



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 23 16th Dec. 2019



Attendance this week

Total Members	27
Apologies	3
Make-up	5
Attended	18
Honorary Member	1
LOA	2
Guests	14
Visitors	
Partners	12
92.0 %	

Facts & Figures
Raffle

Lee D, Carol A
Pauline J, Ruth W

Heads & Tails

Sue Reid
Brian Mc

Birthdays:

Sam C. 20th
Ed S. 28th
Sam W 20th
Lyn B. 25th
Mick N 29th
Genevieve C 3rd J

Anniversary:

James & Cathy. 20th
Max & Diane. 24th

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

It's beginning to look a lot like Christmas

Rotary 2019 ended last Monday night with our traditional Christmas meeting this year held at the Kwinana Bowling Club, great night, a big thank you to the members who set-up and made the night a memorable one.

Business was kept to an absolute minimum, Father Christmas was made redundant this year, two little Elf's named Bethany and Michaela handed out the pre labeled presents to our partners, ladies and guests.

Nice to welcome the widows of former members, brought back many memories some many years ago others much more recent.

Bowling Club ladies prepared a traditional Christmas menu for us, went down really well I'm sure enjoyed by all.

We are having a break now until January 6th 2020 when our meeting will be a partners invited BBQ at the home of President Wendy and PDG Bob Cooper, more information below.

We have a big day coming up on Saturday 21st December, Bunnings Sausage Sizzle, we should be in for a ripper day, the Onion Peelers and slicers are required Friday 20th December at 4pm at Rotary Hall, all helpers will be greatly appreciated.

	Rotary International President 2019/20	District Governor 9465	
	Mark Daniel Maloney	2019/20	
	Rotary Club of East Nassau	Wayne Milnes	

Coming Events December 2019
Disease Prevention and Treatment Month

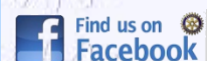
Mon 23rd No Meeting

Mon 30th No Meeting

First Meeting 2020: Mon 6th January BBQ Meeting @ the Coopers

Attendance Officer:

Greg Williams 0435 083 069
Apologies by Saturday pm please





**PRESIDENT
2019-2020**

Wendy Cooper



President's Pen

Our club New Year will commence with a BBQ at the home of Wendy and Bob Cooper on the 6th January 2020.

Partners will be most welcome on that evening with Greg taking numbers.

Attendees will be asked to bring a salad or dessert to go with a BBQ as well as your own drinks.

When you phone Greg could you indicate which of these you would like bring. Plus a nominal charge of \$10 will cover the supply of sausages and meat provided

Usual start time of 6 pm for 6:30 pm.

A very warm welcome to our newest member inducted at our Christmas meeting.

Veronica Burns is with Kwinana President Wendy Cooper and VP Stephen Castelli.





President 2020/21.

PDG John Iriks



Club Service Report: 16th December 2019

Club Members Matrix updated will develop further in New Year to enable Club Service to determine 2019/20 awards

Guess who is coming to dinner 2020
Progressive dinner 2020

AGM and election of Office Bearers conducted 9th December 2019
all positions filled.

The following Office bearers were endorsed for their respective positions for the 2020/2021 Rotary Year:

President	John Iriks
Vice President	Wendy Cooper
President elect	Bob Thompson
Secretary	Diane Brown
Treasurer	Steve Castelli
Project Director	Michael Nella
Public Relations Director	James Sharkey
Foundation Director	Max Bird
Membership Director	John Iriks

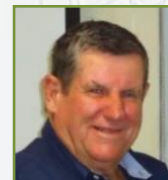
Membership Committee: Lee Davis, Bob Thompson and Eric Blogg

Our sincere thanks to all who will take on a role in 2020/21, not only on the executive but the many other important responsibilities that is necessary to run such a successful club such as ours.

A lady was picking through the frozen turkeys at the grocery store, but couldn't find one big enough for her family. She asked a stock boy, "Don't these turkeys get any bigger?"

The stock boy replied, "No ma'am, they're dead."





16th December International

The international Committee (RPTLE) is carrying out the following.

1. GG 1872605 progress report has now been authorised by all concerned and is now with the Rotary Gods
2. A new application for a global grant GG 2095275 that is jointly supported by District's 9465 & 9550 is now waiting on the final authorisation from District 9465 before it is submitted to Foundation
Why am I going thru the blood, sweat and bloody tears again?
3. Currently in Timor-leste with a small party, will be returning to Perth on he 18th December as planned, all apart from Baguia has gone very well
4. Foundation dinner has now been postponed to later date

This year Father Christmas will be forced to have an official from the Aviation Safety Authority check his sleigh to make sure it's airworthy.

The official checks out the sleigh on the ground then sits beside Father Christmas for a test flight.

Suddenly Father Christmas notices the official has a revolver in his pocket.

'What's that for?' he asks. 'You're not a hijacker are you?'

'No,' replies the official. 'But we have to see how you handle this craft when you lose an engine on take-off.'



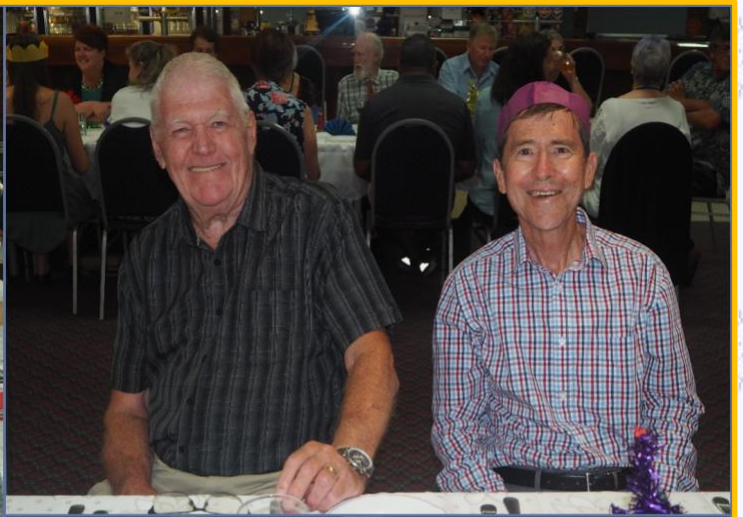
On behalf of the Rotary Club of Kwinana
may I wish everyone a Very Merry
Christmas and a Happy, Prosperous and
Safe New Year. Eric B.



Merry
Christmas





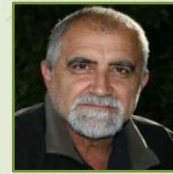




Projects Director
PP Mike Nella



PP Max Bird
Foundation Dir.



PP Edd Samut
Membership Dir.



PP James Sharkey
Public Relations Dir.



Rtn. Norm Mulcahy
Community

Project Director's Report.

Gentle Road premises now open for business, business steady.
Looking for a few more volunteers to help out Christmas Day.
Lolly bagging took place Tuesday 3rd Dec.
Sleighs to be picked up on 22nd December.



PP Bob Thompson
Vocational

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
Sat. Dec 21st is a goer, volunteers required.
Future dates: Sunday 9th February 2020 & Saturday 21st November 2020

Membership:

Ed is currently holidaying in Victoria.

Community:

Golf Day completed, thanks to everyone concerned.

Vocational:



PP. Max Bird
International

International:

PP Max is currently in East Timor till 18th December.
Latest meeting minutes available to view on ClubRunner.

Youth:

Actively looking for participants for RYPEN, RYLA and Handicamp.
Require candidates for RYLA,
We have a lady Handicamp candidate.



PP Genevieve Carr
Youth



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Fine Session: Sgt. Cyril Bennett



Deputy Bill Rowe.

Genevieve C: Sergeant saw Gen at the Post Office, she appeared to be “Away with the Fairies” according to the sergeant.

The Sergeant fined some unidentified member who on Sunday night allegedly left the shed and the front gate open!!!

Veronica B: Trying to rearrange her face by planting it into the floor.

Greg W: Supposedly had an anxiety attack because he lost the raffle tickets.

Brian Mc: Presented a worn-out card to Bendigo Bank.

Stephen C: Arrived late.

Chris O: What happened to the ‘All Blacks’ thrashed by the Aussies.

Brian Mc: Handed over his Heads and Tails winnings immediately to Colleen.

Chris O: Gave Carol the incorrect cooking instructions, Carol had to ring Marge to confirm.

Mike M: Mike, Bob T, Eric and Gladys were trying to push the BBQ trailer back into the shed, it wouldn’t budge despite how hard it was pushed, till Gladys enlightened all by telling them, “aren’t the chains still connected“ Eric then completed the sentence by saying “ Mike, “we could have pulled the back-end out of your Ute”

Eric & Bob T: Chris O fined Eric & Bob for stealing a table-cloth to make their shirts.



Polio This Week 18th December 2019

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

Afghanistan – two WPV1 cases and two WPV1-
positive environmental samples.

Pakistan – seven WPV1 cases, one cVDPV2 case
and 12 WPV1-positive environmental samples.

DR Congo – Eight cVDPV2 cases.

Somalia – two cVDPV2-positive environmental
sample.

Angola – 11 cVDPV2 cases and two cVDPV2-
positive environmental samples.

Chad – one cVDPV2 case.

Ethiopia – one cVDPV2-positive environmental
sample.

Ghana – three cVDPV2 cases.



Sister: What are you giving Mom and Dad for Christmas?

Brother: A list of everything I want!

Zoey: What do you get if you cross an iPad with a Christmas tree?

Johnny: I don't know. What?

Zoey: A pineapple!

Chance: Why did Rudolph get a bad report card?

Nate: Why?

Chance: Because he went down in history.

Amanda: What's the difference between Santa's reindeer and a knight?

Robert: What?

Amanda: One slays the dragon, and the other's draggin' the sleigh.



Three men die in a car accident Christmas Eve. They all find themselves at the pearly gates waiting to enter Heaven. On entering they must present something relating or associated with Christmas.

The first man searches his pocket, and finds some Mistletoe, so he is allowed in.

The second man presents a cracker, so he is also allowed in.

The third man pulls out a pair of nylon stockings.

Confused at this last gesture, St. Peter asks, "How do these represent Christmas?"

Answer... "They're Carol's."



The Santa at the shopping centre was quite surprised when he saw Martha, a woman in her mid-twenties, asking to sit on his lap. We all know Santa doesn't usually take requests from adults, but she smiled at him very nicely and he ended up asking her what she wanted for Christmas.

"Something for my mother, please," she replied.

"Something for your mother? That's very loving and thoughtful of you," smiled Santa.

"What would you like me to bring her?"

Emily answered quickly, "A son-in-law."



It was a cold and misty Christmas morning in the very depth of Winter after a heavy fall of snow and only one farmer and the minister managed to arrive at the church for the morning service.

"Well", said the clergyman "I guess there's no point in having a service today."

"Well that's not how I see it," said the farmer. "If only one cow turns up at feeding time, I still feed it."



At a monastery high in the mountains, the monks have a rigid vow of silence. Only at Christmas, and only by one monk, and only with one sentence, is the vow allowed to be broken.

One Christmas, Brother Thomas is allowed to speak and he says, "I like the mashed potatoes we have with the Christmas turkey!" and he sits down. Silence ensues for 365 days.

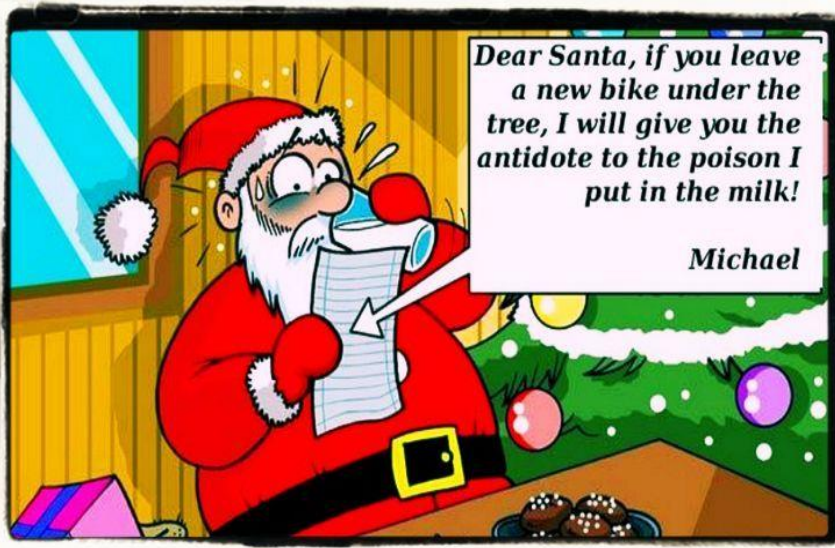
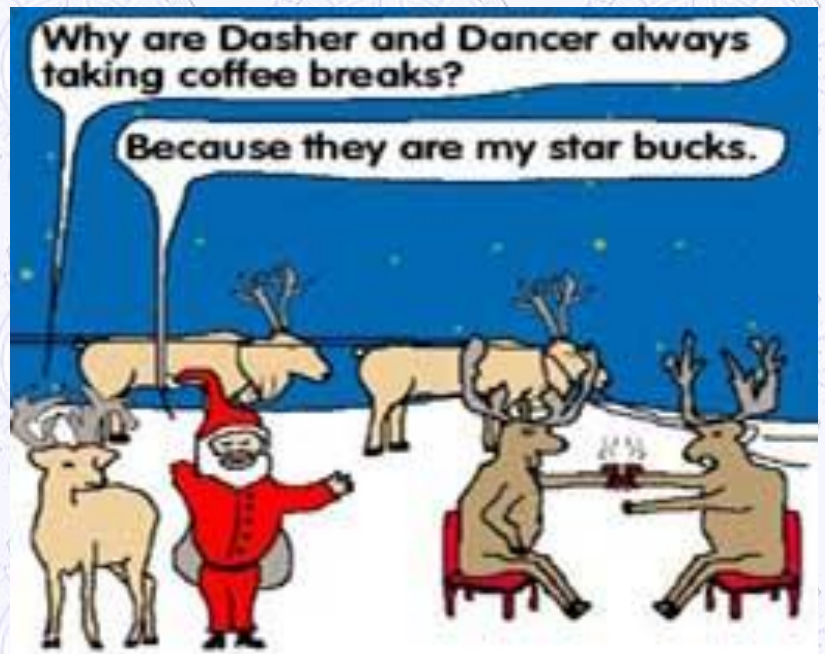
The next Christmas, Brother Michael gets his turn, and he says "I think the mashed potatoes are lumpy and I hate them!"

Once again, silence for 366 days (it's leap year). The following Christmas, Brother Paul rises and says, "I am fed up with this constant bickering!"





"Apparently there's no good or bad children anymore....only misunderstood!"



MERRY CHRISTMAS
AND
HAPPY NEW YEAR



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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