



The Rotary Club of Kwinana Inc.



District 9465 Western Australia
Chartered: 22 April 1971

Team 2015-16

President
Max Bird
Secretary
Brian McCallum
Treasurer
Bob Cooper

Attendance this week

Total Members 24
Apologies 3
Make-up 2
Attended 17
Honorary Member
LOA 2
Guests
Visitors
Partners 2
83.%

Facts & Figures
Raffle
Wendy & Bob

Heads & Tails
Club won

Birthdays:
Bevan P 7th
Bob C 16th
Matt W 16th

Anniversary:
John & Deryl W 16th

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 Max

Bulletin

No 30 14th Mar. 2016



Be a gift to the world

My thanks to Genevieve for taking care of your last bulletin.

BBQ meeting this week, boy was it 'hot' after a 40deg day it was still 38deg at 6pm and 31deg at midnight.

Looking forward to District 9465 2016 Conference this year being held in Bunbury. Good representation attending from our club, with many of us staying at the Discovery Caravan Park just a short stroll from the conference venue. I particularly look forward to the keynote speakers at our conferences, the quality of speakers can make or break the event, in recent years the speakers have really been a highlight. Our own PP Chris Oughton is on the program speaking about the youth program initiatives provided by the Kwinana Industries Council.

Congratulations to E-WA Rotary recently chartered at Bruce Rock.

A little sad to see the City Markets aren't going to continue, we tried but as always these projects require community support which regrettably was missing.



Rotary International President
K.R. (Ravi) Ravindran
Rotary Club of Colombo

District Governor
9465
2015/16
Melodie Kevan



Coming Events March 2016 Water & Sanitation Month

March 2016

Wed 16th Board Meeting
Fri 18th Sat 19th Sun 20th District Conference, Bunbury
Mon 21st Club Meeting
Mon 28th No Meeting Easter Monday

April 2016

Mon 4th Club Meeting Partners, Morgan Gillham Playground

Attendance Officer: Greg Williams 9419 5834
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 2015/16 Max Bird



President's Pen



14th March 2016

President Report

1. John Iriks and I had a meeting today 14th March to discuss the City Markets John will report further later on the results
2. It is time again for all the incoming Service Managers to submit their Budgets for the rotary year 2016/17 to the Project Director, for Board approval and inclusion into the Club 2016/17 Budget
3. District Conference is also going to be on us before we know it, Wendy Cooper is working on a package where we all stay together at the Discovery Caravan Park in Bunbury, either in Cabins or Caravans/Tents, why not make this a Club social event?
4. I will attending the Foundation Seminar whilst in Bunbury renewing the clubs ability to apply for future foundation grants
5. The club is still looking for a volunteer to attend the district AGM at conference representing our club, otherwise I will ask the secretary to send in a proxy vote
6. Items such as the recent mountain of verbal comments about electrical tagging please refer them to the relevant person in charge of that area, in this case the Club Service Manager and then work with them to resolve the matter
(Note one approved firm has since offered to do this work gratis, if this fails then three quotes will be called for)
7. The money Spinner at Motorplex took \$41.80 on Saturday night 12th March 2016



International

The international Committee has carried out the following.

- Our application for GG 1639026 has been authorized by the Dili Rotary club and our self's including both District Foundation Chairs authorizing their portions, now it's up Foundation and Rotary International
- We have been hard at work Checking and Reimaging 170 -180 Apple MacBook computers for Timor-Leste and now them ready for shipment, hopefully by the end of the month
- A International committee meeting was held at my place on the 12th march 2015 minutes of this meeting will be posted into ClubRunner this week for all to see
- To date Kwinana, Palm Beach, Albany Port and Mount Barker have committed funds to the project

Max Bird



Club Service: PP Mike Nella



Please consider helping out with the bread project. Bread is continuing to be picked up and distributed around Kwinana, please help out with this worthy project if are able, please see Mike or Lorraine to be placed on their roster.

We need a Club Secretary commencing July 2017. Members please consider becoming part of our executive team.

Rotaract Club to be 'Incorporated' going very well, 2 new members and continuing to be involved in a number of community projects.



Secretary: PP Brian McCallum



Inward Correspondence.

- Bendigo Bank. Statement of A/C
- Macular Disease Foundation. Macular Degeneration.
- Australia Post. Receipt for Mail Box Payment.
- Wellard & Districts Probus Club. Letter.
- Bendigo Bank. Statement of A/C
- Bendigo Bank. Statement of A/C
- Bendigo Bank. Statement of A/C
- Bendigo Bank. Statement of A/C
- Leda Primary School. Request for Donation.

Outward Correspondence.

- Bunnings Rockingham. Application to conduct Sausage Sizzles.

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



Treasurer: PDG Bob Cooper



Bills paid, money in the bank

Why didn't the man report his stolen credit card? The thief was spending less than his wife.



Club Projects Director PP Ian Critchley



PP Bob Thompson
Foundation Dir.



PP Matt White
Membership



PDG John Iriks
Community

Project Director's Report.

Guest Speaker Monday 4th April, Morgan Gillham will bring us up to date on our \$5 million Children's Playground. This evening will be a partners' night.

Anzac Day breakfast, finalising details with RSL.

District 9465 Conference in Bunbury 18th to 20th March
Good club representation, many staying at the Discovery Caravan Park

Next Sausage Sizzle at Bunnings on Thursday 25th March 2016

City Markets Saturday, in consultation with the City of Kwinana it is decided to discontinue the City Markets.

Quotes are being sought for the installation of a plaque to be placed on the Wildflower Reserve Tower to recognise the contribution of our late and respected member Rodger Hamilton.

The next Wellard Village Markets to be held on Sunday 10^h April 2016.

Swimarathon Update

PP Genevieve wished to thank everyone who assisted during the lead up and on the day. Total funds raised to date, \$3680 great result.

Lorraine & Mike still looking for assistance with the bread project, anyone able to help please see either Lorraine or Mike.

Neighbourhood Day on the 3rd April, Michael M has everything under control.

Opportunities have become available to raise funds at the Motorplex by having our money spinner there..
PP Ian C believes we should persevere with this opportunity.

An article has been sent to Rotary Down Under regarding the recent trip to Timor.

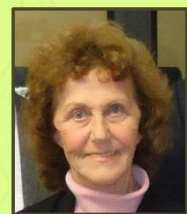
Corporate Bowls Day at Kwinana Bowling Club on W/e 2nd or 3rd April
See Greg W for further info.



PP Genevieve Carr
Vocational



Pres. Max Bird
International



Lorraine Lucas
Youth



PP James Sharkey
Public Relations Dir.

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<http://www.clubrunner.ca/Portal/Home.aspx?accountid=8106>
or type Kwinana Rotary Club into 'Google'



Fine Session

Sergeant: PP Stephen Castelli



Chris O: 'Horny devil' not sure in what context.

All those members who had their cars parked in the yard were fined.

Michael M, Greg, Ed: Had a hand in erecting the new Australian Flag, fined because it is not attached correctly??

Mike N: That Shirt



Matt W: Got banned from work because of a technical hitch.

Bevan P: Took number 11 in the raffle, Matt W always has 11??

Mike N: Has drinking problem! But claims it's only the bit in the bottom of the glass that's the problem.

Greg W: Had to have his wallet hand delivered.

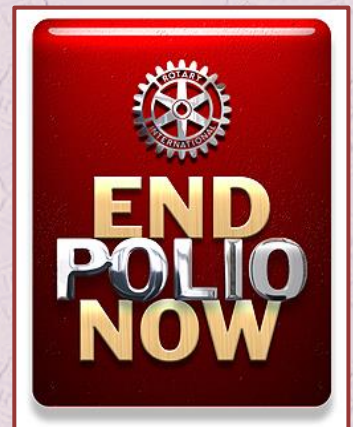
Ian C: Ladies were called to up to be served dinner, Ian somehow appeared in the line!!

Greg W: Our best ever 'Tosser'

Stephen C: Had Ed S fined for removing his 'mo' early.

Polio This Week 9th March 2016

- 8 March marked International Women's Day - a great opportunity to thank the many thousands of women who have been instrumental in the progress of polio eradication around the world
- A new short film shown at the Ministerial Conference on Immunization in Africa demonstrates the value of the polio infrastructure in serving broader health goals
- There are six weeks to go until the globally synchronized switch from the trivalent to bivalent oral polio vaccine.



This Week in History



- 44: Roman emperor Julius Caesar is assassinated, receiving between 23 and 35 stab wounds.
- 1602: The Dutch East India company, which was indirectly responsible for many discoveries in the Pacific, is formed
- 1790: Captain William Bligh arrives back in London a year after the Mutiny on the Bounty, in which he was cast off his own boat
- 1790: The HMS Sirius is wrecked off Norfolk Island before it can bring vital food and supplies to the starving colony at Sydney.
- 1840: Strzelecki climbs and names Mt Kosciuszko, Australia's highest mountain.
- 1877: The first international cricket Test Match on Australian ground begins at the Melbourne Cricket ground.
- 1879: Physicist Albert Einstein is born.
- 1910: The first flight of a powered aircraft in Australia is made by Frederick Custance, near Adelaide.
- 1912: Lawrence Oates, of Scott's ill-fated expedition to the Antarctic, utters his famous last words: 'I am just going outside and I may be some time.'
- 1922: The first section of the Great Ocean Road in Victoria is officially opened.
- 1932: The Sydney Harbour Bridge is officially opened, amidst unexpected controversy.
- 1945: The American aircraft carrier, USS Franklin, is dive-bombed by a kamikaze Japanese aircraft, killing 724.
- 1949: The Australian Security Intelligence Organisation (ASIO) is established.
- 1964: The killer of President John F Kennedy's assassin is sentenced to the electric chair.
- 1968: American soldiers massacre villagers in My Lai, Vietnam.
- 1974: An attempt is made to kidnap Princess Anne, only daughter of Queen Elizabeth II.
- 1988: The northern Iraq Kurdish city of Halabja is bombarded with chemical weapons, killing thousands of civilians.
- 1991: Singer Eric Clapton's four-year-old son falls to his death from an open apartment window, 53 storeys up.
- 1995: A Tokyo subway is attacked with Sarin gas.



Guest Speaker: No guest speaker this week

World's Greatest Shave March 2016

PP Stephen Castelli



Going!!!

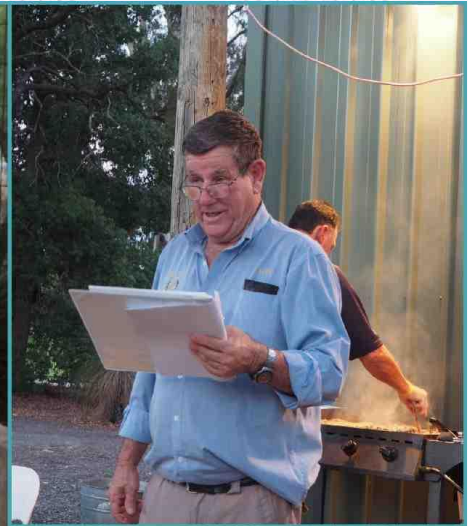


Gone!!!

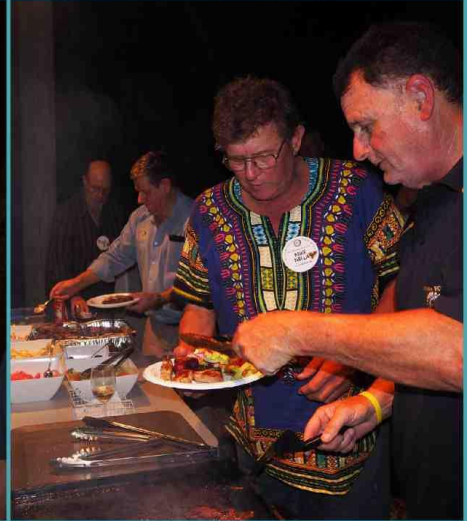
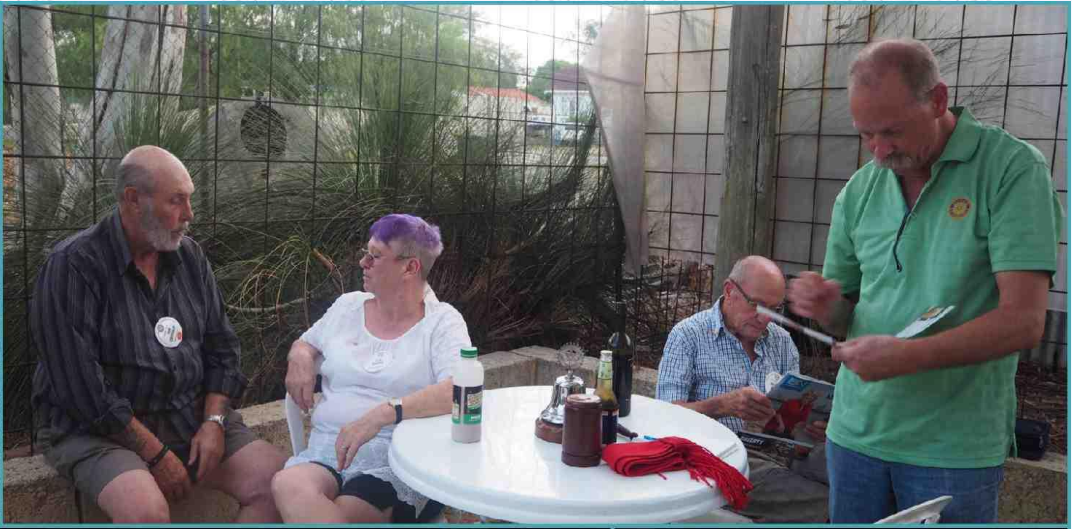
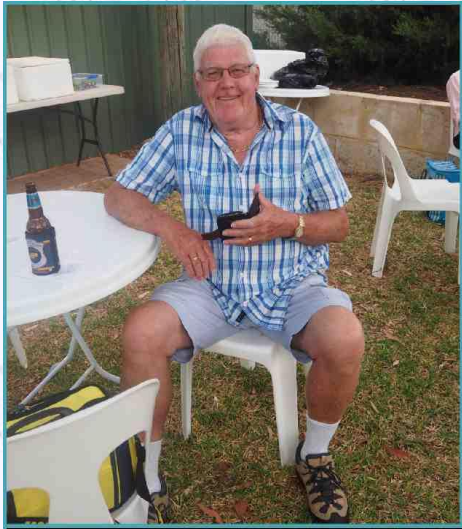
Finally settling down to my vegan, gluten free, soy free, antibiotics free, raw, non GMO, organic, fat free, low carb meal!



How's that for a bit of ingenuity



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A man was driving along the highway when saw the Easter rabbit hopping across the middle of the road. He swerved to avoid hitting the rabbit, but unfortunately the Easter bunny jumped in front of him was struck by his car.

The basket of eggs and candy, the rabbit was carrying, went flying all over the place. The driver, being a sensitive man, as well as an animal lover, pulled over to the side of the road, and got out to see what had become of the rabbit carrying the basket. Much to his dismay, the colourful rabbit was dead.

The driver felt so awful, he began to cry.

A woman driving down the highway saw the man crying on the side of the road and pulled over. She stepped out of her car and asked the man what was wrong. 'I feel terrible', he explained, 'I accidentally hit the Easter rabbit and killed it. Children will be so disappointed. What should I do?'

The woman told the man not to worry. She knew what to do. She went to her car boot, and pulled out a spray can. She walked over to the dead, limp rabbit, and sprayed the contents of the can onto the furry animal.

Miraculously the Easter rabbit came to life, jumped up, picked up the spilled eggs and candy, waved its paw at the two humans and hopped down the road. 50 metres away the Easter rabbit stopped turned around, waved and hopped down the road. 50 metres further on, he turned again, waved and hopped another 50 metres, again he waved.

The man was astonished. He couldn't figure out what substance could be in the woman's spray can. He ran over to the woman and asked, 'What is in your spray can? What did you spray on the Easter rabbit?'

The woman turned the can around so that the man could read the label.

It said: 'Hair spray. Restores life to dead hair and ad's a permanent wave.'

What do you get when you pour hot water down a rabbit hole?

A Hot Cross bunny.

What do you call ten rabbits marching backwards?

A receding hareline.

What is the difference between a crazy rabbit and a counterfeit banknote?

One is bad money and the other is a mad bunny!

How does a rabbit throw a tantrum?

A. He gets hopping mad.

What do you call a bunny with fleas?

A. Bugs Bunny!

Makeup opportunities

Rockingham:	Monday	6pm for 6.30	Ocean Clipper Inn
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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Contributions welcome: eblogg@bigpond.com