



Team 2017-2018

**President
Michael Nella**

**Secretary
Cheryl D'Souza**

**Treasurer
Bob Cooper**

Attendance this week

Total Members 29
Apologies
Make-up
Attended 21
Honorary Member 1
LOA
Guests
Visitors 1
Partners 4
85.5% Attendance

**Facts & Figures
Raffle
Bevan, Lorraine**

**Heads & Tails
Sam Cuplovic**

Birthdays

**Anniversary
None this week**

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



The Rotary Club of Kwinana Inc.

District 9465 Western Australia

Chartered: 22 April 1971



President Michael

Bulletin

No 25 19 February 2018



Greetings to all,

Friday 23 February will mark the 113th anniversary of Rotary International. On 23 February 1905 Paul Harris and several other gentleman, all of differing professions and trades, held the very first Rotary meeting in Chicago. In a nutshell, these gentleman were aware that, compared to many other people at that time, life had treated them well in terms of comfort and security, and hence they felt a strong need to give back to society. This notion is still very relevant to us today. Although we may be concerned with issues such as job security, payment of bills, home security, and health factors, compared to many other people around the world we are still very lucky and thus have the ability to give back to the community in some way. Since the very first Rotary project of providing a public toilet in Chicago, a multitude of projects have been developed encompassing health, sanitation, education, vocational development, and world peace.

One can simply wonder how the very first group of Rotarians would have felt about Rotary in the modern world. What would be their thoughts regarding use of digital technology and social media to promote Rotary? Would they have been in favour of fortnightly meetings instead of weekly meetings? How would they have felt about women in Rotary??? We can only hope that they would be pleased with the progress and influence that Rotary has had over the years.

Remember to wear your Rotary shirt on Friday to show that you are proud to be a member of this special organisation.



**2017-2018
RI President
Ian Riseley**

Rotary Club of
Sandringham (Vic)
District 9810



**2017-2018 DG
Bruce Lynch**

Rotary Club of
South Bunbury
District 9465

Coming Events

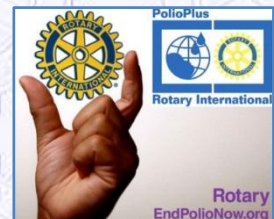
February – Peace and Conflict Prevention/Resolution Month

- Mon 19 Feb Club Meeting @ Rotary Hall
- Fri 23 Feb Baldivis Rotary Charter Night
- Mon 26 Feb Club Meeting @ Rotary Hall

March – Water and Sanitation Month

- Mon 5 Mar Bunnings BBQ
Public Holiday – No Meeting

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



THE ROTARY 4 WAY TEST

of things that 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?

Club President 2017 – 2018 Michael Nella



President's Pen



President's Report

1. Welcome to members and Guest Speaker Linda Liddelow.
2. An email has been circulated calling for nominations for DG in Rotary year 2020 – 2021.
3. Former councillor Jerroldine Gilbert passed away on Monday morning.
4. Rob Greenslade is currently very unwell. Please keep him in your thoughts.
5. Our official Club Elections will be held during the meeting on Monday March 12.



Secretary: Cheryl D'Souza



Inward Correspondence

No report

Outward Correspondence

None this week



Treasurer: PDG Bob Cooper



- Money in the bank; bills paid
- A reminder that if any member is ordering items for the club, please request invoice to be made out to the Rotary Club of Kwinana.
- Please be aware that we lost \$100 last week due to non-attendance of members at the meeting. PLEASE advise our Attendance Officer if you are unable to attend a meeting.



Club Service: Stephen Castelli

- Our Club Changeover Night was originally planned for Saturday 30 June. However, this will be the night of the District Changeover, so we are currently looking at holding our Changeover on Friday 29 June.
- Currently organising club team for 2018 – 2019.
- This Friday 23 February will be the night of the Baldivis Charter Meeting. If anyone not attending this function is able to held with bread run it would be most appreciated.
- 9th April will be a Restaurant Meeting.



PP Edd Samut
Membership

Membership

- No report



PP James Sharkey
Public Relations

Public Relations

- 492 “Likes” on our Facebook page!
- Our next BBQ will be the Labour Day public holiday – Monday 5 March. Still need three more volunteers to help out on that day. Also, we are missing two Rotary aprons.
- Photo of Edd Samut, Gladys Blogg and Alan Thomas (Greg’s great-grandson) taken at recent Wellard Markets appeared in the *Weekend Courier*.



PP Ian Critchley
Foundation

Foundation

- Additional income (approximately \$80 – \$100 per month) coming in through weekly exercise classes that Genevieve is conducting at Banksia Retirement Village.

Rotary
Club of Kwinana



Sunday 15th April 2018

10am to 2pm (Exhibitor entry 8am-10am)



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PDG John Iriks

Club Projects Director PDG John Iriks

Project Director's Report Community

- **Show and Shine:** Steadily making progress. Will email details of upcoming car shows; need volunteers to attend these events to distribute flyers of our Show and Shine.



Michael Metcalf
Community

Vocational

- Reminder that this Friday 23 February is Rotary's anniversary – we will be 113! Would encourage all Rotarians to wear their Rotary Shirt on that day.
- Genevieve currently has some bedrails to give away; these items are suitable for anyone who has difficulty moving themselves about in bed.



PP Genevieve Carr
Vocational

International

The International Committee is carrying out the following:

1. Will be in Timor-Leste 26th February to 12th March 2018 scoping the next three projects; these are a combined RPTLE, District's 9550 & 9465 project.



PP Max Bird
International

Youth

- Interact meeting held at Gilmore College last week; had 30-40 students attend.



Lorraine Lucas
Youth

Conference Report (Wendy Cooper)

- Conference scheduled for 16 – 18 March 2018
- Guest Speaker list will be posted on the board.

Visit your club webpage.

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

or type Kwinana Rotary Club into "Google"



Fine Session

Our very own Sergeant Norm was back to doing what he does best of all. Some notable fines included:

Bevan: Had an almighty fight with a wall, judging by the bandage on his elbow!

Max: Are you wearing long shorts or short longs???

Mike: Didn't know where he should park!

Edd and Eric: Our very own movie stars, appearing in the local paper!

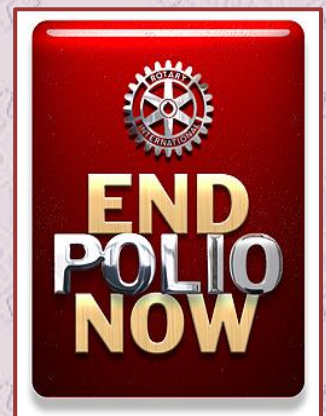
Steve, Chris: Latecomers

James: Left the car running while he was leaving his car!!!

Steve: The "rose between two thorns" – or was it the "thorn between two roses"???

Raffle winners

Sudan is on the alert for polio, despite no reported cases in eight years.



Guest Speaker

Linda Liddelow – Gilmore College Chaplain

This week we welcomed as Mrs Linda Liddelow as our guest speaker. Linda has been the school chaplain at Gilmore College for the last two years. During that time she has seen significant positive changes occurring around the school.

The Gilmore College Breakfast Club, in which a number of our club members are actively involved, has many positive effects. Of the 1200 students currently enrolled at the school, the Breakfast Club feeds 70-90 students each day. Some students choose to stay and chat during the session, while others tend to take some food and leave immediately. The Breakfast Club provides a safe environment for students. As a registered program, there are limitations on what can be provided. Mild and vegemite is provided by Foodbank, whilst the Rotary Club of Kwinana provides the remaining items. Of note, during 2017 the Breakfast Club used 988 loaves of bread and 2000 litres of milk.

Some specific comments made by students regarding the program have included:

“It’s a nice place to sit because our parents drop us off early.”

“We love hanging out together before school.”

“We like to have breakfast together with friends before school.”

Of note, for safety purposes students have been discouraged from arriving at Breakfast club via scooter!

Another program at Gilmore College is known as GAP, which stands for Gilmore Activity Place. Essentially this is a “hang out” place. GAP was introduced to provide a safe environment during lunch time. Activities available at GAP include board games, table tennis, hockey and painting. Sandwiches are served to students – another utilization of the break provided by our club to the school.

The Gilmore Kwinana Interact Club was launched during August 2017. The first meeting for 2018 was held last week, and had 30-40 students in attendance. Members of Interact will be helping out at the Harmony Night; this will be combined with the Parent Information Night.



February 2018: Peace and Conflict Prevention/Resolution Month

Sixty million people are displaced by armed conflict or persecution. Ninety percent of armed-conflict casualties are civilians, half of them children. Through service projects, fellowships and other Rotary-sponsored campaigns, Rotarians train adults and young leaders to prevent and mediate conflict and aid refugees who have fled dangerous areas.

Rotarians also pursue projects to address the underlying structural causes of conflict, including poverty, inequality, ethnic tensions, lack of access to education and unequal distribution of resources. Each year, up to 100 Rotary Peace Fellows are selected to attend Rotary Peace Centers to participate in master's degree programs at one of its partner universities. Fellows study subjects related to the root causes of conflict and explore innovative solutions that address real-world needs.

The Rotary Foundation promotes the practice of peace and conflict prevention/resolution by:

- Strengthening local peace efforts
- Training local leaders to prevent and mediate conflict
- Supporting long-term peace building in areas affected by conflict.
- Assisting vulnerable populations affected by conflict, particularly children and youth
- Supporting studies related to peace and conflict resolution.

Remember: "You can't shake hands with a clenched fist."

- www.cashiersrotary.org



Makeup opportunities

Rockingham:	Monday	6pm for 6.30	Rockingham RSL Club
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 12 High Street Fremantle
Byford & Districts	Monday	6.15pm for 6.45	Byford Tavern, South W Hwy

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