



The Rotary Club of Kwinana

Rotary **District 9465 Western Australia**
Chartered: 22 April 1971



Team 2022-23

- President**
James Sharkey
- Secretary**
Genevieve Carr
- Treasurer**
Stephen Castelli



President James

Bulletin

No 25 6/2/2023



Rotary Club of Kwinana is 51 years' old 1971/2022

Facts & Figures

Attendance this week

Total Members	28
Apologies	4
Make-up	18
Attended	18
Hon. Member	2
LOA	1
Guests	2
Visitors	7
Partners	88.0%

We finally got to officially welcome Karen Z into our club, Karen accompanied by partner Peter was inducted into our club by PP Bob Thompson. After the ceremony Karen was introduced officially by President James to club members and partners together and the obligatory photo was taken. All a bit official-like as Karen has been a member since early December.

Guest Speaker tonight, Emily Tomsett from the City of Kwinana, talking 'trash'

We also had visiting Rotarian visit us tonight, Michelle Kerr from the Rotary Club of Southern Districts.

In 2010 the RC of Thornlie merged with RC Maddington together with some members from RC Armadale NB on July 1st, 2010, became RC Southern Districts. They currently have 26 members.

President James has put out a call for help on Sunday 12th February to assist at our Bunnings Sausage event, estimate is about 10 volunteers will be needed.

PE Bob Cooper attended PETS last weekend.

Raffle Wendy & Greg

Heads & Tails Terry E



Rotary International President
2022/23
Jennifer E Jones

Rotary Club of Windsor-Roseland
Ontario Canada. 6400

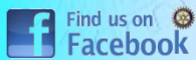
District Governor
9465

2022/23

Ric McDonald



STAY SAFE



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

**Visitors welcome
contact us**

February 2023: Peace and Conflict Prevention/Resolution

February 2023

Mon 6 th	Club Meeting	Emily Tomsett	City of Kwinana
Sun 12 th		Bunnings BBQ	8am – 4pm
Mon 13 th	Club Meeting		
Mon 20 th	Club Meeting		
Sat 25 th			Wine and Cheese Night at Rotary Hall.
Mon 27 th	Club Meeting		

Attendance Officer:
Paul Durant 0402 794 323
Apologies by Saturday 4 pm please





James Sharkey

President's Pen

6th February 2023



Bunnings BBQ

I have booked a Bunnings BBQ for Sunday 12th of February. Please make yourselves available, if possible, to do a forenoon or afternoon watch on the day. Funds raised will go towards reducing our annual Rotary fees.

Joint District Conference 2023 Stop Press Last Chance – Bookings closing Friday 10th February

The Conference will be held in Mandurah on 17th and 18th February 2023

The cost for the full conference is now \$150, which includes the Friday meet and greet, the Saturday conference and the Saturday evening Gala Dinner.

The closing date for registration is Friday 10th February 2023.

The real bonus for members of our district is that because we have funds carried forward our booking cost is \$100 less.

Remember we: -

Pay \$150 for the full conference not \$250

Pay \$100 for the Saturday only not \$200

Pay \$100 for the Gala Dinner.

I am sure with the revised price for the Conference more members from our Club may decide to attend.

Next Meeting Meal

Italian

Guest Speaker Program Manager

Please contact Grace with any possible guest speaker contacts.

James Sharkey
President 2022/23

Meeting at Rotary Hall, Monday 6th February 2023





President 2023/24

Bob Cooper



Please put Paul’s mobile number in your mobile phone contacts list, 0402 794 323. Please text Paul with apologies or to order a meal for Monday meetings by 4.00pm Saturday

A selection of soft drinks and bottled water is available from the kitchen fridge. Cost will be \$1.00 per can or bottle.

Wine and Cheese Night, Saturday 25th February will now be held at Rotary Hall, see Bob’s email for updated info.

President 2023/24 Bob Cooper
Club Service Report:



2022/23

PP Genevieve Carr

06th Feb. 2023



Inward Correspondence.

- ROMAC Communications
- Notice re Working With Children certification
- Rotary Down Under
- Notice regarding applications open for the 2024 Rotary Peace Fellowships
- Letter of request to use club hall
- Induction items from RDU
- Rotary Out West
- Card from Marge Williams with message of thanks for flowers

Outward Correspondence

None this week

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



2022/23

PP Stephen Castelli



Bills paid, money in the bank.

Rotary Down Under Magazine now comes to you electronically.
Bring your empty drink containers, we have collection bins.

Norm and I are putting together a social Wine and Cheese night.
See email from PE Bob for further information.



2022/23

PP Genevieve Carr



Youth Services Report

06th February 2023

1. **Camp Inspiration:** Sam Blackman has had to postpone his visit to the Club due to a meeting being held tonight at Activ. He will attend on Monday 20 February.
2. **RYLA:** Camper Ashton Jose will attend as Guest Speaker on Monday 20 February.



Foundation Director
International Service Manager: PP Max Bird
6th February 2023



Water & Sanitation

We have been carrying out the following tasks

1. Rotary Projects Timor-Leste EAST (RPTLE) was asked in to Participate in the RAWCS / RYLA Oceania Elevating program to high light the work been carried out by the RPTLE team However, once I read the commitments required to compile with this very worthwhile program I just would not of had the time to do it justices' and as such I declined the offer. Due to other commitments in the pipeline already.
2. With the help of Pip Asphar the western RARE Supervisor we have packaged 32 computers and they were consigned to DIK in Melbourne on Friday 3rd February 2023, where they then will be on sent to AHHA in Dili Timor-Leste ASAP.
3. Have arranged a work party to Timor-Leste on the 16th March 2023, where we will be recommissioning the drill rig that RPTLE owns, then carry out a training program with the people from Don Bosco in Comoro Dili Timor-Leste, one of the party is one of the original operators of the rig, the other has over 40 years working as a owner and trainer with the Water Corp, training and accrediting drill rig operators though out Australia and overseas. Once the Don Bosco people are trained, I will then hand over ownership of this \$60.000.00 drill rig and all its tools to the Don Bosco's
4. RPTLE has also acted as a sounding board (Consultant unpaid) to the DBCA Kalgoorlie office on proving the water supply at two remote indigenous campgrounds and training centres to enhance their future use.
5. Have also attend several clubs as the guest speaker on Water & Sanitation and at least two have came on board to support the program, The Rotary Club of Manjimup and Bridgetown. Two of the RPTLE members will also be the guest speakers in Pinjarra on the 16th February.

PP Bob T, Our newest Member Karen Zabiela, Peter Zabiela, Pres. James



Rotarian Visitor Michelle Kerr from RC Southern Districts





Projects Director
PP Mike Nella



PP Max Bird
Foundation Dir.



PDG John Iriks
Membership Dir.



Kim Beciri
Public Relations Dir.



Kertrina Riordan
Community



Peter Schulz
Vocational



PP. Max Bird
International



PP Genevieve Carr
Youth

Project Director's Report.

Furniture-On-Line, all go for 2023, my sincere thanks to all who are assisting.

Club members encouraged to assist any time, see Mike for info.

Planning to renovate 2 schools, Jakarta, progressing well.

We plan to flyout 12th May for 3 weeks

Public Relations:

We continue to receive exposure on Rotary Out West.

Kim is promoting our club on Facebook.

Membership:

PDG John Iriks is Membership Director

Committee: Bob Thompson, Ed Samut and Eric Blogg.

Still the best option to invite new members, "ask someone"

Need to review the requirements regarding introducing prospective members and the procedures that need to be followed to complete the process.

This is referred to in detail in our Standing Orders document.

Continuing to encourage new members!

Welcome, Karen Zabiela, inducted Monday 6th February 2023

Bendigo Bank Walk to support ARH, couple of helpers needed.

Still working on Jennifer Jones Challenge.

Community:

Bread Program, ongoing. All welcome to assist.

Breakfast Club always in need of more assistance, see Stephen if you can help.

International:

Youth: Report above.

Visit your club webpage.

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

or type Kwinana Rotary into 'Search'



Guest Speaker: Emily Tomsett
Waste Education Officer COK.



Emily Tomsett the Waste Education officer from the City of Kwinana and talking trash Literally!

Emily is talking about the current waste management system and services in Kwinana as well as touching on big changes and innovations in the industry such as:

- Three bin systems (possible introduction of a third organics bin in Kwinana)
- Waste to Energy (instead of Landfill)
- State plastic ban on single use plastics
- Stewardship (10cents for drink containers, battery, and e-waste recycling)
- On demand verge collection.'
- GREAT Sorts & Waste Behaviour Change

What is Waste?

Waste is defined under the Waste Avoidance and Resource Recovery Act 2007 (WARR Act) as a **matter, whether liquid, solid, gaseous or radioactive and whether useful or useless, which is discharged into the environment; or matter which is prescribed by the regulations to be waste.**

What is the problem?

- Production of too much unnecessary waste
- Unable to control inputs (and therefore outputs)
- Toxic/Dangerous
- Landfill impacts the groundwater, cost money and creates harmful greenhouse gases
- Vested interests (Lots of jobs and money to be made/lost)
- Heavy reliance on expensive infrastructure
- Severely impacted by human behaviours and cultural shifts
- Linear Economy Eyesore and detrimental to the environment and community
- Under the WARR Act Local Government has responsibility for waste from **households and its own activities.**
- Local Government has a responsibility to provide its communities with waste services that meet the communities' needs.

In Kwinana the City provides the following waste services

- **Kerbside:** waste, recycling collection in bins
- **Verge side:** pre-storm clean-up, bulk waste and green waste collected from the verge
- **Education:** how to correctly use infrastructure, such as what items can go in each bin
- **Litter/ Illegal dumping:** clean up and disposal of litter and illegal dumping.
- **Compliance:** Waste Local Law notices & fines

Kwinana does not have its own and waste infrastructure. The City has contracts for kerbside and verge side waste collection and processing.

- Some things CANNOT go into a 'bin' 'Hazardous & Electrical waste cannot go in bins'
- On average one truck fire a month in Perth

3 Bin System



New Verge Collection Systems



Verge Valet™ is a program run by the Western Metropolitan Regional Council and was trademarked by them.

The service provides year-round access to bulk and/or green waste collections at a time convenient to the resident.

Can book extra services for a fee

Has reduced tonnages at participating councils

Promotes repair and reuse options first

Energy from Waste The **Kwinana Waste to Energy Plant** is a waste-to-energy power station under construction in Kwinana Beach, Western Australia. Once completed, the facility is scheduled to process in excess of 400,000 tonnes of waste and will produce 36 MW of power.



<https://arena.gov.au/projects/kwinana-waste-to-energy-project/>

<https://www.kwinana.wa.gov.au/property-and-pets/waste-and-recycling>



Fine Session: Sergeant Cyril Bennett

Stand-in: Norm

Deputy Bill Rowe



Pres. James: PP Bob T mentioned to me that you sent him an email. He replied, but you must have turned your computer off, because...his message was like a rubber ball and bounced back.

Eric: What's going on?? You're sitting at table 2 and Glad is at table 5??

Bob C: The 'Chair chucker' twice, you can pay-up twice.

Cyril: Every time you go to Coopers for 'pool therapy' you leave something behind.!!!

Mike: Stephen picked a \$200 debt, got back to the yard, gave Mike \$190, Mike wanted to know why only \$190. Stephen said "Coffee money" Mike not impressed!!!

Chris O: Phone call, Chris went on to say that he sometimes phones Matt W, on a Monday. Mat returned with a message. "Thanks Chris, you've cost me a \$2 fine again, at our Lion's meeting.

Norm Mc: Complaining that his table is always last to be served food!!!

Birthdays and Anniversaries February 2023

Birthday Congratulations:

Eric Blogg 12th

Cathy Sharkey 2nd

Diane Bird 7th

Wendy Cooper 18th

Tish Evans 24th



Wedding Anniversary's

Chris & Carol 21st 20 years

Brian & Ann 22nd 59 years



Club Anniversaries.

Max Bird 1st 24 years

Norm Mulcahy 26th 17 years

Congratulations!

Polio this week

1st February 2023

WHO Executive Board: This week and next week, global health leaders are convening at WHO's Executive Board to discuss global public health policy, including on the global effort to eradicate polio. In his opening address, WHO Director-General Dr Tedros Adhanom Ghebreyesus noted that no wild poliovirus cases had been reported anywhere since September 2022, and commended support for this effort globally, including through the pledging of US\$2.6 billion to the effort in October.

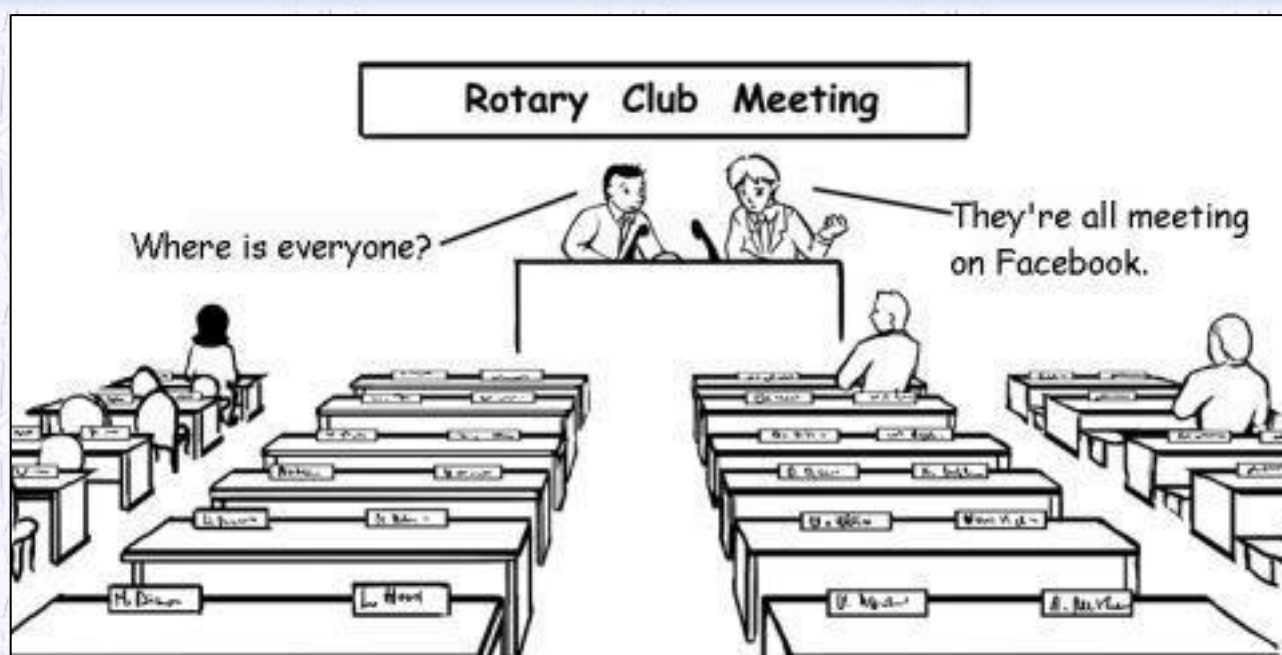
The ongoing proceedings can be viewed [here](#).

Gearing up to stop polio in Afghanistan and Pakistan in 2023: In October 2022, the Technical Advisory Group (TAG) for Afghanistan and Pakistan met in Muscat, Oman, to conduct a thorough review of ongoing polio eradication efforts in the remaining polio endemic countries. During the 6-day meeting they also provided strategic technical guidance on steering efforts towards successful interruption of the poliovirus in both countries in 2023.

Syria takes steps to advance polio transition while strengthening essential health priorities: "The main goal of this mission is to ensure that the polio essential functions are well preserved," – Dr Rana Hajjeh, Director of Programme Management at WHO's Regional Office for the Eastern Mediterranean.

Summary of new polioviruses this week:

- Pakistan: one WPV1 positive environmental sample
- Central African Republic: one cVDPV2 case
- Chad: seven cVDPV2 cases and one positive environmental sample
- Indonesia: one cVDPV2 case
- Nigeria: one cVDPV2 case
- Somalia: one cVDPV2 positive environmental sample
- Yemen: one cVDPV2 case





What happened this week in history?



Feb 5th to Feb 11th



5th

1631: Founder of Rhode Island, Roger Williams arrives in Boston from England
1736: Methodists John and Charles Wesley arrive in Savannah, Georgia
1803: Explorer Geo' Bass and crew sail from Sydney to Tahiti and Chile they're never seen again
1931: Malcolm Campbell sets world land speed record speed of 246.08 mph in Blue Bird

6th

1778: Britain declares war on France
1819: Stamford Raffles founds Singapore as a British trading port
1832: 1st appearance of cholera in Edinburgh, Scotland
1918: Great Britain grants women (30 & over) the vote

7th

1783: Great Siege of Gibraltar, launched by France and Spain against the British colony
1863: HMS Orpheus sinks off the coast of Auckland, New Zealand, killing 189
1915: 1st wireless message sent from a moving train to a station received
1928: 1st solo flight from England to Aust takes off from Croydon, Australian aviator Bert Hinkler

8th

1587: Mary, Queen of Scots, is beheaded at Fotheringhay Castle aged 44
1627: Gunpowder is first used in a mining operation in present-day Slovakia
1883: Louis Waterman begins experiment to invent the fountain pen
1926: Disney Brothers Cartoon Studio becomes Walt Disney Studios

9th

1674: English reconquer New York from Netherlands
1916: Britain's military service act enforced (conscription)
1923: Soviet Aeroflot airlines forms
1961: The Beatles 1st gig at Cavern Club; they would play there 300 times over the next two years

10th

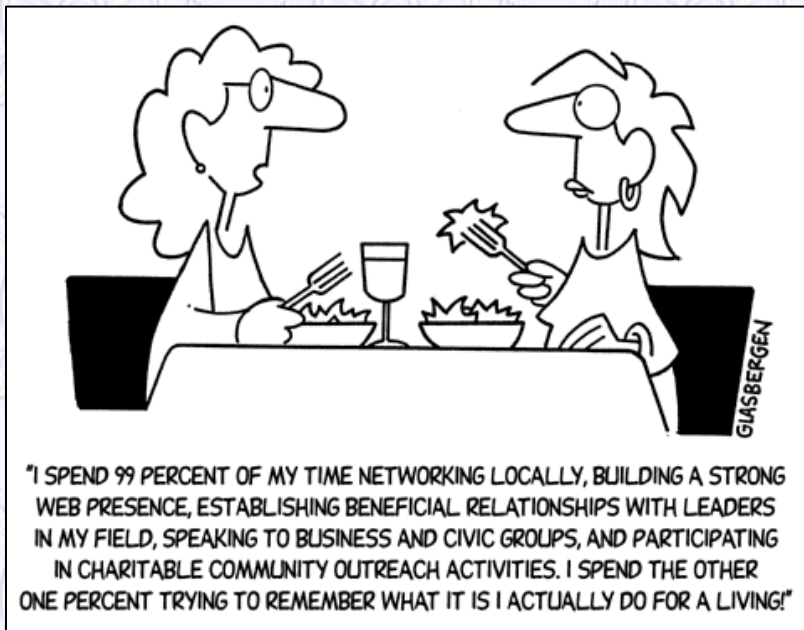
1774: Andrew Becker demonstrates diving suit
1842: Moreton Bay Penal Colony abolished and opened for free settlement (city of Brisbane)
1879: 1st electric arc light used
1931: New Delhi becomes the capital of India

11th

1809: Robert Fulton patents steamboat
1826: University College London founded; known until 1836 as London University
1852: First British public female toilet opens (Bedford Street, London)
1929: Vatican City, the world's smallest country, is made an enclave of Rome

Blast from the Past:
Inspecting the new path at the Wildflower Reserve 22nd May 2010





"He will!"

Makeup opportunities

Rockingham	Monday	6pm for 6.30	Rockingham RSL Club
Palm beach	Wednesday	6pm for 6.30	Ocean Clipper Inn
Baldivis	Mon/Fortnightly	6.30pm	Peel Manor House
Cockburn	Thursday	7.15am for 7.30	Cockburn Bowling & Rec. Club
Byford & Districts	Monday	6.45pm for 7.15	Byford Tavern, South W Hwy

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