



Rotary Club of Brisbane High-Rise

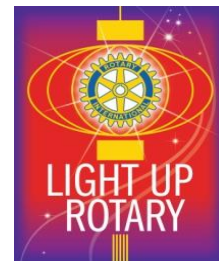
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HOT AIR

District 9600

Serving the Heart of Brisbane

4 September 2014



LINDSAY'S LINES

Last week, David Ritale, spoke to us about Coin Co International's foreign coins collection service. I found it surprising they would share their profits by partnering with service organisations to collect for charity until David told us the founders were Rotarians. It is this kind of gesture of sharing that underpins the decency of Rotarians everywhere. Over the last few weeks, 5 more people, who we believe display those virtues, have joined our Club and the world of Rotary. Who knows, maybe one of these may establish a major program in the future that has similar charitable benefits. And yes, we will be talking to David about opportunities available for our club.

On Sunday, Diane and I took our Danish Exchange student, Emilie, to Lone Pine Koala Sanctuary. Hidden away on the banks of the Brisbane River, less than 25 minutes from the CBD, is a zoo of truly international repute. It is the largest koala sanctuary in the world and one of the few Australian zoos that allow you to feed and touch the animals, let alone cuddle a koala. Yet it is 25 years since I last went there and my son Scott didn't think it was cool to join us "doing the tourist thing" even though he has just arrived home after "doing all the tourist things" in his 8 months in Europe! Emilie now has cuddled a koala; fed kangaroos, emus and rainbow lorikeets; watched a bird of prey demonstration followed by a sheep dog trial; and viewed platypus, dingoes, Tasmanian Devils and a myriad of native birds. Emilie has also reminded me that we take our "local backyard" for granted. We indeed live in an amazing city in a truly world-class region.

ROSTER	04-Sep	11-Sep	18-Sep	25-Sep	02-Oct
Chair	Diana	James G	Sylvia	John K	Deb
Set Up	James G	Sylvia	John K	Steve K	Mark
	Sylvia	John K	Steve K	Mark	John L
Close Down	John K	Steve K	Mark	John L	Bill L
	Steve K	Mark	John L	Deb	Sarah
Sergeant	Rob	Greg	Wendy	Kit	Barbara

INTERNATIONAL TOAST

This week we toast the Rotary Club of Harare CBD in Rotary District 9210. It was chartered on the 11th of February 2009. Meetings are held on Mondays at 5:30pm at The Senior Citizens Club.

GUEST SPEAKERS

Date	Name	Topic
4 September	John Pinney AM	100th Anniversary of Australian Red Cross
11 September	Mystery guest	
18 September	Bill Leveritt	300th Anniversary of the British Longitude Act

ATTENDANCE

MEMBERS: 31
VISITING ROTARIANS: 0
GUESTS: 5
PERCENTAGE OF MEMBERS
ATTENDED: 50%

APOLOGIES / GUESTS and MAKEUPS

NOTIFY OUR CLUB BY 1700 TUESDAY PRIOR
TO THAT WEEK'S MEETING AT:

apologies@rotarybrisbanehighrise.com

make-ups@rotarybrisbanehighrise.com

Direct Debit

PREPAY FOR OUR MEETINGS,
EVENTS, SUBSCRIPTIONS AT:

BSB 084 -034

Account Number
559347857

ROTARY GRACE

*O Lord and giver of all good,
we thank you for our daily food. May Rotary friends and Rotary ways help us to serve you all our days.*

Please email contributions for Hot Air to Highrisehotair@gmail.com



DIARY DATES



Date	Event	Details
Sun 7 Sept	Bridge to Brisbane	www.bridgetobrisbane.com.au
Fri 12 Sept 6:00pm	Rotary Club of Hamilton Invitation	Details Below
Sun 12 Oct 1:30pm	Zonta Fashion Showcase	See Angela for more details or purchase tickets

Welcome to the club Nicole!

Noela, Barb, Nicole, Lyndsay, James and Bill
at Nicole's induction to Rotary



EMILIE'S EXCERPT



THE ROTARY CLUB of HAMILTON INC.

CORDIALLY INVITES YOU TO
ATTEND OUR CLUB MEETING

ON TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 16 2014

GUEST SPEAKER

The Hon **TIM NICHOLLS M P**

TREASURER and MINISTER for TRADE



Time: 6.00 for 6.15pm
Venue: ROYAL QLD GOLF CLUB, CURTIN AVE, EAGLE FARM
Cost: \$35.00 p h- CASH / CREDIT CARD
RSVP: FRIDAY 12TH SEPTEMBER
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