



The Rotary Club of Kwinana

District 9465 Western Australia

Chartered: 22 April 1971



President James

Bulletin

No 37 14th April 2014



Team 2013-14

President
James Sharkey
Secretary
Genevieve Carr
Treasurer
John Iriks

Attendance this week
Total Members 26
Exempt
Apologies 2
Make-up 1
Attended 20
Honorary Member 1
Guests
Visitors
Partners

81 %

Facts & Figures
Raffle
Eric & Eric

Heads & Tails
Bob C

Birthdays:
Marge W 25th

Anniversary:

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

Another good meeting, no guest speaker but gave us time to discuss and cement plans for our Anzac Day Breakfast commitment.

PDG John made sure everyone knew what they had to do in the lead-up.

We will meet at 10am on Thursday 24th at our club rooms to prepare for Friday morning. It will mean a 4.30am start for most to ensure that we are ready to serve our 550 guests breakfast at about 6.20 am. A good turnout of club members and their partners is expected and we will complete our task without a hitch (we hope)

School holidays are with us, lots of grandchildren to entertain and look after, Easter weekend is almost here, on the menu will be, more chocolate on the waist instead of in the waste.

No meeting next Monday 21st April.

Don't forget Thursday 24th at 10am to prepare for Anzac Day Breakfast.

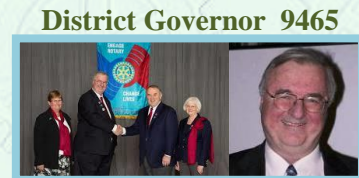


Longtime Rotarian and friend of our club PDG Gordon Cargeeg OBE celebrated his 90th birthday recently, best wishes from Kwinana.



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 21st No Club Meeting Easter Monday

Fri 25th Anzac Day Breakfast

Mon 28th Club Meeting

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

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?

President James Sharkey



President's Pen

Club Meeting 14th April 2014



President James welcomed everyone to the meeting.

James and Cathy attended the 'Pictionary for Autism' fundraiser for Rotaract, last Saturday 12th April 2014 at the Garry Holland Centre, Rockingham. Good number of club members and partners were there, very good night had by all.

No meeting next Monday, Easter Monday.

See you at the Anzac Day Breakfast.



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No matter how far you have gone down the wrong road, turn back

You are what you make of yourself

You cannot live on hope alone nor can you live without it



Secretary: PP Genevieve Carr

Trainee Secretary Brian McCallum



Inward Correspondence:

- RDU Merchandise & Promotions. (Rotary Changeover. 2014 Theme Pins)
 - Camp Quality. (Donation)
 - Leda Primary School (Donation)
 - Kwinana Swimming Club. (Invitation to 50 Year Celebration)
 - Bendigo Bank. (Bank Statements X 2)
 - Government of Western Australia. (Approval of Wellard Markets)
 - Rotary Club of Rossmoyne. (Community Raffle)
 - Wellard & District Probus Club. (Letter to be collected)
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- No Outgoing Mail.



Treasurer: PDG John Iriks



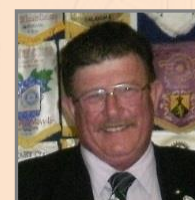
Bills paid, money in the bank

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



President Elect Michael Nella

Some important dates for the remainder of this year.



Saturday 19 th April	Mandurah Duck Race
Monday 21 st April	No Meeting (Easter Monday)
Friday 25 th April	Anzac Day Breakfast for 550 people
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**



**Norm Mulcahy
Community**

Project Director's Report.

The Wellard Village Markets were held on Sunday April 13th. Weather was very good, a little warm later in the morning. Good turnout all-round. Wendy wishes to thank everyone for their valuable assistance on the day.

Markets will run till June, we will then evaluate continuing during winter.



**Garry Bassett
Vocational**

BBQ Breakfast for the City of Kwinana Wednesday 16th April. Bacon and Egg rolls, served at 7pm cater for 50. Michael N, Greg W and Eric B will officiate.

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**

Our club signs are now up and viewable to all, at Dixon Road, Wellard Road and Thomas Road. Many thanks to Norm and Greg.

PP Matt White will be leaving us soon, he is off to Saudi Arabia on a 18 month contract with Alcoa. We wish him a safe and rewarding experience and will welcome him back on his return. Matt will need to hand on his Youth commitments for the rest of this year.



**PP Matt White
Youth**

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

RYPEN candidate unable to attend, we have a plan B.

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>



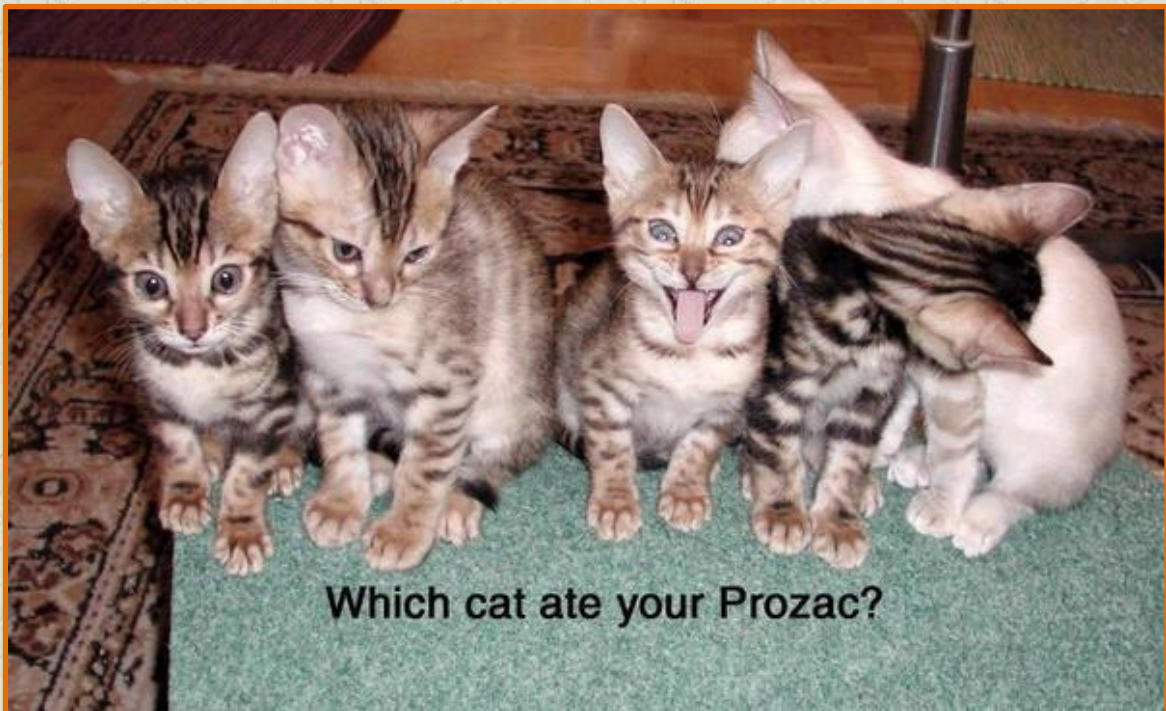
**PP Chris Oughton
Public Relations Dir.**

Visit your club webpage.

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



"You should check your e-mails more often. I fired you over three weeks ago."





Results from a 12 month all party select committee on reducing defence spending

A guy runs a stop sign and gets caught by a copper.

Cop says, "Driver's License, please."

Guy says, "What for?"

Cop says, "You didn't come to a complete stop at the stop sign."

Guy says, "I slowed down, and no one was coming."

Cop says, "You still didn't come to a complete stop. Driver's License, please."

Guy says, "What's the difference?"

Cop says, "The difference is, you have to come to a complete stop. Driver's License, PLEASE!"

Guy says, "If you can show me the difference between slow down and stop, I'll give you my license."

Cop says, "Exit your vehicle, sir." At this point, the cop takes out his nightstick and starts beating the living daylights out of the guy and says, "Do you want me to slow down or stop?"



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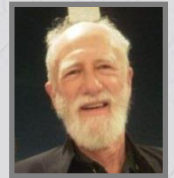
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Fine Session

Sergeant PP John Wallhead



Eric and John I: At the markets on Sunday John was heard to comment to Eric “you should play Michael Nella’s favourite song “Everyding (Everything) is beautiful”

Michael N: Obligatory phone call.

James: Inviting Genevieve, oops sorry Brian to give a secretary’s report. Brian doesn’t look a bit like Genevieve.

Bob C: Threatening to shoot the plastic ducks at Mandurah on Saturday.

Norm: Michael needed some more bacon for Wednesday, suggestion from Norm “buy it on EBay”

James: ‘Wow’ James that is a plastic lunch box

John Iriks: Asked why he didn’t have the funds to buy a notebook? Writes everything a scraps of paper.

James; John Brennan has a problem with James playing golf on Fridays. Last week he borrowed clubs of Ian C, didn’t improve his game at all. He managed to find every bunker but still managed to beat John B
How can this be ????????



Housing estate near Las Vegas

A passenger in a taxi leaned over to ask the driver a question and tapped him on the shoulder.

The driver screamed, lost control of the cab, nearly hit a bus, drove up over the curb, and stopped just inches from a large plate glass window.

For a few moments everything was silent in the cab, and then, the still shaking driver said, 'I'm sorry, but you scared the daylight out of me!'

The frightened passenger apologized to the driver and said he didn't realize a mere tap on the shoulder could frighten him so much.

The driver replied, 'No, no, I'm sorry, it's entirely my fault. Today is my first day driving a cab. I've been driving a hearse for the last 25 years'.

The cops came to my house earlier, claiming that my dog had chased someone on a bike. I said "Bugger off, my dog doesn't have a bike!".

A young bloke from the city went to spend a couple of days on his uncles farm in the Uni holidays. After seeing him bored out of his brains the uncle told him to take the shotgun and the dogs and go do some shooting. About half hour later he comes back nice and happy and says 'That was fun. Got any more dogs?'

Did you hear about the thoughtful Scotsman who was heading out to the pub?

He turned to his wee wife before leaving and said,

'Margaret - poot your hat and coat on lassie.'

She replied, ' Awe Jock that's nice - are ye taking me tae the pub with ye?'

'Nay', Jock replied, 'I'm switching the heat off while I'm oot.'

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
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Cockburn Seniors Centre
Villa Roma 9 High Street Fremantle

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