



"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):

Diary Dates – Rotary Foundation, Month – November 2016

Sunday 22 January 2017 – Closing day for District awards

Friday 17 February 2017 – Closing date for nominations for District Governor 2019/20

Saturday 18 February 2017 – Round table AG's, Team Leader & club leaders Training - Adelaide

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


EXTRA SPECIAL NOTE!

Good news for Secretaries from the Editorial Team

From the first edition of ROTIAC in December every Rotarian will receive their own copy of the ROTIAC direct via ClubRunner. This means that the club secretary will no longer need to forward it to members of their club thereby saving them time and work.

Cheers

DG John Pohl



THE ROTARY FOUNDATION
YEARS OF GOOD DEEDS IN THE WORLD

NOVEMBER IS ROTARY FOUNDATION MONTH!

Have you sent your AU\$100 (or more) to D9500 Team Centurion yet?

Send your donation (with the application form) NOW to
Ken Dorrington, Team Centurion, PO Box 383, PROSPECT SA 5082

Application forms available on the District website or from kennethdorrington@bigpond.com

A strong Rotary Foundation means a strong Rotary!

News Flash of the week:

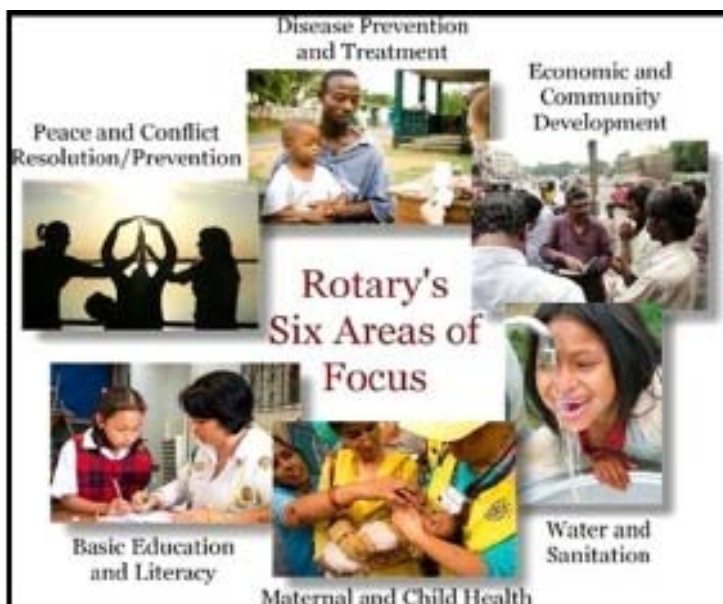
Congratulation Rotarian Susan Clift-Bowden (Chair - RYLA/RYPEN Committee) and Tyson Bowden who announced that they are expecting a little future Rotarian early next year.

District 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.](#)

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What is the Rotary Foundation?

Do you and/or your club fully understand the benefit of supporting the Rotary Foundation? This is our charity – contact IPDG Doug Layng – doug.layng@bigpond.com or Ken Dorrington – kennethdorrington@bigpond.com for further information.

Membership Summit 2 – links to Resouces

Please find the links to the various material provided by the presenters at last Saturdays Membership Summit. The links are located in the District Website – top left hand corner.

The Link for the **Membership Summit 2 Resources** is on the District Website..... Top Left-hand Corner

- HOT SPOT LINKS - Membership Summit 2 Resources

<http://rotary9500.org/SitePage/membership-summit-2>

The material are free for all to use – if you need more information or support contact:-

District Learning & Development Committee;
PDG Marie Dorrington – 0417 863 316 – mdorrington@bigpond.com
Steve Smart – 0407 248 127 – ssmart@senet.com.au

Membership Chair – DGN David Egan – 0422 817 868 – dcegan@esc.net.au

New Zealand Earthquake - RAWCS

Rotary New Zealand - Earthquake Appeal

New Zealand was hit by a 7.5 magnitude earthquake at 12.02 am on 14 November 2016. Fortunately, major damage to communities was limited in the main to the South Island town of Kaikoura and surrounding districts.

As you are aware there has been a destructive Earthquake in New Zealand and RAWCS (Rotary Australia World Community Service) have opened a fundraising appeal through its disaster fund and we have partnered with RNZWCS (Rotary New Zealand World Community Service) to help those in need.

The project has been registered as follows - New Zealand Earthquake Appeal with number 32-2016-17 on the RAWCS National website.

Donations can be sent through the following link <https://disasters.rawcs.com.au>

1 in 8 Male Rotarians will be affected by Prostate Cancer

If Clubs would like a Guest Speaker on Prostate disorders, please feel free to contact PDG Dick Wilson via mobile or email - he will put the wheels in motion.

And remember..... a speaker can be provided to **ANY CLUB ANYWHERE!**

Dick Wilson Rotary Club of Stirling

Past District Governor 9520 Mobile: 0412 003 110 Email: dickandlizwilson@internode.on.net

Rotary Alumni Newsletter - extracts

Rotary Connections - Keeping in Touch

Every year thousands of people like you participate in and benefit from a Rotary program. Rotary Connections is an initiative of Rotary leaders to keep in touch with current and former participants of Rotary's vast portfolio of youth, personal development and service programs.

Rotary Foundation Named World's Outstanding Foundation

The Association of Fundraising Professionals selected The Rotary Foundation for its annual Award for Outstanding Foundation for 2016, a recognition that honours organisations that show philanthropic commitment and leadership through financial support, innovation, encouragement of others, and involvement in public affairs.

Group Study Exchange Team Leaders Gathering

A gathering of Group Study Exchange Team Leaders from both District 9500 and 9520 was recently held in the beautiful Adelaide Hills home of Dick and Liz Wilson. On a perfect Spring afternoon the GSE Leaders thoroughly enjoyed the opportunity to renew old Rotary friendships - some going back over 40 years

Motions to be submitted to District AGM

The District AGM will be held at the District Conference in Geelong next March. Clubs are asked to submit any motions for discussion at this AGM to the District Secretary, Jeff Cluse, by Friday 16 December 2016.

Membership Summit - 2



Rotarians from many clubs in our district at the Membership Summit No. 2 last Saturday 19 November receiving information from clubs in the district. Membership in this district has increased this year – great effort to all involved.

Comment of the week;

You cannot be made inferior without your consent (Eleanor Roosevelt)

Reminder that this publication requires information from you – please send me your information about your club activities.

District Secretary 9500
Jeff Cluse

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