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



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**CLUB MEETS: Wednesdays from 6.00 pm @Rotary Office
Evergreen Centre, Unit 6 4-18 Discovery Drive, North Lakes**

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FEB 14 496 - St Valentine's Day is first declared... 1779 -

Captain James Cook is killed by natives in Hawaii...

1788 - Lieutenant Philip Gidley King leaves Sydney to establish a settlement on Norfolk Island ... 1936 - The Walter Taylor Bridge, which crosses the Brisbane River, is opened...

1966 - Decimal currency is introduced in Australia, and the Australian dollar makes its debut.



**A Message from
Our President**



Last week's meeting with our Guest Speaker Paul talking about Blind Cricket was very interesting. Who would have thought that the blindies check each other's ankles to ensure they are telling the truth of how blind they are when playing cricket!

How cheeky also are the Blindies to hit the others in the ankles as they pass them...! Very interesting overall and a great initiative to get these people out and about enjoying the great outdoors instead of being stuck at home...

We also welcomed Margaret from Rotary Club of Erina (NSW) as visiting Rotarian. We had the opportunity to hear about her passion and how Rotary has helped the East Timor people. We also welcomed back Karyn :)

This week we have IPDG (Immediate Past District Governor) Alan Stephens visiting us at our Club Forum meeting. Alan will help answer some of our members concerns/ questions about the restructure of the Districts. We will also have an in-depth conversation and make arrangements/delegate tasks for our next 2 major functions:

21st February – Pride of Workmanship Awards Dinner with special guest speaker & presenter Mr. Luke Howarth MP and 28th February – Rotary Information Night.

*Some exciting and fun meetings coming up (as always) at Rotary Club of Kippa Ring – North Lakes. I'm looking forward to sharing these with all our members & guests.
Have a great week everyone... having fun*

Making a Difference in our Community ☺

Cheers for now

Colleen



**The Four
Way Test**

of the things we think, 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?

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

Date ▶ Duty ▼			14 th Feb	21 st Feb	28 th Feb			
Chair			Ashley	Ashley	Ashley			
Duty			Garry	Garry	Garry			
Host			Laura	Laura	Laura			
Thanks			Pat	Pat	Pat			



Rotary Club of Dreiländereck

- Founded in 1999
- Currently has 29 members.
- Current President: Daniel K. Keuerleber



This WEEK'S MEETING...

Guest speaker this week is PDG **Alan Stephens** who will be talking to us about the proposed merging of Rotary Districts 9600, 9630 and 9640 and the effects across clubs and our District programs.



RI has put together a committee overseeing the proposed total redistricting in Australia and smaller committees have been put in place to look at specific regional issues.. geographic distances etc.

Our Club members have a chance to find out a few more specifics and ask relevant questions before making an informed decision as per their vote to the Club executive which will count to the overall District club votes.

The **Rotary Club of Basel-Dreiländereck**, in Switzerland, is part of **Rotary District 1980** and was chartered in **1999**. They meet **TUESDAYS** for lunch and currently have **29 members**.
This club was host club for our District's YEP outbounder Sophie Persson.
Ladies and Gentlemen, A toast to the **Rotary Club of BASEL DREILANDERECK!!**



- February 14 – Alan Stephens - re: District rezoning**
- February 21 - Pride Of Workmanship – Luke Howarth MP**
- February 28 - Rotary Information night**



WHY TEACHERS DRINK!!!

The following questions were set in last year's examinations
These are genuine answers (from 16 year olds)

- Q. Name the four seasons
A.. Salt, pepper, mustard and vinegar
- Q. How is dew formed
A.. The sun shines down on the leaves and makes them perspire
- Q. What guarantees may a mortgage company insist on A.. If you are buying a house they will insist that you are well endowed
- Q. In a democratic society, how important are elections A.. Very important. Sex can only happen when a male gets an election
- Q. What are steroids
A. Things for keeping carpets still on the stairs (Shoot yourself now , there is little hope)





Sue Broad | 17th February



Col & Tammy O'Brien

14th FEBRUARY



PUT YOUR WEEKLY
2 BUCKS WORTH IN
YET!!???



Sue & Ashley Broad with the Chameleon House team

NEXT ONE: **TUESDAY 20th FEBRUARY, 2018**
AT **BUNNINGS ROTHWELL STORE..**
FUNDS RAISED TO BE DONATED TO ASSIST
CHAMELEON HOUSE.
VOLUNTEER HELPERS - PLEASE LIAISE WITH:
ASHLEY BROAD PH: 0419 793 353
FUTURE BBQ DATES:
MARCH 6 & 20



The Rotary Youth Leadership Awards (RYLA) will be an unforgettable experience in life, learning from experience and experiences. The program's aim is to give young people personal, leadership and citizenship skills to succeed in all areas of their life.

RYLA will give young people the opportunity to learn from other like-minded people and make new friends while being challenged both physically and mentally on their road to self-discovery.

This experiential learning opportunity will enable individuals to discover their uniqueness and how to, communicate, work with others and embrace change.

RYLA participants will be from a variety of areas such as: the business community; the self employed; educational institutions; government agencies; community associations; Rotaractors; and service organisations.

The majority of the participants will be transported by bus to and from Luther Heights, arriving Friday 16th May and departing Tuesday 20th May 2014. The program covers four very full days of activities and speakers together with social and Rotary functions at night time.

Our club is interested in sponsoring and/or co-sponsoring several young people to the RYLA program. We will be providing a great opportunity for young people in our District / Community to grow and develop within their own personal lives, to develop their leadership skills within their career, and to understand the value of good citizenship.

- Rotary Youth Leadership Awards (RYLA) is an exciting opportunity which equips young individuals with personal development, leadership and citizenship skills to succeed in all areas of life.

- The 2018 seminar commences May 5th with early bird applications closing March 1st.

RYLA is an unforgettable experience which you won't find anywhere else. If you haven't already, be sure to like and follow our page and our event to keep up with the latest on RYLA 2018!!



MAY 5 RYLA 2018
May 5 - May 11 - Luther Heights Youth Cam...
You like RYLA District 9600

Contact President Colleen

TRIVIA NIGHT FUNDRAISER

(SUPPORTED BY KIPPA-RING NORTHLAKES ROTARY CLUB)

Chameleon Youth Housing
and
Padres Baseball Club Junior Development

SATURDAY 24th February

Venue - Hercules Road State School Hall
118 Hercules Road, Kippa-Ring
6.30 pm for a 7.00 pm start

Platters and refreshments available for purchase

\$15 per head (maximum 8 players per team) - *Please see below for important information on how to confirm and book your team table

How to pay and book your team table:

Bank deposit/direct debit: Chameleon Housing - BSB 633000 Acc: 133084590
Reference: Team Captain Surname/Trivia

*To confirm payment please email Diana at chameleondm@optusnet.com.au by 1.2.2018 with -
• Name and contact details of Team Captain; and
• Name of your Team table
Team Captain will be responsible for payment in full of their table (\$120) by the due date. For catering purposes, if payment is not made by 1st February the booking may not be accepted.

Enquiries: please contact Diana or Carmel on 3284 4805 or chameleondm@optusnet.com.au



Rotary District 9600

Rotary International District 9600 Limited ACN 125 588 696
Local people working in our local communities



District Conference 2018

April 20-22nd

Maroochydore RSL

Contact Conference Chair or Registration Office

Click here to complete your Online Registration

Registrations will open March 2018



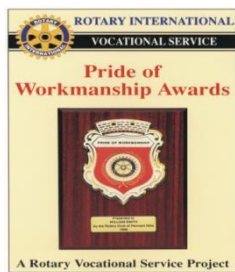
Rotarian Andreas introduces our Guest Speaker Paul Szep (and Olga) to talk about blind cricket and Rotary's association.



Visiting Rotarian **Margaret Aggar** from Erina talks about her pet project in Timor: and Deputy Sergeant At Arms **Cella** peruses the Bulletin before grilling (and fining) Club Members ☺



YEP Students **Cella Peixoto** (Brazil) and **Ghitty Pupillo** (Italy) updating Club members of their last week's activities.



Our Pride of Workmanship night is next WEDNESDAY: 21st FEBRUARY, 2018

Our special guest will be Luke Howarth MP



Luke Howarth is the Federal Liberal National MP for Petrie, a small business owner, a community volunteer.



Rotary Information Night

Rotary Club of Kippa Ring – North Lakes
would like to invite you to a
Rotary Information Night

Rotary International is a world-wide organization comprised of more than 1.2 million people from the business and professional communities. There are over 33,000 Rotary Clubs located in 200 countries across the globe. Rotary is a Community Service Organisation that started in Chicago, USA in 1905.

Would you like to know more? There is so much more to share, please join us for a fun interesting night:

WHEN: Wednesday 28th February, 2018 – 6.15pm
WHERE: Rotary District 9600 Office, Evergreen Centre
Unit 6, 4-18 Discovery Drive, NORTH LAKES, QLD 4509
DRESS: Smart Casual
RSVP: Wednesday 21st February, 2018
Via text: 0412 744 038 or
Email: rotarykipparingssecretary@gmail.com



Rotary, University of Chicago to host second event in peace series



Together with Rotary International, the University of Chicago's Harris School of Public Policy is hosting a series of panel discussions on one of Rotary's signature humanitarian causes: peace and conflict resolution.

The second of the three installments of the [Pathways to Peace](#) series will focus on "War and Peace in the Age of Big Data". Join us and see rapid data visualization techniques in real time. Hear from experts on the opportunities and difficulties in using big data to shape the future of peace and conflict.

Speakers at the 7 February event include: Austin Wright, assistant professor of Public Policy at the University of Chicago, who uses satellite data to analyze the Rohingya refugee crisis; Derran Moss-Dolmau, Rotary peace fellow and humanitarian affairs officer at the UN, which has just opened a Centre for Humanitarian Data in the Hague; and Michelle Breslauer, Director, Americas Program, [Institute for Economics and Peace](#), one of Rotary's strategic partners, which is changing the way we define and measure peace.

The free, public event will take place at 1871, Chicago's technology and entrepreneurship center, in downtown Chicago. Save the date for the third installment of the series: "Sustaining the Long Peace" on April 10 at Rotary's World Headquarters in Evanston, Illinois.





Rotary D9600 DG **John Lane** presented Graduation Certificates to Our Club's rebounder YEP participants **Casey Burke** (Italy) and **Brooke Manning** (Brazil) last Sunday February 11, 2018.

The Graduation ceremonial lunch was held at the Alexander Headlands Surf Club after a debriefing session at the Grand Palais Beachside Resort.



The Rotary D9600 YEP class of 2017/18 rebounders pictured here with their Graduation Certificates with the D 9600 YEP Committee which includes RC Kippa Ring-North Lakes crew of **Ashley & Sue Broad, Garry & Renaté Gibson, Ro Burke** (absent were **Ossama & Deb El-Saadi**).. Club Members **Pat Burke, Laura Van Zyl** and **Andreas Kressibucher** also were valuable contributors to the YEP Graduation/Debriefing week-end.