



Team 2018-19

President
Stephen Castelli

Secretary
Brian McCallum

Treasurer
Bob Cooper

Attendance this week

Total Members	28
Apologies	4
Make-up	7
Attended	16
Honorary Member	1
LOA	1
Guests	
Visitors	2
Partners	4
	85.2 %

Facts & Figures
Raffle
Mike N & Greg

Heads & Tails
Gladys B

Birthdays:
Deryl W 4th

Anniversary:

Club Anniversary:
PDG John Iriks 39y
PP Mat White 26y
Rtn Sam Cuplovic 11y

**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 *The Rotary Club of Kwinana Inc.*

District 9465 Western Australia

Chartered: 22 April 1971



President Stephen

Bulletin

No 22 03rd Dec. 2018



Christmas Party at Kwinana Adventure Park went off very well, nice day, plenty of great food and Father Christmas. A number of disadvantaged Kwinana families were very appreciative to be invited along to share in the food and presents provided by our Rotary Club, thanks to PE Wendy and her team for a very successful project.

We welcomed DG Robyn Yates to her official club visit, accompanied by AG Peter Warren. Robyn's bubbly and enthusiastic personality was much appreciated by all. Robyn met with our club board prior to our meeting to better understand our club's aims and objectives.

Congratulations PDG John Iriks who has just clocked up 39 years' service to Rotary and to our community. Having held many District and club positions in that time, Kwinana Club President 84/85 and 89/90, District Governor 04/05, Rotary WA Cord Blood Chairman, District Treasurer, to name just a few. John has made an enormous contribution not only to Rotary but to the Kwinana community through his involvement with Church and Local Government.

Congratulations must also go to PP Matt White for 26 years' service to our club, President 07/08, and to Rtn Sam Cuplovic for his 11 years' service to our Rotary Club.



**Rotary International President
2018/19**

Barry Rassin

**District Governor
9465**

2018/19

Robin Yates



Coming Events December 2018

Disease Prevention & Treatment Month

Dec. 2018

Mon 10 th	Club Meeting	
Mon 17 th	Club Meeting	Dinner at the Kwinana Local.
Mon 24 th	No Meeting	
Mon 31 st	No Meeting	

Attendance Officer:

Greg Williams 0435 083 069
Apologies by Saturday pm please



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Stephen Castelli

President's Pen



03rd December 2018

President Report

- Rotary Club Christmas Party held Sun 02/12 was a success, with lots of oohs and aaahs from the children. Well done to all, and well done by Wendy.
- Don't forget December Wellard Markets Sat 8th of Dec. All hands are required to help on the night (4-9pm).
- Mon 10th of December will be a normal meeting.
- Thurs 13/12 – Bunnings BBQ. Please assist James where you can.
- Thurs 13/12 6pm – Monthly Board Meeting
- Mon 17/12 will be our last meeting for the year. Social night at the Kwinana Local. \$10 Steak Night. Partners welcome. Need firm numbers.
- No meeting 24/12 and no meeting 31/12.
- 1st meeting of 2019 will be Mon 07/01/19
- There will be no Bread pickup on Fri 21/12, nor Wed 26/12, Thurs 27/12 and Fri 28/12. 1st pickup of 2019 will be Wed 02/01

It often needs an open mind to keep one's mouth shut.

If you don't know where you are going you may miss it when you get there.



President Elect Wendy Cooper



03rd Dec. 2018

Club Service Report

There are some very happy and grateful families in Kwinana due to our Christmas Luncheon yesterday. In the words of Max, one of young our guests, "That must have taken a long time to make." as he looked across the table of food. After the gift giving Max thanked everyone that had made something to bring and I would like to add my enormous thanks to everyone as well.

As usual there was an abundance of food and a great variety to choose from. One of the parents has sent me a text expressing appreciation for all that we did yesterday.

Another successful team Rotary project.

I'm not going to single out anyone for the special help that you gave me in preparing except Santa. Wearing his suit on warm days and coming so far to make the event extra special for the little people is a task not many of us would consider, so thanks Santa.

Merry Christmas to each and every one of you.

Bob and I wish you a safe and peaceful festive season full of all the great things in life.

Love, family and laughter.

Wendy

Now I'm going cruising!

A woman walked into the kitchen to find her husband stalking around with a fly swatter.

"What are you doing?" She asked.

"Hunting Flies" He responded.

"Oh. Killing any?" She asked.

"Yep, 3 males, 2 Females," he replied.

Intrigued, she asked. "How can you tell?"

He responded, "3 were on a beer can, 2 were on the phone."



PP Brian McCallum



Inward Correspondence.
Nil

Outward Correspondence.
Nil

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

Why is Christmas just like a day at the office?

You do all the work and the fat guy in the suit gets all the credit.

Why doesn't it matter how often a married man changes his job? He still ends up with the same boss.



PDG Bob Cooper



Bills paid, money in the bank.

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.

I have spent most of my money on women and beer. The rest I just wasted...

The person who has no money is poor;
The person who has nothing but money is poorer still.



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.

Christmas Markets, Saturday 8th December 2018

Lots of music and entertainment, 50 stalls plus a brass band.

New Year Markets will be Saturday 12th January 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.

Next Bunnings Sausage Sizzle Thursday 13th December 2018

Onion monkeys required Wednesday 12th 4pm



Rtn. Michael Metcalf
Community

Membership:

Attended the opening of The Well, Wellard Village, spoke to the manager re an invite to attend a meeting.

Community:

- Permission has been granted finally to allow helpers to ride on the outside of vehicles during the Lolly Run this Christmas. Bagging the lollies, help required from 1pm Dec. 6th at The Darius members and their families invited to help out. 18 teams will be on the road Christmas morning. Australia Day Breakfast 2019 catering for 700.



PP Bob Thompson
Vocational

Vocational:

Awaiting outcome, grant application to assist Leah Urban who is going to NASA next September.

We looked after Traffic Control at the Long Table Dinner, Wellard Village, great event, 6 courses provided by local catering. It did rain quite heavily but it didn't dampen the enthusiasm.



PP. Max Bird
International

International:

The District Governor of District 9550 and I will visit the Albany Port, Mount Barker and Kojonup Rotary Clubs in December / January thanking them for their ongoing support to the Timor programs.

Stop press: Max will be serving District 9465 under DG Wayne Milnes as District Project Director. (Editor)



PP Genevieve Carr
Youth

Youth:

RYLA application completed. Participant secured for HandiCamp 2019

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Fine Session: Sgt. Norm Mulcahy



- Peter W: fined for no tie.
- Stephen C: Still confused!!!
- Eric B: Looking for knives & forks, look on your table??
- Stephen C: Gong sounded for 5 minutes to go, Stephen starts immediately.
- Cyril B: Can't read his own writing.
- Michael M: Was seen on Sunday trying , with little success to open the gate into the Adventure Park, until a little girl intervened to help, see it's easy.
- Stephen found a 'Nose Ring and a glasses case at the Park on Sunday, anyone here own either?

Polio This Week: 27th November 2018

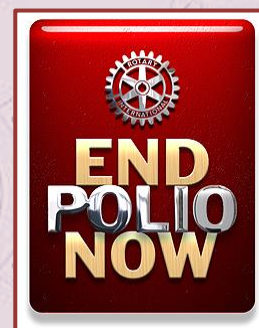
Today, the three countries of focus are Afghanistan, Nigeria and Pakistan as they have never stopped transmission of endemic wild poliovirus.

The countries are working to deliver vaccination services to their people, to carry out sensitive disease surveillance and to cooperate to immunize migrating populations across their common border. GPEI also supports countries that experience or are vulnerable to the rise of vaccine-derived polio viruses (VDPVs), which are rare and only occur when polio vaccination rates are low. When VDPV cases occur, high levels of vaccination, robust surveillance, and rapid outbreak response are critical.

Summary of new viruses this week:

Afghanistan – advance notification of one wild poliovirus type 1 (WPV1) case and six positive WPV 1 environmental samples.

Pakistan – two WPV1 positive environmental samples. Niger – one case of circulating vaccine-derived poliovirus type 2 (cVDPV2).





Guest Speaker: District Governor 9465 2018/19 Robyn Yates



Robyn was born and raised on a farm in Albany, grew up with two brothers and was always a bit of a tomboy, had parents who were willing to put themselves out for others in need without expecting anything in return.

She attended Albany Senior High School where she was School Captain in her final year.

Robin joined the Rotary Club of Collie in 2010, was President 2013/14, Assistant Governor before being nominated for DG 2018/19.

Joining Rotary has allowed her to continue to help others in need and still marvels at how the effects of the simplest act of kindness can last forever.

Robin says Rotary is indeed a phenomenal and unique organisation consisting of members worldwide. There are no boundaries, we have different backgrounds and different cultures, yet we come together as one to better the lives of those in need. Rotary International President, Barry Rassin, has designed the 2018-19 theme logo on this basis-how the oceans and skies connect continents to come together as one. An example of this is the tireless work being undertaken by Rotary to eradicate Polio worldwide. A challenge deemed impossible in the beginning is now so close it's almost unbearable to hear of new cases. As heart breaking as it is, eight new cases in two countries this year is a far cry from the beginning.

As Bill Gates has said "we are aching close to getting rid of Polio: more than 90% of the way. Finishing the job is the big challenge, but it is very doable, if we keep up the effort."

Bill believes in our work and through the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation has an extended the two-for-one funding for another 3 years.

I also believe in this worthy cause, so much that I have chosen to support the world-wide project during my term as District Governor. I would like all Clubs and even individual members, to consider making a donation to continue eradication efforts; don't forget, we need to be Polio free for three years before we can announce that, finally, the world is Polio Free.

To entice your contributions I have decided to do something a little extreme in anticipation of the funds that will be raised. At the District Conference Governor's Gala Dinner in Collie on Saturday 23 March 2019 I will shave my head. I trust this will be an incentive for you to support the Polio eradication programme, which in recent times has suffered a number of set-backs namely in Afghanistan, Nigeria and Pakistan.

Robin encouraged us as a club to strive for a Rotary Citation, promote Rotary, display banners and wear a Rotary shirt on February 23rd

Robyn hopes to see us at her Collie Conference in March 2019



Rotary District 9465 District Governor 2018/19 Robyn Yates with Kwinana President Stephen Castelli



DG Robyn Yates with Assistant Governor Peter Warren and President Stephen



Kwinana Rotary Club Christmas Party for disadvantaged families.
Held at the Kwinana Adventure Park on December 02nd 2018



We are all part of the ultimate statistic -- ten out of ten die.

Father Norton woke up Sunday morning and, realizing it was an exceptionally beautiful and sunny early spring day, decided he just had to play golf. So he told the Associate Priest that he was feeling sick and persuaded him to say Mass for him that day.

As soon as the Associate Priest left the room, Father Norton headed out of town to a golf course about forty miles away. This way he knew he wouldn't accidentally meet anyone he knew from his parish.

When he arrived at the first tee, he was alone; after all, it was Sunday morning and everyone else was in church!

At about this same time, Saint Peter leaned over to the Lord while looking down from the heavens and exclaimed, "You're not going to let him get away with this, are you?"

The Lord sighed, and said, "No, I guess not."

Just then, Father Norton hit the ball. It shot straight towards the pin, dropping just short of it, rolled up and fell into the hole. IT WAS A 420-YARD HOLE IN ONE!

St. Peter was astonished. He looked at the Lord and asked, "Why did you let him do that?"

The Lord smiled and replied, "Who's he going to tell?"

A hole has been found in the nudist camp wall. The police are looking into it.

Time flies like an arrow. Fruit flies like a banana.

Atheism is a non-prophet organization.

Two hats were hanging on a hat rack in the hallway. One hat said to the other: 'You stay here; I'll go on a head.'

I wondered why the baseball kept getting bigger. Then it hit me.

A sign on the lawn at a drug rehab center said: 'Keep off the Grass.'

The midget fortune-teller who escaped from prison was a small medium at large.

The soldier who survived mustard gas and pepper spray is now a seasoned veteran.

A backward poet writes inverse.

Makeup opportunities

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