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

**Burra**  
meaning People or Tribe

The origin of the  
Townsville suburb  
Mundingburra

**UNITE  
FOR  
GOOD**



**RI President**  
Francesco Arezzo

**District 9560 Governor**  
Greg Marlow

**Club President**  
Alan Nelson

### 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?

**July: Theme – Maternal and Child Health Month**

**Edition 05 – 31st July 2025**

**This Week – Supply logistics for North Queensland**  
**6pm for 6.30pm – Bowls Club**

### President Alans Address

Last week's meeting saw a packed program and a packed function room which was great to see.

We heard from our wonderful Interact Club from Townsville Grammar School. They outlined their activities of last term and told us about their upcoming fund raiser the 'Colour Rush' starting at 2pm on Sunday 3 August. This will be on the ovals at the school on the Landsborough Street end of the campus. We're cooking sausages. Come along go for a walk or a run and have colours thrown in your direction. Be a piece of art.

We also heard from Luran and Darryl Baillie with Sandra Richards. Luran has a non-secretory multiple myeloma, a rare bone marrow cancer. Her treatment like many other cancer patients in Northern Australia would be better targeted and more effective with fewer side effects with access to two specific pieces of technology.

Specifically, a next generation rapid DNA sequencer and a mass spectrometer. They are on a mission to raise the funds for these pieces of equipment. Currently, this is falling under the BRIGHTER LIVES Charity under the Townsville Hospital Foundation.

Pleasingly, there is progress on a number of events discussed at the forum of the 17 July. Notably the Lift the Lid Garden Party at the Degenhardt's gorgeous garden.

Lynette Svanosio is endeavouring to make a debate and combined club meeting with Hinchinbrook Club happen at Mystical Sands golf course at Balgal Beach. Thank you to Lyn and Ron.

Next week we hear about "Supply logistics for North Queensland" from our very own Katanya Lee.

Yours in Rotary  
Alan



## Forward Roster Duties Plan

If you are unable to fulfill your rostered duty it is **YOUR** responsibility to find a replacement. Please notify **Jaye** of any changes.  
Meeting apologies to Attendance Officer: @ [katanya.lee@carter-spencer.com.au](mailto:katanya.lee@carter-spencer.com.au) or text to 0409 536 169 by 10 am on Mondays.

Date	Chair	Registration	Sergeant	Scribe	Intro	Thanks
31 <sup>st</sup> July	J Beutel	P Gordon	S Smith	Kat Lee	B Muguira	K Mckenzie
7 <sup>th</sup> Aug	G Luckel	P Gordon	P Holmes	K Davis	K Davis	G Luckel
14 <sup>th</sup> Aug	I Jones	P Gordon	G Luckel	D Nutt	R Deganhardt	B Robinson

### Facts & Figures

**Total Member Count:** 44  
**Number Used for Attendance:** 42  
**Leave of Absence:** 1  
**Exempt Members:** Nil  
**Honorary Members:** 1 Tony Wode  
**Members Present:** 21  
**Total Credits for Last Week:** 3  
**Percentage Attendance for Last Meeting:** 57.14%  
**Apologies:** B Barber, J Beutel, A Ferfolja, R Jones, J Baker.  
**Visiting Rotarians:** Robin Strang  
**Club Guests:** Lauren & Darryl Baille, Sandra Richards, Grammar Interact - Sandra Hughes (Teacher), Marco de Solar, Angella Maria, Cherry Leung, Potential Members - Daniel & Rooka Price  
**Guests:** Nil

### Important Dates – 28<sup>th</sup> July to 3<sup>rd</sup> August

#### Member Birthdays

Kat Lee – 22<sup>nd</sup> July  
 Brydget Barker-Hudson - 27<sup>th</sup> July

#### Spouse/Partner Birthdays

Nil

#### Wedding Anniversaries

Coralie & Andrew Langeluddecke -31<sup>st</sup> July (2 years)

#### Rotary Membership Anniversaries

Nil

#### Takings

Registration	\$410.00
Sergeant	\$50.00
Raffle	\$46.00
Joker	\$60.00 (Joker Jackpot \$657.50)

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

## Program & Coming Events

Date	Speaker/Facilitator/Topic Event	Venue
March	<b>July: Theme - Maternal and Child Health Month</b>	
31 July	<b>Supply logistics for North Queensland – Kat Lee</b>	Cutheringa Bowls Club
7 <sup>th</sup> Aug		

## Townsville Rotary Market Roster

31 <sup>st</sup> August	Willows Market	A/Co-Ordinator		3 <sup>rd</sup> August - Sunday	Bunnings Domain

## BBQ Dates

### “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.



## Personal Thanks

Hi Alan, Thank you and the club for the beautiful flowers the club sent to me and my family. It is little things like this that helped us get through this sad time.

I will be back at Rotary next Thursday; I am just having a week to gather my thoughts.

I have 4 envelopes with donations in for the foundation to give when I come.

I will call Peter to thank him for doing the ceremony to farewell Robert.

A big thank to all the members who came and also formed the guard of honour. Sue



**Club Flowers to Sue**

## Next Weeks Meeting Flyer

### *JACKIE'S BABY SHOWER*

Will Bryce finally get another male in the house or will he be surrounded by women!



Please bring your partner to join Jackie and Bryce to celebrate baby number 3!

Date: 7th August 2025

Time: 6:00 for 6:30

Venue: Cutheringa Bowls Club

RSVP: [katanya.lee@carter-spencer.com.au](mailto:katanya.lee@carter-spencer.com.au)

## Meeting Review

Chairman for the night Ryan Lacaze opened the meeting at 6.33 pm reciting the four ways test.

Registration Officer Phil Gordon introduced our guests

- Guest Speakers - Lauren & Darryl Baille, Sandra Richards
- Grammar Interact - Sandra Hughes (Teacher), Marco de Solar, Angella Maria, Cherry Leung
- Potential Members - Daniel & Rooka Price
- AG - Robin Strang

Chairman Ryan then asked President Alan to address the members and guests.

- President Alan formally welcomed Robin Strang DG.
- Read a letter from Sue Tardiani thanking members for attending Robert's service and the Honor Guard.

### Reports

Jan Nohnson let members know of her daughter walk for cancer and then introduced our Interact students and reminded member of their 3 August Sausage sizzle 2 – 4 pm event they are holding to raise fund for a sister school in Timor Leste. There will be a band playing so come and enjoy.



The Interact team thanked Mundingburra Rotary Club for donated clothing to their recent event.

Also the Interact team has to prepare 200 Birthing Kits for Timor Leste and they intend to visit in 2026. Ron Degenhart to assist in planning.

Neil Andrews advised Graeme Kenna is on his way home.

Advised donations at Roberts funeral will go to Rotary Foundation.

Ron Degenhart advised of a Sun 7 September garden party

Ian Jones reminded everyone he is still collecting Lids

Peter Holmes reminded Members he is still looking for volunteers for 3 August Bunning BBQ.

### Guest Speaker Segment

Peter Kaye introduced Sandra Richards who introduced Lauren and Daryl.

Lauren has a rare form of Blood Cancer. Daryl has undertaken significant research in the diagnosing of this rare form of cancer.



Medicine is moving to Precision Medicine to target peoples genes. Until recently the only way to get the information required to enable treatment was by Bone Marrow biopsy.

A mass spectrometer is required however there is only one in Australia and it's in the Alfred Hospital in Melbourne. They have been available since 2010.

Townsville University Hospital is trying to get one but needs a \$1m . First Step is for an ALUMINA machine for \$150k. So they are seeking assistance with fundraising.

President Alan gave a vote of thanks

No Sergeant's session – *That's a winner for the members.*

### Raffle

Corralie won the Red Wine

Ian Jones the White wine

**Joker** Jackpot

Jim Morrison selected 10 Hearts and not the Joker



Peter Holmes to be sergeant next week, so be warned.  
President Alan closed the meeting with thanks to everyone for the night.

Meeting finished at 7.50 pm

Thanks to K Lee for Admn Data,  
M Day for the scribe notes  
R Degenhart A Nelson for the Photos.

### Special Notes

**TGS**  
**COLOUR RUSH**  
**SUNDAY 3 AUGUST 2025**

NORTH WARD CAMPUS OVAL  
1:30-4:00PM  
\$12.00 ENTRY FEE + BRING WHITE T-SHIRT  
TICKETS - SCAN HERE

A TGS INTERACT PROJECT  
FUNDS RAISED GO TO OUR SISTER SCHOOL IN TIMOR-LESTE

**LIFT THE LID**  
on mental illness

**Australian Rotary Health**  
www.australianrotaryhealth.org.au

**Rotary Mundingburra**

Rotary Mundingburra invites you to the  
**Lift the Lid**  
**Garden Party**  
Supporting Australian Rotary Health

**Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> September 3:00 to 5:00 pm**  
**40 Rogers Street Aitkenvale**

**\$35 per person** Welcome drink, afternoon tea, entertainment, raffle

**RSVP to Kat 0409536169 by 4<sup>th</sup> September**