



**Rotary**  *The Rotary Club of Kwinana Inc.*  
**District 9465 Western Australia**  
 Chartered: 22 April 1971

**Team 2018-19**

**President**  
**Stephen Castelli**

**Secretary**  
**Brian McCallum**

**Treasurer**  
**Bob Cooper**

**Attendance this week**

- Total Members** 28
  - Apologies** 4
  - Make-up** 6
  - Attended** 16
  - Honorary Member** 1
  - LOA** 1
  - Guests** 4
  - Visitors**
  - Partners**
- 81.5%**

**Facts & Figures**  
**Raffle**

**Barry W & Chris O**

**Heads & Tails**  
**Stephen C**

**Birthdays:**

**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**



**President Stephen**

**Bulletin**  
**No 16 22<sup>nd</sup> Oct 2018**



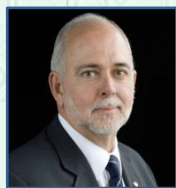
Whilst I was not able to attend Monday's meeting due to Airport duty, PP Genevieve graciously provided me with her notes from the meeting, my sincere thanks Genevieve.

Soup Night went over extremely well I am told with a plentiful and varied supply of home-made soups on offer, thanks to Greg & Marge, Bob & Wendy, Michael Metcalf & Bill Rowe.

Our next club meeting on the 29<sup>th</sup> will be our AGM, members will be asked to ratify and accept our amended Standing Orders. Please take the opportunity to read the amended document available on ClubRunner, ok! It means you have to log-in but hey! It's not that hard.

The Inner Wheel ladies are having a lunch get-together on Melbourne Cup Tuesday, see Wendy's report for details.

Our next community commitment is Sunday 10 am at St Vincents Fete 2018. Members needed for set-up at 9.30am.



**Rotary International President**  
 2018/19

**Barry Rassin**

**District Governor**  
 9465

2018/19

**Robin Yates**



**Coming Events October 2018**

Economic and Community Development Month

**October 2018**

**Sun 28<sup>th</sup>** St. Vincents Fete. 10am on.  
**Mon 29<sup>th</sup>** Club Meeting AGM.

**Nov. 2018**

**Mon 5<sup>th</sup>** Club Meeting 4 Members from Baldivis Club attending.  
**Mon 12<sup>th</sup>** Club Meeting  
**Mon 19<sup>th</sup>** Club Meeting  
**Mon 26<sup>th</sup>** Club Meeting

**Attendance Officer:**  
**Greg Williams 0435 083 069**  
**Apologies by Saturday pm please**





## Stephen Castelli

President's Pen



**22<sup>nd</sup> October 2018**      **President Report**

- Welcome all to our “soup saver” meeting. Many thanks to Greg and Marge Williams, Bob and Wendy Cooper, Mike Metcalf, and Bill Rowe for providing soup.
- Our AGM will be held next week. We will be discussing the financial report and Standing Orders (which are available on ClubRunner).
- On Monday 5 November the Rotary Club of Baldivis is having a “scatter meeting”, where various members will attend other club meetings. Four members of their club will be attending our club meeting.
- On Sunday 2 December we will have our Christmas party at the Kwinana Adventure Park from 9am-12pm. We have contacted Victory for Life church and asked to invite 10 suitable families with children to join us. If anyone has contacts with organisations such as Woolies, etc. to assist with preparing hampers and gift packages for these families it would be much appreciated. Members’ families are welcome. Father Christmas will be appearing!
- On Monday 3 December we will have the District Governor’s visit. There will be a Board Meeting with the DG before the meeting. As per usual, this meeting will be a partners’ night.

**Max, Mick and Tom getting down to the more serious stuff!!**





## President Elect Wendy Cooper



22<sup>nd</sup> October 2018

### Club Service Report

Rotary Club of Baldivis is having a "Scatter Meeting" on Monday 5<sup>th</sup> November. The idea is that their members scatter to other clubs for a visit. In doing so we will be host to 4 of their members on that night. I'm sure they will be warmly welcomed.

The Inner Wheel Club is having a Melbourne Cup Luncheon and is extending an invitation for all Kwinana Rotarians and partners to join them.

Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> November  
Rotary Hall  
11am  
\$5.00 sweep



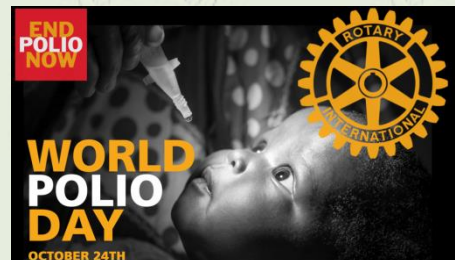
Bring a plate for a combined lunch.

Watch the Race on the big screen.

An attendance list will be sent around the tables on Monday 29<sup>th</sup> October for numbers.

### *Wendy's Weekend Wanderings*

Bowling as mentioned.  
Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> November  
2pm  
Zone Bowling  
Rockingham



## 6<sup>th</sup> Annual World Polio Day 24<sup>th</sup> October 2018

## Rotary and Polio

### **Polio**

Poliomyelitis (polio) is a paralyzing and potentially fatal disease that still threatens children in some parts of the world. The poliovirus invades the nervous system and can cause total paralysis in a matter of hours. It can strike at any age but mainly affects children under five. Polio is incurable, but completely vaccine-preventable.

### **PolioPlus**

In 1985, Rotary launched its program, the first initiative to tackle global polio eradication through the mass vaccination of children. Rotary has contributed more than \$1.8 billion and countless volunteer hours to immunize more than 2.5 billion children in 122 countries. In addition, Rotary's advocacy efforts have played a role in decisions by donor governments to contribute more than \$7.2 billion to the effort.



**PP Brian McCallum**



**Inward Correspondence.**

- E-Mail from James Sharkey. Bunning's BBQ Roster 2019.
- Calista Primary School. Year 6 Graduation Ceremony.
- Medina Primary School. Year 6 Graduation Ceremony.
- Bertram Primary School. Year 6 Graduation Ceremony.
- Letter from Leah Urban. Support for STEM Program 2019.
- Bendigo Bank. A/C
- Bendigo Bank. A/C
- Orelia Primary School. Year 6 Graduation Ceremony.
- North Parmelia Primary School. Year 6 Graduation Ceremony.

**Outward Correspondence.**

Nil

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

Club Invoices have been sent to all members, pleased to reveal that all members are now financial

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

The early bird gets the worm,  
but the second mouse gets  
the cheese.

I used to think I was  
indecisive,  
but now I'm not too sure.



Club Projects Director  
PDG John Iriks



PP Ian Critchley  
Foundation Dir.



PP Edd Samut  
Membership Dir.



PP James Sharkey  
Public Relations Dir.

### Project Director's Report.

#### Foundation:

Some very delicious soups prepared for this evening – including vegetable, pumpkin, lentil, and pea and ham soup. A total of \$390 was raised for the evening, with a further \$284 raised since July through the weekly exercise classes conducted by Genevieve at the Banksia Park Retirement Village.

Bread for this evening's meal were kindly donated by Baker's Delight in Kwinana.



Rtn. Michael Metcalf  
Community

#### Public Relations:

We continue to receive exposure on Rotary Out West.

Next Bunnings Sausage Sizzle will be Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> November.

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



PP Bob Thompson  
Vocational

#### Community:

- The St Vincent's School fete will be taking place on Sunday 28 October. The Rotary club of Kwinana are providing sponsorship by running the chocolate wheel; we will also do a BBQ of gourmet burgers. Volunteers are required from 10am onwards for both activities.
- On Friday 19 October there was a youth rally at St Vincent's Church. Our club was represented by a number of members who cooked and served sausages. Many thanks to Edd Samut, John and Chris Iriks, Matt and Betty White, Genevieve Carr, Bob and Jo Thompson.



PP. Max Bird  
International

#### Vocational:

- Bob T has put together a grant application to assist Leah Urban who is going to NASA next September.

#### International:

**Mike Nella:** Garage Sale held last weekend raised \$850, Work almost finished around the school that we commenced helping at the beginning of the year.

Max and the team still in East Timor continuing their work.



PP Genevieve Carr  
Youth

#### Youth:

- Genevieve expressed thanks to our club for the \$300 contribution towards Relay for Life. Also appealing to any members who may have spare/unwanted tools which could be used to assist a local electrician who recently had his work ute broken into and all tools/equipment (i.e. his livelihood) stolen.

Visit your club webpage.

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

or type Kwinana Rotary Club into 'Search'



**Fine Session: Sgt. Norm Mulcahy**



- All those members who did not assist with the washing up of dishes after the meal!
- Steve – late arrival
- Steve – President’s medal was twisted around the wrong way!
- Steve – date mix-up
- Edd – welcome back!
- Bob Cooper – told not to bring back home any soup
- John Iriks and Mike Nella – chatting outside
- Bill Rowe – no badge
- Chris and Barry – raffle winners
- Steve – “Heads and Tails champion”
- John Iriks – badge upside down
- Norm – slept “top-to-tail” with a mate!!!

### Polio This Week 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2018

24 October 2018 marks this year’s World Polio Day, a global day to raise awareness and resources in support of the polio eradication effort. Rotarians and other partners are reaching out to leaders and communities, to engage them in the effort, through events, fundraisers and social media campaigns.

This high-level commitment to polio eradication and to mobilizing support for the Global Polio Eradication Initiative (GPEI) comes at a crucial time in polio program’s history. At the time of the GPEI’s founding in 1988, polio was endemic in more than 125 countries and paralysed 350 000 children every year. Since then, the GPEI has overseen a 99% reduction in annual cases of polio – down to a historic low of just 22 cases in 2017. Today, only three countries remain endemic to wild poliovirus (WPV) transmission, and the world is closer than ever to being polio-free. The poliovirus has taken refuge in some of the most challenging and dynamic environments in the world.

Bold steps to end polio are needed to adapt to rapidly changing security and access dynamics and to confront challenges in field operations, in conducting surveillance, and in ensuring that good quality data is generated.



A little bit of nostalgia tonight as PP Ed Samut referred to Bulletin No1 2008/09 where at our Change-over Genevieve Carr became our first female President taking over from Bob Cooper and PP Bevan Piper was presented with a PHF.

Kwinana is well represented within Inner Wheel District A40, Western Australia.

Carol Franklin was inducted as Inner Wheel District A40 Chairman and next week Deryl Wallhead will be inducted as Rockingham/Kwinana District Inner Wheel President.

### Paul Harris Fellow Presentation to PP Bevan Piper

The Rotary Club of Kwinana is proud and privileged to have Bevan Piper as one its members.

Bevan spent a lot of years serving in the Australian Army both here and overseas, including active duty in the Korean War. A feature of Bevan's army life was his philosophy to put his hand up and volunteer for any additional training or opportunity to experience something different.

Lucky for Rotary and for the Kwinana community, Bevan still operates on that philosophy. He is always quick to volunteer his time and abilities when the call for volunteers goes out. Bevan and Trish caravanned all over Australia, with Bevan working in a range of vocational areas, including travel agency management. They still travel extensively, not in the old van but on cruise ships now.

Bevan first became involved with Rotary when he went to Harvey to live. He had established a successful cleaning contract business.

One night in 1996, two people who Bevan did not really know knocked on his door and wanted to speak to him. They told him about Rotary and that the Harvey Club wanted him to come along and join them at a meeting. The rest as they say is history.

Bevan was inducted in and very soon after that was catapulted into the Club's International Services Director role. He also served two years as Treasurer, doing the books by hand, the old cash book and ledger method.

In the remainder of his time at Harvey Club (7 years in total), Bevan served as Club President and also as the District Governor's Representative.

Bevan was inducted into the Rotary Club of Kwinana in June 2003.

He has served the Club as International Services Director; New Generations/Youth Director; Attendance Officer, and is a long term manager of the weekly raffles at Club meetings raising funds for such projects as Shelterbox, Cord Blood and for Club Service use.

Bevan's election as President Elect/Club Service Director for 2007/2008 was sadly cut off at the knees when his heart played up. Under Doctor's Orders (and Trish's we suspect) Bevan had to withdraw for awhile till he got back to better health.

Bevan is an outgoing, caring and social person. His commitment to members and to fellowship has earned him being presented with the Club's "Fellowship Award".

As well as being active in Club projects and social events, Bevan has also been active as a Rotary volunteer in a range of District projects, including Shelterbox, Handicamp, Bowelscan, and as recent as the other week in the Tri District Rotary Youth Drivers Project Launch.

Am I allowed to tell everyone here that you recently celebrated your 80<sup>th</sup> birthday Bevan???

It's wonderful to see and an inspiration to those of us not yet up to that big number Bevan that you have so freely given of yourself to your country and community.

And still you continue to do so and live by our Rotary motto, 'Service Above Self'.

It is my pleasure to now ask District Governor Elect Keith Hopkins to present you with a Rotary International Paul Harris Fellow Award.



# St Vincents School Community Fete 28th October 2018

10.30am - 4.30pm  
114 Parmelia Ave, Parmelia

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If you want to get your hands on some super cool stuff, you will want to head to the chocolate wheel .

If you want to try something new make sure you're here for the community drumming circle !!

Want 5 minutes peace ?? Chuck the kids on the H2Oorb balls and let them run it off.

Hungry??? Feed yourselves at all the amazing food vendors ? Need some Christmas shopping done? The market place is for you with so many local stall holders selling beautiful handmade works .





Gladys Blogg, Mayor Carol Adams, Brian De San Miguel and Harry Tebbutt.  
Kwinana's 3 longest serving residents from who attended today's function.



The Lunch was held at the recently refurbished Medina Hall,



A fellow had just been hired as the new CEO of a large high tech corporation. The CEO who was stepping down met with him privately and presented him with three numbered envelopes. "Open these if you run up against a problem you don't think you can solve," he said.

Well, things went along pretty smoothly, but six months later, sales took a downturn and he was really catching a lot of heat. About at his wit's end, he remembered the envelopes. He went to his drawer and took out the first envelope. The message read, "Blame your predecessor."

The new CEO called a press conference and tactfully laid the blame at the feet of the previous CEO. Satisfied with his comments, the press -- and Wall Street -- responded positively, sales began to pick up and the problem was soon behind him.

About a year later, the company was again experiencing a slight dip in sales, combined with serious product problems. Having learned from his previous experience, the CEO quickly opened the second envelope. The message read, "Reorganize." This he did, and the company quickly rebounded.

After several consecutive profitable quarters, the company once again fell on difficult times. The CEO went to his office, closed the door and opened the third envelope. The message said, "Prepare three envelopes."

An airline captain was helping a new blonde flight attendant prepare for her first overnight trip. Upon their arrival, the captain showed the flight attendant the best place for airline personnel to eat, shop and stay overnight.

The next morning as the pilot was preparing the crew for the day's route, he noticed the new stewardess was missing. He knew which room she was in at the hotel and called her up to ask what happened to her.

She answered the phone, crying, and said, "I can't get out of the room!"

"You can't get out of your room?" the captain asked. "Why not?"

She replied, "There are only three doors in here," she sobbed, "one is the bathroom, one is the closet, and one has a sign on it that says 'Do Not Disturb!'"

### Makeup opportunities

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

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