



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 31 09th March 2020



Attendance this week

Total Members	27
Apologies	2
Make-up	3
Attended	22
Honorary Member	1
LOA	1
Guests	2
Visitors	
Partners	

92.6%

Facts & Figures

**Raffle
Ian C & Cyril B**

**Heads & Tails
Chris O**

**Birthdays:
Barry W 12th Mar**

Anniversary:

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

Tonight we welcomed Kwinana Police OIC Snr Sergeant Anthony Thompson and Gilmore College Chaplain Linda Liddelw along to tell us about 'Life is a Sport Inc' a 'Not for Profit' organisation formed early in 2019 to teach positive life skills to children identified as being 'at risk' in the Kwinana area.

"Well how is the Corona Virus affecting you" I hope you are not short of toilet paper as the 'panic merchants' have been cleaning out our Supermarket shelves lately, enough said everyone has had a say on the stupidity these people are showing, the thing that concerns me is just imagine what would happen if we did have a genuine food shortage at some point in time, these people would cause absolute chaos, lets hope it never occurs or if it does our retailers have learnt some lessons from the latest happenings.

Interesting message from our World President last week, concerning any club or district events, and the suggested appropriate action. ??

Our 9465 District Conference is just 2 weeks away, let's hope the situation doesn't deteriorate further and have a negative effect on the many hours of work put into this years event by DG Wayne and his team, fingers crossed.

	Rotary International President 2019/20 Mark Daniel Maloney Rotary Club of East Nassau	District Governor 9465 2019/20 Wayne Milnes	
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Coming Events March 2020

Mar. 2020		
Mon 16th	Club Meeting	Chris Artemas
Fri – Sun 20th – 22nd	District Conference at Rockingham	
Mon 23nd	Club Meeting	
Mon 30th	Club Meeting	Rockingham Wild Encounters

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



Rotary 

PRESIDENT
2019-2020

Wendy Cooper



President's Pen

09th March 2020

It was a pleasure to welcome back two of our previous guests in Chaplain Linda Liddelow from Gilmore College and Police Officer Senior Sergeant Anthony Thompson. Linda and Anthony combined to present a program they are passionate about, "Life Is A Sport". In its infancy the program is to assist children at risk through a sport based initiative by way of financially supporting the recipient with funding for equipment in addition to mentorship.

Bob Cooper (16th March, his birthday) and James Sharkey (30th March) will stand in as President for me on these dates to allow me to attend an important Council forum and a visit to our children in Victoria. I thank both these past presidents for stepping up so they can revisit being at the helm.

Conference is sneaking up quickly and those that attend will be asked to briefly share their thoughts on the conference at the meeting on the 23rd March.

Genevieve asked that we purchase a pack of 10 tickets (\$150) in the Frank Konecny raffle which has 3 money prizes of substantial amounts. It is a win/win situation as we see it. If we win then we put it to our club projects and if we don't then we have made a donation to the great works of Frank Konecny.

The Board Meeting on Thursday night has a long list of topics to be considered.

Snr. Sergeant Anthony Thompson, President Wendy and Linda Liddelow





President 2020/21.

PDG John Iriks



Club Service Report: 09th March 2020

Plans to have another Hangi, date to be decided on.

Guess who is coming to dinner 2020. Dates suggested, May 16th or 23rd or 6th June

Please contact John privately if you are prepared to host and prepare dinner for 4 mysterious guests.

Our Club Changeover will be Sat. July 4th at the Kwinana Bowling Club.

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

On-to-Conference: PP John Wallhead

"A man and a friend are playing golf one day. One of the guys is about to chip onto the green when he sees a long funeral procession on the road next to the course.

"He stops in mid-swing, takes off his golf cap, closes his eyes, and bows down in prayer. His friend says: 'Wow that is the most thoughtful and touching thing I have ever seen.

You are truly a kind man. The man then replies: 'Yeah, well, after all we were married 35 years.'

Strange but true?

The sentence "The quick brown fox jumps over a lazy dog." uses every letter of the alphabet!

Fingernails grow nearly 4 times faster than toenails!

Of all the words in the English language, the word *set* has the most definitions!



Rtn Diane Brown



No Report

Secretary Diane is currently recovering from recent surgery, club members wish you well,
Speedy recovery in order.

Inward Correspondence.

Outward Correspondence.

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



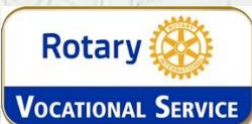
PDG Bob Cooper



Bills paid, money in the bank.

Treasurer Bob just wished to point out that one of the downsides of having the luxury
of our own hall etc, is that we are charged for electricity and water at commercial
rates, when in fact where water is concerned we use very little !!!

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.



Another Vocational Services visit opportunity is available for the Club to take up and enjoy.
This being a tour of the Vinnies receive, sorting and distribution Centre situated in Canning Vale, open to
members and partners.

The proposed visit date is for Wednesday 6 May at 9.30 am.

The tour will take around 90 minutes and morning tea would be provided at the end of the tour.

A mini bus could be arranged to take us there and back.

Vinnies is a major employer of people with a disability, be it physical or mental and includes both males and
females.

The Centre provides a happy supported community contributing vocation, especially to the Vinnies disabled
work force.

I have attended a visit to the Centre when I was a City Councillor.

I really enjoyed the visit and would recommend it as an uplifting experience and urge as many of you and your
partners that are able to come on the Vocational visit on 6 May.

(Ask for thoughts/comments)

More info will be provided at a later date.

Bob Thompson

Vocational Services Manager



International Report. 09th March 2020

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

1. Global grant GG 2095275 has been submitted to Foundation. we are now in the process of answering the questions from Foundation.
2. The Skyhydrant water filter from The Rotary Club of Phillip Island and Disaster Aid Australia will arrive in Dili about the 20th April, and their \$7,000.00 is already in our bank account. They have also informed us that they want to be independent of Foundation
3. Brother Adriana will start the modifications to one of the two sea containers we have waiting at Don Bosco in Dili shortly, this one as per Phillip Island & DAA request will be done outside of the Global Grant while we wait their approval for the other two.
4. I have been invited to attend the Rotary Club of Palm Beach on Wednesday 11th March 2020 for a presentation.
5. RPTLE will have a stand at the District 9465 conference 20th to 22nd March at Rockingham promoting Timor-Leste and Disaster Aid Australia
6. I will be the guest Speaker at the Rotary Club of Busselton Geographe Bay on the 25th March 2020 for a Presentation on the Timor Project, plus giving advice on the Grant Application process, applying to RAWCS for a project number and this will also be an opportunity to promote the value of the Activity sheets at their request.
7. Also speaking to members of The Rotary club of Margaret River whilst down there on Thursday 26th March 2020.

Max Bird

**Rotary District 9465
Conference : Rockingham**

SPEAKERS

Cam Calkoen – TedX Speaker
Reggie Lau - Global Hand
Wendy Protheroe - Past DG
Andrea Simmons and/or Glen
Ivers AAIC
Frank Zhao – Refugee



**20th March
4pm
22 March
2pm**

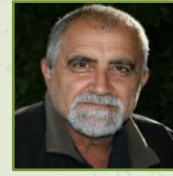




Projects Director
PP Mike Nella



PP Max Bird
Foundation Dir.



PP Edd Samut
Membership Dir.



PP James Sharkey
Public Relations Dir.

Project Director's Report.

Gentle Road premises now open for business, business steady.
Successful Garage Sale last weekend.
Recent trip to Jakarta, successful outcomes achieved.



Rtn. Norm Mulcahy
Community

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.

Membership:

Ed back to Rotary but still recovering from his recent health scare.
Plans to rekindle the Car Rally.



PP Bob Thompson
Vocational

Community:

Helps a little short for the Bread Project, please feel free to come along.
Anzac Day Breakfast, at this stage catering for 600.



PP. Max Bird
International

Vocational:

PP Bob T has lodged a local grant application via Madeleine King MP member for Brand.
We applied for a grant to install a Defibrillator at Rotary Hall plus a club First Aid Training Course.
Also noted that our existing 'First Aid Kit' needs upgrading.

International:

Latest meeting minutes available to view on ClubRunner.
View a complete review of my recent trip to Timor on ClubRunner.



PP Genevieve Carr
Youth

Youth:

Have a hopeful for RYPEN, Only 1 camp this year, not 2.
Gilmore College actively looking for hosts for an exchange student.

Visit your club webpage.

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



Fine Session: Sgt. Cyril Bennett



Deputy Bill Rowe.

- James S: Pinched the sergeant's seat.
- Chris O: Asked if his fish bit him, bandaged hands, more info below!!!
- Wendy C: Not wearing her collar.
- John W: dropping coins onto the floor when President Wendy was talking.
- WCE: WHAT WENT WRONG!!!
- John W: Must support South Fremantle, red and White socks.
- Genevieve)
Veronica) Phones went off.
- Cyril B: Last Friday Cyril took Bevan to Rocky Hospital, not feeling well. They were there for about 3 hours, not in the waiting room but in a cubicle, entertained themselves by observing the pretty nurses walking past.
- Ian C: Fined Greg, Ian put a heap of small change into the money draw, won 1 prize, Greg gave him back all of the loose change.
- Chris O: Sporting bandages on both hands??? Weekend to forget, Friday, at Ascot visiting a horse, getting on well, patting and stroking, stopped, so said horse took a bite at his chest, result quite a bruise.
Forward to Saturday, Chris has a nice wooden deck between his backyard swimming and fish pools, had recently noticed some white ant activity, board he stood on collapsed, result skinned & bruised shins.
Sunday his hands developed red marks and were very itchy, by Munday morning many blisters had appeared, Chris reckoned best I prick them and went to work, things didn't improve, at lunch-time he called in to Parmelia Medical Centre, got castigated for pricking the blisters, ended up have both hands treated and bandaged, result of a chemical reaction to some cleaning fluid used earlier. (ED: Bad but not as bad as falling off the roof eh! Chris.)

90% of men kiss their wife goodbye when they leave the house.
The rest kiss their house goodbye when they leave the wife.

A banker is someone who lends you an umbrella when the sun is shining,
and who asks for it back when it start to rain.

Polio This Week 04th March 2020

It is the run up to International Women's Day and we are excited to be highlighting some of the tremendous work that women have contributed in the fight against polio. [Take a look at Dr Faten Kamel's journey](#) working against polio in different countries.

In May 2019, Iran reported an isolation of a wild poliovirus type1 in a sewage sample from Sistan & Balochistan province. The virus was confirmed to be genetically linked to the wild poliovirus from Karachi, Pakistan. This development, per existing global polio program guidelines, triggered opening of an 'Event'. After months of consultations and a high level of poliovirus surveillance sensitivity, the event has now been declared closed therefore eliminating Iran from the list of outbreak countries.

Summary of new viruses this week

(AFP cases and environmental samples):

Afghanistan: two WPV1 cases

Pakistan: four WPV1 cases, 16 WPV1 positive environmental samples and six cVDPV2 cases

Somalia: one cVDPV2 positive environmental sample

Angola: one cVDPV2 case and two cVDPV2 positive environmental samples

Chad: four cVDPV2 cases

Côte d'Ivoire: one cVDPV2 positive environmental sample

Democratic Republic of the Congo: two cVDPV2 cases

Ethiopia: one cVDPV2 case

Malaysia: three cVDPV1 positive environmental samples





Guest Speakers:

Life is a Sport Inc.

Linda Liddelow: Chaplain Gilmore College.
Anthony Thompson: OIC Kwinana Police



Gilmore College Chaplain Linda Liddelow and Snr Sergeant Anthony Thompson came along to promote 'Life is a Sport Inc.' an independent, Not For Profit Organisation formed early in 2019.

- We aim to teach positive life skills to children in the Kwinana area, through provision of funding for participation in sporting activities.
- The sole purpose of Life Is A Sport is to source funding to provide sporting opportunities, as a means to learn valuable life skills, to children identified as being 'at-risk'.
- Our Vision Statement is:
To provide support and promote personal development and well-being of at-risk children from the Kwinana area.

What are our objectives:

- **Objective 1** - Identify at-risk children who will benefit from sport programs as a diversion and actively assist in enrolling these children in sporting programs.
- **Objective 2** - Provide financial assistance for children (fees and apparel) to participate in sporting programs.
- **Objective 3** - Provide support and guidance for at-risk children.

What is 'at risk' ?

- The Kwinana area has many families that suffer due to poverty, as well as lack of access to social amenities and family oriented resources.
- Because of this, many of the children in the area fall victim to 'gateway' behaviours.
- Gateway behaviours are the anti-social behaviours that, while not always illegal in and of themselves, might lead to further illegal behaviours.
- Examples of this range from graffiti to carrying/selling illicit drugs.
- Children who participate in this behaviour, are often at risk of progressing to harder criminal activities.

What are our main activities ?

1. Identification of at risk-children through consultation with Gilmore College, Kwinana Primary Schools, Kwinana Police and Kwinana Youth intervention group (Kwinana Youth Service, CPFS, Aboriginal representatives, Police).
2. Facilitating sponsorship and subsequent logistics to place at-risk children into appropriate sporting programs.
3. Ongoing moral support and guidance for at-risk children and their immediate families.

How will we measure success ?

1. Successful participation in sports program by at-risk children.
2. Increased attendance and participation at school by at-risk children.
3. Diversion of child away from criminal offending, anti-social behaviour and illicit drug use.

Benefits to the Organisation

- Sponsorship will allow Life is a Sport to sponsor at-risk young people in the Kwinana area.
- As this is a new project, this support will allow Life is a Sport to establish itself within the Kwinana community.
- It will benefit the organization by allowing it to build effective networks with key players in the area, helping it to achieve its aims more effectively.
- The sponsorship will also provide a means for publicizing the organization, its aims, and its successes, which will, in turn, attract more sponsorships.

Benefits to the child

- The Life Is A Sport program will provide support for children in a similar manner to the Planet Youth Program in Iceland.
- The Planet Youth Program has been running since the early '90s, and is based on strategies to provide fiscal and social support of children.
- Findings from the Planet Youth Program indicate that extracurricular activities and sports for children is a main protective factor for children.
- The evidence-based positive outcome of children's involvement in sport is improvement in the lives of the child, their families, and the community in general.

Budget

- On a per child basis, the budget is \$500-00 per year.
- This is based on sponsorship of a winter and summer sport activity, less the \$150-00 per child we receive from the Kid's Sport program.
- This budget also provides approximately \$90-00 per child for equipment support, and/or reward incentives for strong participation in the program.
- At the end of each financial year, Life Is A Sport will implement an acquittal process, to ensure financial accountability.

How can you help ?

- Our need for sponsorships is acute. We have identified many kids who will benefit from sponsorship, and we have the ability to do so, but we lack the resources.
- We would love you to get involved with sponsoring our project.
- The main sponsorship is monetary (as indicated previously, it takes \$500 to sponsor one child for a year).
- We would also, however, appreciate being sponsored in other ways (for example, providing sports apparel and equipment, helping with coaching, providing administrative support, and so forth).

Linda Liddelow.

linda.liddelow@education.wa.edu.au

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Strange but true?

A company in Taiwan makes dinnerware out of wheat, so you can eat your plate!

More Monopoly money is printed in a year, than real money printed throughout the world!

The elephant is one of the few mammals that can't jump! 

The penguin is the only bird who can swim, but not fly!

Q is the only letter in the alphabet that does not appear in the name of any of the United States!

One quarter of the bones in your body are in your feet!

Bats always turn left when exiting a cave!

The praying mantis is the only insect that can turn its head!

Fingernails grow nearly 4 times faster than toenails!

A fetus develops fingerprints at eighteen weeks!

One litre of used motor oil can ruin approximately one million litres of fresh water!

A professor of chemistry wanted to teach his 5th grade class a lesson about the evils of liquor, so he produced an experiment that involved a glass of water, a glass of whiskey, and two worms.

"Now, class, closely observe the worms," said the professor while putting a worm into the water.

The worm in the water writhed about, happy as a worm in water could be.

He then put the second worm into the whiskey. It curled up and writhed about painfully, then quickly sank to the bottom, dead as a doornail.

"Now, what lesson can we learn from this experiment?" the professor asked.

Johnny, who naturally sits in back, raised his hand and wisely, responded confidently, "Drink whiskey and you won't get worms."

Do not argue with an idiot. they will drag you down to their level and beat you with experience.

We live in a society where pizza gets to your house before the police.

War does not determine who is right - only who is left.



A young executive was leaving the office at 6pm when he found the CEO (Chief Executive Officer) standing in front of a shredder with a piece of paper in hand.

"Listen," said the CEO, "this is important, and my secretary has left. Can you make this thing work?"

"Certainly," said the young executive. He turned the machine on, inserted the paper, and pressed the start button.

"Excellent, excellent!" said the CEO as his paper disappeared inside the machine. "I just need one copy."

If you take an Oriental person and spin him around several times, does he become disoriented?

If people from Poland are called "Poles," why aren't people from Holland called "Holes?"

Life in the Middle Ages

Sometimes the graveyard was overfull and the local folks started running out of places to bury people.

So they would dig up coffins and would take the bones to a "bone-house" and reuse the grave.

When reopening these coffins, 1 out of 25 coffins were found to have scratch marks on the inside and they realized they had been burying people alive.

So they would tie a string on the wrist of the corpse, lead it through the coffin and up through the ground and tie it to a bell. Someone would have to sit out in the graveyard all night (the "graveyard shift") to listen for the bell; thus, someone could be "saved by the bell" or was considered a "dead ringer."

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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