



# **HOT AIR**

# 2 NOV 2023 | THE ROTARY FOUNDATION



# 1 INTERNATIONAL TOAST

<u>Gbagada, Lagos State, Nigeria</u> (<u>Rotaract Club</u>)



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# FROM THE PRESIDENT - DYLYS BERTELSEN

### ... so diverse ... so active ... with such wide scope.

Breakfast speaker last Thursday was Dr Cameron Curley, a haematologist at Mater Health and co-investigator in the management of acute and chronic leukaemia, myeloma, lymphoma and stem cell transplantation. He came to tell us about breakthrough innovations taking place in cancer treatment, which offers new hope for many patients.

A subject matter expert, with the rare gift of translating the beyond-complex into fascinating everyday language, Cameron held us captivated throughout a talk that made entire sense to everyone!

He explained that Project Penny pays tribute to a late colleague from research partners BDO "who certainly would have benefitted from it." Learn more <u>here</u>.

### ... with boiled eggs are back for Breakfast.

We've decided to revive the boiled egg profile for new members. You know the one? Where an individual has the time it takes to soft-boil an egg, to tell us all about who they are. Hawys was the first of the batch. And as a former teacher, sailed in like a pro to deliver an expert potted profile. Up next will be Loretta.

### ... all over Facebook...

Exciting to see so many posts as clubs in our district get

involved across so many diverse activities and initiatives for good. At home and abroad. Spotted last week - the Ashgrove Meals on Wheels van - trundling through Moreton District to bring food and friendly smiles to a neighbourhood well beyond their own.

### ... supporting Cowboy House...

A mention of this worthy initiative last week prompted a warm response. A small group - led by Jane - is now poised to start planning its actions. More are welcome.

### ... standing up for early interventions in autism ...

We have some initial interest. But would welcome more, with the first meeting happening within a few weeks. Let me know if you'd like to come along.

### ... hosting Rotary Exchange Students ...

Many thanks to Margot, Greg and Ann-Maree who have this in hand for 8 December. Helpers and conversationalists are welcome. Talk to Greg. Time and venue TBA.

### ... taking up RARE opportunities...

The next opportunity to lend your helping hands to RARE (Rotary Australia Repurposing Equipment) – particularly as a Vollie Coordinator will be on Saturday 2 December! Contact Steve.

# 2 PROGRAM/GUEST SPEAKER

**02 NOV Club Assembly** 

**Rotary Brisbane High-Rise** 

09 NOV Keith Hamburger

Juvenile Justice

16 NOV To be Announced

# 3 ROSTER

ROSTER	02 NOV	09 NOV	16 NOV
Set Up & Close	Susan R.	Yvonne R.	Steve S.
Greeter	Yvonne R.	Steve S.	Angela T.

# **ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

The Brisbane High-Rise Rotary Club acknowledges the First Nations people as the original inhabitants of the land we are on today and honours their Elders past, present and emerging.

### **APOLOGIES & GUEST**

Notify of attendance, guests and apologies by 5.00pm on Monday prior to the meeting

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# DIRECT DEBIT

Pay for our meetings, fines, Joker Draw, events and subscriptions

> BSB 084 -034 Account Number 559347857

# **ROTARY GRACE**

For the Fellowship of Rotary we Give our thanks

# **Last Week's Meeting**

At last week's breakfast, Dr. Cameron enriched us with insights into acute and chronic leukemia, myeloma, lymphoma, and stem cell transplantation. It was enlightening to be introduced to Project Penny and contribute to such a commendable endeavor.







# OBJECT OF ROTARY



The Object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster:

- The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;
- High ethical standards in business and professions; the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations; and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society
- The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business and community life;
- The advancement of international understanding, goodwill and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.



Today we toast the Rotary Club of Seminole Lake Florida. The club meets at 7:15 PM every Friday.

2014, the Rotary Club Since Seminole Lake, Florida, has been aiding children in Belize through projects like playground educational support, construction, clothing, and medical screenings, in partnership with the Rotary Club of Belmopan, Belize, with recent efforts including a seventh playground, 1,500 pieces of clothing, toiletries, backpacks, and 30 wheelchairs.

# **Melbourne Cup**

We cordially invite you to join us and become a vital part of the Melbourne Cup event, facilitated by the AEIOU Foundation. Embrace the opportunity to volunteer your time, skills, and enthusiasm to make this experience truly unforgettable. Your dedication will play a crucial role in supporting our cause and creating lasting memories for all involved.



AEIOU has been chosen as the charity beneficiary of four Melbourne Cup events and we'd love your help to raise funds for children with autism.

We only need 4-5 hours of your time on Tuesday 7 November to sell tickets to Cup Sweepstakes.

We're urgently seeking volunteers to spend the afternoon at one of four beautiful venues - you will be able to select a first and second preference, selling tickets to Cup but this will be subject to need and availability.

# WHAT YOU'LL BE DOING



Sweepstakes



Watching the big race

# EVENTS ARE TAKING PLACE AT:









Enjoying delicious meals for free (usually valued between \$130-\$500 per person!)



Competing against the other volunteer teams for a fantastic prize



# **ACTIVITY BOARD**

# **ROTARY BRISBANE HIGH-RISE**

Name of the Project	Person Responsible	Type of Activity	Date of Involvement
St Jude's School of Tanzania	Bill Philips	All involvement welcomed	
<u>Mamba School</u>	Bill Philips	Currently constructing netball courts; upgrade of the teacher accommodation about to start.	
Rotary Art Show	Bill Philips	Organising Committee now being formed; first meeting 11th October	October 11, 2023
Pride of Workmanship	Rosemary Meadows	Recommendations for outstanding service in our community	January 1, 2024
Trifecta Project	Bill Philips	\$2 tickets now available for sale; completion date 7th November.	November 7, 2023

# OTHER COMMUNITY PROJECTS WITH ROTARIANS

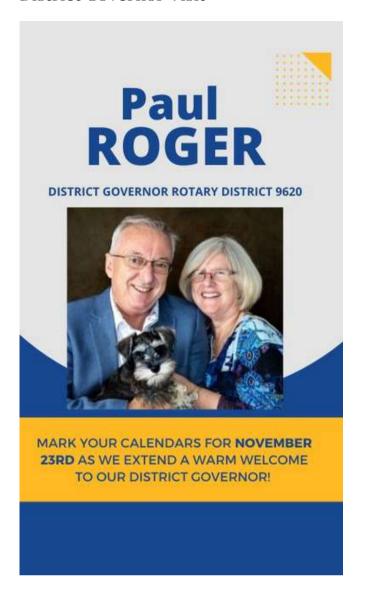
Name of the Project	Person Responsible	Type of Activity	Date of Involvement
<u>Ride West</u>	Russell Postle	Inviting participants and looking for sponsorship funds	April 1, 2024
Maheno School 150 year celebration	Russell Postle	Expressions Of Interest for 2025 trip	



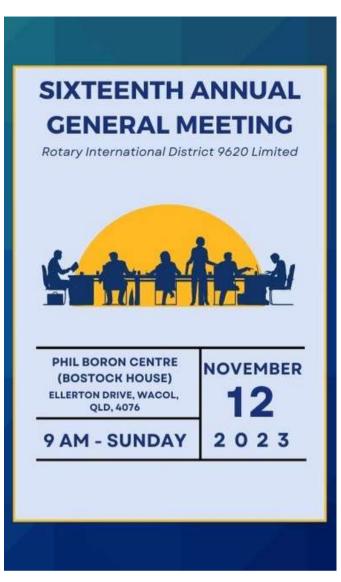
"If you would like to be involved in any of the above - please contact the Rotarian in charge. Additionally, if you have a project you would like to see here, please send submit details through email for approval and future inclusion"

# **Announcements**

# **District Governor Visit**



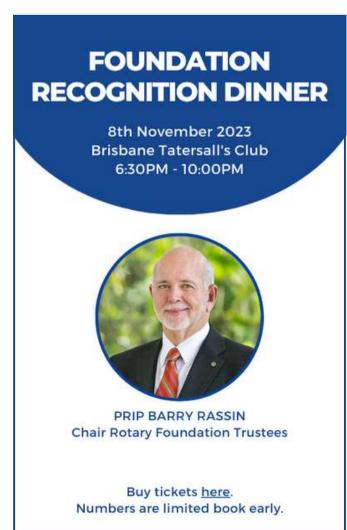
# **16th Annual General Meeting**



# Melbourne Cup



**Foundation Recognition Dinner** 



# **Announcements**

Oceans to Outback - Fundraising

# RFDS OCEANS to OUTBACK RUSSELL POSTLE I AM CYCLING 247KM IN 31 DAYS TO KEEP THE FLYING DOCTOR FLYING Please Help Me Reach My Goal HTTPS://WWW.OCEANSTOOUTBACK.ORG.AU/FUNDRAIS. ERS/AUSSELLPOSTLE/OCEANS-TO-OUTBACK

**Annual General Meeting** 



**Shelterbox Serviette Appeal** 



**Swing for Shelterbox** 



# **Announcements**

# **Member's Christmas Party**



# Children's Party



### **Board Members**

# Board Members 2023–2024

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# **Food for Thought**

