



**Munding**  
an Aboriginal word  
meaning Spinifex or  
Long Grass

**Burra**  
meaning People or Tribe

The origin of the  
Townsville suburb  
Mundingburra



SERVE TO CHANGE LIVES

Mundingburra Rotary



Making A Difference



## RI President

Shekhar Mehta

## District 9560 Governor

Martti Kankkunen

## Advance Australia Fair

Australians all let us rejoice;  
For we are one and free;  
We've golden soil and wealth for  
toil; Our home is girt by sea;  
Our land abounds in nature's gifts  
of beauty rich and rare;  
In history's page, let every stage  
Advance Australia Fair.  
In joyful strains then let us sing  
Advance Australia Fair.

## Rotary Grace

We break Thy bread of  
Brotherhood,  
And thank thee Lord  
for all things good,  
May we, more blessed  
than we deserve,  
Live less for self and more to  
serve.

## 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?

## "New Rotary Officers' Year of Service Month"

### Spinifex Edition "4" - 29 July 2021

"Joint Meeting with Rotary Club of Hinchinbrook"

Mystic Sands Golf Club

## President's Report

Hi Fellow Rotarians

A quiet meeting last week with a chance to catch up with everyone due to our guest speakers cancelling.

Remember not to turn up to the meeting this Thursday at the RSL!!

This week we are meeting with Hinchinbrook Club at Mystic Sands Golf Club at 6.30pm on Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> July to hand over the Cane Knife. If you have not let Jim know you are attending or you require a lift to car pool with others attending then please reach out immediately.

On a special note, David Nutt is Still asking for volunteers for the Townsville Rotary Mega Markets on Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> August 2021, at this stage we have around 8 people who have offered assistance. Please if you are available to assist, please volunteer, this is easy money for the club. Bill is also looking for volunteers for the upcoming Bunnings Sausage Sizzles in August 2021.

Could I ask that everyone read the Spinifex in regard to the jobs they have been allocated. For the meetings to run smoothly everyone in the club needs to do a small job occasionally. It may be introducing or thanking a guest speaker, being scribe, chair or being on the door, you will be rostered occasionally and it is up to you to check if you are on the roster. If you cannot do the job, please ask someone else to do it. Claudia how now taken over this role in the new year, please work with her.

Rotary Club of Sunrise is asking us to help sell tickets for their \$100,000 prize raffle. Please consider buying a ticket or putting together a group to buy a ticket or two. We do share in the profits according to the number of tickets we have sold.

Our main fundraisers are the Rotary Markets and The Bunnings sausage sizzle. We are always looking for volunteers so if you could help Bill or David, please let them know.

Have a great week.

President Ryan



### Forward Roster Duties Plan

Date	Chair	Registration	Meet & Greet	Sergeant	Scribe
28 July	No duties due to an away visit				
<p>Registration Team ensure you record visitors' details clearly in the visitors' book. <b>Sergeant to contact each person to confirm availability for roster. Please advise Claudia Trave if you are unable to perform your rostered duty.</b></p> <p>Meeting apologies to Attendance Officer: Claudia Trave: <a href="mailto:jean-claude@hotmail.it">jean-claude@hotmail.it</a> or text to 0431 880 051 by Wednesday morning at the latest.</p>					

#### Facts & Figures 8 July

**Total Member Count:** 43  
**Number Used for Attendance:** 42  
**Leave of Absence:** Nil  
**Exempt Members:** Nil  
**Honorary Members:** 1 Tony Wode  
**Members Present:** 25  
**Total Credits for Last Week:** 2  
**Percentage Attendance for Last Meeting:** 64.29%  
**Apologies:** C Heath, J Foley, T Leow  
**Visiting Rotarians:** -  
**Club Guests:** Emma Reinke  
**Guests:** -

#### Coming Important Dates 24-31 July

**Spouse Birthdays**  
 Carol Philipson (Trevor) 31<sup>st</sup>

#### Takings 8 July

Registration \$642  
 Sergeant \$38  
 Raffle \$42  
 Joker \$43  
 Joker Jackpot \$92.40

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

### Program & Coming Events

Date	Speaker/Facilitator/Topic Event	Venue
28 July	Joint Meeting with Rotary Club of Hinchinbrook	Mystic Sands Golf Club

### Townsville Rotary Market Roster

1 Aug	Willows	Helper 1	Shan Delany	<b>Market Roster: You will receive a reminder in the week before your shift. Please contact David Nutt on 0408 897 152 or <a href="mailto:david.nutt@bigpond.com">david.nutt@bigpond.com</a> to confirm that you can do your shift.</b>
15 Aug	Willows	Helper 1	Lyn Svanosio	
29 Aug	Willows	Assis Coord	Lyn Svanosio	
3 Sep	Strand	Helper 1	Robert Tardiani	

#### "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.

**"100 Rotary Quotes":** 1929-30 M. Eugene Newsom (general office fixtures retailing), Rotary Club of Durham, North Carolina, USA. **Rotary vision: To keep it simple enough that the average Rotarian can apply its principles to daily life.** "Real genuine friendship and the laws governing friendships provide the truest basis for all forms of enterprise. If Rotary can materially contribute to the development of friendship between individuals, businesses, professions, and nations, and if the individual is willing to make friendship the basis of his job or vocation, then we have an ideal of service being applied in ways that should make all of us happy." - What Constitutes Vocational Service?, THE ROTARIAN, November 1927

### Last Week in Review

Chair David Nutt started the meeting on time with a smaller but livelier crew attending and singing the national anthem (without word prompt screen) and saying our Grace.



Registration Officer Phil welcomed our visitor and guest Emma; and PDG Ron Degenhart introduced her: Emma Reinke. Welcome Emma, would be lovely to have you join us?



President Ryan gave his opening remarks commenting on last week's great meeting ... and summing up for those that missed it. He thanked the Interact Group and their Teacher Mentor. All who had spoken eloquently about what they liked best about the Club and their activities, from the Australia Day Clean Up to the meetings and the opportunities to help others.



**Next week is to be WEDNESDAY NIGHT Balgal Beach. July28th @ Mystic Sands @ 6.30pm Robert Tardiani**

Guest speakers unfortunately not available as planned so an evening of Fellowship occurred which ALL enjoyed continuing it on while Ian Corney as Sergeant tried to take their money. Robert Tardiani was fined but it was hard to hear what for due to fellowship continuing on some tables. Suggestion would be to schedule a fellowship/Partners night once a month.



Directors Reports: Bill Barber spoke on Bunnings offering Thursday and Friday but no increase in price to happen.


**Raffle Winners: F31 Lynne - Red & F 81 David White**

**Closing remarks: don't forget Golf Club Balgal Beach next week**

**Joker Draw C 26 Peter Kaye**



# Rotary Myth Buster




**ROTARY IS FOR MEN**  
**WRONG!** Rotary has welcomed women for over 30 years.

**IT'S FOR RETIRED PEOPLE**  
**WRONG!** We are open to ages 18+ Age is just a number, it's attitude that is more important.

**IT'S FOR PROFESSIONALS**  
**WRONG!** Diversity is our strong asset and there's always a place for you in Rotary.

**YOU MUST ATTEND EACH WEEK**  
**WRONG!** We focus on what you can contribute. Get involved with fundraising activities, community projects and activities.




**IT'S A RELIGIOUS ORGANISATION / SECRET SOCIETY**  
**WRONG!** Rotary is non-religious and non-political.

**YOU HAVE TO BE FORMALLY DRESSED FOR MEETINGS**  
**WRONG!** We are interested in what you can offer, not how you dress.

**IT'S A LUNCH AND DINNER CLUB**  
**WRONG!** We do have meals at most meetings, however we principally meet to plan projects, have guest speakers, socials and run activities.

**MEMBERSHIP BY INVITE ONLY**  
**WRONG!** Anyone with the right mindset can visit and join. We accept members from all walks of life.

**INTERESTED IN BIG INTERNATIONAL PROJECTS ONLY**  
**WRONG!** We are involved in these huge projects, however the majority of our work is within local communities supporting local causes.



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# Board of Directors

**President:** Ryan Lacaze  
**Secretary:** Jim Baker  
**Past President:** Shane Smith

**President-Elect:** Claudia Trave  
**Treasurer:** Aloisia Ferfolja

<u>Club Administration</u>	<u>Service Projects</u>
<b>Director</b> Claudia Trave	<b>Director</b> Peter Kaye
Bulletin Editor Peter Kaye	Community Service Committee Bill Barber
Publisher Trish Harley	Dave Dymock
Program Co-ordinator Claudia Trave	Bill Mugira
Duty Roster Co-Ordinator Claudia Trave	Jim Baker
Attendance Officer Jan Johnson	Scott Hunter
Registration Desk Officer Phil Gordon	Schools Coordinator Jan Johnson
Providore Peter Holmes	Bunnings BBQ Coordinator Katanya Lee
Historian Graham Stephens	Bill Barber
Sergeant at Arms Rotation between Members	Markets Coordinator David Nutt
Risk Management Kevin Strike	Golf Day Coordinator Graeme Kenna
Youth Protection	Grant Harper
Club Trainer Peter Kaye	Trivia Night Coordinator Scott Hunter
Member Services Aloisia Ferfolja	
Jan Johnson	
Katanya Lee	
<u>Finance Committee</u>	<u>Youth Services</u>
<b>Director</b> Ryan Lacaze	<b>Directors</b> Shan Delany & Katrina Davies
Committee Aloisia Ferfolja	Committee Katanya Lee
Shane Smith	Aloisia Ferfolja
Katanya Lee	Alan Nelson
	Graham Stephens
	Peter Kaye
	Claudia Trave
	Tim Leow
	Robert Tardiani
	Kevin Strike
<u>Rotary Foundation</u>	<u>Membership</u>
<b>Director</b> Jan Johnson	<b>Director</b> Sue Tardiani
Committee Shane Smith	Committee Ron Degenhart
Alan Nelson	Dave Dymock
Lynette Svanosio	Wayne Haller
	Graeme Kenna
	Jim Morrison
	Grant Harper
<u>Public Relations</u>	<u>Vocational</u>
<b>Director</b> Shane Smith	<b>Director</b> Graeme Kenna
Committee Graeme Kenna	Committee Neil Andrews
Wayne Haller	Scott Hunter
Social Media Facebook Ron Degenhart	
Website Jim Baker	
<u>International Service</u>	
<b>Director</b> Robyn & Ian Jones	
Committee Bill Mugira	
Tim Leow	

### District 9560 & Group 3 Officers from Rotary Club of Mundingburra

District Governor Elect (DGE)	John Hall
D9650 Company Secretary	Robert Tardiani
District Youth Protection Officer (DYPO)	Kevin Strike

### National Officers

Zone Insurance & Protection Committee (ZIPC)	Peter Kaye (Chairman)
Assistant Zone 8 Coordinator	Ron Degenhart



### Rotary Club of Mundingburra Past Presidents

1958	J. Charles Butler PDG	1978	George Kimlin	2000/01	John Blood
1958/59	Fred Greig	1979/80	John Switzer	2001/02	Trevor Philipson
1959/60	Jack McLay	1980/81	George Rice	2002/03	Shane Smith
1960/61	Dick Keating	1981/82	John Hartland	2003/04	Ron Degenhart PDG
1961/62	Gordon McHugh	1982/83	John Le Cornu	2004/05	Vince Nielsen
1962/63	Kevin King	1983/84	Darcy Cooke	2005/06	Bob Doyle
1963/64	Bill Miller	1984/85	Reg Stortenbecker	2006/07	Fred Gillham
1964/65	Bert Hanran	1985/86	Charles Zahner	2007/08	Neil Andrews
1965/66	Stan Strange PDG	1986/87	Allan Cummings	2008/09	Brad Groves
1966/67	Cec Denman	1987/88	Graham Weir	2009/10	Ray Hatton
1967/68	Arthur Hopkins	1988/89	David Carmichael	2010/11	Ray Pendle
1968/69	Ellis Frost	1989/90	Bill Kennedy	2011/12	Ron Degenhart PDG
1969/70	Norm Clibborn	1990/91	Laurie Quinlan	2012/13	John Hall
1970/71	Bill Barber Snr	1991/92	Graham Stephens	2013/14	Jim Foley
1971/72	Reg Watkins	1992/93	Peter Kaye PDG	2014/15	Graeme Kenna
1972/73	Keith Christensen	1993/94	Geoff Maidens	2015/16	Paul Barker-Hudson
1973/74	Allan Cutmore	1994/95	Bill Muguira	2016/17	Jim Baker
1974/75	Pat O'Shea	1995/96	Bob Shaw	2017/18	Alan Nelson
1975/76	Hollis Parker	1996/97	Bill Barber	2018/19	Miriam Owato
1976/77	Alex Stuart	1997/98	Steve Ritchie	2019/20	Sue Lloyd
1977/78	George Kimlin	1998/99	Ian Weller	2020/21	Shane Smith
1978	Ian Costello	1999/00	Doug McDonald		

### Rotary Clubs of Area 3 Meeting Times and Venues

<u>MUNDINGBURRA</u> Thursday 6 for 6.30 pm Townsville RSL Club	<u>MAGNETIC ISLAND</u> Tuesday 6.00 for 6.15 pm Contact Club for Venue	<u>PORT OF TOWNSVILLE</u> Monday 6.00 for 6.30 pm Tom's Tavern	<u>ROSS RIVER</u> Tuesday 5.30 for 6.00 pm Tom's Tavern
<u>TOWNSVILLE</u> Tuesday 12.30 for 1.00 pm Cowboys Leagues Club	<u>TOWNSVILLE SUNRISE</u> Friday 7.00 am Fish Inn	<u>TOWNSVILLE DAYBREAK</u> 1 <sup>st</sup> Wednesday 6.45 am Mercure Inn	<u>TOWNSVILLE CENTRAL</u> Friday 12.30 for 1.00 pm Townsville RSL Club
<u>THURINGOWA CENTRAL</u> Wednesday 6 for 6.30 pm Toms Tavern	<u>TOWNSVILLE SAINTS</u> 1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Wednesday 6.30 am Selectability	<u>AYR</u> Thursday 6.15 for 6.30 pm ANZAC Memorial Club	<u>HINCHINBROOK</u> Wednesday 6.00 for 6.30 pm Royal Hotel
	<u>HOME HILL</u> Tuesday 6.15 for 6.30 pm Malpass Hotel	<u>CHARTERS TOWERS</u> Tuesday 6.30 for 7 pm Park Hotel	