



Rotary Club of Kippa-Ring Inc.

CLUB BULLETIN 19th MARCH, 2014
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MARCH: Literacy Month

President - Doug Morris; Secretary - Garry Gibson; P.O. Box 60, MARGATE QLD 4019

CLUB MEETINGS: Every Wednesday 6.15 pm for 6.45 pm start.

Belvedere Hotel - Oxley Ave & Woodcliffe Cres, Woody Point, Qld 4019



ROTARY
SERVICE Above Self

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HAS JUST BEEN UP-DATED!!

Check it out....

THE FOUR-WAY TEST

Of the things we say and do:

1. Is it the truth?
2. Is it fair to all concerned?
3. Will it build goodwill and better friendships?
4. Will it be beneficial to all concerned?

WORLD ROTARACT WEEK 2014

MARCH 10 - 16



ON THIS DAY...

MARCH 19

■ 1932 Sydney Harbour Bridge Opens : The fourth-longest spanning-arch bridge in the world across Sydney Harbour officially opened. The bridge was designed to carry road traffic, railway traffic and a footpath on each side.... 1953 U.S.A. Academy Awards was televised for the first time with Bob Hope as the host... 1990 Germany Unification was a hot topic driving free elections in Germany.

RC KIPPA-RING welcomes back MEGAN O'BRIEN from Germany

Youth Exchange student rebounder Megan O'Brien enlightened and entertained the packed lounge at the Belvedere Hotel with her exploits of her 12 months exchange in Germany. She also told us how she benefitted from the experience with an excellent presentation which just highlights the positive aspects of the Rotary Youth Exchange program. Well done Megan ☺, and RC Kippa-Ring members wish you the best for the future and trust that your search for a job will be rewarded very soon..



Trailer Raffle helpers were officially thanked as RC Kippa-Ring shouted all helpers to a dinner at last week's Club Meeting. We also welcomed Peter Morley and Jan Murphy from Redcliffe Sunrise Rotary Club who came to promote their "Who's Playing In The Park" event staged at the Redcliffe Botanical Gardens on Sunday .



CLUB ROSTER IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO CARRY OUT YOUR
 REQUIRED DUTIES, PLEASE ASK ANOTHER MEMBER TO
 FILL IN FOR YOU ON THE NIGHT.

Date ► Duty ▼	19 Mar			
Chair	Lorraine			
Duty	Bernard			
Host	Fred			
Thanks	Ashley			
NOTES	KOLIANA WINCHESTER			
Date ► Duty ▼	26 Mar	2 April	9 April	16 April
Chair	NO	Garry	Garry	Garry
Duty	MEETING	Sue	Sue	Sue
Host	DISTRICT	xxxxxxxxxx	Sherin	Sherin
Thanks	CONFERENCE	xxxxxxxxxx	Lorraine	Lorraine
NOTES		GRACE VISIT RE: Harvest Cambodia	TBA	MENS SHED TOUR



19 March - Our special Guest speaker tonight is
 Councillor **KOLIANA WINCHESTER** –
 Division 6 - Redcliffe South



Ms Winchester is a two-time Moreton Bay Citizen of the Year nominee in
 recognition of her community work and received the biggest applause when
 she was sworn in as a Moreton bay Councillor in front of several hundred
 attendees at the special council meeting.
 Koliana Winchester knows the community, its needs & weaknesses and
 seems to be able to direct the required services to the area. We look forward
 to her address to our Club.. Come along and hear what she has to say ☺

UPCOMING EVENT

19th March – Koliana Winchester

**SATURDAY 22nd MARCH – HELP
 REQUIRED!!**

**Sandgate Masonic Age care facility
 from 8 a.m. to help load a truck!!
 Please come along.. More hands
 make light work! Enter via
 Wakefield Street.**

26th – No Meeting (Conference 28-30TH)
 APRIL 2nd – Vicky Murtagh & Students
 from Grace College talking on trip to
 Harvest Cambodia.. Doug & Liz
 Shobbrook of Harvest Cambodia may
 also be in attendance.

16th – Men’s Shed Tour and BBQ – Colin
 Scobie our host

23rd – TBA 30th – Board Meeting

MAY 7th – TBA

14th – Vocational Visit International
 House QLD UNI

21st – Planning Review Night for Doug
 and Ashley

Sandgate Masonic home donates all existing furniture and hospital gear to Rotary!!

RC KIPPA-RING members Ashley, Bernard, along with Col O’Brien, Graeme Saddler (RC Rockside) and his two
 helpers spent a few hours on Saturday dismantling some of the gear for the big collection next Saturday of hospital
 beds, tables, chairs and other equipment bound for D.I.K. Pictured below is the crew with Carol from the home.



Bernard the
 unBuilder!

DID YOU
KNOW ?

Terri Irwin is an active member of Glasshouse Mountains Rotary Club, and through Australia Zoo has made various donations to the local community including:



Being a partner in the annual Rotary calendar, and selling them in Australia Zoo retail outlets all profits go back to Rotary and the local Cystic Fibrosis branch). Making donations for assistance received from Rotary members during Australia Zoo promotional days. Conducting regular fundraising events for the local branch, through monthly Zoo promotional days, e.g. fundraising raffles.

Sending representatives to attend local branch meetings.

Holding free family day outings for families affected by Cystic Fibrosis.



Being the major sponsor for the Rotary Charity Golf Day, with teams participating from the Zoo, and donation of major prizes to give away.

The funds donated to Glasshouse Mountains Rotary are directed to the local Cystic Fibrosis chapter at the Sunshine Coast. Over 50 families in the area are affected by Cystic Fibrosis, and these funds go directly into helping them to cover medical bills, home assistance and equipment. All of the families affected are also treated to a well-deserved family day out at Australia Zoo, where they get to relax and enjoy themselves for the day while getting absorbed in wildlife and fun!

Australia Zoo is committed to the local community through our Glasshouse Mountains Rotary branch, and fully intends to continue supporting their endeavors over the coming years.

Come see Terri talk at this years District Conference!

DISTRICT GRANT APPROVED!

The District 9600 Rotary Foundation Committee has approved our District Grant application to Relocate fence at Mobility Way, Woody Point Special School.

This is one of three additional projects funded from the 2013-2014 District Grant funding from The Rotary Foundation. The money for the additional projects has become available because of the favourable exchange rate that applied when we received funding from TRF and also because one approved grant is not proceeding and two others have reduced costs.

Our approved project value is \$6,000 and the approved District Grant is \$3,000.

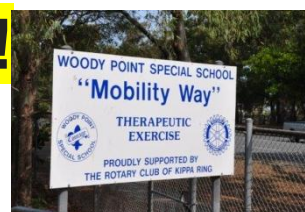
It is imperative to note that our project must commence immediately and that the District 9600 Rotary Foundation Committee must receive our claim for reimbursement by no later than 30 April 2014.

It is also important to note that: Grants are paid to **reimburse** club expenditure at the **completion of the project** and are subject to the Grants Committee Chairman receiving:

1. Original or certified copies of invoices and/or receipts for the project expenditure detailing the goods and services purchased, and
2. A Project Report, preferably including a photograph or two.

It is stressed that the reporting obligations are essential for payment of the Grant to our Club.

Congratulations Team!! Special mention to Bernard Van Den Bergen for displaying his excellent skills in putting together the Application.. and to John Lloyd for his organisation of the project..



District 9600 Conference 2014
28th to 30th March 2014



'Engage Rotary, Change Lives'

News Letter No 4

The countdown continues! There is just over a week left to register for Friday nights get together and Saturday's Gala Dinner. Registrations for these events and the catering packages must be in by Friday 22nd of March. Don't miss out.

The Gala Dinner will commence at 6:30 for 7:00pm. A quartet from Matthew Flinders College will be playing in the dining room to welcome the guests. Later in the evening, we will be entertained by The Aboriginal Centre of Performing Arts performers (ACPA) and they will be followed by the band 'Beats Workin'. The evening will conclude at 11.00pm.

Sunday morning will commence with a talk about the Bribie Island Farm Project. We will then hear about Youth Exchange and the Kingaroy Flood Relief Program. This will be followed by Dr Adrian McCallum speaking on "Icy Adventures in Science and Engineering in the Arctic and Antarctica"

Dr Adrian McCallum currently serves as a Lecturer in science & engineering at the University of the Sunshine Coast, Queensland here he manages courses in soil mechanics, geotechnical engineering and climate change adaptation. He is fortunate to have led a life of adventure and exploration around the globe and is an expert in remote area science & engineering.

Our next keynote speaker will be Dr Bernie Tamba-Lebbie who will be talking about his life's journey which took him from being a farm boy in Sierra Leone to being an orthopaedic surgeon on the Sunshine Coast. This is an inspiring story of personal achievement. Dr. Bernard Tamba-Lebbie was born in a remote village in Sierra Leone to subsistence farmers. His father became a Jehovah's Witness and volunteered his son to go to school and be able to read the bible for the local congregation. Dr. Tamba-Lebbie quickly worked out that the classroom offered him a time away from labour on his father's farm. He dedicated himself to school as a means to break free from the poverty that came with staying in the bush. Be sure to hear Bernie's inspiring story.

After the roll call DG elect George Grant will introduce his team for next year. This will be followed by the presentation of awards.

RI Rep Ronald Finn will deliver his closing remarks and the conference will conclude by 12.30PM

Don't miss out. Be sure to register by Friday 21st.

Ian Barnett (Conference Chairman)

Awards for Presentation at The DG's Changeover Dinner.

28 June 2014

Lionel McCray Memorial Trophy for the Outstanding Club of District 9600

- Above average contributions to The Rotary Foundation, with points given on both absolute and per capita bases.
- Above average net membership growth. Bonus points may be awarded here to a Club which has during the review period successfully sponsored the formation of a new Rotary Club or which at the time of submission is actively sponsoring the formation of a new club.
- Above average attendance, as calculated for the District Attendance Awards, this for 2014 will be based on the 12month review period May 2013 to April 2014 inclusive
- A significant Club project in which more than 50% of the Club members actually took part (other than donating money) with particular note taken of original or inventive projects

Furthermore, as this trophy is deemed to recognise the "Outstanding Club of District 9600 Consideration will be given to the extent to which applicant clubs are contributing to the smooth running of the District, this will include such items as membership of the District Committees, the run on-time return of reports, both regular and specially requested, and organization of, and attendance at, District related functions.

Service to Youth Award

Clubs must demonstrate a comprehensive programme of service to youth.

Eligible programs may have been in operation during any part of the 12 months up to the time of application.

This enables clubs to include as part of the application, financial contributions, usually made at the end of the Rotary year to various youth organisations.

The Herrington Shield For The Best Bulletin

The Bulletin should be presented in an attractive and open layout, easy to follow and with the object of inviting members and their families to read it . Judging guidelines with regard to content require the Bulletins to include;

- Club Information
- News about the Club, its members and partners and about Rotary matters in District 9600, Australia and Overseas.
- Editorial or President's Column.
- Humour, cartoons
- Photographs

To be considered for this Award a club should forward a specific application, including two copies of each of its five best issues. Even in cases where the primary distribution is by email or by website. Hard copies are required for award submissions and judging.

Heather Kinross Memorial Trophy for International Service

This trophy is awarded annually for a Club's activities in all things that can advance international understanding, goodwill and peace by its members becoming acquainted with people of other countries, their customs, cultures, accomplishments, aspirations, problems, through personal contact, travel, attendance at Conventions, through reading and correspondence, and through cooperation in all clubs activities and projects that will help people in other lands.

To the Club President and Secretary

This is the criteria for the Awards that need submissions to be sent in by the 15 May 2014

To Robyn Radford, 30 Westbrook Street, Woody Point QLD 4019.

Email: robyna317@hotmail.com

Our lives over the past 10 years or so have been consumed by the tragic circumstances pertaining to Daniel's disappearance and ultimate fate. My daughter Karli was celebrating her 14th birthday the day after Daniel disappeared.. She was same age as Daniel.. so it is a story chillingly close to home. I was involved with the local Safety House Committee for a number of years; so our family was totally conversant with the "stranger danger " program. As a Parent.. Rotarian.. as a decent human being.. we are all appalled and horrified by this atrocious happening; and we can not seriously contemplate the torment that Daniel's family and friends and acquaintances and their local community have endured during this period.. However, if we all believe in the foundation that Good prevails over Evil.. then we can all rest with some small recompense that Justice has been served!

Our condolences and empathy go out to the entire community who has been involved with this occurrence, with special tribute to our Law Enforcement officers who worked tirelessly to bring some form of resolution to this terrible event. (GG- Editor .. Don't usually use this forum for personal comment.. Thanks for your indulgence)

The Daniel Morcombe Foundation Inc. (DMF) is committed to Keeping Kids Safe. It was established by parents Bruce and Denise Morcombe in 2005 after their son Daniel was abducted and murdered in December 2003 while waiting to catch a bus on the Sunshine Coast. The Foundation was established as a lasting legacy to Daniel and now has two main aims; to educate children on how to stay safe in a physical and online environment and to support young victims of crime.

OBJECTIVES:

1. To educate children regarding their personal safety (including abduction).
2. To assist victims of crime, particularly where crime involves children.
3. To remember Daniel with suitable child safety community awareness events.
4. To support the families of Missing Persons particularly where it involves children.



Born: 19-12-1989

Died: 07-12-2003

Justice: 13-03-2014



DONATIONS:

The Daniel Morcombe Foundation cannot operate without financial support. We are DGR approved having passed the stringent criteria involved. Any donation made to the Daniel Morcombe Foundation Fund of \$2 and over is tax deductible. The Daniel Morcombe Foundation Inc is registered as a Not for Profit Charity. Donations and proceeds from fundraising can be deposited any time by lodging funds into the following bank account.

Electronic Transfer, Cash, or Cheque:

Account Name // Daniel Morcombe Foundation Inc
Bank // Westpac Bank Nambour
BSB // 034204
Account Number // 345698

ABN: 35 086 611 943

Note: Bank Deposits Please email robin@danielmorcombe.com.au with details

Post Cheque: Payable to // Daniel Morcombe Foundation Inc, PO Box 565 Palmwoods QLD 4555

