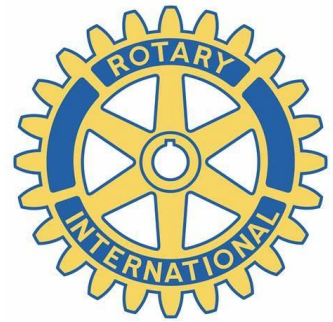




The HUB

The weekly bulletin of
The Rotary Club of Kingaroy
25 October 2021



We give thanks to Rotary for good fellowship, the opportunity to serve our community and to do good in the world

Opened: President Kat opened the meeting at 7.00pm and welcomed all members.

Attendance: President Kat Butcher, Mark Huston, Kerry Heit, Murray Johnston, Geoff Hosking, Ray Pitt, Ron Roberts, Vince Evans, Lex Petersen, David Black, Bev Watter, Neil Black, Gus Napier, Anne Skinner, Abigail Andersson, Carmel & Allan McKeering.

Guests: Wendy Byron from the Toowoomba Metropolitan Rotary Club.

Apologies: Deb Hails, Anna Faunt, Flynn Woodall (KSHS Active Citizen), Nicola Pitt, Mark Pitt, Sandy Hoffman and Ros Tigell.

Guest Speaker: Nil

Birthdays: Nil

Wedding Anniversary: Nil

Club Anniversary: 01/11/71

LEX PETERSEN
50 years membership



International Toast: Bev Watter proposed an International Toast to the Rotary Club of Yangon, Myanmar. The club was active from 1929 to 1977 and then re-established in 2013. Members meet on the first, third and fourth Thursday of each month. Projects include – providing water, toilets, and food to needy communities; basic living and school needs for children and medical equipment provision.

Next week's Toast – Carmel McKeering.

Kat's Quiz: Members had to give 3 answers in 5 seconds to a question. Just as challenging & funny as last week.
Samples - 3 places you might find a snake? 3 types of weather? 3 things you can do with chocolate?

Ron's Quiz

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| • What is the Rotary International Convention? | An event to educate, inspire & motivate Rotarians |
| • How often, where & when is it held? | Annually, April to June, in a major city. |
| • How is the Council for Legislation paid for? | \$1.00 from each Rotarian's dues. |
| • What are the attendance guidelines? | 50% of meetings each half year. |
| • How long must a Rotarian attend a meeting to count as attendance? | 60% of the total time of a meeting. |
| • What is the Rotary Leadership Institute? | Program for training Rotarians in leadership skills |
| • What percentage of Rotarians have never proposed a member? | 90% |
| • What is the family of Rotary? | Includes relatives, RF alumni, Youth Exchange, members & past members of Rotaract, friends of Rotary |
| • What Rotary program is called Rotex? | Past youth exchange participants |



Guest Speaker: Nil

Secretary: Bev

- R 100 – Former member Trevor Kerle supplied his Response form for the event. He is unable to attend the R100.
- NSHS & St Mary's provided thank you letters for Speech Night donations

Treasurer: Mark

- Term deposit now opened.
- Card reader being ordered shortly.

President Kat:

- District AGM is 7 November. Neil is attending to represent our club.
- Our club's AGM is 8 November. All apologies to Bev please.
- Sandy H not here tonight due to the weather conditions.
- Flynn is in his second week of exams.
- KSHS Speech Night. Flynn – Gold Duke of Edinburgh Award + Merit Award + Academic Awards in Chemistry & Physics.
- Our club's bursary is yet to be announced.
- Board meeting will be next Monday 1 November.

Community: Kerry

- **Sexual Assault function run by Kingaroy Police.** >200 sausage cooked. Thanks to Geoff & Vince for assisting.
- Email from Bev about November events. Needing volunteers in order to complete them all. Thank you members for your help!
 - **13 Nov IGA Sausage sizzle** (Vince, Bev, David to work.)
 - **13 Nov 3.00 – 6.00pm. Music Recital Nanango.** Hoping for 300 people. (Ron Kat Dave Bev & possibly Mark & Vince to work.)
 - **20 Nov Swicker's Christmas function bar** at Kingaroy Town Hall. (Neil, Anna, Bev, Dave, Ray, Wendy, Vince & Anne to work.)

- **18 Nov Health Expo.** Asked to run bar in Town Hall forecourt. 5.30 – 7.00pm. We set up the bar. (Vince, Anna, Kerry, Lex.)
- **19 Nov Health Expo.** Asked to do bbq lunch. (Ray, Pat, Kerry, David.)

- **R 100**

- Currently have 35 guests and 29 members & partners attending.
- Kerry thanked Geoff, Ron & Lex for combing through the shed to find quite a lot of interesting memorabilia for the R100.
- Kerry Neil & Murray for their efforts in helping him with the event.
- Working Bee on Saturday 1.00pm. ALL members are asked to be there to help with the set up.
- Kerry impressed upon members the importance of talking and mingling throughout the night. It will be pivotal in the night's success.

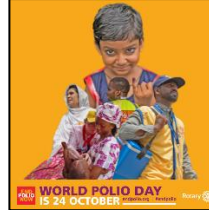
Youth: Deb

- Leila Gould has removed herself from NYSF due to family circumstances. Most unfortunate.

Foundation: Murray

- **World Polio Day 24 October.**

- Rotary began work in The Philippines 1979
- \$2.2BN of Rotary funds across 125 countries
- 99.9% eradicated WPV
- Remains in Afghanistan (1 WPV) & Pakistan (1 WPV)
- WPV – wild Polio virus OVPV – oral vaccine derived Polio virus. Found in under-immunised countries.
- All countries remain at risk – vaccinations must continue
- Only takes \$3 to vaccinate a child.



General Business:

- **Club Runner trial.** Email link sent to members by Ray Pitt. Club has a 1 month free trial period in order to investigate what it offers.
 - Encouraged members to use the email link to log-in and investigate.
 - All club documents, planning, etc can be done on Club Runner.
 - Ongoing cost would be US\$18 per month.
 - **Club decided to allocate next Monday night to focus on investigating the use of Club Runner.**
- **Bev – Calendar of Events**
 - **4 December Nanango Races** – will be a very busy day. (Workers – Vince, Flynn, Bev, David.)
 - **4 December Nanango Markets** – calendar sales. Mark organising. Can you help?
 - **11 December Christmas Party** at the Palace Hotel Nanango. Finger food. Members agreed.
- **Kat - 13 December will be our final meeting for 2021.**
- **Interact Club Report - Carmel.** Continuing to meet. Donated \$300 to brain cancer fund raiser. Sold ANZAC biscuits & made \$132.00. Sausage Sizzle being run next Wednesday 3 Nov to fund raise. Goal is to get a defibrillator for the Yarraman Bowls Club. Still collecting bottles & cans. AGM will be at the start of 2022.
- **'Free Meals for those in Need' Initiative - Gus Napier**
- 12 people regularly coming now. Gus is now organizing the work roster. Operating under the SB Suicide Prevention Group. Last week given 1000 frozen meals to use. Fantastic.
- Our club is rostered to work next Sunday. Neil, Wendy, Gus to work.
- Vince – questioned news that the club has been given a \$2000 SBRC grant to go towards feeding homeless people. Ray explained. Committee is looking at buying a mobile freezer or microwave to use.
- **Christmas Carnival Hams for Ham Wheel.** Vince has secured 36 hams. Looking at \$6.25/kg. Good profit will be made. Christmas Carnival is on Thursday 9 Dec.

Fines:

- Carmel fined for receiving a phone call & having her badge on upside-down.
- Members not wearing their badge were fined.
- Kat fined Neil for not completing the mowing of her lawn.
- Kerry fined Neil for trying to impersonate the PM at the KCCI Gala Ball bar.

Card Draw: 5 CLUBS. Winner – Allan McKeering. Donated to Interact Club.

Meeting closed 8:45pm

Cheers

Murray

Next Meeting: 1 November Meeting focus – investigating 'Club Runner'

Remember AGM 8 November. Members need to let Vince know if not attending.

Reminders

- **If you cannot attend a meeting, you MUST contact Vince by NOON on Monday!**
- **If you don't cancel by noon you will be billed for a meal.**
- **New Bank account details**

o Account Name: Rotary Club of Kingaroy Inc.
 o BSB: 084 763
 o Account Number: 254 905 213

- **Make sure you wear your badge at every meeting. Makes it easier for guests.**

Useful Rotary Websites

Club website www.kingaroyrotary.org.au

Rotary Foundation

- International www.rotary.org
- Australia www.rotaryfoundationaustralia.org.au

BIRTHDAYS – MEMBERS AND PARTNERS		
Nil		
ANNIVERSARIES		
Nil		
CLUB ANNIVERSARY		
Lex Petersen	50 years	1 November

Attendance at each meeting is presumed unless you notify your absence to:

Vince Evans
Phone: 0499 366 007
Email: evansvlj@bigpond.com.au

The Four-Way Test

OF THE THINGS we think, say or do:

- Is it the TRUTH?
- Is it FAIR to all concerned?
- Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
- Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

Club Meeting Details

1 November	Meeting – investigating CLUB RUNNER
8 November	AGM + Regular Meeting

UPCOMING EVENTS – ACTIVITIES – PROJECTS – HAPPENINGS		
DATE	CONTACT PERSON	DETAILS
30 October	Kerry, Murray, Neil	Club's R 100 celebration event at Kingaroy SHS
13 November	Bev & David	IGA Nanango Sausage Sizzle & Nanango Music Recital 3.00 – 6.00pm
18 November	Kerry	Proposed - SB Health & Community Services Expo stall
20 November	Kerry	Swickers' Christmas Event – bar
25 November	Deb	Kingaroy District Primary Schools' Persuasive Speech Competition
4 December	Bev & David	Nanango Races – bar + Nanango Markets
6 or 7 December	Murray & Vince	Rotary Foundation Movie Night Date to be confirmed.
9 December	Kerry & Vince	Christmas Carnival Ham Wheel
11 December	Bev	Christmas Party – Palace Hotel in Nanango
13 December	Kat	Final club meeting for 2021

