



# Rotary Club of Brisbane High-Rise

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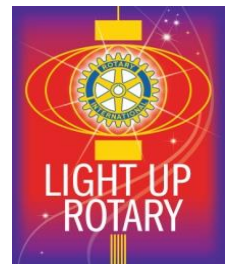
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## HOT AIR

District 9600

Serving the Heart of Brisbane

7 August 2014



### LINDSAY'S LINES

Last week's speaker, Adela Rice AM, continued the regular high standard of speakers we have at our weekly meetings when she spoke of her time as principal of Milpera State High School and Fheal, a foundation supporting a program Adele pioneered using Music and Art Therapy to assist in healing grief and loss to young people of refugee backgrounds. What I also loved was the personal connect with our club - our own Barbara Leddy telling us Adele inspired and mentored her to become an English as a Second Language teacher for the next 20 years. Then Adele also mentioned the marvellous work two schools that our club work with, Albert Park Flexible Learning Centre and St James College, in particular with their support of refugee young people over 18 that the state school system appears not to cater for. This to me ratifies our support over the years for Albert Park and our new found association with St James (who are hosting our Danish Youth Exchange Student, Emilie Damoe).

As for Emilie (pronounced "Amilia"), thanks to Greg for organising and keeping the rain away from Sunday's very enjoyable club welcome picnic for Emilie. Special thanks also go to the Tillmanns family for settling Emilie in over her first 10 days as Emilie now has moved into the Marshall household for the next 2 months. I am sure you will all enjoy Emilie's presentation as our guest speaker this week.

Next week, on the day after the Ekka holiday, Peter Lewis will tell us stories from the bush and how we can "Country Connect". Peter has recently "retired" from the ABC after 30 years service reporting and producing, in particular, the ABC show "Landline" so will be a meeting not to miss.

ROSTER	07-Aug	14-Aug	21-Aug	28-Aug	04-Sep
Chair	Rod	Julie	Bryce	Jennifer	Diana
Set Up	Julie	Bryce	Jennifer	Diana	James
	Bryce	Jennifer	Diana	James	Sylvia
Close Down	Jennifer	Diana	James	Sylvia	John K
	Diana	James	Sylvia	John K	Steve
Sergeant	Wendy	Kit	Barbara	John M	Rob

### INTERNATIONAL TOAST

In honour of our Exchange Student Emilie Damoe, today we toast the Rotary Club of Give in District 1450.

### GUEST SPEAKERS

Date	Name	Topic
7 August	Emilie Damo	Our Youth Exchange Student
14 August	Peter Lewis	Coin Co International – Foreign Currency Exchange Service to businesses
21 August	Snr Sergeant Mark Smith	Rundown on G20

#### ATTENDANCE

MEMBERS: 37  
VISITING ROTARIANS: 0  
GUESTS: 4

PERCENTAGE OF  
MEMBERS ATTENDED: %

#### 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.*



## DIARY DATES



Date	Event	Details
Sat 6 Sept 11:30am	Rotary Club of New Farm Raceday Event	Details below.
Sat 13 Sept 4:00pm	Rotary Charity Race Evening	Corbould Park, Caloundra. Call Mary on 0408 011 145 to book.
Sun 12 Oct 1:30pm	Zonta Fashion Showcase	See Angela (or the next page) for more details



*The Rotary Club of New Farm invites you to  
enjoy an afternoon at the races*

**Venue:** The Hometown Room, Doomben

**Date:** Saturday, 6th September, 2014

**Time:** 11:30am until the fun ends

**Cost:** \$140 per person, includes entry to  
the racecourse, 1 drink voucher, 2  
course lunch, tea & coffee. Cash bar.

**Prizes:** Lucky door, Smartest couple  
Best hat, Best tie, Race sweep

**Entry:** Prepaid ticket only.

No tickets available at venue.

Ticket sales close – 27th August 2014.

**Dress:** Ladies – Finest Racedress

Gentleman – Jacket and /or tie.

BRC Dress Standards



## The newest Rotarian in the world Congratulations Wen!



John, Barbara, Wen and President Lindsay at last  
weeks induction.

Following on from the  
Blurb about the National  
Youth Science Forum in last  
weeks Hot Air, a special  
mention goes to Kallum Strachan  
of Brisbane Boys College who has  
been selected to attend.



**Congratulations Kallum!**

## World Vision – Thank you from Zanthia Tillmanns

Thank you to everyone who donated last week to support me raising money for the Rwanda village that my school supports through World Vision. This year, I am walking non stop for 8 hours, just like a Rwandan refugee would have to do day after day, instead of doing the 40 hour famine. If you were not at the meeting last week I am coming again, with my receipt book and would really appreciate any help you can give me. I want to try and raise over \$500 and at the moment I have \$320. If you can't get to the meeting but would still like to help, you can contact me at [tillmanns@bigpond.com](mailto:tillmanns@bigpond.com). Thank you



# FASHION SHOWCASE

**TIME**  
1.30pm-4.30pm  
**DATE**  
Sunday 12 October 2014  
**VENUE**  
Brisbane City Hall

**DESIGNERS**  
Sacha Drake  
Pia Du Pradal  
Julie Tengdahl  
Laura Chong (The 400 Co)

**Zonta International.**  
*Advancing the Status of Women Worldwide*  
Enhancing the status of women locally and internationally

**Anglicare**  
Southern Queensland  
home-away-from-homelessness

**EXCLUSIVE PRE-RELEASE TABLE SALES FOR ZONTA CLUBS**

Zonta Clubs have the chance to purchase tables of 10 before tickets go on sale. Tables of 10 cost \$700 per table. This offer is available until 30 August. We encourage clubs to get in early to secure their tables as last year the event was sold out with a waiting list!

*Click here to secure your table.*

Join us by making a difference to the lives of homeless women in Brisbane, Anglicare's new home-away-from-homelessness project, helping more women break the cycle of homelessness.

All general release ticket sales will be released on 1 September to the general public. Individual tickets will cost \$75 per person.  
[zontafashionshowcase.com.au](http://zontafashionshowcase.com.au)

### CO HOSTS



Lisa Newman



Cynthia Morton

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## YEP (Youth Exchange Program)



Each year Rotary youth exchange provides thousands of young people with the opportunity to experience the cultures, problems and accomplishments, and share the love of people in other countries. Students are given the opportunity to grow as individuals. They return with a broader view of the world and a deeper understanding of themselves. Consequently, the Youth Exchange program becomes a powerful force in the promotion of world understanding and peace. Rotarians provide the best possible environment and a comprehensive support system for participants of the Youth Exchange Program.

[www.ryea.org.au](http://www.ryea.org.au)



# EMILIE'S WELCOME PICNIC!

Sunday 3 August 2014



Emilie with her first host parent - Di

Zanthia  
and  
Emilie at  
Emilie's  
first  
Rotary  
Meeting



Lindsay, John and Greg enjoying the scenery



Frank and Emilie



*Eddies Epilogue*  
I can now clap  
and wave!

