



HOT AIR

25 JAN 2024 | VOCATIONAL SERVICE



1 INTERNATIONAL TOAST

Rotaract Club of Terre Cremasche



(details on page 5)

FROM THE PRESIDENT - DYLYS BERTELSEN

... Welcome back!

May 2024 bring you and your family joy, peace, and prosperity. Wishing you a blessed and fulfilling year ahead!

... 2024 so far

Our coffee catch-ups at Hallowed Ground on Thursdays have been a great way to reconnect with fellow Rotarians during the break, before the first official breakfast commences on Thursday, February 25th.

We farewelled Hugh Bunce, as he set off to Denmark for the Exchange Student program. Hugh has arrived safe and sound, and we are very much looking forward to hearing more about his adventures.

The Paddington Cluster Breakfast meeting last week was fascinating and inspiring. It was wonderful catching up with the Paddington Club members and some members from other clubs. Good fun was had by all!

There was a great turnout at The Boys in the Boat movie fundraiser on Sunday. I look forward to hearing what the final amount was that was raised.

I am looking forward to catching up with those of you I haven't had a chance to speak with yet. Here's to a fabulous 2024.

2 PROGRAM/GUEST SPEAKER

- 25 JAN Jodie Bignall**
International River Foundation
- 01 FEB Zanthia Tillmanns**
Disability Services in the US
- 08 FEB Catherine Spencer**
Comboys Foundation

3 ROSTER

ROSTER	25 JAN	01 FEB	08 FEB
Set Up & Close	Andrew A.	Jane A.	Margot B.
Greeter	Jane A.	Margot B.	Murray B.

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 Cluster meeting at Paddington

We thoroughly enjoyed our time at the Rotary Club of Paddington cluster meeting, and we want to express my gratitude for the warm welcome extended to us. Starting the new year with such a fantastic gathering and fellowship was truly uplifting.



Up and Coming Guest Speakers

Great opportunity to invite guests



Jodie Bignall

CEO of International River Foundation

She lead a sustainable business plan to future-proof the organization and its mission to protect and restore the world's rivers. With over 25 years of management and executive leadership experience in financial, media and mining sectors, she bring a unique mix of commercial acumen, stakeholder engagement, and innovation to the non-profit domain.



RideWest Movie



The High-Rise members had a great time with the Ride West Movie! Margot quoted "Such a lovely get together to raise funds to sponsor Alex in his RideWest campaign and we all enjoyed the movie "The Boys in the Boat". Thanks to New Farm cinemas for a great event".



Join DG Paul & Sue Roger for an exciting weekend at this prestigious Rotary Conference hosted at the renowned SeaWorld Resort.

There are only a limited number of rooms left at Rotary Special Rate.

Once the rooms are gone, they are GONE!

BOOK NOW!

Please purchase your raffle tickets as funds raised will go to Aust Rotary Health, ShelterBox Aust & The Rotary Foundation.

As a special treat for attendees of the Saturday evening Gala Dinner, there are two exciting lucky door prizes.

- A prize voucher for 2 nights' accommodation including breakfast and Sea World entry to 2 Adults and 2 children.
- 4 x daytime passes to Sea World (2 Adults and 2 children).

Act now to secure your spot and take advantage of the limited rooms available at the Rotary Special Rate!

District 9620 Conference 2024



We have now secured as our Guest Speaker Super Coach **Wayne Bennett AM**.

He is an Australian rugby league coach and former player, currently leading the Dolphins in the NRL. He has coached various teams, including the South Sydney Rabbitohs, Brisbane Broncos, and Australian Kangaroos, and has worked with the Queensland Maroons and England national teams.

D9620 Conference 2024
SeaWorld Resort
08th - 10th March 2024



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Pendant \$2495

3rd Prize



18 karat Gold
Pendant \$2020

All Proceeds to:

- Rotary Foundation,
- Australian Rotary Health
- Shelter Box.

Drawn 10th March 2024

Jewellery handmade and donated by Rtn Rowarn Luder



Rotary
District 9620

ACTIVITY BOARD

ROTARY BRISBANE HIGH-RISE

Name of the Project	Person Responsible	Type of Activity	Date of Involvement
<u>St Jude's School of Tanzania</u>	Bill Philips	All involvement welcomed	
<u>Mamba School</u>	Bill Philips	Currently constructing netball courts; upgrade of the teacher accommodation about to start.	
<u>Rotary Art Show</u>	Bill Philips	Organising committee now formed to offer any support - see Bill	
<u>Pride of Workmanship</u>	Rosemary Meadows	Recommendations for outstanding service in our community	January 1, 2024

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
<u>Maheno School 150 year celebration</u>	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" ⬅️⬅️⬅️

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 Terre Cremasche, Italy (Rotaract Club). The club meets at 8:30 PM every Friday.

The Rotaract together with the nonprofit Consultorio Insieme Crema joined forces to address the growing issue of eating disorders among young people. Their series of workshops, covering body image, mindful eating, and wellness with sustainable dining, aimed to guide participants in reflecting on their eating habits, all funded through a stylish gala cocktail reception in Crema's civic museum, housed in a 15th-century convent.

Announcements

Project Penny

PROJECT PENNY

Visit to RBWH for CAR-T Cell Program

FEBRUARY 22, 2023

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7:30-8:00am: Breakfast at RBWH Foundation Office

8:00-8:45am: Tour with Dr Cameron Curley and Dr Siok Tey Cancer Care Services/CAR-T Lab

9:00-10:00am: Tour with Ms Mathilde Desselle Herston Biofabrication Institute

Kindly RSVP ASAP as we require the numbers.

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