

**IT COSTS \$0.00
TO BE A DECENT
HUMAN BEING.**



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Evergreen Centre, Unit 6 4-18 Discovery Drive, North Lakes**

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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?



MAR 08 1902 - The first test to pump water through the most difficult section of the Golden Pipeline to the Western Australian goldfields is successfully carried out... 1973 - 15 people are killed in a firebomb attack on the Whiskey Au Go Go nightclub in Brisbane... 1979 - Philips demonstrates the compact disc publicly for the first time... 2014 - Malaysia Airlines Flight 370, carrying a total of 239 people, disappears en route from Kuala Lumpur to Beijing.

THIS WEEK'S meeting : vocational visit to:

ICON INTEGRATED CANCER CENTRE – NORTH LAKES



Icon Integrated Cancer Centres bring together medical oncology, haematology, radiation oncology and pharmacy to deliver a true end-to-end service for patients. Integrated centres deliver all aspects of a patient's cancer treatment at the one site, from diagnosis to making a patient's chemotherapy, providing onsite pharmacy support and giving treatment – be that radiation or chemotherapy.

This comprehensive service is delivered by an experienced multidisciplinary team who understand the individual needs of patients and operate as one to ensure continuity of care.

Tonight's host is Mr. Kenton Thompson.



As Site Manager, and a highly-regarded radiation therapist, Kenton knows the impact of cancer on patients, family and society and is passionate about world-class healthcare where people live.

The centre is located at 9 McLennan Crt, North Lakes and there is free parking on-site. Club Members to meet there by 6.15 pm..

←----- Refer map



CLUB ROSTER - IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO CARRY OUT YOUR REQUIRED DUTIES, PLEASE ASK ANOTHER MEMBER TO FILL IN FOR YOU ****

Date ► Duty ▼	1 st /8 th Mar	15 th Mar	22 nd Mar	29 th Mar	5 th Apr	12 th Apr	19 th Apr
Chair	Jerry	Jerry	NO	Jerry	John	John	John
Duty	Col	Col	MEETING	Col	Debbie	Debbie	Debbie
Host	Fran	Fran	ROTARY D9600	Fran	Garry	Garry	Garry
Thanks	Ossama	Ossama	CONFERENCE	Ossama	Ashley	Ashley	Ashley

Put in your weekly 2 bucks yet?



MARCH 2017

- 8th Vocational Visit to The Integrated Cancer Centre – North Lakes – Host is Site Manager: Kenton Thompson – Dinner afterwards at D9600 office.
- 15th Kate Jones 2016/17 YEP Rebounder Presentation.
- 22nd No Meeting .. 24th-26th District Conference - Caloundra

APRIL 2017

- 5th Board Meeting 5pm followed by Club Meeting
- 12th Heart Foundation presentation
- 19th Guest Speaker Nathan Tairoa
- 26th Guest speaker Doug Shobbrook

MAY 2017

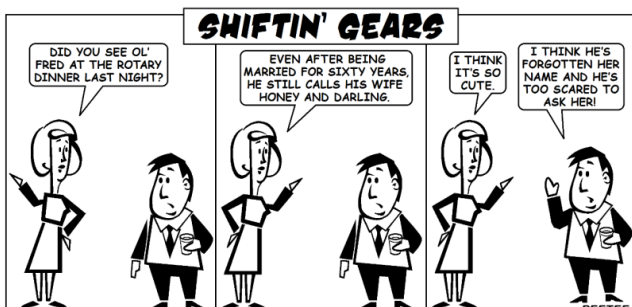
- 3rd Board Meeting 5pm followed by Club Meeting
- 10th Pride of Workmanship night – Guest speaker
- 17th TBA 24th TBA

JUNE 2017

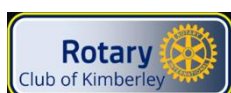
- 7th Board Meeting 5pm followed by Club Meeting
- 14th Helen D'emed Diabetic Queensland
- 21st NO MEETING... 25th Changeover – venue TBA
- 28th Debbie El Saadi



Some of the club members of Rotaract Club of North Lakes were active participants in the organisation of this year's Rotary District 9600 Interact/Early act Conference held last weekend at St.Columbans College. What a great opportunity for learning and leadership!



Shifting Gears.. courtesy of



Rotary 9600 District Conference

Empowering Rotarians to Serve Humanity

This years Conference will be held from the 24th March to the 26th March at the Event Centre, 20 Minchinton St Caloundra.

We have a fantastic program of speakers arranged for the Saturday including but not limited to Past RIP Glen Kinross, Gemma Sisia from the School of St Jude's, Ipswich Mayor and Rotary Club President Paul Pisasale.

On the Saturday night we will be entertained prior to dinner by the Musical Theatre Choir from The School of Hard Knocks and after dinner by Tucker and Chop from Kingaroy. Those that attended our PETS last year will recall these are the boys that had us dance the night away in Kingaroy. The dress on the night will be casual but registrations for the dinner are essential.

One of my key goals in business was to 'empower' my people with the tools and confidence to have a go, knowing that I had their back. To achieve this I placed a big emphasis on training and engagement with each other and learning from each other's experiences. It was with this in mind that we came up with our theme of **Empowering Rotarians to Serve Humanity**. It is my sincere hope that each and every Rotarian that attends our conference this year will leave feeling empowered with confidence to return to their clubs and to increase their service to humanity.

In line with these thoughts we are trying something very different on Sunday. We will be holding our second district 'Discovery Cafe'. This is an interactive workshop where each and every one of our Rotarians will get the chance to share their thoughts with their fellow Rotarians.

This year we have also placed an increased emphasis on Rotarians being able to engage more directly with many of our club and district projects. As a result we have upwards of 32 displays in our showcase for you to enjoy and interact with.

Registrations are now open on the district web site: rotary9600.org and we encourage early registrations. To avoid missing out on meals we need registrations including meals to be made prior to the 15th March.

HAIR TODAY.. GONE TOMORROW!! ☺

Well..soon anyway..

Our inbound YEP student from Norway.. **Marita Aaberg**.. has decided to participate in this years 'World's Greatest Shave' on the **17th of March**, where she will shave her hair off as a sign of support towards all people suffering from blood cancer.

Donations will be kindly appreciated, no matter the amount. Every dollar (or Norwegian Krone) will make a difference!
"Believe me when I say that it will mean the world to someone. Thank you for your support and donation!"

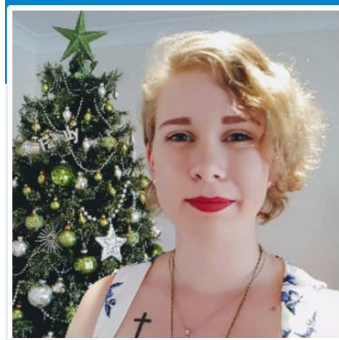
To donate, just use the link below, click where it says "support a friend", search for my name and then just follow the next steps as directed. Easiest thing in the world!

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Leukaemia Foundation

**WORLD'S
GREATEST
SHAVE**



MEET NADIA MAHMOOD

Rotary Peace Fellow



Sponsor Club:
Rotary Club of Charleswood
Winnipeg, Canada, District 5550
Host Club:
Brisbane Planetarium Club,
Brisbane, District 9600

Nadia Mahmood is a first generation Canadian, raised in an interfaith and intercultural home. Nadia has travelled, volunteered and worked in more than 30 countries. During her dual Bachelors degree in International Development and Political Science, Nadia interned in Pakistan with local NGOs providing education for child labourers and advocacy for the rights of landless and stateless communities.

After graduating in 2003, Nadia taught English in Nepal and Taiwan, and volunteered with the Missionaries of Charity in Kolkata, India. She then worked in the field of women's rights and community development in Afghanistan with the Agency for Technical Cooperation and Development. Next, she spend several years as a Program Coordinator for Medical Emergency Relief International, implementing emergency health, water and sanitation, HIV/AIDS and gender-based violence prevention programs in the Democratic Republic of Congo, followed by coordinating flood disaster relief operations in Pakistan's Baluchistan province.

Nadia then returned to Canada to work as the Manager of Diversity and Intercultural Services at Red River College in Winnipeg, designing and implementing programs to support refugee, immigrant and international students, create inclusive learning environments and facilitate diversity and intercultural training programs. She has also been an active member of grassroots organisations analysing the impact of immigration and settlement policy and advocating for the fair treatment of newcomers in Canada. She has also served as a board member for Humankind International, a group including former University of Queensland Peace Fellows, implementing a peacebuilding Early Childhood Education program in Dadaab Refugee Camp in Kenya.

Nadia is extremely grateful to Rotary and the University of Queensland to have this opportunity to process and unpack her experiences, learn how to more effectively address causes of conflict and oppression and continue working towards navigating cultural difference to create a more just and equitable world.



**NO FAMILY WITHOUT SHELTER.
WHATEVER IT TAKES.**

You can rightly be proud of your support for ShelterBox. As you will read below, last year we helped close to 140,000 people. We could not do this without the generosity of supporters like you.

In an ever-changing world, we increasingly see the need to be flexible in the way we respond to disasters and a 'one size fits all' approach seriously limits the amount of people we can help. Those you who have sponsored boxes will have noticed the increased waiting time for a box to be deployed. That is because we only deploy ShelterBoxes when they are deemed to be the most appropriate form of aid. In 2016 we helped over 29,000 families but only 10% of them received ShelterBoxes.

In certain cases (such as the earthquake in Nepal, cyclone in Vanuatu, and the recent hurricane in Haiti) host governments have not allowed ShelterBoxes to be deployed and have asked that we contribute to communities' efforts to self recover. In these cases, shelter kits and other essential items like water filters and solar lights were deployed. This type of aid is funded by the ShelterBox Solution and we would encourage you to the support this flexible fund so that we can better serve the needs of the people we help

Whilst it's important we recognise our achievements, it's also important that we re-state our vision of a world where no family goes without shelter following disaster or humanitarian crisis. Right now our Operations team are looking into a forgotten crisis in Chad and the growing needs of hundreds of thousands of families fleeing the fighting Yemen, only to encounter drought in Somaliland. With your help we can move closer to achieving our goal.





- A woman has twins, and gives them up for adoption. One of them goes to a family in Egypt and is named 'Amall.' The other goes to a family in Spain, they name him Juan'. Years later; Juan sends a picture of himself to his mum. Upon receiving the picture, she tells her husband that she wished she also had a picture of Amall. Her husband responds, "But they are twins. If you've seen Juan, you've seen Amall."
- Dougie entered a local paper's pun contest.. He sent in ten different puns, in the hope that at least one of the puns would win. Unfortunately, no pun in ten did.
- A woman gets on a bus with her baby. The bus driver says: "Ugh, that's the ugliest baby I've ever seen!" The woman walks to the rear of the bus and sits down, fuming. She says to a man next to her: "The driver just insulted me!" The man says: "You go up there and tell him off. Go on, I'll hold your chimp for you."
- Police arrested two kids yesterday, one was drinking battery acid, the other was eating fireworks. They charged one - and let the other one off.
- Dougie backed a horse last week at ten to one. But.. (oh dear ☺)... It came in at quarter past four!







INTERNATIONAL DINNER

Rotary Club Of Bribie Island

Come along and meet the Presidents Elect from the Rotary Clubs of Papua New Guinea, The Solomon Islands and Nauru .

To be held
at the
Sandstone Point Hotel
1800 Bribie Island Rd, Sandstone Point QLD 4511
on Thursday 23rd March 2017
(night prior to District Conference)
Time 6.30 for 7.00pm
Cost \$45 per person
RSVP by Friday 10th March 2017

[...] Tickets at \$45 each Total \$ _____

Name _____

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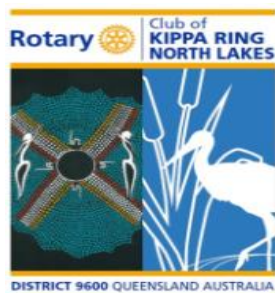
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Any Questions to Mary Grant 0421529824 or email bribie@inet.net.au

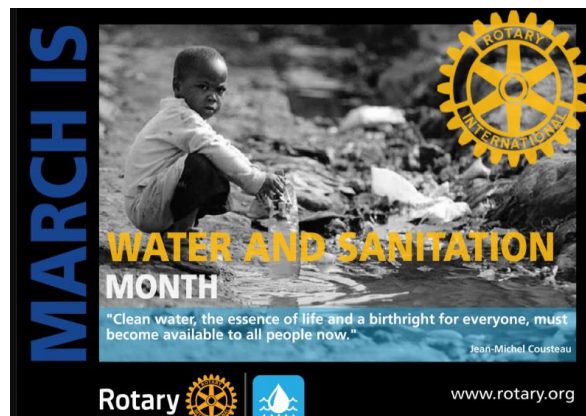


John Lloyd - 9th, Col O'Brien - 11th, Deb El Saadi - 25th.

Lois Stolz - 16th, Allan Male - 29th



Ash Broad - 3rd, (1983) Fred Stolz - 31st, (2010)



NEXT WEEK:

Our Club welcomes back our latest Rotary District 9600 Youth Exchange Program rebounder *Miss Kate Jones*; whom will be our special Guest Speaker to present to our Club Members her experiences whilst on her 12 month exchange to Germany.. Looking forward to an interesting and informative presentation..

