



Rotary Club of Brisbane High-Rise

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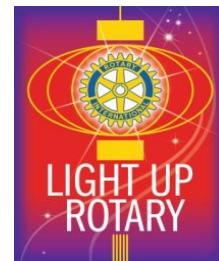
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HOT AIR

District 9600

Serving the Heart of Brisbane

18 September 2014



LINDSAY'S LINES

My Dad joined Rotary when we moved to Qld in the late 60's – firstly in Townsville, then here in Brisbane. I recall as an 11 year old working on my first service project – planting pine trees on a rural property north of Townsville to earn future income for an organisation that is now part of the Cerebral Palsy League, as I recall.

I also recall attending my first Rotary Club meeting. It was 1971; I was 13 years old; the RC of South Brisbane then was a club of similar size and vibrancy to ours now; and I even remember the meeting was at the South Brisbane Club on Grey Street. I don't remember who the speaker was or what happened. It didn't matter as the most important part of the whole evening was – my Dad took me to his Rotary club for the "Sons' & Daughters' Night"!

27 years later, even to my Dad's surprise, with these 2 little seeds sown so long ago, I joined Rotary here with High-Rise. 15 years on I am the proud President of our wonderful club.

Next Thursday 25th I wish to instigate the first of "Children of Rotarians" meetings to be held regularly in the school holidays. I ask that ALL members invite their Sons, Daughters, Nieces, Nephews and/or Grandchildren (young as well as older) to join us at Rotary next Thursday to meet a young lady, Keryn McMaster, who recently won a Commonwealth Games medal in Glasgow. Who knows how many may be future Rotarians simply by attending?

ROSTER	18-Sep	25-Sep	02-Oct	09-Oct	16-Oct
Chair	Sylvia	John K	Mark L	Deb	John L
Set Up	John K	Steve K	Elizabeth	John L	Deb
	Steve K	Mark L	John L	Elizabeth	Bill L
Close Down	Mark L	John L	Bill L	Bill L	Frank
	John L	Deb	Sarah	Frank	Elizabeth
Sergeant	Wendy	Kit	Barbara	John	Rob

INTERNATIONAL TOAST

This week we toast the Rotary Club of Columbus in District 6690. They meet Mondays at 12:00 PM at The Boat House at Confluence Park. The club was the 38th club to be chartered in the world.

GUEST SPEAKERS

Date	Name	Topic
18 September	Bill Leveritt	300th Anniversary of the British Longitude Act
25 September	Keryn McMaster	Commonwealth Games Bronze Medallist

ATTENDANCE

MEMBERS: 36
VISITING ROTARIANS: 3
GUESTS: 1
PERCENTAGE OF MEMBERS
ATTENDED: 58%

APOLOGIES / GUESTS and MAKEUPS

NOTIFY OUR CLUB BY 1700 TUESDAY PRIOR
TO THAT WEEK'S MEETING AT:

apologies@rotarybrisbanehighrise.com

make-ups@rotarybrisbanehighrise.com

Direct Debit

PREPAY FOR OUR MEETINGS,
EVENTS, SUBSCRIPTIONS AT:

BSB 084 -034

Account Number
559347857

ROTARY GRACE

*O Lord and giver of all
good,
we thank you for our
daily food. May Rotary
friends and Rotary ways
help us to serve you all
our days.*

Please email contributions for Hot Air to Highrisehotair@gmail.com



DIARY DATES



Date	Event	Details
Tues 7 Oct 6:00pm	World's Biggest Dinner Party	Details on last page
Sun 12 Oct 1:30pm	Zonta Fashion Showcase	See Angela for more details or purchase tickets
Fri 24 Oct 7:30pm	Rotary Foundation Theatre Evening – The 39 Steps	Cost \$45. Twelfth Night Theatre. Email Ericwood@bigpond.com for details.

Scandinavian festival

*Thanks Christine
for sending these in*



Congratulations Susan!

Member of the Order of Australia

For significant service to business and the community through a range of executive roles.

The Member of the Order of Australia is awarded for service in a particular locality or field of activity or to a particular group. The Order of Australia is the pre-eminent way Australians recognise the achievements and service of their fellow citizens.

Nominations for this award come directly from the community. Once nominated, the Australian Honours and Awards Secretariat at Government House in Canberra conducts further research and contacts referees.



Anzac Day 2015

Our club is planning a special project for Anzac Day 2015 celebrations

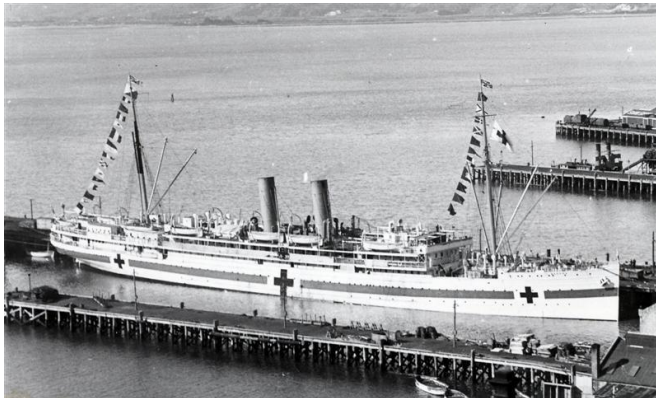
The project revolves around the NZ Hospital ship Maheno the wreck of which rests on the eastern beach of Fraser Island. The Maheno arrived at Anzac beach on 26 August 1915 and made numerous trips with the wounded from Anzac beach to Lemnos, Alexandra and Malta.

The Maheno was active from August until after the total withdrawal from Gallipoli in December 1915. Many of those wounded were Australians.

We plan to host a commemorative service at the ship on Anzac Day. Those wanting to attend will need to travel to Fraser Island on the Friday at the latest bearing in mind that all travel to the wreck is by 4WD only. We are considering an option to travel to the island on Thursday after our Rotary meeting to allow a day touring on the island on Friday 24th

Travel and accommodation options in Happy Valley are reasonable at the moment and we will need to book early to secure these.

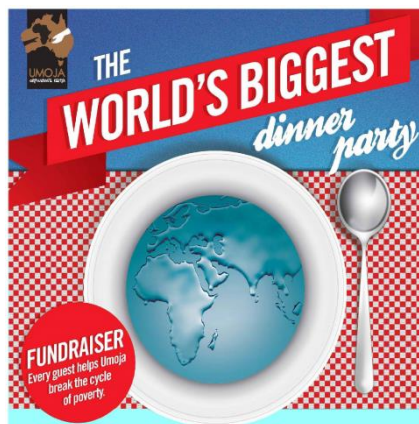
See Russell for more details



ON HOSPITAL SHIP MAHENO (LAST TRIP)—MISS McALLEN, C.R.R.C., MATRON.

EMILIE'S EXCERPT

Emilie and Alice
helping out at Street Level



In Swahili, Moja means one and Umoja together, let's get together and raise funds for Umoja Orphanage in Kenya.

www.umojahome.com

facebook.com/umojakenya?sk=wall&filter=1

Watch this 7 minute video it tells it as it is but can only be viewed on a PC.
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=y1CmSTwBCEY&feature=em-upload_owner

Tickets: \$45 each or \$450 for a table of 10, of which \$20 from each ticket sold goes to Umoja.
Two course set menu, cash bar.
Lucky door prizes and raffles.

Email enquiries or dietary requests to johnsinnamon@gmail.com or Ph 0412 181 328

The World's Biggest Dinner Party
When: 6pm Tuesday 7 October 2014

Where: **Taverner** 40 Blackwood St Mitchelton.

Book on line at <http://www.trybooking.com/102498>



Eddies Epilogue

Edison has an evil alter ego "Ike" who can be found participating in undesirable activities such as emptying kitchen drawers.