



"The ROTIAC" - Rotarians in Action in 9500

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Preamble:

Please find attached "The ROTIAC" and its attachments for this week.

The following information has been sent to all Club Presidents, Secretaries & Club Executives, AGs, PDGs, DMC, DFC, DG, DGEs, DGNs, Rotaract Clubs and nominated Rotarians.

This publication and past district dispatches are available on the District 9500 website at www.rotary9500.org

Would the club recipients of these weekly publications please ensure that they are circulated to their club members as this is the principal means of communication between the District and the Clubs? All items for The ROTIAC to be sent to the District Secretary by 4.00 pm Thursdays either by email secretary16-17@rotary9500.org (preferred) or post Rotary D9500 PO Box 6669, Adelaide Halifax St PO SA 5000 (AND allow time for delivery):

MEMBERSHIP SUMMITT – No. 2 - ROTARY DISTRICT 9500

Calling all Rotary members

Book Now <http://e.mybookingmanager.com/membershipsummit2>

<p>If everyone is moving forward together, then success takes care of itself.</p> <p>– Henry Ford</p>	<p>DISTRICT 9500</p> <p>MEMBERSHIP SUMMIT 2</p> <p><i>Transformational Change: The Journey So Far</i> <i>(Working Together to Increase Membership)</i></p> <p>November 19 2016 ←</p> <p>9.00 am to 12.30 pm</p> <p>St Michael's College Mitton Avenue Henley Beach</p> <p>This will be a highly interactive morning!</p> <p>Be part of sharing the membership journeys so far...</p> <p>Registrations: http://e.mybookingmanager.com/membershipsummit2</p> <p>PLEASE NOTE THE CHANGE OF DATE →</p>
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Diary Dates – Economic & Community Development, Month – October 2016

Saturday 29 October 2016 – Membership Summit – Alice Springs

Saturday 19 November 2016 – Membership Summit – St Michael's College

Saturday 20 May 2017 – Membership Summit – St Michael's College

District Governor's Club Visits for October

Mon 24 October	- Gawler
Tues 25 October	- Kidman Park
Wed 26 October	- Tea Tree Gully
Thurs 27 October	- Adelaide Light
Mon 31 October	- Clare
Tues 1 November	- Roxby District
Wed 2 November	- Maitland
Mon 7 November	- Kapunda

Conference 2017

It's time to consider joining us for a 'Sea Change' at our District Conference in Geelong from 23 - 26 March 2017.

[Click here for the Registrations page on the Conference Website.](#)

Rotary Club of Clare – International Lunch

Sunday 20th November – 12.00 noon.

Hillsview Estate

Guest Speaker - Lesley Squires from Clare High School on the school's involvement with Cambodian organisation New Hope, \$35 per head, proceeds go to Rotary International projects

Please email Susan Clift for tickets cliftsusan@gmail.com

Rotary Club of Port Adelaide Golf day

Charity Golf Day Friday 11 November

[Sponsorship still available here](#)

12pm for a 12:30pm shot gun start, \$100 per player \$380 for a team of 4 West Lakes Golf Club | 26 Lochside Drive

Wade: 0414 254 328 | wade@mercantilecpa.com.au Nathan: 0421 060 458 | nathan@bampfp.com.au

Rotary Club of Port Adelaide – Art Exhibition

Entries are now open and will be until 2nd December.

Entry is \$10 + \$2 on acceptance.

You can get to gallery247 through our website

www.portartexhibition.com.au.

Rotary Club of Adelaide Innova – Service for Sale

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[Call for NYFS Volunteers – Mum/Dads & Aunts & Uncle](#)

As you know, every year we welcome several Rotarians to Canberra to fill the roles of “Mum and Dad” and “Aunt and Uncle” during January. These volunteers are a crucial part of the January Sessions, and play a key role in ensuring that our students and Staffies have a safe, happy and healthy program. It’s also a fantastic opportunity for Rotarians to see first-hand what NYSF is all about, and to take that experience back to their club and district.

We’re now looking for expressions of interest in joining us in Canberra in January 2017.

[Download Rotary Volunteers Overview](#)

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[Rotary Club of Elizabeth – 50th Anniversary Invitation](#)

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[Shelter Box – Mosul City - Iraq](#)

Fallujah fell in June. Now Iraq’s second largest city, Mosul, is the focus of an international coalition seeking to push ISIL out of Iraq. Haider al-Abadi, the Iraqi Prime Minister, announced the start of the offensive on state television on 17 October. And Mosul won’t be surrendered easily - it has great strategic and symbolic importance. It was here that ISIL proclaimed a caliphate two years ago.

Long-term partners French ACTED and UK ShelterBox have teams in the city of Erbil in Iraqi Kurdistan, just 53 miles from Mosul. They have been working for weeks to get aid supplies ready so they can respond quickly as the battle unfolds. Tens of thousands of people have already been displaced from Mosul and surrounding areas since March. The working assumption is that as the assault progresses numbers will rise rapidly.

Contingency planning in war zones is never easy. But aid agencies in Iraq are grappling with several unknowns. For example, it’s unclear how many people remain in Mosul – some estimates put the figure as high as 1.5 million. Nor do aid agencies know how long the military operation will last, how many people will flee, and in which directions. Planning for how much aid will be needed, and where, is a matter of instinct and assumption.

Existing camps are already near or beyond capacity so other possible sites are currently being readied. But demand will almost certainly outstrip supply, meaning many families could be forced to seek shelter outside managed camps in a barren and inhospitable landscape at a time of year given to storms and freezing overnight temperatures.

ShelterBox’s Rachel Harvey in Erbil says, ‘**The aim is to get aid to displaced families as quickly as possible. So we are prepositioning stock close to places where we think they might arrive. They are likely to be exhausted and traumatised by their recent experiences. Giving people shelter and essential items such as a solar lamp, blankets and a water carrier will allow them a degree of dignity and security to rest and recover.**’

Earlier this year ShelterBox and ACTED made half-finished houses weatherproof in the village of Seje for 2,000 people who had fled the terror of Mount Sinjar two years ago. And ShelterBox has recently committed 3,000 lightweight tents for the region, and has a further 3,000 on standby. The first shipment left its Cornwall warehouse last week. ShelterBox is also working with ACTED to make improvements in displacement camps, and has been sourcing and storing portable kits that will allow families on the move to create their own rudimentary shelters.

ShelterBox is asking its donors to dig deep to provide over £1.75 million more to allow this vital work to continue.

[Shelter Box – WOMAD](#)

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ROTARY PROJECT-Showcase at Conference in Geelong 2017

Don't miss the Boat for Conference Showcase



DON'T MISS THE BOAT!

ACT NOW TO SECURE A SPOT FOR YOUR CLUB IN THE

D9500 CONFERENCE PROJECT SHOWCASE!

Geelong March 23 - 26 2017

Contact JOHN AND HEATHER FISCHER
Showcase Managers

Email: fischerco@bigpond.com or
Phone John 0407 890 302 or Heather 0427 454 160



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