



# The Rotary Club of Kwinana Inc.

District 9465 Western Australia  
Chartered: 22 April 1971

**Team 2019-20**

**President  
Wendy Cooper**

**Secretary  
Diane Brown**

**Treasurer  
Bob Cooper**



**President Wendy**

## Bulletin

**No 11 16th Sept. 2019**



**Attendance this week**

<b>Total Members</b>	<b>26</b>
<b>Apologies</b>	<b>4</b>
<b>Make-up</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>Attended</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>Honorary Member</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>LOA</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>Guests</b>	
<b>Visitors</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>Partners</b>	<b>5</b>
	<b>85. %</b>

**Facts & Figures  
Raffle**

**Heads & Tails**

**Birthdays:**

<b>Max B</b>	<b>18th</b>
<b>Mike M</b>	<b>18th .</b>
<b>Greg W</b>	<b>21st</b>

**Anniversary:**

**Club Anniversary:  
James S 11yrs**

**If you had any we hope  
you had a good day**



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

**Visitors always welcome**



Busy few days, Monday a group of members and partners enjoyed a very interesting tour of the Kwinana CBH Grain Terminal arranged by PP Bob Thompson, then 21 members and partners attended a joint Rotary meeting with the Rockingham Club at the RSL Hall Rockingham. Guest Speaker was Judi Lane from the Perkins Medical Research Centre.

CBH Group is Australia's largest co-operative owned and controlled by more than 4000 grain growing businesses, with total assets exceeding A\$2 billion employs about 1100 permanent employees and up to 1800 casual's during the harvest period. They currently receive, store and export around 90% of the Western Australian grain harvest.

In 2016 the Australian Tax Office revealed that despite generating more than \$3.4 billion in revenue in 2013/14 the company paid no tax. This made it Australia's biggest revenue earner not to pay tax in the period under review.

The company is embroiled in a running battle with the ACCC over the way it returns bumper profits to members, in 2017 CBH reported a pre-rebate profit of \$247.6 million on revenue of \$3.47 billion, unburdened by tax obligations paid a record rebate of \$156 million to members representing up to \$12 per ton on grain delivered into its storage and handling network.

Profits in recent years have been significantly lower mainly due to the lower wheat prices despite a record harvest, 2019 saw the Kwinana Zone total of 8 million tonnes delivered, beating the previous record of 7.5 million tonnes set in 2013-14

	<b>Rotary International President 2019/20</b>	<b>District Governor 9465 2019/20</b>	
	<b>Mark Daniel Maloney</b>		<b>Wayne Milnes</b>

**Coming Events August 2019  
Membership and Extension Month**

**Sept 2019**

<b>Mon 16th</b>	Club Meeting.	Joint meeting with Rockingham at RSL Club.
<b>Mon 23rd</b>	Club Meeting.	Guest Speaker: Erin Sargeant, Frank K Centre
<b>Mon 30th</b>	No Meeting	Public Holiday

**Attendance Officer:**

**Greg Williams 0435 083 069**  
Apologies by Saturday pm please





**PRESIDENT  
2019-2020**

**Wendy Cooper**



President's Pen



**16<sup>th</sup> September 2019**

Even though I was unable to join you at Rockingham I have heard that it was a very successful night and the speaker was extremely interesting.

I am typing this while waiting for our plane to New Zealand and have just received this message from President Beth Phillips.

“Hi Wendy

“I received this note of thanks from Judith Lane, our guest speaker from Monday night.”

“Please thank your members for attending. It made a group large enough to please a guest speaker as well as it being really good to keep in close contact with your members.”

This visit followed on the footsteps of our tour of CBH so capably organised by Bob T. Thank you Bob. The number of us that drive past this building always wondering what goes on inside can wonder no more.

At the conclusion a number of us went to support local with a lunch at Bliss Momo's. What started with four then grew at grew. real fellowship opportunity taken and enjoyed.



Last night I hosted a Community Leaders Meeting at the hall. I must apologise for not suggesting other members attend as the staff conducted a “Mastermind” session. The focus was for everyone to participate in generating ideas on how we might increase our membership. I have such a great list of ideas to bring to you, some crazy, out there ideas but some really doable, as a result of some lively discussions. The hall rocked with enthusiasm, laughter and once again great fellowship.

I was given the opportunity to speak briefly on Rotary. I believe all the attendees were pleasantly surprised with our hall and the amazing work Rotary does. The main message from the night was that we don't tell our story in OUR community enough to dispel the rumour we are just old fuddled duddies. More when I get back.





President 2020/21

PE John Iriks



**Club Service report. 16th September 2019**

**Club Service report John Iriks**

- 1 Club Members Matrix updated will develop further in New Year
- 2 Club Service Committee meeting held on Tuesday 13th August 2019 at the hall.

**Decisions:**

- 1 Christmas Meeting to be held 16/12/19 at Bowling Club ( majority decision of members as canvassed)
  - 2 Children's party – looking for committee of volunteers
  - 3 Ngaru Pou Hangi Saturday 26/10/19 \$25 adults \$15 children under 16 at Rotary Grounds
  - 4 Moving to summer meals this month
  - 5 Car rally moved into the early part of 2020
  - 6 Guess who is coming to dinner 2020
  - 7 Progressive dinner 2020
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- 3 Club audit has to be completed by 31st October 2019 to satisfy Charitable Collections Act.
  - 4 Investigate the use of Google Calendars as an alternative to the club calendar. Pending
  - 5 Note for future Club AGM and election of Office Bearers for December.



**Rtn Diane Brown**



Inward Correspondence. No Report

Outward Correspondence.

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



## PDG Bob Cooper



Bills paid, money in the bank.

About half of our members have paid their dues.  
Would like to see the other half 'pay up'

The club Profit & Loss Statements are available for members to view on ClubRunner. See Club Documents.

Members are requested to ensure they contact PP Greg Williams by Sunday am with any apology for the next meeting. We are having to pay for meals ordered for you and not used because of non-attendance.



The CBH Group is Australia's largest co-operative and a leader in the Australian grain industry, with operations extending along the value chain from grain storage, handling, transport, marketing and processing. Owned and controlled by more than 4,000 Western Australian grain growing businesses, the core purpose of the CBH Group is to sustainably create and return value to growers.

Since being established in Western Australia in 1933, CBH has continuously evolved, innovated and grown.

Its storage and handling system currently receives and exports around 90 per cent of the Western Australian grain harvest and is regarded as one of the best in the world.

The CBH Group owns a state-of-the-art rail fleet dedicated to the most efficient transfer of grain from country receival points to its four port terminals.

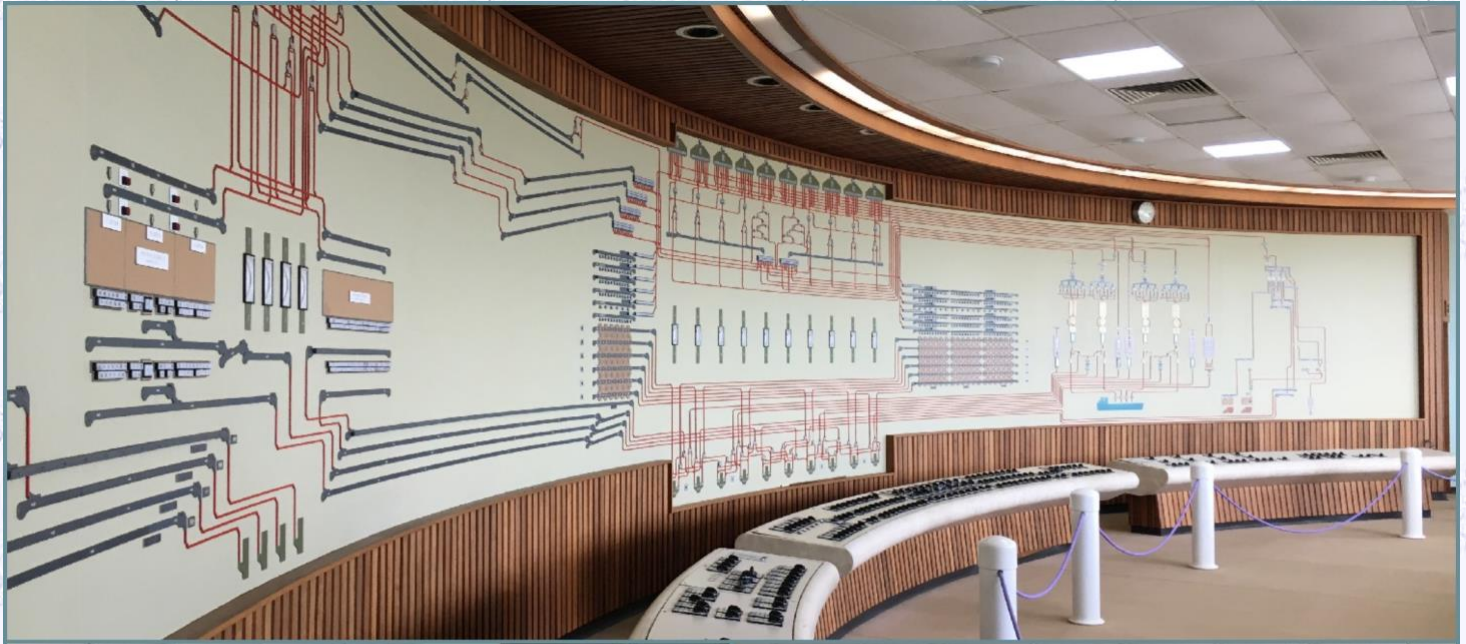
The co-operative's marketing and trading arm is the leading grain acquirer in Western Australia and has operations in eastern Australia, as well as offices in Hong Kong, Tokyo and Russia.

In 2004 CBH bought a 50% stake in Interflour which operates 7 flour mills in Indonesia, Vietnam, Malaysia and Turkey, including a grain port terminal in Vietnam; and Intermalt, a malting house in Vietnam.

In 2016 CBH bought Blue Lake Milling is a leading manufacturer of premium Australian oat products operating in South Australia and Victoria.

The CBH Group has total assets of more than A\$2 billion and employs approximately 1,100 permanent employees and up to 1,800 casual employees during the harvest period from October through to January.

Top picture is the 1970s 'Control Room', as part of the tour we were taken into the present 'Control Room' consisting of two people, plus a number of computer screens. 1 operator controls the entire ship loading process via cameras located at strategic points plus instructions from the jetty. The other operator controls the truck and train unloading and receiving operations.



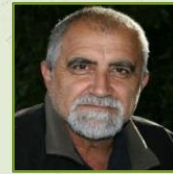




Projects Director  
PP Mike Nella



PP Max Bird  
Foundation Dir.



PP Edd Samut  
Membership Dir.



PP James Sharkey  
Public Relations Dir.

### Project Director's Report.



Rtn. Norm Mulcahy  
Community

Golf Match confirmed for 01/11/2019  
50th Anniversary of Inaugural Kwinana Industries Cup.  
Gentle Road premises now open for business, business steady.  
First Lolly-Run meeting at the COK September 17th  
Next Garage Sale 19th October 2019

### 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 have a number of Bunnings BBQ's scheduled over the next 5 months.  
Thu. Oct 24th, Thu. Nov 28th , Sat. Dec 21st plus Jan TBA



PP Bob Thompson  
Vocational

### Membership:

Ed following up a couple of prospects, working on a 'Friends of Rotary' database.

### Community:

Golf Day Project progressing well, watch this space!!



PP. Max Bird  
International

### Vocational:

Bob T arranged a Vocational Visit to CBH Kwinana Terminal, Monday 16th September 2019 at 11am, great tour enjoyed by members and partners.

Anyone else interested in attending the 2020 Rotary Convention to be held in Honolulu 6th – 11th June 2020. please let me know.

### International:

Plan to hold a Rotary Foundation Function in the not too distant. Latest meeting minutes available to view on ClubRunner.

### Youth:

Youth Exchange, we have an outgoing student, originally going to Japan but now going to Switzerland.  
Actively looking for participants for RYPEN, RYLA and Handicamp.  
Exercise program at Banksia Village still on-going.  
Relay-for-Life, Kwinana. Saturday October 5th 2019  
All welcome, come along and promote Rotary.



PP Genevieve Carr  
Youth

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



**Fine Session: Sgt. Cyril Bennett**

Deputy Bill Rowe.



My apologies, although there was a fine session at the Rockingham meeting I was unable to take notes.

**Polio This Week 12th September 2019**

- The Global Polio Eradication Initiative (GPEI) partners and the United Arab Emirates co-hosted an informal reception as a pre-event ahead of the Polio Pledging Moment in the United Arab Emirates’ -hosted Reaching the Last Mile Forum in Abu Dhabi, in November 2019. The GPEI also presented the 2019-2023 GPEI Investment Case.
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- Environmental poliovirus surveillance supplements surveillance for acute flaccid paralysis (AFP) and plays a very important role in providing evidence of silent transmission of the poliovirus.

Summary of new viruses this week:

Afghanistan — one wild poliovirus type 1 (WPV1) case;

Pakistan— four wild poliovirus type 1 (WPV1) cases and 28 WPV1-positive environmental samples;

Central African Republic (CAR)— two circulating vaccine-derived poliovirus type 2 (cVDPV2) cases and one cVDPV2-positive environmental



**Rotary Club of Kwinana and Ngaru Pou Inc.**

Present a Hangi evening fundraiser to assist the dance group travel to Canberra.

Maori Hangi 3 meats, 3 Veg, stuffing, steam pudding and fried bread  
**Where** Rotary Hall Brownell Crescent Medina

**When** Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> October 2019 4pm till 8pm **Event** Casual dress family event

**Cost** Adults \$25 children under 16 \$15 **Ticket entry**  
Contact Rotary Club of Kwinana John 0417 904 419  
Michael 0419 935 347

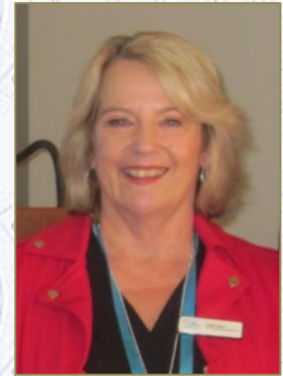




Guest Speaker: Judi Lane, Community Education Manager

Harry Perkins Institute of Medical Research.

Formerly the Western Australian Institute for Medical Research



We heard the story of the Institute - now 21 years old - and of the way in which Judi became involved. In a stunning opening Judi showed photos of four individuals who had all succumbed to cancer in one form or another, and it turned out that these people were her father, her brother, her mother and her husband.

Judi decided that she needed to do more to encourage research into cancers, one of the adult medical conditions that HPMRI focuses on. The others are cardiovascular disease, diabetes, and neuromuscular diseases.

Since 1998, the Perkins has grown to become one of the nation's leading adult medical research centres, where a close knit team of more than 450 research and trial staff work together to defeat the major diseases that impact our community. With two new state-of-the-art research facilities, co-located with the major teaching hospitals, the Perkins is creating a culture of innovation and collaboration to deliver better patient outcomes faster. Through our clinical trials facility, Linear Clinical Research Ltd, we work with medical innovators from around the world to test and optimise pioneering treatments and drugs – innovations with the potential to change and save lives. We believe that when you put world class scientists, doctors and researchers together in modern facilities, purpose built to encourage collaboration, amazing things happen.

The HPMRI operates from buildings at QEII Medical Centre and the Fiona Stanley Precincts, which means the diagnostic laboratories are close to the hospital beds. The aim is to reduce the fatality rates of these adult diseases while researching to find the cures.

The Institute is a registered charity which relies on the people of Perth for its funding and it has five main objectives:

1. to investigate adult diseases;
2. to discover better methods of diagnosis;
3. to improve the bench to bedside experience (by working out of SCG and Fiona Stanley Hospitals);
4. to develop treatments that render diseases non-fatal;
5. to educate all in the Community.



The University of Western Australia, Royal Perth Hospital and Sir Charles Gairdner Hospital were our founding partners and in July 2003, Fremantle Hospital also became a partner.

Our founding sponsor, Wesfarmers, donated \$5 million. Throughout the years we have relied on and been grateful for the support of individuals, companies and organisations.

Since its establishment the Institute has been led by outstanding chairmen and directors.

In October 2013, WAIMR changed its name to the Harry Perkins Institute of Medical Research to honour our inaugural Chairman, Harry Perkins AO.

## ***AFL Season Cancelled!***

### **Newsflash!**

It is likely that the AFL competition will have to be cancelled.

Under the new Anti-Terrorism Laws the Bombers are banned, the new IR legislation rules out the Dockers and the Asian Bird Flu epidemic is wreaking havoc with the Crows, Eagles, Hawks, Magpies and Swans.

Any transfers to the Cats, Lions, Dogs and Tigers must now be quarantined for at least 12 months. Religious vilification laws mean that no one can legally barrack for the Demons or the Saints.

### ***Three Wishes***

This Carlton fan was looking through some old junk when he discovered an old lamp .... he rubbed the lamp and a genie appeared! The genie granted him three wishes on the basis that everything he wished for - Collingwood fans would get double the amount.

Unbearable thought but one he chose to accept. His first wish was for \$1,000,000 and he got it and in return Magpie fans worldwide received \$2,000,000.

His second wish was for a Baywatch Babe hence Maggies got two babes each ....

coming to his last wish he said: "You know, I've always wanted to donate a kidney!"

It was a sunny Saturday morning on the course and I was beginning my pre-shot routine, visualizing my upcoming shot, when a voice came over the clubhouse loudspeaker.

"Would the gentleman on the woman's tee back up to the men's tee please!!"  
I was still deep in my routine, seemingly impervious to the interruption.

Again the announcement, "Would the MAN on the WOMEN'S tee kindly back up to the men's tee." I simply ignored the guy and kept concentrating.

Once more the man yelled, "Would the man on the woman's tee back up to the men's tee, PLEASE!" I finally stopped, turned, looked through the clubhouse window directly at the person with the mike and shouted back,

"Would the person in the clubhouse kindly shut up and let me play my second shot?"

### **Makeup opportunities**

<b>Rockingham</b>	<b>Monday</b>	<b>6pm for 6.30</b>	<b>Rockingham RSL Club</b>
<b>Palm beach</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>6pm for 6.30</b>	<b>Ocean Clipper Inn</b>
<b>Baldivis</b>	<b>1st &amp; 3rd Mon</b>	<b>6.30pm for 7.00</b>	<b>Peel Manor House</b>
<b>Cockburn</b>	<b>Thursday</b>	<b>7.15am for 7.30</b>	<b>Cockburn Seniors Centre</b>
<b>Byford &amp; Districts</b>	<b>Monday</b>	<b>6.15pm for 6.45</b>	<b>Byford Tavern, South W Hwy</b>

**Rotary Club of Kwinana**  
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