



# HOT AIR

18 APRIL 2024 | MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH



**1 INTERNATIONAL TOAST**  
Rotary Club of Mumbai Down Town Sea Land

(details on page 4)

## FROM THE PRESIDENT - DYLYS BERTELSEN

### ... Sandy from Traction

Traction for Young People's Founder, Sandy Murdoch, spoke to us on Thursday. Sandy founded Traction in July 2015. Traction delivers evidence-informed, hands-on learning and mentoring programs, to help young people engage in education and build the resilience and skills they need to thrive. To read more about what they do, please click [here](#). High-Rise are looking forward to exploring opportunities to get more involved with Traction.

### ... Polio night out

The Combined Cluster Polio Dinner was held on Tuesday 9th April, and what a superb event it was with a wonderful turnout. Bruce McNaught was a captivating and engaging speaker as he spoke of his very personal journey.

### ... Update from the Board Meeting

The board meeting was held on the 8th of April. The minutes will be made public once the minutes have been approved.

- The Investment Policy and procedure was approved with some minor changes.
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- Financials were approved and payments ratified. Once again we recognise that we are in a good financial position.
- The district Grant Applications close at the end of May and the monies need to be spent by the end of June. Approx \$3000. We can put a maximum of three forward, but the advice is we focus on one or two that we can get across the line. We are currently investigating possible grants for either Act for Kids, 3rd Space or Brisbane Central School.
- The board happily confirmed that we would donate
  1. \$4200 towards the [PCYC Blue Edge Program](#)
  2. \$2520 towards Irene continuing her tertiary studies as a co-sponsor
  3. \$1050 towards [The Santos Experience](#) (Youth Program)
- It was noted that the work towards the set up of the Alumni is underway
- The Mamba school accommodation and netball courts are due for completion the 15th April
- We have a Danish inbound student arriving next year and Ann-Maree and Greg will be seeking some support with accommodation.
- The tree planting this Sunday is back on

### ... Rotary correspondence from far and wide

- To read the latest update from Hugh, please click [here](#)
- The Cluster Meeting was held on the 4th April. To read the minutes, click [here](#)
- The Democracy Sausage Sizzle morning raised approximately \$430. Final figure to be confirmed.

## 2 PROGRAM/GUEST SPEAKER

**18 APR Phil Gough**

The Anzacs - presentation Kiwi story of their Anzacs of T Papa Museum in Wellington

**25 APR No Meeting**

**02 MAY Kathie Stoker & Katie McIntyre**  
Little Wings

## 3 ROSTER

ROSTER	18 APR	25 APR	02 MAY
Set Up & Close	Helen F.	No Meeting	Stephen F.
Greeter	Stephen F.	No Meeting	Cindy K.

### 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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### ROTARY GRACE

For the Fellowship of Rotary we Give our thanks



# Last Week's Meeting

Sandy Murdoch, founder of Traction for Young People, spoke to us Thursday about their evidence-based learning and mentoring programs, prompting High-Rise's interest in getting more involved. Donate and be involved in the CEO Bike Build through this [link](#).



# District 9620 Tree Planting Challenge

The District 9620 Tree Planting Challenge on April 14, 2024, was brief but fulfilling. Andrew, Anne, Jane, Greg, Ann-Maree, David, Peta, SteveK, Heather, and local friends, Angela, and Rob worked hard for just over an hour. See the photos of last year's section and another area planted two years ago, both thriving!

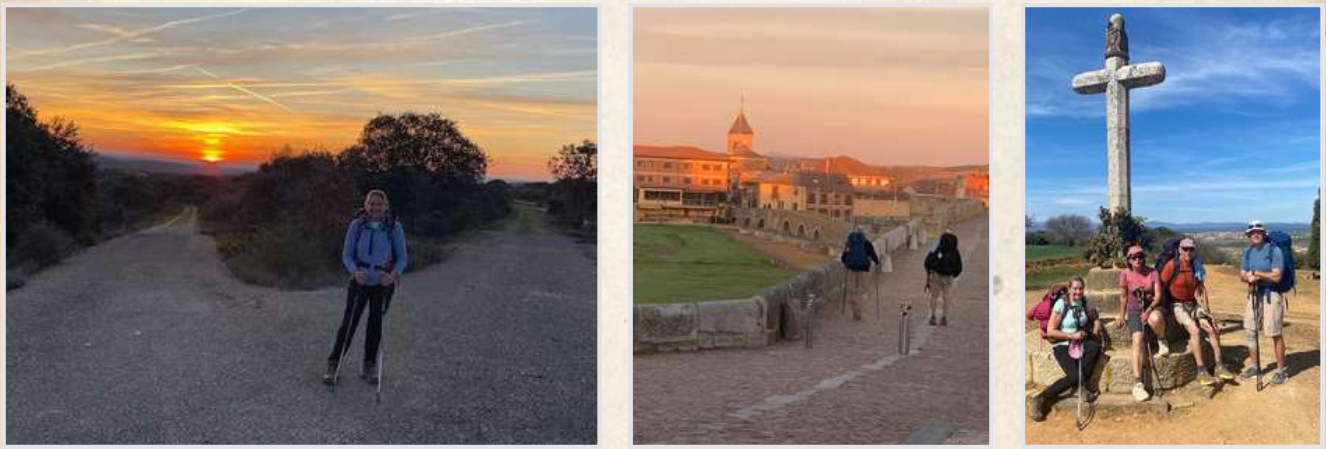




# District 9620 Tree Planting Challenge



## Camino Stage 3 - From Yvonne



I'm heading up to The Cruz de Ferro at sunrise tomorrow then in to Ponferrada. Into the third and final stage of the Camino. There is so much depth to this wonderful walk...you never know the beauty you will witness or the people you will meet along the way. Below a few moments I was able to capture.





# Volunteer Opportunity: Fortnightly Sandwich Making for Riverview State School

Dear Brisbane High-Rise Members,

I hope this email finds you well. We have an exciting opportunity to give back to our community on a regular basis by volunteering at Riverview State School to make sandwiches for children who don't have lunch. Your participation would mean a lot to both the school and the children who will benefit from your generosity.

**Date: Tuesday, April 16th, 2024**  
**Time: 9:00 AM**  
**Location: Riverview State School**  
**Address: 131 Old Ipswich Rd, Riverview QLD 4303**

There is ample street parking available near the school for your convenience.

If you're able to join us, please email me by Monday morning. I'll pass on your RSVP to the community hub leader to coordinate our efforts efficiently. You will need to bring your blue card to the school.

On the day of the event, I will be available by phone (0435614140) until 10:00 AM if you encounter any difficulties with directions or setting up.

This will be a fortnightly event, so your ongoing participation would be greatly appreciated.

Your involvement in this initiative will make a real difference in the lives of these children, and it's a wonderful opportunity for us to come together as a community and support those in need.

Thank you for considering this volunteer opportunity, and I look forward to hearing from you soon.

Warm regards,  
Zanthia Tillmanns

## Club Social Media Request

If you see a post that you like, please share it to your social media page. Write some context about it as to why it's important for you. One of your social media friends may be interested in joining us.



## Rotary Down Under



### 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:*

- 1** The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;
- 2** 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
- 3** The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business and community life;
- 4** The advancement of international understanding, goodwill and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.

## International Toasts



Today we toast the Rotary Club of Rotary Club of Mumbai Down Town Sea Land. The club meets at 6:45 PM every Wednesday.

With a \$50,000 global grant, the Rotary Club of Mumbai Down Town Sea Land built five check dams in Maharashtra's Palghar district to mitigate monsoon flooding. Supported by Shabbir Rangwala's nearly \$30,000 contribution, the project aims to boost farmers' income by expanding irrigation and crop cultivation



# Announcements

## Traction for Young People

### TRACTION FOR YOUNG PEOPLE

TRACTION's mission is to spark young people's potential and build their own positive futures.



Your generosity will give young people the head start they need!

Donate & be involved in the CEO Bike Build!

<https://traction.community/support-us>

## Anzac Day

### ANZAC DAY 2024

LEST WE FORGET



22 APRIL 2024 TO 25 APRIL, 2024

Resting peacefully on the eastern beach of K'garl / Fraser Island is the TSS Maheno – during WW1 the Maheno was a hospital ship, arriving at Anzac beach on the morning of 26 August 1915; there the crew retrieved the wounded Australian and New Zealand soldiers. A winter cyclone in 1935 caused the towline to break resulting in the Maheno being beached on Fraser Island, sparing her from the shipbreakers' torches in Japan.

Time to confirm if you are able to assist with the Anzac Day service this year so we can secure your accommodation options. Contact Russell.



## Sponsorship - Art Show

### Brisbane ROTARY ART SHOW

#### Exhibition Dates

Monday 15th July to Friday 26th July 2024

#### Opening Hours

Monday to Friday 8.00 am to 6.00 pm  
Saturday/Sunday 10.00 am to 3.00 pm

#### Venue

Central Plaza One foyer (CP1 foyer),  
345 Queen Street, Brisbane

#### Events

Art Show Gala Evening on Tuesday  
16th July 2024

Providing opportunities for Sponsors to partner with us.  
Please contact Bell Murray | 0438 105 799 |  
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## Ride West Fundraiser Raffle

### RIDE WEST BIKE RAFFLE

Win a Custom Painted Ride West Chapter2 Bike

**FRIDAY**  
DRAW DATE:  
26 APRIL 2024



#### BIKE SPECIFICATIONS

- ❖ Chapter2 TOA
- ❖ MANA2 Carbon Bars
- ❖ Shimano Ultegra Di2
- ❖ Zipp 303S Carbon Wheels
- ❖ Fizik Saddle
- ❖ Custom paint design

WINNER GETS TO SELECT,  
FRAME SIZE, HANDLEBAR  
WIDTH, STEM LENGTH &  
CRANK LENGTH



Text "RideWestBike" to  
0420677164 for details on  
ticket purchasing

MORE DETAILS HERE



## Bryce Davies - Funrun

**60KMS FOR 60 YEARS**  
**BRYCE DAVIES**  
 VOLUNTEERS ARE ALSO WELCOME!  
**MAY 4TH**  
**2024**  
 REGISTER HERE  
<https://abcd.fillout.com/bryces60k>



## Cocktail Fundraising Gala



You are Invited to

*an evening of*  
**Brushing Kindness**  
 a cocktail fundraising gala

**MAY 18 6:30PM**  
**THE PORT OFFICE HOTEL**

Dress Code: Cocktail Attire

*in support of*



## Rotary Nomads Changeover Muster 2024

**Rotary**  
 Nomads

**ROTARY**  
**NOMADS**

**CHANGEOVER MUSTER 2024**

**19 JUNE 2024 | 6:30 PM**

Changeover Muster week at Moore Park Beach near Bundaberg from Monday 17 June to Monday 24 June, 2024.

**Invitations will be available soon!**

Book at the Moore Park Beach Caravan Park and mention that you are with Rotary Nomads.

## Board Members 2023 - 2024

**Board Members**  
**2023-2024**

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