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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?

ANZAC DAY



APRIL 23

■ 1564 - Today is the traditional, though unofficial, date of William Shakespeare's birth ... 1873 - William Gosse departs Alice Springs on an expedition, during which he discovers Ayers Rock... 1874 - Alf Gibson, companion to explorer Ernest Giles, disappears in the desert, resulting in the naming of the Gibson Desert... 1896 - Following Edison's invention of the motion picture, the first film is presented to a large audience in a movie theatre...

Last week's VOCATIONAL VISIT

RC Kippa-Ring members had their last meeting at the Redcliffe Community Mens Shed located at the Redcliffe Community Centre in Lamington Drive. Members from all 3 Redcliffe Rotary Clubs were represented as both Colin Scobie and Lawrie O'Keefe graciously hosted our Meeting and showed us around their ever improving facility. They have certainly come a long way from their humble beginnings and their Members are very keen to expand even further.. They have a Workshop, Meeting Room, complete with kitchen facilities and have established their own vegie garden area.

The facility does a fantastic job creating a great meeting place for the local blokes to get together and share some fellowship and to express their various vocational skills.



At the Meeting, RC Kippa-Ring President *Doug Morris* presented a cheque for \$500 to Colin for this worthwhile organisation.

Redcliffe Community Men's Shed



Open Mon, Wed and Fri from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.
(except public holidays)

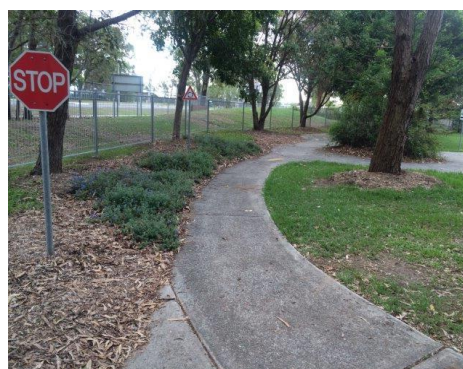
www.redcliffemensshed.com.au Phone: 0490 468222



RC KIPPA-RING gives Woody Point Special School a facelift!

Continuing from last weeks article.. pictures below show the story in some sort of order... from start to

finish.. Well done Team ☺



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 ▼	23 April	30 April	7 May	14 May	21 May	28 May	4 June
Chair	Garry	Garry	Matt	Matt	Matt	Matt	Ashley
Duty	Sue	Sue	Fred	Fred	Fred	Fred	Fran
Host	Ashley	XXXXXXXX	Garry	Garry	Garry	XXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX
Thanks	Lorraine	XXXXXXXX	John	John	John	XXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX
NOTES	Guest Speaker	Club Meeting & Board Meeting	Guest Speaker	Vocational Visit Int. House	TBA	Club Meeting & Board Meeting	Club Meeting Int. Conference
Date ► Duty ▼	11 June	18 June	25 June	2 July	9 July	16 July	23 July
Chair	Ashley	No	Sue	Bernard	Bernard	Bernard	Bernard
Duty	Fran	Meeting	Fran	Lorraine	Lorraine	Lorraine	Lorraine
Host	Colleen	Changeover	Colleen	Sue	Sue	Sue	XXXXXXX
Thanks	Sherin	xxxxxxxxxx	Sherin	Matt	Matt	Matt	XXXXXXX
NOTES	TBA	xxxxxxxxxx	TBA		TBA	TBA	Club Meeting & Board Meeting



UPCOMING EVENTS

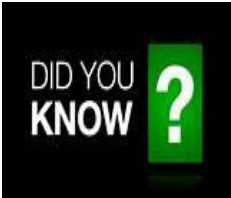
23rd –ANZAC themed night.. with Guest Speakers: Ron & Marj Goward.

30th – Board Meeting

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7th – Cathy Gear – Antarctic Experience
Sharnelle Kube – 2014 RYLA participant.

14th – Vocational Visit International House QU *more details soon...*
21st – Planning Review Night for Doug and Ashley
28th – Combined Board Meeting



Born in Bologna, Italy, in 1874, **Guglielmo Marconi** was a Nobel Prize-winning physicist and inventor credited with the groundbreaking work necessary for all future radio technology. Through his experiments in wireless telegraphy, Marconi developed the first effective system of radio communication. In 1899, he founded the Marconi Telegraph Company. In 1901, he successfully sent wireless signals across the Atlantic Ocean, disproving the dominant belief of the Earth's curvature affecting transmission. Marconi shared with Karl Braun the 1909 Nobel Prize in Physics. He died in Rome in 1937..
Guglielmo Marconi was an active member of the Rotary Club of Bologna, Italy.



ALSO... The 2014 Sydney Rotary Convention is set to be the largest indoor convention ever to be held in New South Wales, with more than 20,000 Rotarians, family and friends to gather in Sydney for this huge event.

AND... That a project of Rotary Club of Sydney – VISION BEYOND AUS (VBA) has already restored sight to over 6,000 people since 2011; and aims to restore the sight of another 100,000 of the worlds most disadvantaged people. Working predominantly with local surgeons and medical practitioners, VBA supports free eye surgery at 7 clinics in Nepal, Myanmar and Cambodia.

APRIL ANNIVERSARIES: Birthdays:
DALE STRETEN – 21ST APRIL



SHEZZA CHAU – 24TH APRIL



Rotary Anniversary – GARRY GIBSON 18/04/2012



INTERESTED PERSONS REQUIRED TO BE INCLUDED IN OUR DISTRICT PROJECT VOLUNTEER REGISTER

The **Project Volunteer Program** is not restricted to members of Rotary and Rotaract Clubs. Partners and non-Rotarians are most welcome to participate.

While Volunteers are required to fund their own costs of travel and living expenses, in some instances, Rotary Clubs or other organisations may provide some assistance. Volunteers must be able to cope with challenging working and living conditions whilst on site. A good sense of humour is a bonus. Most teams usually spend 2 weeks working at a site with the local people and then either return home directly or spend a few days sightseeing.

Project Volunteers have worked with local people and taught them basic skills whilst helping them build schools, hospitals, health clinics and other essential works.

Without assistance given by Volunteer Team members, many areas would not have the present day facilities required to alleviate problems associated with Health, Hunger and Humanity.

If you are interest in becoming a Project Volunteer, Please send your Name, Email address and occupation to **Gordon Watson** OAM D9600 International Service Coordinator... and you will be automatically registered for future overseas projects : lorgordo1@bigpond.com or **Ph. 07 54380246**

Rotary is receiving significant international media coverage this week for its role in the historic polio-free certification of the World Health Organization's South-East Asia region.

Highlights include:

- CNN International: India beats the odds, beats polio
- BBC.com : World now 80% polio free, World Health Organization says
- The Guardian: India may be free of polio – but the disease hasn't been eradicated yet (op-ed by Archie Panjabi)
- Reuters: Q+A: India at risk until polio is eradicated globally-Rotary
- The Wall Street Journal Online: Q&A: India Eliminates Polio
- HuffPost Live:Violinist & Conductor Itzhak Perlman LIVE
- Forbes.com: John Hewko explains polio's legacy

A complete report will follow next week. Please share the good news with others.

I am also pleased to report that Rotary received extensive media coverage throughout 2013, with more than 626 news organizations in 35 countries featuring our humanitarian efforts. Of those, 58 stories appeared in top tier international news organizations, including nine out of the 10 most influential ranked by Forbes, including the Associated Press, The New York Times, BBC, Agence France Presse, The Washington Post and the Wall Street Journal.

Rotary's role in the fight to end polio was highlighted in top-level, global media at unprecedented levels last year. And Rotary's partnership with its celebrity ambassadors for polio eradication helped raise our digital visibility to new audiences via posts on onendpolio.org and celebrity social media channels.

Enclosed are a **report (1)** and summary of Rotary's 2013 media coverage and a sharable compilation of the highlights with links to the coverage **here**. To view full articles, click on the headlines.

Best regards,
John Hewko,
General Secretary
Rotary International

(1) http://www.highroadsolution.com/file_uploader2/files/media_coverage_report_2013.docx

(2) <https://flipboard.com/section/2013-rotary-media-coverage-report-boSTAz>

What did Rotarians do this Easter?

Bendigo – Victoria - The Rotary Easter Art Show is the premier art show in the region with around 700 works of art, predominately by local artists, on display. Hosted by Rotary Club of Bendigo.



Mandurah – W.A. - The three Mandurah Rotary clubs, RC of Mandurah, RC of Mandurah Districts and RC of Mandurah City, again joined forces to stage the fifth Mandurah Rotary Duck Race on Easter Saturday, 19 April 2014, in conjunction with Rotary family fun day and fair, including stalls, entertainment and activities for families young and old. Lots of rides for kids, performances, petting zoo, stalls.



Grand Canyon – Arizona U.S.A. - The annual Rotary Grand Canyon Easter Egg Hunt began promptly at 10 a.m on April 19 at the Grand Canyon School soccer fields. Organizers suggested that participants show up early. Games and activities after the egg hunt closed at 11 a.m. One lucky egg hunter found the grand prize egg with a \$200 gift certificate for a new bicycle. The event was free.



Dorset – United Kingdom... - The 2014 Bournemouth East Cliff Rotary Club annual Easter Quarter Marathon and Easter Bun Fun Run for all the family was run on Easter Saturday 19th April. - See more at: <http://www.raceday.co.uk/races/486-rotary-easter-quarter-marathon#sthash.IYuxinYO.dpuf>



Hurricane – Utah U.S.A... Crowds packed the Hurricane Community Center for the 29th annual Hurricane Rotary Easter Car Show on Saturday. This year's show had approximately 200 entries. Among the unique vehicles on display were a 1923 Ford Model T, a motorcycle with a custom airbrushed design paying tribute to those lost in 9/11 and Turbinator II, the world's fastest wheel-driven car.

Chairman Jeff Borden said that between 800 and 1,200 people were expected to attend.

The show is the Hurricane Valley Rotary Club's main fundraising event; chairman Jeff Borden said that between 800 and 1,200 people were expected to attend.

Attractions included food and vendor booths, games for kids and an ice cream cart selling old-fashioned treats.



Ontario – Canada.... The Rotary Club of Sault Ste. Marie assists in presenting the annual Easter Seals Telethon on Shaw, cable channel 10. On Easter Sunday..

Since 1923, the Rotary Club of Sault Ste. Marie has adopted Easter Seals and the over 60 children, youth and young adults in the area with physical disabilities as the club's primary charitable mandate. The club is in partnership with Easter Seals to present three of the Society's signature events in Sault Ste. Marie: The Easter Seals Telethon, Snowarama and Change for Change in the Life of an Easter Seals Child.



An Ode to

Harvest Cambodia STEPPING STONES SCHOOL

(Dedicated to: *Izzy* and *Doug* with *So* and *Rachel*)

You speak of desire for you truly inspire

*All you who choose to assist
To teach the teacher and not be a preacher
Your actions are all you insist*

To offer a chance bereft of romance

*To educate each child
For history displays damn dreadful days
When wickedness went wild.*

Now this teacher gap will always sap

*A nation's will to move on;
But each understands that with your helping hands
New knowledge will beckon them on.*

For each Khmer trained from the study they've gained

*Gives the gift to lift each child
From a life of subsistence to one of persistence
For a future, freely reconciled.*

With the hope of a dream that to cross the stream

*Simply use the Stepping Stone;
And when on the far bank they'll surely thank
The teacher who really did hone.*

Real respect for knowledge to gain entry to college

*And collectively assist the Khmer
To advance their nation with a determination
To educate and not to defer.*

Scribed by: Mr. Doug Morris - President RC Kippa-Ring 2014

