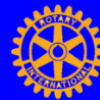




The Rotary Club of Kwinana

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	6
Make-up	1
Attended	21
Hon. Member	1
LOA	
Guests	1
Visitors	
Partners	

74.0%

Raffle
Stephen & Mike

Heads & Tails
Chris O



President John

Bulletin

No 10 07th Sept. 2020



Rotary Opens Opportunities

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

Good meeting tonight, Guest speaker Russell Cox from the City of Kwinana talking on the Kwinana Loop trail, a 21km circuit around the perimeter of the city, pleasing that it takes in the Rotary Wildflower Reserve as part of the layout.

Trialling our PA set-up the last couple of weeks, it's becoming evident that the use of lapel microphones will be the way to go, primarily for our President and guest speakers, hand held mic's just don't cut it for a guest speaker. We are purchasing a second lapel mic, it's a learning curve optimising the equipment we have, huge difference in cost, \$4.3k to so far \$180 inc. 2nd lapel.

Looking for a suitable local venue for our 50 year celebration bash, older members will recall we held our 25th at Alcoa Social Club, our 30th at Casuarina Hall and our 40th at the then brand new Kelly Pavilion on Thomas Oval.

Special congratulations to Genevieve and Damian on their 20th wedding anniversary celebrated on the 9th September, I suppose I should also add that Gladys and I reach our 56th on the 12th Stay safe.



Rotary International President
2020/21

Holger Knaack

Rotary Club of Herzogtum
Lauenburg-Mölln, Germany

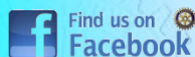
District Governor
9465

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

September.

Mon 7th	Club Meeting.	Russell Cox.	Kwinana Loop Trail
Mon 14th	Club Meeting	Charles Johnson	
Mon 21st			
Mon 28th	No Meeting	Public Holiday	





John Iriks

President's Pen



07th Sept. 2020

President John is in the early stages of planning for our 50th Anniversary in April 2021, John asked that anyone outside the Club Service Committee who would like to be involved in the planning for this milestone event to let him know ASAP.

John has also contacted the City of Kwinana for Venue options to cater for appx. 100 people.

Enjoy Rotary
John Iriks
President 2020/21



The venue and set-up for our 40th bash at The Kelly Pavilion, Thomas Oval, Medina.





Social Partner's Nights Coming Up.

1. We look forward to an Indonesian Theme night for our Club meeting on **Monday night 21 September 2020**.
Greg will be asking you for your attendance numbers so please respond quickly.
2. On **Friday 9 October at the Club Hall**, we will be holding a **John Denver Concert** night. Eric will be arranging for John Denver to entertain us on our big screen. BBQ facilities will be available for you to cook your meat and enjoy a meal prior to the show. More details will be provided closer to the event.
3. On **Saturday 7 November at Norm and Karen's place**, we will be holding a **Blind Wine Tasting** night. Thanks in advance to Norm and Karen for hosting and to Stephen for the organization of the night's wine tasting activities.

Rotary Zone 8 Online Zone Conference

Registrations are open for you to attend the Zone 8 (Aust/NZ/Pacific Islands) online (virtual) conference. It is on Sat 19 and on Sun 20 September, from 9.30am to 11am (Perth time). They have a wonderful array of speakers including our Rotary International President. Registration is free. More info on rotaryzone8@gmail.com or www.rotarydownunder.com.au
I have already registered.

Slasher Mower for Club grounds

Following up on suggestions that the Club buy a slasher mower for our grounds maintenance, quotations have been obtained for Board consideration.

One price from **Coastline Mowers Rockingham** is for a Supa Swift Honda GXV 160 OHV SupaSwift "Big Bob" (love the name!!!) for \$999.

This is an alternative mower from Rockingham Mowers, cost \$599
675EXi Series™ Rover Slasher mower Briggs and Stratton Engine.

Bob Thompson
President Elect/Club Service Director

**Never criticise your wife's faults
It may have been those faults that kept her from getting a better husband**



PP Brian McCallum



07th September 2020

Inward Correspondence.

Outward Correspondence.

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



PP Stephen Castelli



Treasurer Stephen wished to point out to members that the amount we set for club dues this year does not quite cover our commitments to Rotary International and District 9465.

Birthdays and Anniversaries. September 2020

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



Congratulations,	9 th	Genevieve and Damian, 20 years
	12 th	Eric and Gladys, 56 years



Congratulations. Club Anniversaries.

Eric Blogg	1 st	31 years
Lee Davis	22 nd	6 years
James Sharkey	22 nd	12 years
Brian Thompson.	26 th	4 years





7th September 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 and the Rotary of Matilda Bay will now providing all parties are in agreement swap their effort to SOL's 24/7 in Dili, who also require a new pump for their water supply, the Rotary of Matilda Bay will raise the funds required and RPTLE will manage the project on their behalf.
4. Attended the International Zoom meeting arranged by the Rotary Club of Baldivis and found it very informative, The Rotary Clubs represented were Applecross, Ascot, Attadale, Esperance, Kwinana, Melville, Mill Point and of course Baldivis
5. Will be the guest speaker at the Rotary Club of Matilda Bay on Wednesday 9th September
6. Also, on the 9th I will be attending the RAWCS Western Region Board Meeting

Max Bird

There was an old drunkard of Devon,
Who died and ascended to Heaven;
But he cried: 'This is Hades-
There are no naughty ladies,
And the pubs are all shut by eleven

There was a young lady of Lynn,
Who was so uncommonly thin
That when she essayed
To drink lemonade
She slipped through the straw and fell in.



Projects Director
PP Mike Nella



PP Max Bird
Foundation Dir.



PDG John Iriks
Membership Dir.



PP James Sharkey
Public Relations Dir.



Rtn. Veronica Burns
Community



Rtn Barry Winmar
Vocational



PP. Max Bird
International



PP Genevieve Carr
Youth

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" ?
Volunteer work in Jakarta has been stopped due to COVID-19
Many thanks to Stephen, Norm and John I for their assistance.
Multicultural event held at Medina Hall, we provided and cooked 150 sausages.

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.

Community:

Bread Program, restarted.
Still looking for more helpers, please come along.

Vocational:

4 Way Test Speech Contest, February to April 2021, contacting Gilmore College etc.
NAIDOC week November 2020, Community Event planned.

International:

Latest meeting minutes available to view on ClubRunner.
View a complete review of my recent trip to Timor on ClubRunner.

Youth:

Application forms for RYPEN and RYLA are open.
RYPEN candidate confirmed.
RYPEN 11th to 13th September 2020
RYLA. 16th to 23rd. January 2021
Have contacted Activ Rockingham seeking Handicamp attendees.

Visit your club webpage.

<http://www.clubrunner.ca/Portal/Home.aspx?accountid=8106>
or type Kwinana Rotary Club into 'Search'



Guest Speaker: Russell Cox
Community Development Officer, City of Kwinana
The Kwinana Loop Trail



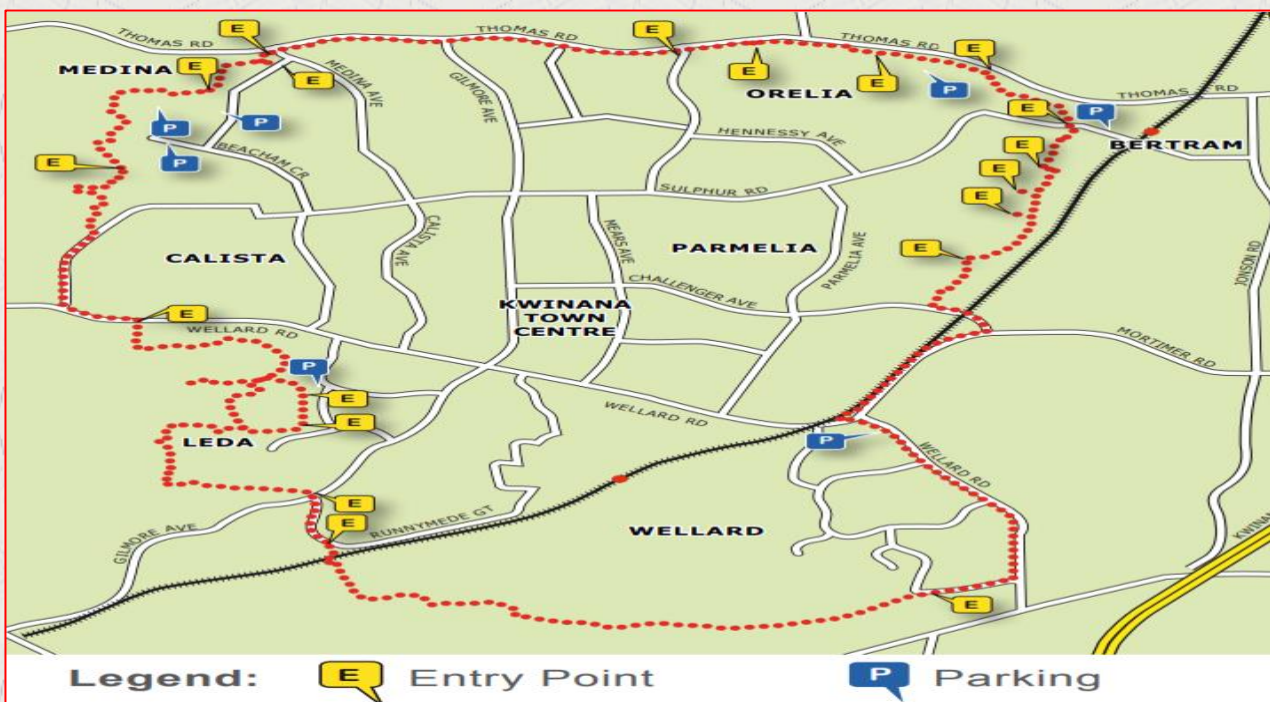
The Kwinana Loop Trail has been developed by the City of Kwinana with funding from Lotterywest. The trail provides a 21km circuit around the perimeter of the city

The Kwinana Loop Trail offers a unique opportunity to take in some of Kwinana's best views while experiencing the beauty of the City's natural coastal bushland. The hills and twists of the Loop Trail make for an exciting ride, a peaceful leisurely walk, and the perfect route for cross country fitness training, complemented by signage and rest stops describing Kwinana's Aboriginal, colonial and industrial history'.

What are the benefits of the Loop Trail?

- Regional focus on the natural environment
- Increased opportunity for bush walking, running, mountain biking , and other nature based activities
- Increased opportunity to experience Nyoongar cultural history and practices
- Increased opportunities for environmental, colonial and industrial cultural and historical interpretive experiences
- Increased opportunities for active citizenship and volunteering experiences
- Increased opportunities to leverage physical and mental health and well-being outcomes for the wider community.

The City has the aspiration to further develop this trail as an attractive metropolitan based option for bush walkers, runners, mountain bikers, and other users.



<https://www.trailhiking.com.au/kwinana-loop-trail/>



Fines for Monday 7th Sept. 2020

Fines were a bit light on tonight.

No Badge: Caught quite a few.

Eagles and the Dockers had to pay up for their wins.

John Iriks: Fined again for getting a plug for Bendigo Bank.

James S: Just a 'tad' late.

Music was sent down a telephone line for the first time in 1876, the year the phone was invented.

Sound travels through water 3 times faster than through air.

A square piece of dry paper cannot be folded in half more than 7 times.

Air becomes liquid at about minus 190 degrees Celsius.

Liquid air looks like water with a bluish tint.

A scientific satellite needs only 250 watts of power, the equivalent used by two light bulbs, to operate.

The thin line of cloud that forms behind an aircraft at high altitudes is called a contrail.

Radio waves travel so much faster than sound waves that a broadcast voice can be heard sooner 18,000 km away than in the back of the room in which it originated.

Industrial hemp contains less than 1% of THC, the psychoactive component of marijuana.

Since space is essentially empty it cannot carry sound. Therefore there is no sound in space, at least not the sort of sound that we are used to.

The Space Shuttle always rolls over after launch to alleviate structural loading, allowing the shuttle to carry more mass into orbit.



Women in Rotary

History of Women in Rotary

Until 1989, the Constitution and Bylaws of Rotary International stated that Rotary club membership was for males only.

In 1978, the Rotary Club of Duarte, California, USA, invited three women to become members. The RI Board withdrew the charter of that club for violation of the RI constitution.

The club brought suit against RI claiming a violation of a state civil rights law that prevents discrimination of any form in business establishments or public accommodations.

The appeals court and the California Supreme Court supported the Duarte position that Rotary could not remove the club's charter merely for inducting women into the club.

The United States Supreme Court upheld the California court indicating that Rotary clubs do have a "business purpose" and are in some ways public-type organizations.

This action in 1987 allowed women to become Rotarians in any jurisdiction having similar "public accommodation" statutes.

In October of 1987, the Rotary Club of Angels-Murphys D5220 inducted three women and in spite of threats to quit Rotary by some of the older male members - none did.

Two of these three women went on to lead the A-M Rotary Club as president and one of those has just completed over two years as charter president of the Angels Camp Centennial Rotary Club (a club which is very proud of its 50% female membership). That president has completed 19 years of perfect attendance.

The RI constitutional change was made at the 1989 Council on Legislation, with a vote to eliminate the "male only" provision for all of Rotary. Since that time, women have become members and leaders of clubs and districts throughout the world.

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

Intelligence is like your underwear
It is important that you have it, but it's not necessary to show it off.

Polio This Week 03rd September 2020

[The Polio Oversight Board \(POB\) released a statement](#) after holding a meeting on 18 August 2020 where they reviewed progress on resumption of vaccination campaigns after the Covid-19 induced pause, program transformation in Pakistan, the increase in circulating Vaccine Derived Polio Virus (cVDPV) outbreaks, and the financial situation.

Professor Rose Leke, an infectious disease specialist, has been the chairperson of the ARCC since it was set up in 1998. A trailblazer for women in global health, Leke has fought throughout her career to improve women's representation in science and global health leadership. [Take a look](#) at her journey in polio eradication and her views on gender and women in science.

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

Afghanistan: Three WPV1 cases, one WPV1 positive environmental sample and 13 cVDPV2 cases

Pakistan: Five WPV1 positive environmental samples and three cVDPV2 positive environmental samples

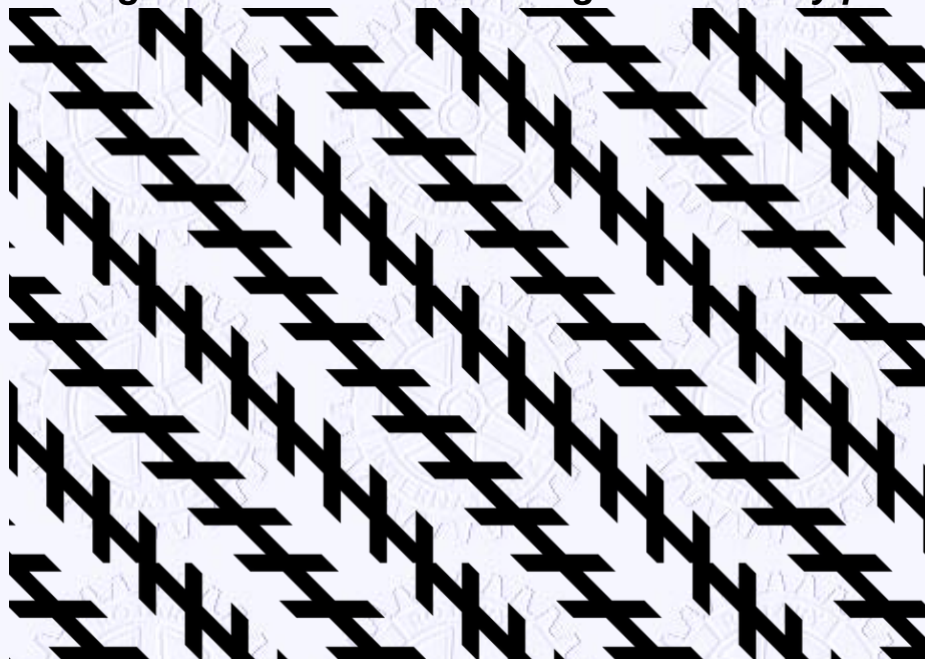
Cameroon: one cVDPV2 positive environmental sample

Chad: three cVDPV2 cases

Democratic Republic of the Congo (DR Congo): one cVDPV2 case



The straight black lines in this image are actually parallel.





What happened

In Australia, around the world

this week in history?



September 6th to September 12th



6th

1620: English emigrants on the pilgrim ship, the Mayflower, depart from Plymouth, England, on their way to the New World in America.

1972: Nine Israeli athletes being held hostage are killed in a bungled rescue attempt during the Munich Olympic Games.

7th

1936: The last known Thylacine, or Tasmanian Tiger, dies.

1940: The German air force begins the 'Blitz' - its intensive bombing campaign on London in WWII

1986: The last section of the sealed National Highway around Australia is completed, between Fitzroy Crossing and Halls Creek.

8th

1854: The handle of the public water pump in Broad St, London is removed in an attempt to end the deadly cholera epidemic.

1900: 8000 are killed when Galveston, Texas, is hit by a powerful hurricane.

9th

1803: The "Lady Nelson" arrives in Van Diemen's Land, now Tasmania, in preparation for the first British settlement.

1839: Darwin Harbour, where the city of Darwin now stands, is discovered and named.

10th

1846: American inventor Elias Howe patents the sewing machine.

1897: The world's first conviction for drunk driving occurs in London.

1906: The first Australian licence plates and drivers licence are issued.

11th

1914: Australian troops land in New Guinea in the first significant Australian action of World War I.

2001: The United States is hit by terrorist attacks on the twin towers, leaving thousands dead.

12th

1854: Australia's first steam train makes its maiden voyage in Melbourne.

1892: Ambulance services commence in Queensland, Australia, the first such service anywhere in the world.

Did you hear about the guy who got hit in the head with a can of Lemonade ?
He was lucky it was a soft drink.

Australian inventions

1897 Differential gears - *David Shearer* of South Australia built a steam car with a differential inside left rear wheel hub.

1900s - The 'Australian Crawl' - For most of human history, humans didn't know how to swim effectively. In the 1900s, Australians invented the Australian Crawl that has since become known as 'overarm' or 'freestyle' swimming stroke.

1902 Notepad -For 500 years, paper had been supplied in loose sheets. *J A Birchall* decided that it would be a good idea to cut the sheets into half, back them with cardboard and glue them together at the top.

1903 Froth flotation process- The process of separating minerals from rock by flotation was developed by *Charles Potter* and *Guillaume Delprat* of New South Wales.

1906 Feature film - The world's first feature length film, *The Story of the Kelly Gang*, was a little over an hour long.

1906 Surf life-saving reel - The first surf life-saving reel in the world was demonstrated at Bondi Beach on 23 December 1906 by its designer *Lester Ormsby*.

1910 Humespun process -The Humespun process was developed by *Walter Hume of Humes Ltd* for making concrete pipes of high strength and low permeability. The process revolutionised pipe manufacture in 1910 and has since been used around the world.

1912 The tank - A South Australian named *Lance de Mole* submitted a proposal, to the British War Office, for a 'chain-rail vehicle which could be easily steered and carry heavy loads over rough ground and trenches'. The British war office liked the idea but then developed the tank themselves without paying royalties.

1913 Automatic totalisator -The world's first automatic totalisator for calculating horse-racing bets was made by *Sir George Julius*.

1917 Aspro - A pain reliever based on aspirin was developed in Melbourne by *George Nicholas*. By 1940 it had become the world's most widely used headache and pain treatment.

Did you know 'I am.' is the shortest complete sentence?

Did you know skiing is the only word with double i?

Did you know dreamt is the only word that ends in mt?

Did you know the names of all continents both start and end with the same letter?

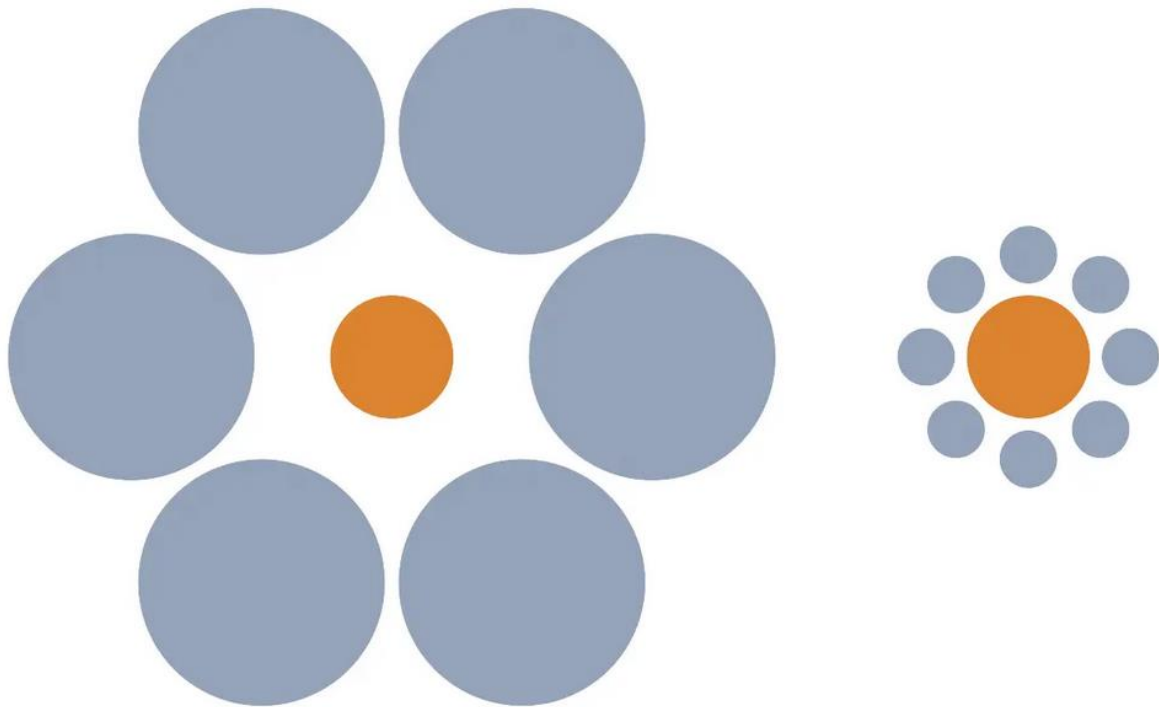
Did you know if you try to say the alphabet without moving your lips or tongue every letter will sound the same?

Did you know macadamia nuts are toxic to dogs?

Did you know Tennessee is bordered by 8 states: Alabama, Arkansas, Georgia, Kentucky, Mississippi, Missouri, North Carolina and Virginia - more than any other in the US?

Did you know honey is the only natural food which never goes off?

The two orange circles in this image are exactly the same size.



The orange circle on the right looks much bigger. [Wikimedia Commons](#)

What's the difference of deer nuts and beer nuts?
Beer nuts are a \$1.75, but deer nut are under a buck.

At what age is it appropriate to tell my dog that he's adopted?

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

Rotary Club of Kwinana
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