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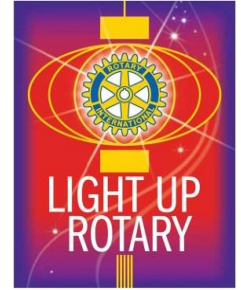
12th NOVEMBER, 2014

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CLUB MEETS: Every Wednesday 6.15 pm for 6.45 pm start
Belvedere Hotel - Oxley Ave & Woodcliffe Cres, Woody Point



**This Day
In History**

NOVEMBER 12

1894 - Australian inventor Lawrence Hargrave demonstrates that it is possible for man to fly... 1943 - The last of the Japanese bombings raids occurs against Australia during WWII. Parts of Australia including Darwin, northwest Western Australia and even regions of far north Queensland were subject to over one hundred raids.

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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?



TONIGHT.. RC KIPPA-RING WELCOMES BACK DON WOODLAND!

Don Woodland is a legend in the Salvation Army and the first person to devise a trauma counselling service for the armed forces, police force and ambulance workers. He has served in the Vietnam War and was on site 'next day' at the majority of Australia's worst disasters including Bali, Cyclone Tracey, Papua New Guinea's Tsumani, Childer's Backpackers and Kings Cross Backpackers fires, Granville Rail disaster, Strathfield massacre and Port Arthur. He learnt the English concertina as a child from his father who also played the instrument in the Salvation Army. He retired from fulltime pastoral work in 2004 and continues to work as a lecturer.

Tonight, we welcome back Don as part of our joint meeting with RC Redcliffe Sunrise and RC Caboolture. (Refer Pages 4&5 for Don's full Bio)

MARJIE & RON GOWARD.. WHERE YA BEEN????

Club stalwarts Ron & Marjie Goward last week gave us a superb insight into their recent travels. It was a very interesting and entertaining presentation. It was very heartwarming to see their continued friendship with their host sons & daughters figured prominently in their travel itinerary.

Ron & Marjie also introduced most of us to their wonderfully produced digital photo albums which are simply fantastic. Well done guys.. and a huge Thank You!!

p.s. Ron & Marj are an integral part of our Annual Xmas Trailer Raffle assistance 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

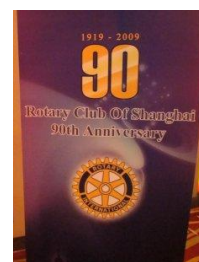
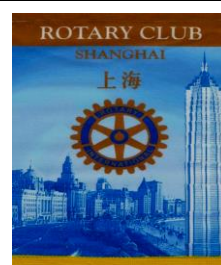


TONIGHT –

WEDNESDAY 12th NOVEMBER, 2014 – 6.30 p.m.

Don Woodland – retired Salvation Army officer returns tonight as part of a joint presentation to RC Kippa-Ring.. RC Redcliffe Sunrise and RC Caboolture.

Date ► Duty ▼		12 Nov	19 Nov	26 Nov	3 Dec	10 Dec	17 Dec
Chair		Sherin	Sherin	Sherin	John	John	John
Duty		Fred	Fred	Fred	Fran	Fran	Fran
Host		Garry	Garry	xxxxxxxx	Doug	Doug	xxxxxxxx
Thanks		Doug	Doug	xxxxxxxx	Colleen	Dale	xxxxxxxx
NOTES		Don Woodland Combined meeting	Laura Van Zyl - Elephant Stories	Club Meeting & Board Meeting	AGM - John Lloyd Who am I	Carolyn Kruger Rotary Projects	Christmas Night
Date ► Duty ▼	24 Dec	31 Dec	7 Jan	14 Jan	21 Jan	28 Jan	4 Feb
Chair	Christmas	Christmas	Colleen	Colleen	Colleen	Colleen	Daisy
Duty	Break	Break	Bernard	Bernard	Bernard	Bernard	Sherin
Host	No Meeting	No Meeting	Fran	Fran	Fran	xxxxxxxx	Fred
Thanks	xxxxxxxx	xxxxxxxx	xxxxxxx	Garry	Garry	xxxxxxxx	Doug
NOTES	xxxxxxxx	xxxxxxxx	Club Night	Bernard Friendship Exchange	Maureen Hall TBC	Club Meeting Board Meeting	TBC



*The **Rotary Club of Shanghai** has a complex history. The club was chartered in 1919 as the first club in China. The charter was cancelled in 1943; however the club was chartered again in 1946 only to have the charter cancelled again in 1951. Expatriate Rotarians started meeting regularly in Shanghai again in 1997 to support worthy projects in their community, to encourage strong business ethics, and to promote the Object of Rotary. This led to the Club gaining provisional status in 2001 and being chartered in 2006. Club membership is by invitation only and based on the classification principle where each member represents his or her vocation or profession. Membership is currently restricted to holders of non-PRC passports. The club currently has around 90 members who represent more than 23 nationalities. Average age of members is 45... 80% Male / 20% female.. Current President is American, and his predecessors were German, Indian and Canadian. Some of the projects the Club supports are Gift of Life Shanghai, providing heart operations for the underprivileged; Aids Awareness Program and Wheelchair donations to the needy in China. They also support several youth projects through Past President Percy Chu Scholarships along with Rotaract and Interact. The Club meets for dinner every Tuesday @ 40th floor of Hilton Hotel..*

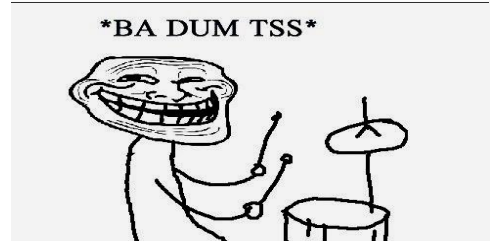
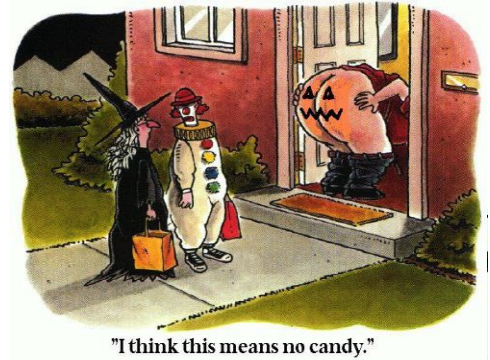
Fellows and guests please be upstanding, and raise your glasses to toast the Rotary Club of Shanghai



Kippa's "Ribticklers" of the week

FOR THOSE WHO THOUGHT THEY KNEW EVERYTHING!

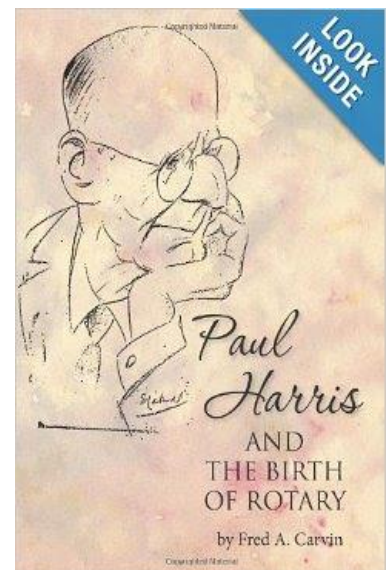
1. The liquid inside young coconuts can be used as a substitute for:
 - Blood plasma.
2. No piece of paper can be folded in half more than seven (7) times. Ok... go ahead... I'll wait..
3. Donkeys kill more people annually • than plane crashes or shark attacks.
(So, watch your Ass 😊)
4. You burn more calories sleeping • than you do watching television.
5. Oak trees do not produce acorns • until they are fifty (50) years of age or older.
6. The first product to have a bar code • was Wrigley's gum.
7. The King of Hearts is the only king • WITHOUT A MOUSTACHE
8. American Airlines saved \$40,000 in 1987 • by eliminating one (1) olive from each salad served in first-class.
9. Venus is the only planet that rotates clockwise • (Since Venus is normally associated with women, what does this tell you!) (That women are going in the 'right' direction...?)
10. Apples, not caffeine • are more efficient at waking you up in the morning. *That is all!*



"The invisible force of Rotary is love of men for their fellow men, free from the restraints of formality; free from religious, racial and political prejudices. The love of men for their fellow men is the breath of life of Rotary."

Salute to the Rotarians of 1943 - taped November 11, 1943

The sentiments expressed by Paul Harris above appear to be fairly straight forward and should need little by the way of explanation. If it wasn't for the love we have for our fellow human beings, would Rotarians be capable of accomplishing the wonderful things we do? Love is at the core and is the very essences of our existence. And this observation is true and undeniable.



A huge Thanks to those who loaded the last of the gear from Masonic Home at Sandgate onto a truck last Saturday morning.. bound for the D.I.K. shed awaiting onforwarding to LAE PNG.... specifically.... **Garry Gibson , Doug Morris and Bernard van den Bergen.. Ashley Broad** would have been there but was committed to the Redcliffe Dolphins Central Shopping Centre selling our Trailer Raffle tickets..

Bio on *Lieut-Col. Don Woodland OAM*

Donald Thomas Woodland was born in China in 1937 to Australian Salvation Army Officer parents who had served in China as Missionaries for 21 years. The youngest of three sons and one daughter, returned with his family to Australia in 1941 on the last boat from Shanghai before the Japanese occupation.

At the age of ten years his mother died, and the family moved from Sydney to their hometown Brisbane where he continued schooling, later becoming a tradesman in Surgical Footwear. He married Bernice Arnold in the Salvation Army Citadel West End, Brisbane in March 1959 and the following year (1960) they both entered The Salvation Army Theological College, Sydney for training. Following their Commissioning and Ordination, Don and Bernice served in a number of country towns as The Salvation Army Officers in Mullumbimby (NSW) Bowen, Inala, Laidley & Helidon. (Q'land).

1977 the family returned to Sydney where Don commenced a 4-year posting with the Royal Australian Army Chaplain's Department as Chaplain to the Army Units on Middle Head and frequently travelling to Kapooka Training Bn. Wagga Wagga to conduct Character Guidance Seminars.

1977 Don was at the scene of the Granville Train Disaster and at the major Bush Fires that ripped through the Blue Mountains during that year.

In conjunction with his Pastoral responsibilities at The Salvation Army Corps, Hurstville, Sydney, he was invited to commence Chaplaincy with the New South Wales Fire Brigades, such involvement commenced in March 1981 on a part-time basis for 4 years. During those years he was at the scene of major incidents such as the Sylvania Nursing Home Fire, the Rembrandt Hotel Fire, Kings Cross. 1985 the workload necessitated he become the Services' first full-time Senior Chaplain. This appointment was the first full time appointment to a statutory body in Australia for the next eleven years throughout the state of New South Wales. It was during those years he developed his skills in Trauma Management, Critical Incident Management and Grief Crisis counselling and saw much of this program being implemented throughout the Services as an integral part of 'caring for the carer'.

During his years as Chaplain to the NSW Fire Brigades, other statutory bodies were watching the work of the Chaplain e.g., the NSW Police Force, Queensland Police and Fire Services and the West Australian Fire Brigade. Subsequently the West Australian Fire Brigade and later the West Australian Police adopted Chaplaincy as part of their respective Service.

Administration work with The Salvation Army took Don and Bernice back to Canberra in 1992 for three and a half year appointment as The Salvation Army's Divisional Commander for the ACT & South NSW Division. 1995 they returned to Sydney where he was appointed by The Salvation Army to establish Chaplaincy Programs throughout the ACT, New South Wales and Queensland, covering Police, Fire and Ambulance, Courts and Prisons and in October 1995 he completed the installation of a Chaplaincy Program for the New South Wales Fire Services and became Senior Chaplain to their 70,000 members until January 1997.



Don's skills in Trauma Management have been finely tuned with on the scene involvement in incidents such as Grafton and Kempsey Bus Crashes, the Newcastle Earthquake, the Massacre at Strathfield, Sydney and the Massacre at Port Arthur, Tasmania where he took his Trauma Management Team and worked with the staff and management of the Port Arthur Historic Site for the week following that tragedy. As a token of their appreciation for his work and empathy with them, the staff paid his air-fare back to Port Arthur for the National Memorial Service held some weeks after he had returned to Sydney.

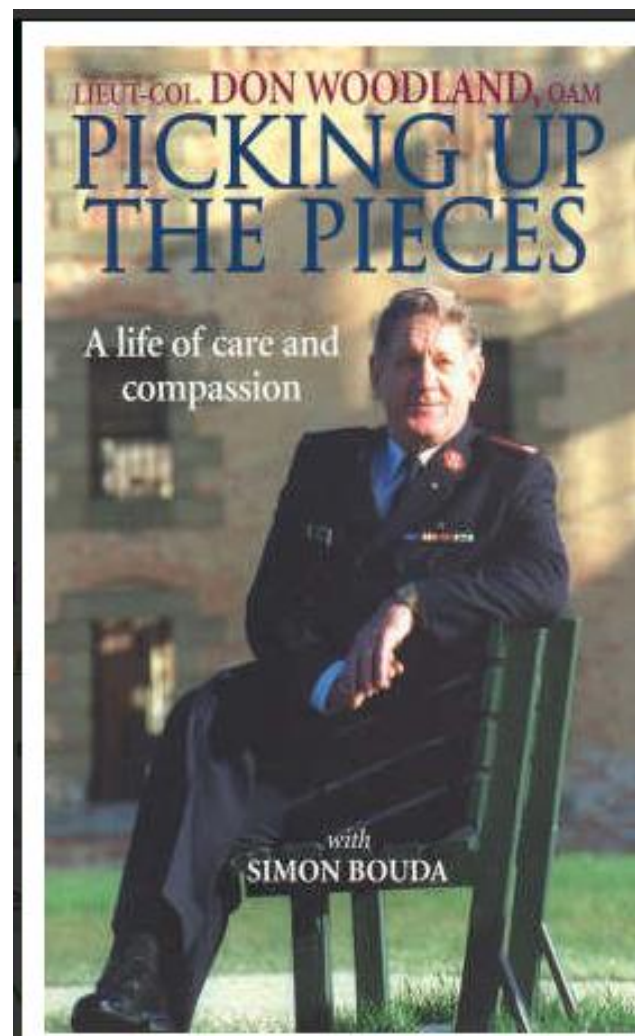
Following the 'Backpackers Trial' in Sydney, Don was called in by the Trial Judge to debrief the jury; this again was the first time such action had been taken by the judicial system in New South Wales. 1990 he was awarded the Order of Australia Medal for Service to the Community through the NSW Fire Brigades.

Don has been a member of Rotary International since 1967 serving in clubs such as Kingaroy and Sandgate (Queensland), Chatswood and Hurstville (Sydney), Western Creek Rotary, Canberra and the Canberra Rotary Club. In 1991, Don was honoured with the Paul Harris Fellowship by the Rotary Club of Hurstville, Sydney (where he spent the most years of his Rotary Service). In June 1997, Don received the Rotary International award of The Sapphire Pin again by the Hurstville Rotary Club. In May 1998 he was awarded Rotary's International 'SERVICE ABOVE SELF' being nominated by the Rotary Club of Canberra. This award being only one of one hundred and forty eight such awards throughout the world in 1998.

Don Woodland has been a Salvation Army officer for more than forty years. In that time he has fulfilled the essential role of chaplain to the police, fire brigade and other emergency services. Whenever Australians have been struck by tragedy, Don Woodland has been there to offer comfort and support. For emergency services personnel whose daily work exposes them to tremendous trauma, Don Woodland is one of the few people who understands the toll their experiences take on them. When tragedy has struck involving loss of life, Don was there to offer solace and support to those left behind.

His memoirs are full of compassion and the deep wisdom gleaned from a lifetime of helping people survive the worst that life can throw at them. Moving, inspiring and uplifting.. his book ***Picking Up The Pieces*** is about the astonishing strength within us all.

Don and Bernice have 2 daughters and 1 son Judith, Craig and Karen , 2 sons-in-law Stephen & Stuart 4 grandsons, Ryan, Kerrod, Aaron and Thomas and 3 granddaughters, Stephanie, Sophie and Emma.





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Got any old books gathering dust?

Please bring any old 'second-hand' books that can be **non-fiction or fiction, magazines and textbooks** to the ministry office or the senior-school or middle school reception by the 19th November.

We are doing a book drive to support the children without school supplies in Papua New Guinea. These books will greatly help them with their education.

Your help will be greatly appreciated!

Please help us out! 11REH

Restaurant Progressive Dinner

family fun night



Our **Progressive Restaurant Dinner** is on **Saturday 15 November** along the Redcliffe Waterfront.

We will be starting at the **Ambassador Hotel** for drinks exact time to be confirmed, we will move to **Marcello's Italian Restaurant**, The Walk Arcade, Redcliffe for mains . The **cost for mains will be \$30.00 per person** which will be an alternate drop of Chicken and Veal Parmigiana with salad and roasted potatoes. And then... if people want ... we can head to **Preece's @ the Jetty Café** for Coffee and Desert.

Dessert of coffee and cake will be \$10.00

IF YOU HAVE ANY BOOKS TO DONATE.. PLEASE SEE GARRY GIBSON OR OUR SWISS EXCHANGE STUDENT NINA WEBER

GRACE LUTHERAN COLLEGE
cordially invites you to attend the

GRACE CELEBRATES ANNUAL GALA EVENT

including the graduation of Year 12 students 2014

Brisbane Entertainment Centre, Boondall
on Friday 31. October 2014

Entertainment from 5.30pm
Doors open 6.40pm
7.00pm start

RC Kippa-Ring donated \$250 for prizes as part of the Grace Lutheran College "Grace Celebrates" Annual Gala Event held recently.

Our Club President *Ashley Broad* presented the *Rotary Award* for Ongoing Commitment to the community life of the college.



RC Kippa-Ring has committed \$500 towards the above event .

For the past 11 years, the Moreton Bay Regional Council, in conjunction with the Redcliffe Uniting Church and more recently Our Village Foundation, have provided a free lunch for the lonely, disadvantaged and anyone who has fallen on hard times and would otherwise be on their own for Christmas Day.

Last year over 300 people, including over 70 children from Redcliffe, North Lakes and Deception Bay enjoyed a hot two-course traditional Christmas lunch with all the trimmings, festive entertainment by carollers, a children's puppet show, jumping castle, face-painting, and of course a visit by Santa Claus himself.

Our Local Area

History of Gayundah Wreck

Gayundah.

Who or what is Gayundah? Where is it? And what does it mean?

HMQS (Her Majesty's Queensland Ship) Gayundah is actually a little-known piece of Queensland's naval history. That means she was part of the original Queensland "navy" before the States federated to become Australia. Her task was to protect Queensland from a perceived Russian threat (which never eventuated). She was a flat-iron boat, displacing 360 tons, commissioned by the Queensland Maritime Service in 1884. Gayundah is an Aboriginal word meaning lightning so named because she travelled at a swift 10.5 knots.

She was involved in a supposed mutiny, when one of her guns was aimed at the Queensland Parliament House in 1888. Her Captain Henry Townley-Wright's four-year career in Queensland was marked by several controversies, his excesses and capacity for high living exceeded his salary of £600 a year. Captain Wright escalated the situation into a crisis by demanding forward payment of his salary the story goes. The Government refused and instructed him to hand over charge of Gayundah to his first lieutenant, Francis Pringle Taylor.

Wright ignored this demand and placed Taylor under arrest on board the Gayundah and defiantly prepared the Gayundah to sail to Sydney. This act was interpreted as theft and mutiny by the Queensland Government. It was reported that Captain Wright had discussed, with his gunner,



Gayundah in 1886.

Photograph courtesy of Wikipaedia.

practicalities of aiming Gayundah's guns at Parliament House. He apparently eventually agreed to release Francis Taylor and surrendered himself to the authorities who removed Captain Townley-Wright, RN from the Gayundah.

Gayundah was recommissioned in 1898 under the Blue Ensign for the Queensland Government, beginning another chapter in her period of service. This time, Gayundah became the first British warship of the Australian station to successfully operate wireless telegraphy. She was then incorporated into the Commonwealth Naval Forces (forerunner of the Royal Australian Navy) at federation in 1901. She saw service in border protection off the WA coast in 1911.

With the outbreak of World War I, she returned to Moreton Bay for local protection. In 1921, having seen service as a training ship, she was decommissioned and converted to use as a humble gravel barge on the Brisbane River.



Gayundah as a gravel barge.

Photograph curtesy Wikipaedia.

In 1958, the hull was sold to Redcliffe, towed to the peninsula and scuttled just off the beach at Scott's Point, an artificial breakwater later extended by the addition of two smaller wrecks. She rests there today, still protecting Australian shores from her rusty grave.



Photograph curtesy Wikipaedia.



Gayundah in 2006 (left) and here Gayundah is (below) today.

**BLAST
FROM
THE
PAST**

1982/3

SEPT 22 1982

• ROTARY Club of Kippa-Ring president, Mr. Richard Pratt, second from right, hands a cheque for \$2400 on behalf of his club to Mr. Ken Campbell, centre, Queensland co-ordinator for the Australian Rotary Health Research Fund. With them at the combined meeting held at the Golden Ox on Monday night are Mr. Cliff Whiteoak, Caboolture Rotary president, Mr. Peter Marendy, president of Rotary Club of Redcliffe South, and Mr. Kev Boylan, Redcliffe Rotary Club president.



A JOINT MEETING with RC Kippa-Ring and RC Caboolture and RC Redcliffe South (now Sunrise) WAS ALSO HELD BACK IN 1982!!



• ROTARY District 96 governor, Mr. Ken Campbell (centre) with past president Mr. Les Barton (left) and his successor, Mr. Richard Pratt following the club changeover night recently.

Kippa-Ring Rotary Club's changeover

Rotary District 960 governor, Mr. Ken Campbell installed Mr. Richard Pratt as new president of Kippa-Ring Rotary Club last week.

Other officers for the club this year are vice-president Noel Blackband, secretary David Montgomery, treasurer Noel Blackband and sergeant-at-arms Ron Duglison.

Service directors are Harry Bed, Murdoch Campbell, John Colyer and Mike Paul.

In his report, outgoing president Les Barton outlined the major highlights of the year. He expressed sincere thanks to the directors and said the club was fortunate to gain several new members to strengthen its performance. The club has 18 members.

BENEFITED

Numerous organisations have benefited from the club's community service projects through the year. The club fly-screened the Bush Children's Home, painted the Meals on Wheels Kitchen and made cash donations to the Queensland Deaf Society, Blue Nurses, Deception Bay Ambulance and Redcliffe District Scouts.

Other organisations to receive donations included Clontarf High School, Redcliffe CYSS, Jet House, Save the Children Fund and the Redcliffe Hospital.

Club stalwart, Wally Wright, became the club's second Paul Harris Fellow earlier in the year. A special dinner was held to present the fellowship to Wally.

Leading ladies in town

• TWO of the best known leading ladies in Australian political circles visited the Peninsula this week. A reception for Mrs. Tammie Fraser was held at the Clontarf home of Federal Immigration Minister and Member for Petrie, Mr. John Hodge. Senator Flo Bjelke-Petersen attended a dinner meeting of the Redcliffe South Rotary Club at the Palace Hotel.

