



Munding
an Aboriginal word
meaning Spinifex or
Long Grass

Burra
meaning People or Tribe

The origin of the
Townsville suburb
Mundingburra



Mundingburra Rotary



Making A Difference

CREATE HOPE
in the WORLD

Rotary



RI President

Gordon R. McInally

District 9560 Governor

Sabaratnam (Prath) Prathapan

Club President

Lyn Svanosio

RCoM Vision Statement

"To become more visible within the community with a focus on diversity of gender and culture as a community service club whilst embracing the avenues of service of Rotary International".

"The 4 Way Test"

Of the 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?

"Maternal & Child Health Month"

Spinifex Edition "1" - 6 July 2023

- Guest Speaker - Scott Stewart MP

President's Report

Hi all,

Last week was Claudia's last meeting as President.

Sadly, it was also her last meeting as a member. We hope she comes back and visits occasionally.

This week will be my first week as President.

Thank you all for giving me this Honor and I hope we have a productive and successful year.

Cheers

Lyn



Forward Roster Duties Plan

Date	Chair	Registration	Cashier	Meet & Greet	Sergeant	Scribe
6 Jul	Graeme Kenna	Phil Gordon	Aloisia Ferfolja	Alan Nelson	Tim Leow	Peter Kaye
13 Jul	Ian Jones	Phil Gordon	Aloisia Ferfolja	Neil Andrews	Graeme Kenna	Graham Stephens
20 Jul						
27 Jul						

If you are unable to fulfill your rostered duty it is **YOUR** responsibility to find a replacement. Please notify Lyn of any changes. Registration Team ensure you record visitors' details clearly in the visitors' book.

Meeting apologies to Attendance Officer: Jan Johnson: janjohnson37@gmail.com or text to 0409 783 810 by 10am on Mondays at the latest.

Facts & Figures

Total Member Count:	41
Number Used for Attendance:	40
Leave of Absence:	1
Exempt Members:	Nil
Honorary Members:	1 Tony Wode
Members Present:	22
Total Credits for Last Week:	0
Percentage Attendance for Last Meeting:	57.89%
Apologies:	R Jones, R Tardiani, S Tardiani, T Leow, & J Morrison
Visiting Rotarians:	Nil
Club Guests:	Michael Day
Guests:	Nil

Coming Important Dates 1-7 July

Member Birthdays
Neil Andrews – 4 th July
Spouse/Partner Birthdays
Troy Townsend – 3 rd July
Anniversaries
Nil
Join Date
Nil
Takings
Registration \$475
Sergeant \$38
Raffle \$34
Joker \$78
Joker Jackpot \$902.60

Partners & Guests are welcome to any meeting
Meeting Times: 6pm for 6.30pm

Program & Coming Events

Date	Speaker/Facilitator/Topic Event	Venue
July	Maternal & Child Health	
6 Jul	Scott Stewart MP	Cutheringa Bowls Club
11 Jul	Board Meeting	Zoom
13 Jul	Doug Pollock YEP	Cutheringa Bowls Club
20 Jul	TBA	
27 Jul	TBA	
	TBA	

Townsville Rotary Market Roster

4 July	Strand	Helper 2pm	TBA	Market Roster: You will receive a reminder in the week before your shift. Please contact David Nutt on 0408 897 152 or david.nutt@bigpond.com to confirm that you can do your shift.
1 Sept	Strand	Helper 2pm	TBA	
3 Sept	Willows	Ass Coordinator	TBA	

“The Object of Rotary”

Is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster:

First: The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;

Second: High ethical standards in business and professions; the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations; and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society;

Third: The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business and community life;

Fourth: The advancement of international understanding, goodwill and peace, through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.

Last Week in Review

Chairman Ian Jones opened the meeting followed by the National Anthem and Rotary Grace.

Phil Gordon announced Michael Day, as a guest of Peter Holmes.

President Claudia, on her last night as President, also welcomed members to the meeting and spoke of her thanks to everyone who made the Changeover night a success.



Chairman Ian

President Claudia

Guest Speaker

President Claudia gave a detailed presentation on the results of the recent Club Survey. She explained each item with a graph of the responses received. (A copy of the survey responses will be emailed to members separately.)

Following some questions from the floor, Claudia advised that the presentation was for member's information, and no action has been taken by the Board who will make its recommendations to the members in due course.

Jim thanked Claudia on behalf of the club.

Directors & and General reports

had attended the Blah night. Alan was one of the adjudicators and was very impressed with the way the event was conducted. Joanne highlighted the work that Rotary had done in assisting with her program, and it was pleasing it was pleasing to see Rotary receiving some acknowledgment for its work.

DG John Hall, on his second last night as District Governor, spoke of the support he had received from several Rotarians in our club during the year and presented Peter Kaye with a bottle of Red Wine in appreciation for his role as mentor.

Sergeants Session

Despite a lack of applause, Chair Ian called upon Ryan Lacaze, the Sergeant for the night, who proudly smiled as he went about extracting fines from various members using clearly devious methods. The Sergeants wine raffle winners were Michael Day & John Hall

In closing the meeting, Chairman Ian called upon Claudia to give her final address as president.

Claudia said it had been a good year, however, due to many reasons, she was exhausted and needed a good rest. She announced that due to her need for a break, she was resigning from Rotary, but would like to continue to receive the Spinifex. and would be happy to work on any projects the club might have during the year.

She thanked the members for their support and friendship and wished Lyn the best for her year as President.

The Joker Jackpot number was drawn by Bill Barber who was unsuccessful in winning the money.



The members then thanked Claudia for her year and wished her well.

Chairman Ian asked members to rise and toast Rotary International and closed the meeting at 7.30 pm

Member Update

Robert Tardiani advised us on his medical treatment His comments were, "I have three Gamma Knife Radiosurgery procedures at the PA Hospital in Brisbane and am feeling good at this stage. Hopefully, I will not experience any severe side effects, however, was advised that this may take 10 to 14 days." The family tells me Robert returned home last Tuesday and is going ok. We all wish you well Robert.



And word is it that Robyn Jones is going well following her second hip replacement. Take care, we hope to see you back with us soon Robyn.



1964 Trophy for MRC Best Display.