

Team 2017-2018

President Michael Nella

Secretary Cheryl D'Souza

Treasurer
Bob Cooper

Attendance this week
Total Members 28
Apologies
Make-up
Attended
Honorary Member 1
LOA
Guests
Visitors
Partners
Attendance

Facts & Figures
Raffle

Heads & Tails
Birthdays

Anniversary

If you had any we hope you had a good day



Visitors always welcome



# The Rotary Club of Kwinana Inc.

District 9465 Western Australia Chartered: 22 April 1971





No 35 28 May 2018



Greetings to all,

On Monday evening I attended the State Final of the Rotary Four Way Test Speaking competition. There were four very fine young speakers who had chosen to speak about a range of topics whilst incorporating the Four Way Test. It was most pleasing to note that all students spoke about topics that were very relevant to youth. The first speaker spoke about body image, the second student spoke about technology harming personal communication, the third (winning) speaker spoke about why our schooling system is out of date, and the fourth speaker spoke about encouraging entrepreneurialism in the youth. The winner received a prize of \$400, second place received \$200, and the other two speakers each received \$100. I sat with a very pleasant group of people who were members of the Rotary Club of Gosnells, and during the course of the evening we had the opportunity to exchange information about our respective clubs' activities. I also had the opportunity to catch up with good friends Barry Berger, Brian Eddy and Pushpa Pushpalingam. All of three of these gentlemen sent their best regards to our club.

We are now on the final 'home run' for the year. No doubt that upon his return from Indonesia our President-Elect Steve Castelli will hit the ground running with his final preparations for the year ahead. A timely reminder to people to advise him of numbers attending Club Changeover at Peel Manor House. It will be a different style of changeover this year, but should be most enjoyable.



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 May – Youth Services Month

Mon 28 May Club Meeting

#### June - Rotary Fellowships Month

Mon 4 June WA Day Public Holiday – no meeting

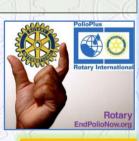
Sun 10 June Village Markets at Wellard

Mon 11 June Club Meeting – Partners Night

Mon 18 June Hydro session & dinner at Kwinana Hotel

Wed 20 June Combined Board 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



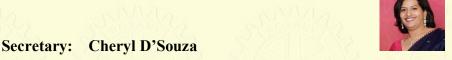


#### President's Pen

#### President's Report PP James Sharkey (Chair)

- 1. Welcome to guest speaker Jane Davies. Jane will be speaking about the care organisation called Mosaic, where she is employed.
- 2. Welcome to guest Tony Critchley, who is Ian Critchley's brother. Tony joined the South Bunbury Rotary Club about a year ago. Tony expressed his thanks to our club for our recent \$500 donation towards his bike ride down south (see further details on Page 9). He also presented our club with a personal donation of \$300.
- 3. Thank you to all those who volunteered to help with the BBQ for the opening of the new Lithium refinery. By all accounts, it was a great success.
- 4. Monday 11 June will be a partners night. Former Japanese exchange student Shingya Matsuo and his wife will be attending. A program has been organised for Shingya as follows:
  - Bob & Jo Thomson have offered to act as their guide for the day
  - 10.00 am first stop the Adventure Park. This is a \$5.2 million park that the City of Kwinana and Rotary with others has constructed, and has been voted the best in Australia
  - 12.00 am Coffee or Lunch and a tour of Darius Wells library and the Dome Coffee Shop
  - 2.00 pm Ian Critchley has arrange a full tour of Gilmore Collage with the rincipal
  - 4.00 pm rest up and clean up for Monday night's meeting; Wendy & Bob Cooper have offered to host
  - 6.00 pm Rotary Meeting @ the Rotary Hall
  - 8.30 pm back to their hotel





#### **Inward Correspondence**

- 1. Received water bill for April 2018
- 2. Bendigo Bank statement from Jan to Mar 2018
- 3. Tax invoice from Kwinana RSL for wreath for Anzac day.
- 4. Board minutes sent to members

#### **Outward Correspondence**

• No report



Treasurer: PDG Bob Cooper

Money in the bank; bills paid





#### Club Service: Stephen Castelli

- 1. Stephen Castelli and Michael Nella will be returning home from Indonesia this week
- 2. Club Meeting on Monday 11 June will be a partners meeting. Former exchange student Shinya and his wife will be attending. Furthermore, the guest speakers will be Josh Carr and his teacher Damian Ramos who will be speaking about their recent school pilgrimage to Poland and Rome. Please advise Greg of numbers attending.
- 3. Changeover is on Sat 30/06 @ Peel Manor House from 1-4pm. Cost is \$45/head. Need to have final numbers by mid June.



PP Edd Samut Membership

#### Membership

No report

#### **Public Relations**

- 511 "Likes" on our Facebook page!!!
- Another two photos of our club appeared in this week's *Rotary Out West*.
- Due to organise for a local newspaper photo of Genevieve's exercise class at Banksia Retirement Village.
- The next Bunnings BBQ will be held on Thursday 14 June. We will require six volunteers.



PP James Sharkey Public Relations

#### **Foundation**

 Progress of End Polio Now is constantly being reported in the club bulletin. We are very close to attaining our goal of complete eradication of polio.



PP Ian Critchley Foundation

## What is the Rotary Four Way Test Speaking Competition?

The Rotary Four Way Test Speaking Competition is a state-wide competition with a State final being conducted in conjunction with fellow Western Australian District 9465.

#### Aims

The aims of the competition are to:

- introduce Year 10 students to the Rotary Four Way Test. This will assist them to understand that positive life values are important foundations to making decisions and acting with integrity.
- provide Year 10 students with an opportunity to compete in a public speaking competition, thereby fostering excellence in the art of public speaking and developing the confidence and self-esteem of participating students.
- provide an opportunity for students to test their skills before an audience.
- bring the concepts of the Rotary Four Way Test to the attention of students.
- provide Rotary and the Rotary Four Way Test with valuable exposure in the community.
- develop relationships between Rotary and schools.

#### **Eligibility**

Year 10 students in any high school or college in District 9455 applying through a Rotary Club. Students will participate in the district final and the state final in their Year 11.

Any topic may be chosen but the participants must address and refer to the Rotary Four Way Test in their speech and focus on the four elements. (Points are lost for failure to comply with this condition).

#### Prizes

Prizes will be awarded to the winners of the club heats, district finals and the state final. Adjudication

At Club heats, the students are adjudicated by one qualified adjudicator and two members of the Club. The semi-final/s, district final and the state final are all adjudicated by qualified adjudicators.

#### **Organisation**

With the guidance of the district committee, Rotary Clubs invite schools to participate. It is strongly recommended that schools be approached early in term 2 (around May). Individual clubs manage their involvement in the competition with the assistance of the district committee. Clubs in the north-west of the State are encouraged to conduct a competition within their area and provide a semi-finalist to compete in the district final. Teachers, family and friends should be encouraged to attend all events.

Club heats will usually be held during September with district semi-finals being held in November. The district final is usually conducted at the district conference with the state final being held after that.

**Chair:** Hank De Smit (Joondalup)

- rotarydistrict9455.org/sitepage/.../four-way-test-speech-competition



PDG John Iriks



Michael Metcalf Community



PP Genevieve Carr Vocational



PP Max Bird International



Lorraine Lucas Youth

## Club Projects Director PDG John Iriks

#### **Project Director's Report**

A reminder to all Directors and Project Managers that end-of-year reports will be due by early June.

#### **Community**

- BBQ for opening of new Lithium plant was very successful. Huge thanks to everyone who assisted.
- A reminder about the next Village Markets at Wellard next Sunday 10 July.

#### Vocational

- Genevieve attended the State Final of the Four Way Test Speaking Competition on Monday 28 May. Some very interesting speakers.
- Have booked the hydrotherapy pool for7-8pm on Monday 18 June; after the session we will have dinner at the Kwinana Local Hotel.
   Members, partners and friends welcome.

#### **International**

The International Committee is carrying out the following:

• Max currently in Timor

#### Youth

- Interact Club at Gilmore College appears to be going well. On Wednesday 6 June they will be holding a cupcake sale; would appreciate donations of cupcakes!
- If anyone is able to help with Breakfast Club between 7.30 and 8.30am it would be appreciated.

Visit your club webpage.
<a href="http://www.clubrunner.ca/Portal/Home.aspx?accountid=8106">http://www.clubrunner.ca/Portal/Home.aspx?accountid=8106</a>
or type Kwinana Rotary Club into "Google"





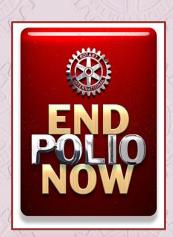
### **Fine Session**

Whoever wrote this notice deserves a fine!!!



Rotary's commitment to eradicating polio worldwide won Best Nonprofit Act in the Hero Awards of the One Billion Acts of Peace campaign, an international global citizens' movement to tackle the world's most important issues.







## **Guest Speaker**

#### Jane Davies - Mosaic Community Care

Thank you for inviting me to come and speak to you this evening about Mosaic Community Care. I'd like to begin by acknowledging the traditional owners of the land on which we meet today, the Whadjuk People of the Nyoongar Nation and pay my respects to elders past and present.

My connection with Kwinana goes back to 1966, when a family of 10 pound Poms arrived in Western Australia and moved into state housing in Medina. In 1967 we moved to a house in Calista that Mum and Dad had built, and I moved from Medina Primary to Calista Primary School. Five years at Kwinana High School Followed. Dad worked at BP and Mum's last job before retirement was managing the SEC canteen. Dad still lives in Calista, as does my brother and his family. My niece is currently a student at Gilmore College. I have always been connected to this area and I'm currently the Chairperson of the Kwinana Early Years Services.

So, to the topic I have been asked to talk about – Mosaic Community Care Inc. Originally named GACLA (Gosnells and Armadale Community Living Association), Mosaic was established in 1992 by a group of community members interested in developing improved options for their family members. Over 25 years later, two of our founding members' family members are still with us. We are a not-for-profit and registered charity, and our vision is "to enrich the quality of life of people with disability". We work in partnership with our clients and the important people in their lives to explore opportunities, plan and shape services, and achieve personal goals. We have over 200 employees, and 20 residences in the southern suburbs, including Medina, Bertram, Baldivis, Safety Bay, Armadale, Kenwick and Canningvale.

We support people to live independently in their own homes and live a normal life. All up we currently support over 130 people who have a variety of disabilities – including physical, cognitive, intellectual, mental, sensory, developments, or a combination of these.

#### Our values are:

- 1. **Integrity:** We hold ourselves to the highest standards of honesty and ethics
- 2. **Respect**: We acknowledge and value the rights of others.
- 3. Safety: We create safe environments for our participants, team members and others.
- 4. **Inclusion**: Our participants and staff are enabled to engage fully within Mosaic and the broader community.
- 5. **Choice**: We enable our participants to make individual plans that allow control over their personal growth, development and quality of life.

Great words, but how does that look? For instance: safety – that is a great term ...the dignity of risk. Dignity of risk is the idea that self-determination and the right to take reasonable risks are essential for dignity and self-esteem, thus should not be impeded by excessively cautious caregivers concerned about their duty of care. For example, a client of ours was given a gift of a helicopter ride by her sister. Our job is not to say 'too risky', but to manage the risk so the client can exercise her choice.

There are six national quality standards that apply to disability service providers and that we are all measured against.

- 1. **Rights**: The service promotes individual rights to freedom of expression, self-determination and decision-making, and actively prevents abuse, harm, neglect and violence.
- 2. **Participation and inclusion**: The service works with individuals and families, friends and carers to promote opportunities for meaningful participation and active inclusion in society.
- 3. **Individual outcomes**: Services and supports are assessed, planned, delivered and reviewed to build on individual strengths and enable individuals to reach their goals.
- 4. **Feedback and complaints**: Regular feedback is sought and used to inform individuals and organization-wide service reviews and improvement.
- 5. **Service Access**: The service manages access, commencement and leaving a service in a transparent, fair, equal and responsive way.
- 6. **Service management**: The service has effective and accountable service management and leadership to maximize outcomes for individuals.

Mosaic recently underwent an external quality audit with a result of 'no required actions', so this was a great result

#### **OUR SERVICES**

#### **Supported Accommodation**

We support people with disability to live as independently as possible in the community of their choice. This could include support to live in your own home, or support to live with other people, cincluding in one of our modern residences.

Staffed by dedicated, experienced teams provided 24/7 support, our residences are located in hubs across the metropolitan area and provide residents with:

- 1. A welcoming, homely atmosphere in a supportive and safe environment
- 2. Company, friends and entertainment
- 3. Access to specialist health services
- 4. Opportunities to learn new skills to assist transition to independent living
- 5. Access to community facilities and events

When we get new enquiries, most people have no idea what supported accommodation looks like, and often have a very outdated, institutionalized view.

#### CAS

Our Community Access and Support team provides tailored supports to assist people to live independently in their own homes, and/or participate in activities of interest.

Some of the activities we support include:

- 1. Maintaining and developing friendships and informal community connections;
- 2. Participating in sporting and recreational activities;
- 3. Accessing educational and training courses;
- 4. Life skills training such as housekeeping, meal preparation, transport training, money management and shopping;
- 5. Assistance to attend medical, dental, therapy and other appointments

#### **NDIS**

The biggest change here is choice and control. Previously there was block funding – DSOs would get a lump of money and decide how to allocate it. Now all the power is with the consumer. Funding is allocated to each client and then they shop around for their provider. And they can move very easily if they aren't happy.



## **Monday Night**



Tony Critchley and Chairman James exchanging club banners. Tony is set to participate in the Solaris Cancer Care and ARH Mental Health bike ride, otherwise known as the South Bunbury Rotary Great WA Bike Ride. The bike ride will commence on Thursday 7 June and proceed over a number of days, with riders departing from Bunbury and head in a circuit as far as Albany before returning to Bunbury. The cause is very close to Tony as his daughter is currently undergoing treatment for cancer. Organisers have set a target goal to raise \$20,000.

Personal donations can be made to

South Bunbury Rotary

BSB: 016560 Acc #: 255144735

Or go to Go Fund Me page to donate

https://www.gofundme.com/1000km-bicycle-ride-for-charity



Guest speaker Jane together with Chairman James

## Max Bird in Timor



Gari-Uai we are now in the final stages of supplying water to the village, Father Manuel's Sister House





### **Makeup opportunities**

Rockingham:
Palm Beach:
Baldivis:
Cockburn
Fremantle
Byford & Districts

Monday Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Mon Thursday Wednesday Monday

6pm for 6.30 6pm for 6.30 6.30pm for 7 7.15am for 7.30 6pm for 6.30 6.15pm for 6.45 Rockingham RSL Club
Ocean Clipper Inn
Peel Manor House
Cockburn Seniors Centre

Villa Roma 12 High Street Fremantle Byford Tavern, South W Hwy

Rotary Club of Kwinana Inc Contributions welcome: gendam@bigpond.net.au