

Local in Action, Global in Vision.

Attendance (by Sunday 6pm) to Steve Jenkins ph 478 8467

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### 27 November 2017

5.30 for 6pm

Club Meeting
Committee Meetings

Rotary Foundation Month.



# Keith's Korner

Two of the most tangible activities of Rotary for me are the International Youth Exchange and ROMAC.

We are lucky to have a talented young lady with us. The other day at the golf day she also demonstrated that she has a very good golf swing. On that point repeated thanks again to Rob and his team for a successful day.

Returning to the ROMAC issue I have to say that having visited the Starship Ronald McDonald House this is a magnificent facility, much of the work is done by volunteers and there is also an opportunity for people to come in and prepare evening meals and that is something that our club should be looking to in the New Year.

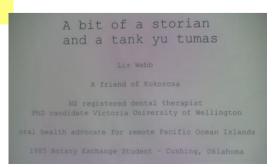
Don't forget our upcoming dinner at Chand Restaurant and also our Christmas function which this year is at a mystery venue but will certainly be a white Christmas!

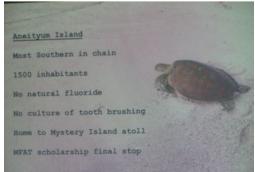
President Keith.

**Club Meeting Monday 4 December**: (Not at Pupuke Golf Club)

Venue is the Chand Indian Restaurant, 603 Beach Road, Rothesay Bay. Time is 6.00pm for 6.30pm Partners/family welcome – cost is \$20.00 per head. Rotarians paying via direct debit covers their cost. Cash bar for all drinks.

Please pay any monies due to Sean Harris next meeting – 27 November.





#### THE EASTCOASTER

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	27 November	4 December	11 December	18 December
	Club Meeting	Indian Night	Ian Balme	Club Christmas Function
	Committee Meetings	Chand Indian Restaurant	Forgotten World	
		Beach Road, Rothesay Bay	Adventures	
		Partners Night		
Grace	Gary Morgan		Amanda Chambers	
Reception	Beverley Lea		Michelle Machin	
Attendance	Steve Jenkins	Steve Jenkins	Steve Jenkins	Steve Jenkins
Cash Desk				
Fellowship	Warwick Moulton		Paul Asquith	
	Sue Yi		Sue Yi	
	Ian Collard		John Pearson	
Stewards	Graham Rice		Alan Astrop	
	Bruce Dunlop		Peter Jollands	
	Alistair New		Jenna Tuuta	
3 Min. Talk	Bob Baird			
Intro. Speaker			Alex Reed	
Thank Speaker			Martin Reiss	
Parting Thought	Murray Thoms		Jim Mayo	Keith Young
Julie	Julie away – SI Safari	Jenna Tuuta	Monica Webb	Alistair New

If you cannot carry out your allocated duty, it is your responsibility to arrange for someone else to do that duty

Our Exchange Student Contact Details: Julie: Jennifer Neads and Raoul Stuart, 19 Wainoni Heights, Greenhithe Ph 09 413 8445

See Membership list for Julie's contacts.

### The Rotary Foundation

November is the month we celebrate our Charity of choice, The Rotary Foundation. Both our club and our members have a proud record of supporting the Foundation.

## **Centurion Programme**

For all those who are existing Centurions, please consider making your contribution during this month. Yearly donation is \$100.

I invite those are currently not Centurions, to consider becoming one.

Attached is a copy of this year's application form.

#### Benefactor

One or two have asked me about the process to become a Benefactor.

It is a relatively straightforward process with the following two actions required.

One is to complete a codicil for your will.

The second is to complete the TRF form attached and send it to the RI office in Parramatta. If you scan it then you can email it to: <a href="mailto:risppo@rotary.org">risppo@rotary.org</a>

## **Rotary Browns Bay - Jumbo Tennis**

Browns Bay are well into arrangements for their third Jumbo Tennis event being held at the Albany Tennis Centre on the 9 March 2018.

It is a fun event. They are looking for more teams.

No tennis experience is necessary.

It could be a worthwhile early year social activity for your business or perhaps a business partner would be interested in joining this fun event .

Details can be found in the attached Brochure.

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Golf – Rod thanked his team and those who helped on the day. The weather was great it was a good day. The auctions were great but as there were a few less teams and hole sponsors the overall result be down a little bit.

Jim reminded us there will be a set menu for the Indian restaurant evening on 4 December. See earlier.

The young Romac children and mothers have arrived. Thanks to those who are helping.

Peter reminded us it was Foundation Month which funded GSE teams of which four were led by club members. Vocational training teams are now funded by global grants.

Liz Webb received a rotary grant to go to Vanuatu. She is a dental therapist and has visited Vanuatu 6 times.



Vanuatu has 83 islands and a population of nearly 300,000, a quarter of whom live in Port Vila. She wanted to track the dental health of these vulnerable communities. She found poor oral health and no records so she invited some dentists to help. She visited Aneityum Island which had the worst oral health. She soon realised that she had to train people to do some of the easier jobs. An electrician who travelled with her to manage the donated equipment was also able to fix local solar equipment and a fridge. Through a donation solar powered electric toothbrushes are being trialed. Donations of spectacles and guitar strings would be very much appreciated.