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Rotary Club of Kippa Ring - North Lakes Meetings:
Every WEDNESDAY
1815 FOR 1830 START
D9600 Office, Evergreen Centre
Unit 6 / 14-18 Discovery Drive

From the President's Desk...



ROTARY INTERNATIONAL DISTRICT 9600

Rotary Club of Kippa Ring—North Lakes
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Rotary Information Night

Rotary Club of Kippa Ring-North Lakes last week held an Information night for New Members, about to be inducted members and prospective guests. Both Ashley Broad and I presented Power Points which displayed all Rotary's wares from both a Corporate and local perspective..

Our night got off to a mighty start with a fine extended two minute talk (ended up a wonderful 10 minute presentation) from our Youth Exchange Student Antonia Esst. Her excellent talk really showcased the benefits of our Youth Exchange Program to all present.

INDUCTION .. INDUCTION

Following our presentations, we had the pleasure of inducting 2 new members to the Club... Ossama El Saadi and Irene Pap.. Unfortunately, our proposed 3rd Inductee Sue Jones was unable to be present due to a family medical situation.

Cheers GG



CALENDAR

APRIL

- 6 What is Rotary Night
- 13 Board Meeting
- 20 Anzac Trivia Night
- 27 Dreamtime Kullila
cational Visit

MAY

- 4 Rotary Foundation Night –
Eric Wood
- 11 Men's Health - Ian Watson
- 18 Board Meeting
- 25 Sarah Armstrong Re Leah
Armstrong Bunnings BBQ



HAVE YOU HEARD IT ON THE.....

CLUB: Inducted 2 new members (see P3)

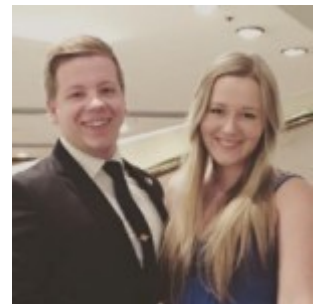
DISTRICT: 15 Clubs sponsoring 20 Rylarians + 1 self funded to RYLA 2016

NATION: RC of Corrimal NSW & Uni of Wollongong Rotaract helping Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander students with reading via e-learning

WORLD: ShelterBox helps in Fiji after Cyclone Winston

Chris and Dee's Healthy Malaria Month

Help | Learn | Enjoy
Rotaract
Rotary Club Partner



Rotary is known for its fight against Polio and we want Rotaract to be known for its fight against Malaria. The healthy villages program in PNG and the Solomon's are amazing programs that we very much look forward to supporting.

We will both be giving up for all of April all liquid excluding water. Therefore we will be going without Coffee, soft drink and no alcohol! We will also be bringing out the pedometer and will be walking at least 10,000 steps a day. Finally we will also have no sweets, chocolates, lollies or even doughnuts all to raise money. If anyone has anything else that they want us to go without or do in April and are willing to donate for it we are willing to give it a go!



<http://malaria.rotaract.org.au/fundraisers/chris-and-dees-healthy-malaria-month/>

Happy snaps from Last Week's Meeting!..



It's Maternal and Child Health Month

A wave of compassion

Since 2010, a team of doctors, midwives, and nurses has traveled once a year from Sri Lanka to Germany, and another from Germany to Sri Lanka, for training. At the biggest hospital in Nuremberg, where Jeska-Thorwart lives, only a couple of babies are born each day. In contrast, the Mahamodara Teaching Hospital delivers 70 babies daily. Because of the number of births in Sri Lanka, the German doctors get more experience in the neonatal intensive care unit dealing with birth complications. Meanwhile, Sri Lankan doctors get experience on state-of-the-art equipment in Germany.

The neonatal intensive care unit, one of the few air-conditioned buildings at the hospital, is a world of beeps and scrubs and needles. A 19-day-old infant lies in an incubator, connected to a neonatal CPAP machine to support her breathing, donated by Rotary, which equipped the entire unit. The newborn, who arrived two months premature, was transferred here because the hospital has some of the most advanced equipment in the country. "When I started here, I was amazed," says Selvi Rupasinghe, the chief neonatologist. "Rotary's contributions have made a tremendous change to neonatal care."

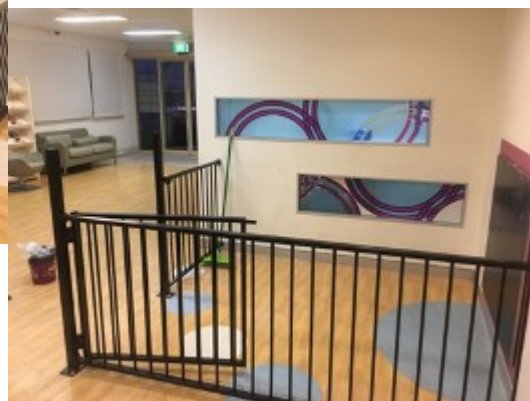
Outside the unit, a woman holds a sleepy toddler in her arms. The child's eyes are closed and her head droops as her mother, a dance teacher, smiles and hugs her daughter tight. The child, now 21 months old, was born premature, weighing only 2 pounds. She spent a month in the neonatal intensive care unit and today loves to dance, like many girls her age. "Without all of this equipment, she would not have been able to survive," says Sumith Manathunga, the hospital's deputy director.



An ultrasound machine donated by Rotarians



Kerstin Jeska-Thorwart (left) talks with a nurse at the Mahamodara



Service PROJECT

Rotarians **Ashley Broad** and **Col O'Brien** this week commenced work on this project which was to provide a safe enclosure for the children to play within the reception foyer area of the office. Just the flooring and painting to be done!

HERCULES ROADS PRIMARY SCHOOL GREENHOUSE PROJECT



In conjunction with Rotary Club of Redcliffe City, our Club provided an extension to the school's green house facility; effectively doubling the size. The final stage of this project was completed this week, with Rotarians **Garry Gibson** and **Col O'Brien** fitting the shade cloth.

Thanks to the members of both Rotary Clubs and the team from Grace Lutheran College who participated in this project.

KIPPA'S RIB-TICKLER OF THE WEEK!

Dougie's poetic justice??

Whilst in Ireland Dougie runs a stop sign and gets pulled over by the local Irish cop. He thinks that he is smarter than the cop because is certain that he has a better education then any Irish cop. He decides to prove this to himself and have some fun at the Irish cop's expense!

Irish cop says, "License and registration, please, sir."

Dougie says, "What for?" Irish cop says, "Ye didnae come to a complete stop at the stop sign."

Dougie says, "I slowed down, and no one was coming."

Irish cop says, "Ye still didnae come to a complete stop. License and registration, please, sir"

Dougie says, "What's the difference?"

Irish cop says, "The difference is, ye huvte come to a complete stop, that's the law. License and registration, please!"

Dougie says, "I tell you what.. If you can show me the legal difference between slow down and stop, I'll give you my license and registration and you give me the ticket! If not, you let me go and don't give me the ticket." Irish cop says, "Sounds fair. Please exit your vehicle, sir."

So... Dougie exits his vehicle... The Irish cop takes out his baton and starts beating the living @@@@ out of Dougie and says, "Sir, Daeye want me to stop or just slow down? "

TODAY'S WORKOUT:

Drinking wine in bed. That way everytime I sit up to take a sip, I do a crunch.



Sure, I'll go for a run with you, but only if it is to get Champagne, and only if we drive.

If Plan A fails,
remember
that you have
25 letters left.



Don't wear headphones
while vacuuming.
I've just finished the
whole house before
realizing the vacuum
wasn't plugged in.

Bye

@LuvPug: I CAN'T GET OUT OF BED, MY FITBIT IS CHARGING AND MY STEPS WON'T COUNT.



PHOTOSHOP

@Twatstocomics



BE KIND TO
UNKIND
PEOPLE.
THEY NEED
IT THE
MOST.

Rotary



Why Join Rotary?

R realization of "Service Above Self"


O pportunities to be involved with community and international projects

T eam up with other volunteers to make a difference

A ppreciation for your contribution

R espect, fellowship and fun

Y our skills and talents are shared

Rotary 

Your gifts are not about
Leadership is not about
Your purpose is not about **YOU**

A life of significance is about

SERVING
those who need your gifts, your
leadership, your purpose.

ROSTER

TASK	APRIL	MAY
Chairman	Bernard	Fran
Duty Officer	Fran	Bernard
Host	Doug	Fred
Vote of Thanks	Colleen	Ashley

**PLEASE NOTE: IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO CARRY OUT YOUR
ROSTERED REQUIRED DUTIES, PLEASE ASK ANOTHER MEMBER
TO FILL IN FOR YOU ON THE NIGHT**

ANNIVERSARIES — APRIL

BIRTHDAY	WEDDING	ROTARY
1 John		18 Garry
21 Dale		

UPCOMING EVENTS



April

- 13 North Lakes Office - Board Meeting
- 20 North Lakes Office - Anzac Trivia Night
- 27 Dreamtime Kullilla Art Vocational Visit -
Unit 7 349 MacDonnell Rd, Clontarf 4019

May

- 4 North Lakes Office - Rotary Foundation Night –Eric Wood
- 11 North Lakes Office - Men's Health - Ian Watson – Caboolture /
Redcliffe Sunrise / Sandgate Combined
- 18 North Lakes Office - Board Meeting
- 25 North Lakes Office - Sarah Armstrong Re Leah Armstrong
Bunnings BBQ Fundraiser

June

- 1 North Lakes Office - Di Drysdale (RYLA) & Roger Platt (Rotary
Fellowships)
- 8 North Lakes Office - Board Meeting
- 19 SUNDAY—Vocational Visit - Woody Point Special School
- 22 North Lakes Office – Antonia Esst's Farewell Presentation
- 29 – Belvedere Hotel – upstairs – RC Kippa Ring—North Lakes
Changeover celebration