



The Rotary Club of Kwinana

District 9465 Western Australia

Chartered: 22 April 1971

Team 2014-15

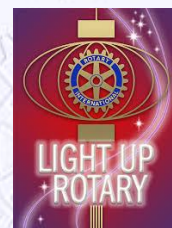
President
Mike Nella
Secretary
Brian McCallum
Treasurer
Bob Cooper



President Mike

Bulletin

No 12 22nd Sept. 2014



Good meeting tonight, Lee Davis was officially inducted and welcomed into our club.

Guest speaker tonight Anthony Ward will tell us about the social and mental problems FIFO workers and their families have to contend with and how counselling can help.

No meeting next week 29th because it's a public holiday here in WA, for the following two weeks PP Genevieve will be preparing your bulletin, my thanks to Genevieve.

PP Chris Oughton is preparing our 'Vision Statement' in line with the recent Club Visioning process we went through, Chris has a 'draft' document available. So that club members can view the progress, the draft statement will be available on our club website pages, see below for directions.

PP Rodger Hamilton hasn't been well lately but is on the mend, best wishes also to PP John Wallhead who has not been feeling the brightest, our thoughts continue to be with Margaret and John Brennan.

Congratulations Jo Thompson who has a 'significant birthday' this week

Attendance this week
Total Members 24
Exempt
Apologies 4
Make-up 3
Attended 17
Honorary Member
Guests
Visitors
Partners
83 %

Facts & Figures
Raffle
Genevieve & James

Heads & Tails
Bob T

Birthdays:
Jo T 25th
Damian C 18th

Anniversary:

Club Anniversary:

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



Rotary International President
Gary C.K. Huang
Rotary Club of Taipei
Taiwan

District Governor 9465

2014/15
Brian Eddy
&
Pamela



Coming Events September 2014 Youth Service Month

Sept. 2014

Mon 29th No Meeting Public Holiday

Oct. 2014

Mon 6th Club Meeting Hat Day
Mon 13th Vocational Visit Darious Library, Admiral dinner
Mon 20th Club Meeting SMYL Community Service
Wed 22nd Board Meeting
Mon 27th Club Meeting Vocational Quiz

The Four-Way Test

Of things we think, say or do.

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it build GOODWILL? and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

Attendance Officer: Greg Williams 9419 5834
Apologies by Saturday pm please

President Mike Nella



President's Pen

Club Meeting 15th September 2014

President Mike welcomed everyone to our meeting, special welcome to Guest Speaker Anthony Ward who will talk to us on FIFO (Fly in-Fly out) workers and the special problems associated with their employment.

Lee Davis will be officially inducted into our club tonight.

President's Car Rally 2014 is being put together by RC Rockingham, promises to be a hi-tech affair, more to come.

Rotaract are running, Hope For Kids International Pot Luck Lunch to be held Sunday 28th September at Rotary Hall. (see flyer)

'Hat Day' is 10th October, we will be taking part by celebrating 'Hat Day' at our meeting on 6th October, bring out all those funny or unusual hats.

GSE 2015, team from Turkey will be here March 2015, team to Turkey will leave April. Anyone wishing to apply for the position of 'Team Leader' applications are open.



It takes both rain and sunshine to make a rainbow.

We make a living by what we get –
we make a life by what we give.

Some succeed because they are destined to.
Most succeed because they are determined to.



Secretary: PP Brian McCallum

Stand-in Secretary Genevieve



Inward Correspondence:

- Rotary Out West
- Request for support from Warnbro Community High School

Outward Correspondence:

- Payment to Rotary Emergency Medical Information Project no. 1285

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



Treasurer: PDG Bob Cooper

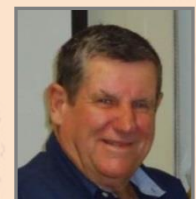


Bills paid, money in the bank

Members' Dues, Bob is happy to tell us that everyone has now paid.



President Elect Max Bird



Some important dates.

Mon 29th	September	No Meeting	Public Holiday
Mon 6th	October	Club Meeting	Hat Day
Sun 12th	October	Wellard Village Markets	
Mon 13th	October	Club Meeting Vocational visit to the Darius Library Dinner at the Admiral	

Club busy bees are being arranged, and team leaders will ask for help. Please assist them to get work done.



**Club Projects Director
PP Ian Critchley**



**PP Bob Thompson
Foundation Dir.**



**PP John Brennan
Membership**



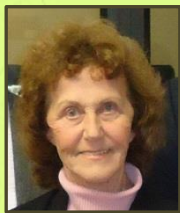
**PDG John Iriks
Community**



**PP Genevieve Carr
Vocational**



**PE Max Bird
International**



**Lorraine Lucas
Youth**



**PP Chris Oughton
Public Relations Dir.**

Project Director's Report.

Grand Final function at our club rooms on Saturday 27th
11am start, drinks and nibbles will be available.

The Wellard Village Markets will be next held on Sunday 12th
October. Depending on stall numbers some repositioning of stalls
will be made onto the hardstand instead of across the road.
Thanks to Errol McDonald who will be looking after 'stall holder
bookings' while Chris is away.

City Square Markets are progressing nicely, traffic management
plan complete, still looking at a November commencement.

East Timor Water Project: Departure date is 25th August 2014
Max, Greg and the team have left, returning 23rd September 2014.
Emails from Max from Timor suggest that everything is going to
plan and the team are progressing well. By the time you read this
Max and Greg will have returned.

Lorraine has two young people to attend RYPEN which will
begin on Friday October 24th

Plans to have at least 5 restaurant meetings during 2014/15
Next one will be Monday 13th October, venue 'The Admiral'

Andy Valk Trust: Contact with our two current recipients, Miriam
and Sara, confirmation of their current status.
So far 8 applications have been received from Gilmore College for
next year's allocations, these have now been assessed and reduced
to two.

PP Chris Oughton is working on our 'Vision Statement'
View the draft document on our website pages.
Please 'log on' to our club website, go to 'home page' then to 'club
pages' on the upper left side, then to 'Club Visioning Process' and view
the draft document, please feel free to make constructive comments or
suggestions, please contact Chris direct with your comments.

Visit your club webpage.

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



Guest Speaker: Anthony Ward
Principal Councillor FIFO Counselling



FIFO Counsellor - Anthony Ward has helped many FIFO (Fly in- Fly Out) workers from Remote Sites in Australia and their FIFO families, lead happier, more productive lives through counselling. His reputation as a FIFO Counselling specialist stems from being a one of the few counsellors in the world to have lived, worked and managed the Mine Camps, now 18 Mine Camps in fact, making him the most capped Mine Camp Manager in Australia. Anthony is able to give insightful understanding to his clients of the challenges faced living the FIFO lifestyle, because he has lived it!

Counsellor Ward frequently fly's out to remote sites in WA, averaging 12 sites a year. When not on remote sites, Anthony works in across practices (Award Counselling) & FIFO Counselling based in Baldivis, Como, Kwinana and Rockingham and Perth, Western Australia. Anthony volunteered on the Sonshine Careline as a Crisis Care Counsellor for 12 years, offers Pro Bono Counselling to those experiencing financial hardship and volunteers as a Committee Member of the Careline Steering Committee and is Treasurer of the Westerly Family Centre.

Anthony also works a Relief Project Manager (Camp / Village Manager) on Remote sites , upon request, where he also utilises his counselling skills to maintain staff and client, social harmony in the mine camp (village). Anthony understands FIFO mine life and the unique pressures it places on workers, FIFO families and the trauma which can be experienced due to non-compliance to OHS standards and being away from home and family.

Anthony Ward has completed most of the mining inductions, tickets, access cards, D&A and medical clearances, needed to gain access to most sites. Anthony graduated from the University of Notre Dame Australia with a Graduate Diploma in Counselling Skills in 2010 and is a qualified minister with a Graduate Diploma in Theology (1996). He has an interest in theology, addictions - drug & alcohol addiction and sex & intimacy and the challenges of FIFO lifestyle. Anthony was recently invited to a Drug & Alcohol Resort in Chiang Mai Thailand (The Cabin) where he learnt about addiction treatment programs.

Counsellor Anthony Ward believes that honesty, faith, staying connected to Family, OHS compliance and a healthy diet and lifestyle are essential components of emotional happiness for FIFO life.

When Anthony is not working, Counsellor Ward likes to read His Bible, Evangelise, walking his Red Dog Rosie, watch classic movies, enjoys social media, collects Classic Mercedes cars, bush walking, practice Wing Chun Kung Fu, and especially spending time at home or on family outings together.

Anthony has an impressive list of qualifications too many to list in detail here, please follow the link to his website to better understand what Anthony has to offer.

Anthony Ward

Principal Counsellor / Relief Mine Village Manager

Dip.Bib.Studies, Grad.Dip.Th., Grad.Dip.Counselling

Cert.IV Small Business Management, Cert.IV in Hospitality Supervision.

http://www.fifocounselling.com/FIFO_Counselling_-_Home.html



Fine Session

Sergeant PP John Wallhead

Stand-in PP Stephen Castelli



First up all the retired people copped a fine because according to Stephen they have all recently been granted a pension increase.

Sam, Mike and Chris are all sporting injuries, Mike has 'gout' Sam has an injured toe and Chris dropped a limestone rock on his ankle.

Sergeant decided to charge members a 'Luxury Car Tax' so Mike M (Merc), Eric B (BMW) pay up, Bob Cooper you can pay up as well I believe you once had a Mercedes car.

Ian C: Pandering to the sergeant, pay up

James and Norm: Pay up for the 'No Vote' in Scotland.

Bob Cooper: Fined for having his head on upside down!!!? The hair should be on your head not your chin.

Mike: Jumped in to be first to choose a number on the raffle ticket.

Wendy C: You must have a 'special relationship' with our current president? Because when James was president you were always here late, now Mike is in the chair you are always here on time.

Eric B: Confessed to the sergeant that he sometimes misses recording fines for the bulletin because sometimes they are rattled off before he can right them down.

Chris and Genevieve: Being last to arrive tonight.

Sam, Wendy and Lorraine: Put their hand up for wearing 'no socks' tonight.

Eric, Bob and Sam Friendless on your side tonight.

Bob T: Sporting a 'head wound' due to an argument with a trestle table, according to Bob??

Chris O: First to the lamb shanks tonight.

Ian and Norm: Heard singing in the kitchen tonight, can't imagine why.

James heard singing in the toilet, what is going on?

Bob C: Running around trying to find out when our first money spinner was bought for insurance purposes, Wendy informs him, think about it who bought it, Me!!!!

Mike: Photo in the paper this week.



We welcomed our latest member Lee Davis to our club

PP Ian Critchley, Lee Davis, VP James Sharkey, President Mike Nella

One box can make all the difference...

Each box is packed at ShelterBox HQ in Cornwall, England. Depending on the location and nature of the disaster the contents of the box may vary but each box typically contains...



At the heart of every ShelterBox is a disaster relief tent for a family of up to 10 people. It is custom made for ShelterBox by Vango, one of the world's leading tent manufacturers, and is designed to withstand extreme temperatures, high winds and heavy rainfall. Internally, each tent has privacy partitions that allow recipients to divide the space as they see fit.

Only new equipment is used and is carefully selected for durability, practicality and suitability for where it is needed. Tough, lightweight and waterproof, the box itself can also have many useful functions from food container to cot. We also continually work with a range of manufacturers to improve the quality and extend the range of equipment that we have available.

A range of equipment is kept in stock. This lets us adjust the contents of the box according to local conditions and what is most urgently needed. Sometimes particularly if other resources are available locally and the overwhelming need is for shelter we will just send tents and pack two in each box.

Each box costs an average of \$1,000 including all materials, packing, storage and distribution to individual recipients worldwide.



**Rockingham/
Kwinana**

HOPE FOR KIDS!

Raising funds for the 06 Ciputat Elementary School in Jakarta

INTERNATIONAL POT LUCK LUNCH!

All Rotarians, Rotaractors, friends and family are welcome to the International Pot Luck Lunch on Sunday 28th September.

Bring a plate, pick the country where the plate is famous, pick the course, entree, main, dessert!

Raffles, Door Prize on entry and a prize for the best plate!

Cost is \$15 per head, doors open at 12:00pm for a 12:30pm start.

Held at the Kwinana Rotary Hall, Brownell Crescent.

All money from this event goes directly to the Hope for Kids joint project with Rotaract Jakarta Metropolitan, raising money to increase the condition and resources of the 06 Ciputat Elementary School in Jakarta.

Bookings can be made here: <http://www.trybooking.com/FURY>

Alternate booking arrangements are to come and can be made upon request.

Need more info?

Christon: 0439 582 643 / christonja@gmail.com

Or <http://rockinghamkwinanarotact.org.au/>

more info to come!!

Mark Twain (1835-1910): 'Age is an issue of mind over matter. If you don't mind, it doesn't matter.'

Bowl for Headspace



IT'S ON AGAIN!!! After the vast success of last year's Bowl for Headspace, The Rockingham / Kwinana Rotaract Club are hosting it again. A day of bowls raising funds in support of Headspace.

Headspace assists young people in the areas of:

General Health

Mental Health and Counselling

Education, Employment and other services

Alcohol and drug related services

All profits from the event will be donated to Headspace Rockingham

Anyone's welcome to come along, feel free to invite friends, family etc.

Tickets are \$20 for the day or \$80 for a team of four.

<http://www.trybooking.com/Booking/BookingEventSummary.aspx?eid=98886>

The event includes:

- Lawn bowls competition (Equipment included, no experience required)
- Free Sausage Sizzle
- Raffles, Games and Prizes!

No experience is necessary, we will demonstrate how to play at the beginning of the day. You can either join as a team (of 4) or as an individual, and we will place you in a team on the day.

For more information please see the following:

Email: bowls@rockinghamkwinanarotaract.org.au

Phone:

Amanda Parr: 0447 112 546

Kim Dawes: 0433 586 481

A customer complaint to the Irish Railway Company. The following is a customer complaint to the Irish Railway Company.

Gentlemen,

I have been riding your trains daily for the last two years, and the service on your line seems to be getting worse every day. I am tired of standing in the aisle all the time on a 14-mile trip. I think the transportation system is worse than that enjoyed by people 2,000 years ago.

Yours truly,
Patrick Finnegan

Dear Mr. Finnegan,

We received your letter with reference to the shortcomings of our service and believe you are somewhat confused in your history. The only mode of transportation 2,000 years ago was by foot.

Sincerely,
Irish Railway Company

Gentlemen,

I am in receipt of your letter, and I think you are the ones who are confused in your history. If you will refer to the Bible and the Book of David, 9th Chapter, you will find that Balaam rode to town on his ass

That... gentlemen, is something I have not been able to do on your train in the last two years!

Yours truly,
Patrick Finnegan.

A woman has to go to Italy for a conference, so her husband drives her to the airport.

"Thank you, honey," she says.

"What would you like me to bring back for you?"

He laughs and says, "An Italian girl!"

When the conference is over, he meets her at the airport and asks, "So, honey, how was the trip?"

"Very good," she replies

."And what happened to my present?" he asks

"Which present?" she says.

"The one I asked for—an Italian girl!"

"Oh, that," she says.

"Well, I did what I could. Now we have to wait nine months to see if it's a girl."

Makeup opportunities

Rockingham:	Monday	6pm for 6.30	Ocean Clipper Inn
Palm beach:	Wednesday	6pm for 6.30	Ocean Clipper Inn
Cockburn	Thursday	7.15am for 7.30	Cockburn Seniors Centre
Fremantle	Wednesday	6pm for 6.30	Villa Roma 9 High Street Fremantle

Rotary Club of Kwinana Inc

Contributions welcome: eblogg@bigpond.com