

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



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?

“Youth Services Month”

Spinifex Edition “42” – 30th May 2024
GP’s in Secondary Schools – Dr Megan Arlett

President’s Message



Hi All

I hope you all enjoyed last weeks meeting. We were happy to have David and Joanne from the Townsville to Cairns bike ride in support of the Childhood Cancer Institute. The work they do is so important.

Thank you to all who have helped at Bunnings. We always need you to help with this important fundraising. And don’t forget the Rotary Markets. Without the funds from these events we wont be able to do as much good as we want to.

Have you registered for the Worlds Greatest Meal yet. It is on Saturday 15th June and will be a fun night I am sure.

Have a great week all and I will see you on Thursday.

Cheers

Lyn

Lynette Svanosio

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Forward Roster Duties Plan

Date	Chair	Registration	Sergeant	Scribe	Into	Thanks
30 May	J Beutel	P Gordon	S Smith	B Robinson	D Nutt	P Kaye
6 June	Miriam Whitworth	P Gordon	R Lacaze	A Bosch	R Degenhardt	G Stephens
15 th June	N/A	P Gordon	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

If you are unable to fulfill your rostered duty it is **YOUR** responsibility to find a replacement. Please notify Lyn of any changes. Meeting apologies to Attendance Officer: Jan Johnson janjohnson37@gmail.com or text to 0409 783 810 by 10 am on Mondays.

Facts & Figures – Bowls Night

Total Member Count: 39
Number Used for Attendance: 34
Leave of Absence: 4
Exempt Members: Nil
Honorary Members: 1 Tony Wode
Members Present: 21
Total Credits for Last Week: 3
Percentage Attendance for Last Meeting: 62.5%
Apologies: O Bullitis, K Davis, T Leow, A Ferolja
Visiting Rotarians: Nil
Club Guests: David Eakin & Jo Talman
Guests:, Bob Shaw, Claudia Trave, Peter James

Coming Important Dates 26th May –2nd June

Member Birthdays
 Miriam Whitworth – 28th May
Spouse/Partner Birthdays
 Robyn Andrews – 2nd June
Anniversaries
 Nil
Join Date
 Nil.

Takings

Registration \$505.00.00
 Sergeant \$TBA
 Raffle \$45.00
 Joker \$60.00 (Joker Jackpot \$784.70)

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

Program & Coming Events

Date	Speaker/Facilitator/Topic Event	Venue
May	Youth Services Month	
30 May	Dr Megan Arlett, Heatley Secondary College GPs in Secondary School program	Cutheringa Bowls Club
6 June	JAN JOHNSON- END POLIO TRIP	Cutheringa Bowls Club
12 th June	Board Meeting	
13 th June	No Meeting	
15 th June	Worlds Greatest Meal	40 Mango Ave

Townsville Rotary Market Roster -

Date	Day	Market	Status	Notes
May 26	Sun	Willows Markets - A/Co-Ord	Not filled	Sunday 26 th May
June 2	Sun	Willows Markets - Co-Ord		
June 23	Sun	Willows Market – Helper		
June 30	Sun	Willows Markets - A/Co-Ord		

Bunnings Dates

“The Object of Rotary”

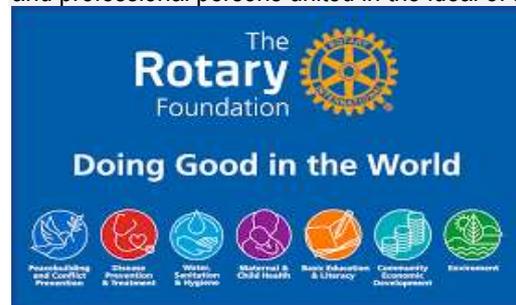
Is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster:

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.

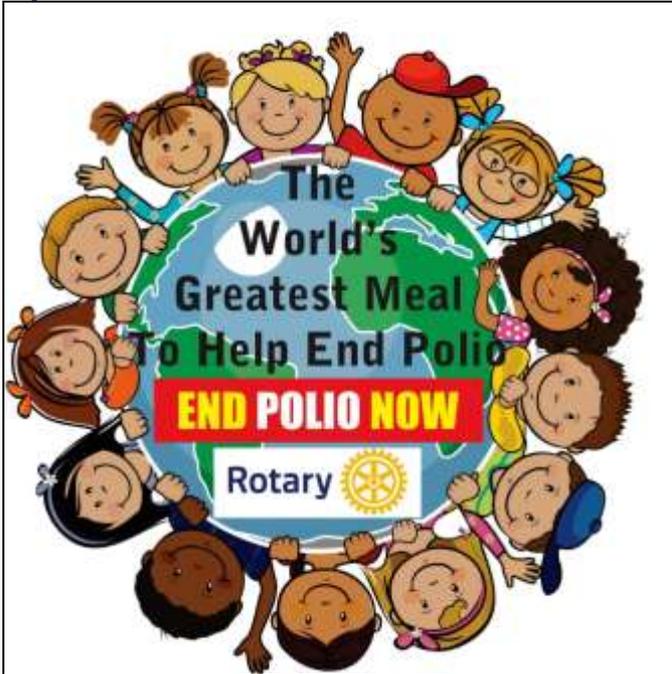
Third: The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian’s personal, business, and community life;

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





Special Notice



What: World's Greatest Meal
(for Rotary Foundation End Polio)

When: 15 June

Where: 40 Mango Avenue Mundingburra

Cost: \$50 per person

Drinks: on sale

Enjoy: Food, fun and games.

Brace yourselves for an outbreak of Finska.

RSVP : Alan Nelson by 8 June.

Last Week in Review Townsville to Cairns Bike Ride

Chairman for the night, Bill Mugura, opened the night with the 4way test and then called upon Phil Gordon to announce the guests attending the meeting.



Chairman Bill Mugura

President Lyn officially welcomed the members and guests and provided some opening comments to the meeting.

Guest Speaker

Chairman Bill then called upon Brydget Barker-Hudson to provide an introduction to our guest speakers from the Townsville to Cairns Bike ride, David Eakin & Jo Talman.

Our guest Speakers provided an excellent outline of the way the Townsville to Cairns Bike ride is conducted and the work involved in running it.



Jo and David presenting

The event is a charity ride to fundraise for Children's Cancer Research and was started in 1999 Selwyn Hardwick, who experienced a devastating loss when his sister died from cancer and then found out one of his grandchildren had leukaemia.

This event has raised around \$7m dollars for the research and attracts a lot of participants from many areas.

Day 1 is Townsville to Ingham, a leisurely 112km.
Day 2 Ingham to Innisfail a big 169km
Day 3 Innisfail to Cairns final day of 93km.

The Speakers showed a short video of the impact these rides make to families with sick



children. A bit emotional as you see it changes lives for our younger people.

They also thanked the club for the donation we had previously provided to assist in them upgrading their 2way radios which are essential for the safety and control of the event.

Graeme Kenan provided a formal thank you to the guest speakers for a wonderful presentation.

Reports

Alan Nelson reminded members about the upcoming World's Greatest Meal. The date is mentioned above. Always a great night and the food is rather special.

Jim Morrison updated the meeting on some events'



Secretary Jim

Ian Jones reminded members about the Lids for Kids program, He is still collecting the lids.

Alan Nelson ensured that no one in the room missed out on the Sergeant's fines, starting with statutory ones and many other well-directed attacks on member's finances.

Raffle outcome:Red Ian Corney, White Jim Morrison.

President Lyn in her closing remarks thanked our guests for coming along, and reminded everyone about the World's Greatest meal. Lyn also asked members to assist with our fundraising events, eg Bunnings BBQ's and Markets days, as this is

our main fundraising opportunity. And then did the Joker Draw. Alan Nelson had the card but selected the wrong playing card. Sorry Alan.



Yes its Alan hiding in the background.

The following are various photos from events that have been provided as additional items for the Spinifex.

Various Photos

Townsville Central 40th Birthday



The team of Ron, Vicki, Jan & Lyn representing our Club



Darwin District Conference



Vicki, Ron, Jan, Marcia & Jim



The Jifunze Team at the Conference.



Ron and Vicki with Judite Martins from the Rotarians Helping Timor office.



Ron Degenhart presented English - Tetun Dictionaries and post cards to the Fatumasse School in Bazartete, Timor-Leste on behalf of the Townsville Grammar School Interact Club members.



Jan Johnson and Joanne Schilling



Ayr Rotary Club – Duck Race

Courtesy of Brydget.



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Support our Environment
Support our Community

Support Mundingburra Rotary

Use our Scheme ID **C10663485** when returning your eligible containers

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Support Lids for Kids through Rotary Mundingburra
Contact Ian Jones - ianjones9470@gmail.com


YES


NO

Recycle Codes 2 and 4. For milk tops remove insert and rinse