Lee Davis Sept. 22nd 7 years
Brian Thompson Sept. 26th 5 years

Congratulations!

DG Pat with AG Rick waiting patiently for dinner





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, really going well
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.
Face Book page being setup for Kwinana Fair.

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"

Vocational

Community:

Bread Program running well, 5 schools now on board.
Still looking for more helpers, please come along.
Kwinana Fair, date set for 13th November 2021 at Calista Oval.
Email address set up to coordinate all correspondence.



PP. Max Bird
International

Vocational:

Looking at several possible vocational visits.

International: see below

Youth:

- **Four Way Test Speaking Competition:** State Final to be held Sunday 19 September, 1.30pm for 2pm start at the Ken Jackman Hall (Darius Wells). Bookings via TryBooking.
- **RYPEN:** Application form sent to District Chairperson
- **Camp Inspiration:** Have a prospective camper at Activ Industries. Application form sent to Activ for completion.



PP Genevieve Carr
Youth



SERVE TO CHANGE LIVES

Pat Schraven
9465 District Governor 2021/22



DG Pat began her address by recognising our traditional owners, followed by acknowledging our Club officers, past District Governors, past presidents etc.

Pat then with the aid of a power-point introduced her District Board.

Outlined the Key Focus Area's which included, increase membership, expand our reach, build connections and overcome resistance to change. "We belong to a service organisation that is held in high regard around the World because Rotary is non-political and non-bias"

Pat then referred to the Rotary International Action Plan: Increase our impact, Expand our reach, Enhance participant engagement, Increase our ability to adapt.

RI President Shekhar Mehta encourages all to do more community service, to help increase membership to 1.3 million within the next 12 months. Shekhar's 'Each One, Bring One' initiative asks every member to bring one person to join Rotary within the next 12 months. District Membership Director John Stockbridge has developed a plan to help and support clubs. Shekhar Mehta also wants us to focus on diversity within our Clubs. Look at the membership of your Clubs; do they truly represent the communities you live in? Diversity of age, gender, professions, race etc.

Over the next few years we will be working more closely with District 9455 as we collaborate in the creation of a new District. Bringing the two Districts together will have some challenges, which we will work together to overcome.

When we bring in new members, let's celebrate and find ways to engage them in our communities, our Clubs, our District and the wider global fellowship of Rotary.

Shekhar Mehta also has a strong focus on empowering girls and ensuring their access to education, resources, services, and opportunities so that future generations of women leaders will have the tools they need to succeed.

We also welcome the addition of the Environment to our areas of focus, so crucial for Rotary to be involved in anything we can do to assist with reducing, recycling, reusing and helping recovery of habitats of threatened wildlife.

Many Clubs in our District are already undertaking environmental projects such as tree planting, protection of birds and native animals, recycling and other such projects. We want to hear more about these projects and we need to do more.

Rotary like all respected organisations has its rules, guidelines and procedures. It is important for all of us to comply and align our behaviour with our moral code, to maintain the integrity and good standing of Rotary International, our organisation, the one that we are so proud to belong to, the one that other organisations want to be associated with because we are trustworthy, reliable and ethically sound.

We encourage all Rotarians to explore the Learning Centre on My Rotary and increase your skills and knowledges of what Rotary does, how we do it and how we can inspire and promote the good work we do. We need to do more.

It up to every Rotarian in this room to reflect on their contribution, explore opportunities to enhance themselves and Rotary and to extend hands of friendship without bias and continue the serve to change lives. Thank You.



Fine Session: Sergeant Cyril Bennett

Stand-in

Deputy Bill Rowe.



Last to arrive: Wendy C.

A few got caught with 'No Badge'

Both Eagles and Dockers fined for missing out on the finals when its hosted by Optus Stadium.

John Iriks and Paul were seen leaving the Kwinana Golf Club by a person who shall remain nameless who tooted his horn at John when he was playing with his phone. He must have thought it was the local constabulary.

Ed! How are you getting home? Someone gave me your car keys, you left them on the bench.

The sergeant fined 'Our Dashing Governor' for wearing too much 'bling' reflecting in the lights.

Fined all those not wearing a tie, then fined all those wearing a tie'

John Wallhead fined for leaving \$10 notes lying around.

Chris O: Still smiling after the 'All Blacks' won yet again.

Mike N: Fined by John M, for not hooking up the safety chain on the truck lift.

Could the two show ponies please stand up, Ed and Stephen featured on the DG's presentation.

Who's phone kept beeping all night? Genevieve owned up.

Comments from DG Pat Schraven to President Bob after her attendance at our meeting.

Thank you so much to you and your Club members for an enjoyable evening.

The Rotary Club of Kwinana sets a benchmark for fellowship and community engagement that others aspire to achieve. Well done to all of you.

(extract from Pat's address on District Changeover night)

"A real highlight for me tonight was the wonderful Wendy Cooper being awarded Rotarian of the Year. I sat in on nearly all of the Handicamp (now Rotary Camp Inspiration) committee meetings and time and time again I was impressed with her leadership, the inspiring "can do" attitude and an energy and vitality that lifted the spirits of those around her. Well-deserved recognition.

Wendy and her fantastic team set a great example of what can be achieved when members from different Clubs, with different skills and talents come together"



I encourage Clubs to seek more opportunities to work together and collaborate to work on projects of impact to enhance the image of Rotary.

Whether big or small clubs, we are much stronger as an entity when we work together towards a common purpose

9465 District Governor's official visit Monday 6th September 2021



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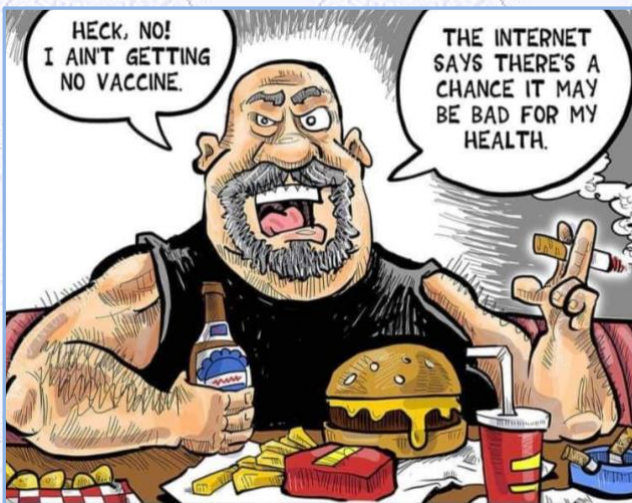


Polio this week

02nd September 2021

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

- Pakistan: one WPV1 positive environmental sample
- Ethiopia: two cVDPV2 cases
- Gambia: four cVDPV2 positive environmental samples
- Liberia: one cVDPV2 positive environmental sample
- Mali: one cVDPV2 case
- Mauritania: two cVDPV2 positive environmental samples
- Niger: one cVDPV2 positive environmental sample
- Nigeria: twenty-three cVDPV2 cases and fifteen cVDPV2 positive environmental samples
- Senegal: two cVDPV2 positive environmental samples
- Sierra Leone: one cVDPV2 case
- Tajikistan: one cVDPV2 case



Pre internet chat room using An old version of windows...



Shops: No Shoes, No Shirt, No Service

People: OK! No Problem

Traffic Laws: Wear a seatbelt in your car or get a ticket

People: OK! No Problem

OSHA: While working in certain places, you must wear safety goggles and safety gear.

People: OK! No Problem

Airlines: You must be seated and wear a seatbelt, with your tray table up when taking off!

People: OK! No Problem

TSA: Before getting on this plane, you need to remove your shoes, your belt, anything from you pockets and go through this x-ray machine.

People: OK! No Problem

Grocery Stores: Please wear a mask while you are shopping to help reduce the risk of infecting other with a potential deadly virus.

People: HOW DARE YOU TAKE AWAY MY PERSONAL LIBERTIES AND RIGHTS!!



What happened this week in history?



Sept. 5th to Sept. 11th



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
1958: 1st colour video recording on magnetic tape presented, Charlotte, North Carolina
1966: Jerry Lewis' 1st Muscular Dystrophy Labor Day telethon raises \$1 million

6th

1522: Ferdinand Magellan's Spanish expedition returns to Spain. First to circumnavigate the earth.
1819: Thomas Blanchard patents lathe
1880: Commencement of 1st Test Cricket in England, v Australia at The Oval
1960: Herb Elliott breaks his own world record winning the 1,500m at the Rome Olympics in 3:35.6

7th

1630: The city of Boston, Massachusetts is founded.
1888: Edith Eleanor McLean is 1st baby to be placed in an incubator, New York
1923: Interpol forms in Vienna
1981: Jerry Lewis' 16th Muscular Dystrophy telethon raises \$31,500,000

8th

1504: Michelangelo's statue of David is unveiled in Florence
1565: 1st permanent European settlement in the US founded at St. Augustine, Florida
1914: HMS (formerly RMS) Oceanic, sister ship of RMS Titanic, sinks off Scotland
1948: British De Havilland DH108-fighter flies faster than sound

9th

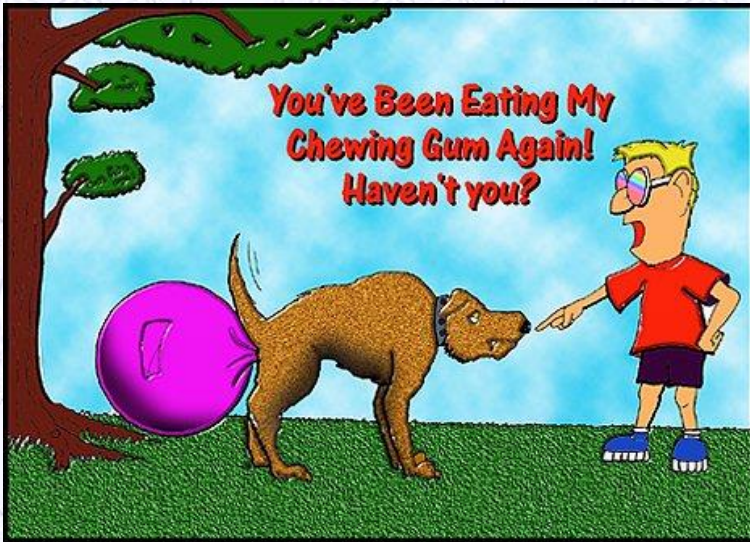
1543: Mary Stuart, at nine months old, is crowned "Queen of Scots"
1753: 1st steam engine arrives in north American colonies
1776: congress officially renames the country as the United States of America (from United Colonies)
1956: Elvis Presley appears on "The Ed Sullivan Show" for the 1st time

10th

1846: Elias Howe takes out a US patent for a lockstitch sewing machine
1894: London taxi driver George Smith is the first to be fined for drunk driving
1940: Buckingham Palace hit by German bomb
1955: "Gunsmoke" premieres on CBS TV

11th

1503: Michelangelo begins sculpting the 12 Apostles for the Cathedral of Florence
1853: 1st electric telegraph used - Merchant's Exchange, San Francisco to Pt Lobos, California
1922: The Herald Sun, Australia's predecessor papers The Sun News-Pictorial is founded.
1946: 1st mobile long-distance car-to-car telephone conversation



The local pool after lockdown



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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