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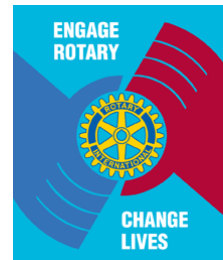
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# HOT AIR

District 9600  
Serving the Heart of Brisbane  
5 June 2014



## WENDY'S WISDOM

Recently twenty two members of High Rise each gave two hours to raise funds for the Salvos. For Tom and me it was a morning with a difference as we chatted to folk at the Spring Hill Markets.

We glimpsed those well known behaviors - 'no eye contact, no change this morning and got to rush.' But most responded well. I enjoyed the variety of responses to the question, 'Will you please help the Salvos?'

Smiles on the faces of children getting a high five for donating, those saying no on the way in but chasing us on their way out, and those almost buying a friendly chat. The day was a reminder to never judge a book by its cover. It was fun to watch the young man suffering from a night out reach for money – Tom and I wondered if he gave to get us out of his hair. We had fun with a man in his Rugby League Club shirt until he said he thought New South Wales would win the State of Origin and finally the man who came back from his car with two fists full of 5cent pieces. Said he liked the conversation. People constantly amaze me. They warm to a smile and a chat and many are generous. Bakers Delight offered to give their left over bakery products to Street Level one night every week. At a time when the media spends so much energy highlighting the not so good behaviours of Australians taking that couple of hours was truly a positive gift.

This week John and Kay Ker, John and Barbara Leddy, Bill and Noela Phillips and myself have been in Sydney at the Convention. We chose to be with lots and lots of positive, giving people.

ROSTER	5 June	12 June	19 June	26 June	3 July
Chair	Daryl	Jo A	John A	Margo	Jacque
Set Up	Jo A John A	John A Margo	Margo Jacque	Jacque Neil	Neil Phil
Close Down	Margo Jacque	Jacque Neil	Neil Phil	Phil Rod C	Rod C Barry C
Sergeant	Rob	Lindsay	Greg	Russell	Kit

## INTERNATIONAL TOAST

This week we toast the largest Rotary Club in the World – **Club 29 Oklahoma City**. They were founded in 1910 and have 615 active full time members and 22 honorary members. They put their growth down to being an inclusive club with a shared vision of strengthening their community through service to others.

## GUEST SPEAKERS

5 June	Jemma Riding	AEIOU – Helping children with Autism. Art Show beneficiary.
12 June	David Ritale	What happens to all those coins you donate at shops and airports
19 June	Review of Our Year	Wendy and the Board to review the year that was

### ATTENDANCE 29/5

MEMBERS: 27  
VISITING ROTARIANS: 1  
GUESTS: 1  
PERCENTAGE OF MEMBERS  
ATTENDED:  
51%

### APOLOGIES / GUESTS and MAKEUPS

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

[apologies@rotarybrisbanehighrise.com](mailto:apologies@rotarybrisbanehighrise.com)

[make-ups@rotarybrisbanehighrise.com](mailto: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.*

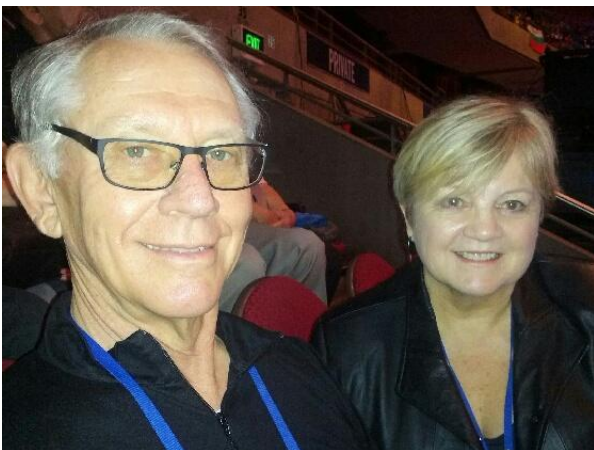
## News and Photos from the RI Conference in Sydney



Attendees at the conference – Bill and Noela Phillips, President Wendy and John and Kay Kerr, making friends with a Masai and other African friends.



John and Wendy after 45 mins of Human Nature!! Looking pretty chilled.





## DIARY DATES / UPCOMING EVENTS



Date	Event	Details
7 June	Donations-In-Kind <b>DIK</b>	Packing containers to go overseas Roster being circulated
15 June 3.30pm	<b>Half The Sky</b> Charity Film Afternoon <b>Proceeds to Enda's Hospital</b>	Dendy Cinemas Portside Tickets \$25 Purchase tickets <a href="http://www.stickytickets.com.au/17223">www.stickytickets.com.au/17223</a>
11 July	<b>Change Over Dinner</b>	Polo Club
21 July 6.00pm	<b>Presentation of Art Show Proceeds</b>	Stones Corner Club

If you have a Rotary event you want advertised in the Club Calendar please contact the Hot Air Editor at [atillmanns@cplqlid.org.au](mailto:atillmanns@cplqlid.org.au)

AMERICA FERRERA DIANE LANE EVA MENDES MEG RYAN GABRIELLE UNION OLIVIA WILDE

# half the sky

Turning Oppression into Opportunity for Women Worldwide

What if you could change the lives of women and girls worldwide?

**Sunday 15 June**  
3.30pm

**Screening**

Dendy Portside  
Remora Road  
Hamilton

Screening includes:  
Maternal Mortality and  
Economic Empowerment

Organized by:  
Zonta  
Brisbane Metro Breakfast

[www.halftheskymovement.org](http://www.halftheskymovement.org)

### An Invitation from Zonta to help Edna

Please join us for a screening of the film inspired by the New York Times bestseller **Half the Sky**. All monies raised will go to Edna Adan's Hospital of Somaliland. *Fierce, pragmatic, full of inspiring stories of courage and determination, Half the Sky is essential for every one of us – whichever our gender, wherever we live.*

**3:30pm Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> June**

Dendy Cinemas Portside

Tickets are \$25 which includes a drink on arrival.

To purchase tickets please go

to <https://www.stickytickets.com.au/17223>

**Our Friends at Mitchelton have an exciting night  
coming up – All Welcome**

***Mitchelton Rotary Club presents***

## ***An evening with Matthew Condon***



*Matthew Condon is a prize winning Australian novelist and journalist who authored 'Brisbane' and best selling true crime book 'Three Crooked Kings'. Spend an evening with Matthew as he discusses his new book 'Jacks and Jokers' which explores the era of corruption in Queensland during the premiership of Sir Joh Bjelke-Peterson.*

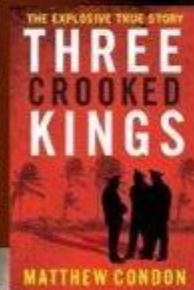
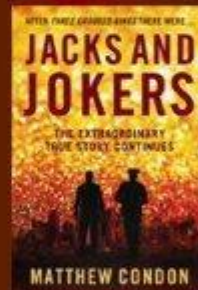
***Arana Leagues Club***

***7pm, 13<sup>th</sup> June 2014***

***\$50 includes 2 course dinner***

***07 3355 2471***

***Bookings Essential***



*Proceeds go to*

