



Rotary International District 9600

16th JANUARY, 2013

Rotary Club of Kippa Ring Inc
Meetings:
Every WEDNESDAY 1815 FOR
1845 START



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From the President's Desk....

Dear fellow Rotarians,

It was a pleasure for our first meeting in 2013 to have a presentation by Megan O'Brien, our outbound Exchange student to Germany. I believe she is on her way now and I wish her every success.

I will be meeting with committee members to discuss the joint Rotary meeting on 26th February to honour our emergency services, Police Service, Fire Service, Ambulance Service, Coast Guard and SES. It is going to be a big night with all three Peninsula Rotary

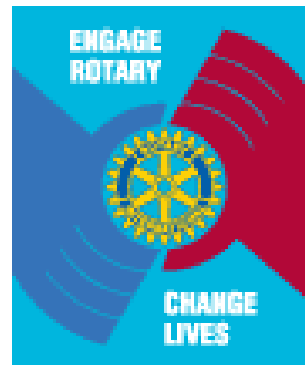
Clubs involved. It will be held at the Redcliffe Leagues Club and the Police Commissioner and the Police Minister will be in attendance. I will have more details after the meeting at 10am on Wednesday, 16th January.

As it is Rotary Awareness month, I am hoping that we can take delivery of our new brochures (thank you Garry and Dale) and perhaps we can hand some around to associates, friends and family. You never know, we may even find a new member or two.

Kind Regards,

Lorraine

2012—2013 RI theme:



Engage Rotary Change Lives

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Calendar

JANUARY

- 9 Megan O'Brien—outbound YEP
- 16 Garry Gibson
- 23 Australia Day Night
- 30 Club & Board Meeting

FEBRUARY

- 6 TBA
- 13 Bianca Gibson—Inbound YEP
- 20 Club & Board Meeting
- 26 Joint Rotary Meeting—to honour our emergency services
- 27 NO MEETING

Special points of interest:

- Polio in India—2yrs on
- Rotary Awareness Month ~ RI President shares his experiences
- Check out the WOW segment on page 2 and learn what's been happening around our local, national & international communities.

The WOW Factor

IN OUR CLUB:

Megan outgoing YEP gave a good presentation last week

IN OUR NATION:

RC of Canberra have had talks with reconciliation Aust to fund Aboriginal youth to RI Youth Programs e.g. RYLA & RYPEN

IN OUR DISTRICT:

Qld Governor Her Excellency Penny Wensley and Mao's last dancer will be guest speakers at this years District Conference.

IN OUR WORLD:

India has now been 2yrs POLIO FREE.—Yipee!
(see below story)

INDIA ~ POLIO FREE FOR 2 YEARS!

Today the children of India have reason to celebrate.

Thanks to the dedication of the Indian Government and its people, no child has been paralysed by polio in India since little [Rukhsar Khatoon](#) (pictured below) was struck with the virus on January 13, 2011 – exactly two years ago today. If India can make it another year without the disease, the country, and the whole South-East Asian region, will be officially polio-free.

Yet as recently as 2009, India accounted for the most polio cases out of any country in the world. The country's large and diverse population (parts of which are constantly on the move), inadequate healthcare services and poor sanitation combined to make it the perfect place for polio to spread. It had seemed as if India would be the last country to put a stop to this disease. But stop it they did. And in the process, they proved that **polio can be defeated, even in the most challenging circumstances.**

The removal of India from the list of polio-endemic countries is just one example of the progress that was achieved in 2012. [Angola](#), a country that had struggled with re-established transmission for the past seven years, finally put a stop to polio once more. Similarly, the Democratic Republic of the Congo ended its re-established transmission. And only one new outbreak was reported for the entire year (just one case reported so far in Niger).

All of this progress combined to achieve a dramatic decrease in the number of polio cases reported globally – a greater than 60% reduction in cases in 2012 compared to 2011 (222 vs 650). **We are now seeing the fewest number of cases in the fewest districts in the fewest countries in history.** The end of polio really is within our reach.



IT'S ROTARY AWARENESS MONTH

RI President Tanaka's Rotary moments in December and January

As I travelled in 2012 to Rotary clubs and projects, I saw the joy of being a Rotarian. I noticed that the deeper your involvement with Rotary, the more you can grow as a person. Furthermore, I believe that Rotary can mean something different to each Rotarian, and it's a part of our journey to discover that meaning. My wish for 2013 is that Rotarians discover what this organization means to them, and then share it with others. These personal experiences are our Rotary moments. Here were some of my Rotary moments from the past few months.

Peace

At the end of November and early December, I went to the [Berlin Rotary Global Peace Forum](#) in Germany. Past RI President Luis Giay and I were impressed with the hard work the German Rotarians put into this sold-out event. We offer them our sincere thanks. If the next two [peace forums](#) – which are in Honolulu and Hiroshima — are anything like the one in Berlin, they too should be very successful. I'm looking forward to the [Honolulu peace forum](#) at the end of January.

In early December, my wife, Kyoko, and I went to Rome where we were honored to have an audience with a man of peace, Pope Benedict XVI. I presented him with a gift on behalf of Rotary International as well as stayed to hear him give a speech, which was translated into seven languages to a large crowd.

Polio

In Geneva, Switzerland, Dr. Margaret Chan, the director-general of the World Health Organization, asked me to thank Rotarians for our work in eradicating polio. I too thanked her for the support Rotary has received over the years from [WHO](#) in our shared mission to end polio. WHO, along with UNICEF, CDC, and the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation are our polio eradication partners.

Then in Tokyo, I met with current and former representatives of Congress to personally

thank them for their support of Rotary International and of their support of Rotary's polio eradication efforts.

Celebrating and promoting Rotary

Celebrations in Rotary are important. They let people know that Rotary is a part of their community, and it helps us to rejoice in our work and our milestones. I had the privilege recently of attending the 60th anniversary of the Rotary Club of Osaka North in Japan as well being in the Rose Parade in California. Both were important events.

In the [Rose Parade](#) on 1 January, I rode the Rotary float with Rotary Vice President Ken Schuppert. It was hard work waving to the many thousands of spectators at the parade, but I enjoyed their boisterous cheers! This was the biggest parade I have been in, and I also got to attend my first American football game. It's much better to see it in person than to watch it on TV.

Also in early January, I went to the [Rotary Club of Abbotsford](#), in British Columbia, Canada – via Skype! I think it's important to meet as many Rotarians from around the world that I can, in what ever way is available.

Rotary moments come in many shapes and sizes, but each one is unforgettable. I wish you a joyous 2013 filled with many Rotary moments.



RI Vice President Kenneth Schuppert, Jr. and President Sakuji Tanaka in front of the float.

KIPPA RING ROTARY—ROTATING DINNERS

In previous years our Club has hosted Rotating dinners to enable members of the Club to get to know each other socially. This has worked really well in our club and the members have enjoyed it immensely. It has been a few years since we have had one of these events and we would like to do a few this year.

How it works.— It is all about FELLOWSHIP

- ◇ One member of the Rotary Club will host this event and will be allocated to have two or three other Rotarians attend.
- ◇ It is for any meal or any get together either at their house or any place of their choosing during the month. This may include breakfast at the beach, a meal at your home or drinks out.
- ◇ Hosts are to contact each member and organise a date that suits everyone in your group.
- ◇ Guest are to provide own drinks.
- ◇ Hosts may wish to also invite past members, friends of Rotary or perspective members

If for any reason the roster needs to be changed just let us know it is no problem to change it.

Regards Ashley & Sue

ROTATING DINNER/LUNCH/BREAKFAST/DRINKS ROSTER

MONTH OF FEBRUARY

completed

HOST	GUEST	GUEST	GUEST
Ken & Narelle Peters	Ashley & Sue Broad	Fred & Lois Stolz	
Matt & Nicole Roue	Lorraine & Gavin Jeffery	Doug & Gina Morris	Bruce & Sharon Hartshorn
Francis & Eric	Colleen & Stuart	Garry & Renate Gibson	Carl Evers
Dale & Judith Streten	Bernard & Yvonne van den Bergen	Alan & Kath Male	Andrew Lim

Please email Colleen: c_caruana@bigpond.com.au with the dates you are having the above so she can update etc. Thank you

THE END OF POLIO

2012



Polio has now been reduced,
not just by 99%, but by 99.9%.

Case count in 2012 : **222 cases**

Polio cases decreased by more than
60% in 2012 compared to 2011.

2011 : 650 cases

2009 : 1604 cases

1988 : 350,000 cases

**Only 5 countries reported cases in
2012 compared to 16 in 2011.**

India was removed from the list of polio-endemic
countries and has now passed 2 years without a
single case. Only 3 polio-endemic countries remain:
Afghanistan, Nigeria and Pakistan.



One of the simplest
ways to stay happy is...



Letting go of the things
that makes you sad.
- Daily Dose



UPCOMING EVENTS

2013

22-24 March

23-26 June

2014

D9600 Conference—Twin Waters

RI Convention Lisbon, Portugal

1—4 June

RI Convention Sydney, Australia



AUSTRALIA DAY THEMED MEETING

- WHEN: WEDNESDAY 23/01/2013
- WHERE: Bramble Bay Bowls Club
- TIME: 1830 for 1845 start
- WHAT: Fun times with a little bit of Aussie trivia & **Guess who's who favourite Aussie Day**
- BRING: Your thinking caps & sense of humour ready to have loads of FUN!



Can't make it to a meeting?... do a make-up!

CLUB	DAY	TIME	VENUE
Redcliffe Sunrise	Wednesday	6.30am—6.45	Reef Point Café, Scarborough Holiday Village, 2 Reef Pint Esplanade, Scarborough
Redcliffe City	Tuesday	6.30pm—7.00pm	Belvedere Hotel, Woody Point
Sandgate	Wednesday	6.00pm—6.30pm	Full Moon Bar & Bistro 118 Eagle Terrace, Sandgate
E-CLUB - 1st web club	Anytime	Anytime	Log on: http://www.rotaryclubone.org/

Deep in thought

" One of the simplest ways to stay happy is...letting go of the things that make you sad.

Daily Dose

OUR TEAM FOR 2012—2013 (BM—Board Member)

MEMBER'S NAME	POSITION	MEMBER'S NAME	POSITION
Lorraine Jeffery—BM	President	Dale Streten	Public Relations
Doug Morris—BM	President Elect	Doug Morris	Club Administration
Bernard Van Den Bergen—BM	Past President	Frances Hollywood	Program
Frances Hollywood—BM	Secretary	Colleen Caruana / Sue Broad	Bulletin
Ashley Broad—BM	Treasurer	Colleen Caruana / Garry Gibson	Website
Frances Hollywood	Club Service	Doug Morris	Sergeants-at-Arms
Andrew Lim	Vocational Service	All members	Fellowship
Bernard Van Den Bergen	International Service	All members	Welfare
Colleen Caruana—BM	New Generations	Allan Male	Membership
Bernard Van Den Bergen	The Rotary Foundation	Garry Gibson—BM	Board Member



From Fran....

VOCATIONAL VISITS - If anyone has a vocational visit in mind can they please forward details to Andrew Lim via email at atklim@gmail.com

GUEST SPEAKERS—If anyone has knows of guest speakers that would be good for the club can they please forward details to me via email francesvh@hotmail.com

WEDNESDAY 16 JANUARY—Garry Gibson Job Talk – thank you Garry

WEDNESDAY 23 JANUARY—Australia Day themed night – brush up on your Australian History & other stuff... (electronic devices will be handed in!)



WEDNESDAY 30 JANUARY—Club Night and Board Meeting

WEDNESDAY 6 February—TBA

WEDNESDAY 13 February—This is a partner's night to welcome home Bianca Gibson who has spent the last twelve months in Germany.

WEDNESDAY 20 February—Club Night and Board Meeting

WEDNESDAY 27 February—No Meeting— Joint meeting 26/02/13



Rotary Code of Conduct

As a Rotarian, I will



1. Exemplify the core value of integrity in all behaviours and activities
2. Use my vocational experience and talents to serve in Rotary
3. Conduct all of my personal, business, and professional affairs ethically, encouraging and fostering high ethical standards as an example to others
4. Be fair in all dealings with others and treat them with the respect due to them as fellow human beings
5. Promote recognition and respect for all occupations which are useful to society
6. Offer my vocational talents: to provide opportunities for young people, to work for the relief of the special needs of others, and to improve the quality of life in my community
7. Honour the trust that Rotary and fellow Rotarians provide and not do anything that will bring disfavour or reflect adversely on Rotary or fellow Rotarians
8. Not seek from a fellow Rotarian a privilege or advantage not normally accorded others in a business or professional relationship

ATTENDANCE AT MEETINGS

As part of *your* Rotary commitment you have agreed to attend weekly Dinner meetings. We understand that sometimes this can be difficult with other family, work etc. commitments. If you can not make it to a meeting **PLEASE** let Lorraine know ASAP but **no later** than 11.00am Wednesday Morning on tw1@bigpond.net.au

PLEASE NOTE: If you don't attend & don't let us know we still need to pay for you

ROSTER

TASK	THIS WEEK 16 JANUARY	NEXT WEEK 23 JANUARY
Chairman	Bruce	Fran
Duty Officer	Andrew	Bernard
Host	Fran	Fred
Vote of Thanks	Colleen	Ashley

ANNIVERSARIES— JANUARY

BIRTHDAY	WEDDING	ROTARY
31 Narelle Peters	31 Allan & Kath	1 Ashley
		25 Fran

KIPPA-RING

The club derives its name from an Australian aboriginal religious ceremony of making secular boys into sacred men who were then a Kippa.

This ceremony was performed in an area of two circles (or rings) that were to be found locally, hence the name Kippa-Ring.

The name was first approved in 1971 The Queensland Place Names Board has told Redcliffe Council it had noted the first approach for the establishment of a new school came from the Kippa-Ring Progress Association and while the name of the district was approved by the Board, it would prefer to see the name spelt "Kippa-Ring" in order to preserve the connotation with the aboriginal ceremony from which the name is derived.

Pat Gee, author of "Redcliffe - Looking at the Landscape" and noted local historian describes fully the origins and use of the suburbs name. Among other notes, she points out that the ring itself disappeared in the 1950s. In 1927 a Dr. Hobbs referred to the area - running across the Kipper Ring flats then over a neck of swampy land to Scarborough.

The official Government web site has the names listing as follows:-

KIPPA-RING

Place Type	Suburb		
Local Authority	Moreton Bay Regional		
Status	Approved & Current		
Gazettal	DATE: 15 August 2008	PAGE:	2117
Plan Number	QPN955		
Narrative	Originally named by Queensland Place Names Board 1 April 1971. Boundaries adjusted by the Minister for Natural Resources and Water, 15 August 2008. Reportedly a combined Aboriginal / English artificial word, from Kabi Language Kipper / Kippa young uninitiated man and ring from bora ring, the combined name for an initiation site.		

