



The Rotary Club of Kwinana

District 9465 Western Australia

Chartered: 22 April 1971



President James

Bulletin

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Team 2013-14

President
James Sharkey
Secretary
Genevieve Carr
Treasurer
John Iriks

Attendance this week
Total Members 26
Exempt
Apologies 6
Make-up
Attended 18
Honorary Member 1
Guests
Visitors
Partners
69 %

Facts & Figures
Raffle
Wendy & Rodger

Heads & Tails
Chris O

Birthdays:

Anniversary:
John & Margaret

Club Anniversary:

If you had any we hope
you had a good day



April 2014

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

Visitors always welcome

Good meeting tonight, we were originally to have a 'thumbnail' from Michael Nella, but as Michael was not able to attend we were entertained and informed by a very interesting presentation on the City of Kwinana Emergency Management by PP Ian Critchley who has chaired the committee for almost 20 years. Very comforting to know that our welfare during any incident or disaster is in the hands of such a dedicated group of people.

The news is that a Bendigo Bank for Kwinana has the official go-ahead and that 4 possible sites are being evaluated, congratulations to PDG John Iriks and his team of dedicated supporters without whom this community banking option would not have been possible.

The Danish GSE team have returned home to family and friends after a very successful visit to WA. I know the funding requirements have changed but it will be a tragedy if this program is not able to continue in the same format.

Easter just around the corner, school holidays are upon us from Friday, Anzac Day on the 25th catering for 550 it's all happening.



Rotary International President
Ron D. Burton

Rotary Club of Norman,
Oklahoma, USA



District Governor 9465

Erwin Biemel 2013-14

Coming Events April 2014 Magazine Month

April 2014

- Mon 14th** Club Meeting
- Mon 21st** No Club Meeting Easter Monday
- Fri 25th** Anzac Day Breakfast
- Mon 28th** Club Meeting

The Four-Way Test

Of things 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?

Attendance Officer: Greg Williams 9419 5834
Apologies by Saturday pm please

President James Sharkey



President's Pen

Club Meeting 07th April 2014



President James welcomed everyone to the meeting, a special welcome to guest speaker our own PP Ian Critchley.

James again promoted 'Pictionary for Autism' fundraiser for Rotaract, Saturday 12th April 2014 at the Garry Holland Centre, Rockingham.



Interesting photo shows colorful flower fields near Carlsbad in California

You develop a habit through repetition

The secret of happiness is not in doing what one likes but in liking what one does

Appreciation makes most people feel better than almost anything else



Secretary: PP Genevieve Carr



Inward Correspondence:

- Request for support from Haemophilia Foundation
- Bendigo Bank statement
- Request for support from Harry Perkins Institute
- Request for support from MedicAlert
- Invoice for hire of John Wellard Hall
- Rotary Out West
- Duck race ticket promotion

Outward Correspondence:

- Notification to Kwinana RSL regarding wreath for Anzac Day



Treasurer: PDG John Iriks



Bills paid, money in the bank

Club financials to December 2013 are available for your perusal, see myself or any board member for access.

Bendigo Bank has had the official go-ahead, looking at four possible sites.



President Elect Michael Nella



Some important dates for the remainder of this year.

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| Saturday 12 th April | Rotaract 'Play Pictionary for Autism' |
| Monday 12 th May | Joint meeting with R/Ham clubs 'Timor Project' |
| Wednesday 21 st May | Incoming Board Meeting. |
| Saturday 7 th June | Rotaract Changeover. |
| Wednesday 18 th June | Combined Board Meeting |
| Saturday 12 th July | Kwinana Club Changeover |

Rotaract Club are organising a 'Monster Garage Sale' (watch this space)



**Club Projects Director
PP Ian Critchley**



**AG Bob Thompson
Foundation Dir.**



**PP John Brennan
Membership**

Project Director's Report.



**Norm Mulcahy
Community**

The next Wellard Village Markets are to be held on Sunday April 13th Wendy reported that she had good response and assistance from the Wellard Village group, 33 stalls booked for Sunday, weather looks perfect. Markets will run till June, we will then evaluate continuing during winter.



**Garry Bassett
Vocational**

Submission has been lodged with COK regarding Kwinana Marketplace Markets.

Foundation committee, a grant to assist with the East Timor Water Project has been approved by District and lodged with Rotary Foundation. No news as yet.

Risk Management for Timor trip completed, date for visit now put back till Sept/Oct.



**Max Bird
International**

Sunday 4th May at Kwinana Bowling Club, Industries Cup Event, Greg Williams would like to put together a 4 person team to compete on the day. See Greg if you would like to join him.

Membership: Meeting scheduled for Monday 19th May, PP John is writing an editorial for the local papers inviting interested people along to the meeting.



**PP Matt White
Youth**

Max is organising a caravan/camping trip to Albany for the Anzac Commemorative Event, October 31st to November 2nd 2014. See Max if you would like to join the party.

<http://www.anzacentenary.gov.au/program/acce.htm>



**PP Chris Oughton
Public Relations Dir.**

Lyrik Awards nominations will close on Friday May 16th follow the link for a full explanation.

<http://www.lyrik.com.au/reward/>

Visit your club webpage.

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

or type Kwinana Rotary Club into 'Google'



Guest Speaker PP Ian Critchley



Chairman Local Emergency Management Committee (LEMC)

City of Kwinana Emergency Management

City of Kwinana

The City of Kwinana ensure a Local Emergency Management Committee (LEMC) and effective Local Emergency Management Arrangements (LEMA) are in place.

The City has an Emergency Services Co-ordinator who is the key link between all of the local emergency organisations in the area. It is this officer's job to prepare and educate the community, monitor and enforce regulations as well as coordinate the response of council resources during an emergency.

The City also has a Recovery Coordinator whose role it is to manage the community needs following a major emergency. Specific Councillors, Council Officers and staff may be called on to assist during an emergency, for example Health, Building, Engineering, Administration and Maintenance staff can provide expertise in a range of issues and conditions.

Local Emergency Management Committee (LEMC)

The role of the LEMC is to advise and assist the City of Kwinana, and ensure local emergency management arrangements are established for the district. The committee also liaises with public authorities and other persons in the development, review and testing of our local emergency management arrangements. The Kwinana LEMC meet quarterly to review our emergency management arrangements and ensure they remain current, valid and in accordance with established procedures and protocols. Reviews and exercises to test arrangements are held on a regular basis and amended where appropriate.

Members of the committee provide a wide range of interests, skills and local knowledge with representation from Council Officers and Councillors, community members,

Kwinana Police
Department of Fire and Emergency Services (DFES)
Hope Valley Fire & Rescue Service Station
Kwinana Volunteer Fire & Rescue Service
Kwinana Bush Fire Service
Rockingham/Kwinana State Emergency Service Unit (SES)
Kwinana Industries Mutual Aid Operations Group
WA Ambulance Service
Department of Child Protection and Family Support
Kwinana Salvation Army Community Church

An emergency trailer is maintained by the Salvation Army in Kwinana and this trailer is always available early at the event scene. Its primary purpose is to provide responding emergency personnel and volunteers with the basic requirements of hot or cold food and drink.

I saved him from ur Easter basket.



I saw what you did to chocolate bunny.

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**Hi there! I'm GET-DOWN!-NO!
What's your name?**



**OH, SO YOU CAN'T
SLEEP**



**WHY NOT TELL EVERYONE ON
FACEBOOK? THAT'LL HELP**

generator.net

I KILLED A BLACK SNAKE



WHY U NOT HAPPY





International Committee report.

Committee meeting held on Saturday 29th March 2014

Very productive meeting, minutes are available if anyone would like a copy.

The International Committee has been carrying out the following.

Funds committed to the Timor-Leste project.

- Southern Districts \$10,000
- District 9465 \$4,000
- Rockingham RC \$3,000
- Palm Beach RC \$2,000
- Byford & Districts \$1,120

The International team has prepared and submitted an application to Rotary Foundation for a \$16,000 grant, the application has been approved at District level and signed off as authorised by both Districts (9455 and 9465)

**Trip to East Timor originally planned for May/June
now scheduled for Sept/Oct 2014**

The Rotary World's Greatest Meal and Global Swimarathon projects have been phenomenally successful, raising over US\$1m for End Polio Now when matched funding from the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation is added.

More than 30,000 people took part in the events, which were organised by over 1,000 Rotary clubs in 50 countries spanning six continents. The World's Greatest Meal alone raised over US\$ 500,000 with 300 fundraising meals taking place around the globe.

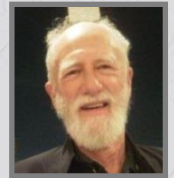
Mukesh Malhotra of the Rotary Club of Hounslow said: "These were very simple ideas which came from humble beginnings. With the extraordinary commitment and support of Rotarians all over the world and the use of social media, we have been able to break records, generate worldwide publicity and raise enough money to protect millions of children from polio. A big thank you to everyone who took part."

Rotary's next big fundraising push for End Polio Now will be on World Polio Day in October.



Fine Session

Sergeant PP John Wallhead



Ian C: Obligatory phone call

John I, Wendy and Chris O: Holding their own little meeting

Bevan P: Welcome along Bevan, pay up!

Bob T: Well that's your first week of retirement!! Pay for the privilege

Ian C: Where did you get that tie?? Town of Kwinana tie!!

James: The procurers according to John, Mike – Mr Sausage, Eric Mr Bacon, Bob T is Mr Eggs and James put his hand up to be Mr Bean!!!!

Bevan and Bob C: Holding a conversation while reports are being given.

John Iriks: Unfortunate choice of words, telling the meeting and I quote "I always love being screwed"

Errol seen at the voting place Saturday looking rather splendid in his 'Sunday best' all set to vote armed with a computer printout with candidates numbered 1 to 77



Tallest dog in the world, Great Dane Zeus

Guinness world records

District Conferences get a one-day makeover



Rotary Districts across the country are beginning to question the traditional format of District Conferences and looking at new ways of doing things.

Organised by District 9675 Governor Garry Browne, Shift2014 saw a dramatic change to the way District Conferences have traditionally been held and proved a great success.

Billed as a "one-day powerhouse of inspirational content", Shift 2014 was home to over a dozen expert speakers, veterans in both business and technology.

One of the biggest changes in Shift2014, however, was allowing non-Rotarians to attend in their own right; a stark contrast to the tradition of requiring an invitation from Rotarian members.

This saw not only a dramatic increase in the number of non-Rotarians, but also in the number of youth attendees.

"If you're going to change behaviours, mindsets and attitudes, you really have to change the way you behave," DG Garry said. "Do the same old thing all the time, you get the same result." The reception to the conference has been incredibly positive.

"I never imagined I would have so much positive feedback and response - not just from those who didn't attend, but just heard about it," Garry said.

It is estimated between 20-25 per cent of attendees were youth - young people in business in particular. And the vast majority of these attendees were non-Rotarians.

"I'd had a number of meetings with young people who attended the conference and want to join Rotary," Garry said.

Meanwhile, District 9685 has also held a successful one-day Conference.

Live-streamed and interactive, the conference hosted 650 attendees with 350 online viewers across 14 countries.

The format came in response to the approaching Rotary International Conference, but was also prompted by the need to make the format more affordable and accessible.

"I think a one-day Conference is the way to go," District Governor Graeme Davies said. "The beauty of having a day where people physically come together, is helped by the way the online components can open up opportunities. It is also quite affordable and more attractive to Rotaractors and young Rotarians."

To Graeme's knowledge, it is the first time a District Conference has been live-streamed and he hopes to see more one-day formats for city-based Conferences.

"I think we'll find the one-day Conference will increase in popularity once people recognise you can meet the requirements of a District Conference in this format."

Taken from Rotary News Australia



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Rotary. Humanity in motion.

rotary.org/endpolio



What do you get when you pour hot water down a rabbit hole?
A Hot Cross bunny.

How do you post a bunny?
Hare mail.

What does a bunny use when it goes fishing?
A hare-net.

Why are people always tired in April?
Because they've just finished a 31 day March.

What do you call ten rabbits marching backwards?
A receding hareline.

How many chocolate bunnies can you put into an empty Easter basket?
One. After that the basket won't be empty.

One Easter a priest and a taxi driver both died and went to heaven. St. Peter was at the Pearly gates waiting for them.

'Come with me,' said St. Peter to the taxi driver.

The taxi driver did as he was told and followed St Peter to a mansion. It had everything you could imagine from a bowling alley to an Olympic size pool.

'Oh my word, thank you,' said the taxi driver.

Next, St. Peter led the priest to a rough old shack with a bunk bed and a little old television set.

'Wait, I think you are a little mixed up,' said the priest. 'Shouldn't I be the one who gets the mansion? After all I was a priest, went to church every day, and preached God's word.'

'Yes, that's true.' St Peter rejoined, 'But during your Easter sermons people slept. When the taxi driver drove, everyone prayed.'

Makeup opportunities

Rockingham:
Palm beach:
Cockburn
Fremantle

Monday 6pm for 6.30
Wednesday 6pm for 6.30
Thursday 7.15am for 7.30
Wednesday 6pm for 6.30

Ocean Clipper Inn
Ocean Clipper Inn
Cockburn Seniors Centre
Villa Roma 9 High Street Fremantle

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