

ROMAC newsletter, March 2023

Message from the Chair Happy New Year from Rotary Oceania Medical Aid for Children, a project of Districts in Rotary's Zone 8. Our ROMAC team is fresh and invigorated from our work in 2022 to restart medical aid for children. We have many new patients in our referral process and the year is shaping up to be busy. Most importantly, we are looking for Rotarians or Rotaractors with skills to join our committees in areas like fundraising, marketing, communications, producing newsletters and maintaining databases, liaising with Government and Hospitals, paediatrics, finance, recruiting, and hosting. ROMAC is a wonderfully rewarding project to be involved with and appeals to all ages so give it some consideration and let us know how you would like to help by emailing me at chair@romac.org.au.

Photo of Gabriella

Gabriella makes a great recovery Three-month-old Gabriella from Fiji was treated in New Zealand for a heart condition in February 2020. Now a healthy three-year-old, Gabriella is a wonderful example of the life saving work ROMAC does. Pictured left to right: Gabriella on arrival in New Zealand at 3 months, Gabriella at 3 years in 2022. ROMAC Communications Have a say about what goes into our E-Newsletter to update you on our work facilitating medical aid for children. Please complete this 2-minute survey to tell us what you think about our E-News and how it affects you. Thank you very much.

How you can help ROMAC Every day Rotarians and Friends are raising funds to cover travel, accommodation and treatment for children and their carers. If every Rotarian in Australia and New Zealand donated \$20 and every club matched with \$20 for everyone of their members, we could cover the costs of all the children referred to us annually. If every Friend donated \$20 we could help even more children. Australia - Donate now