



Rotary District 9920

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Kia Ora fellow Rotarians and Partners.

My name is Gary Langford and together with my wife Jan invite to you to the District 9920 conference from 15 to 17 May 2020 in Auckland.

The 2020 conference committee, chaired by Graeme Emerson, has been hard at work designing a wonderful programme to inspire and entertain you. Get ready for a special time where you will connect with old friends, make new friends and connect to the people making a difference through Rotary and in our community and throughout the world.

The conference will be held in the magnificent Owen G Glenn Building at the University of Auckland Business School in the centre of Auckland, with abundant undercover parking. Rotary has strong linkages with research at the University. For instance, the Fiji Oxygen project is helping Rotary create lasting change.

The venue is a great platform for Rotary Clubs to showcase their projects and provides the ideal environment to reflect Rotary International President Mark Maloney's theme "Rotary Connects the world". Which it does at so many levels from individual Rotarians, and through clubs, communities and internationally. My District theme is to "Create lasting change", which is a call to action for Rotarians to make a real difference in the world.

We have an exciting pre-conference programme organised, with the choice of a lunch cruise aboard the luxury vessel Pacific Mermaid, the District Governor's Golf Tournament, wine tasting on Waiheke Island or the many attractions of the city. So, make your connection and join Jan and me on 15-17 May 2020 at the District Conference in Auckland.

Yours in Rotary

Gary Langford
District 9920 Governor