

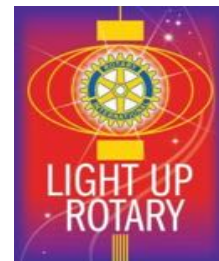


Rotary Club of Brisbane High-Rise

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District 9600
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15 January 2015



LINDSAY'S LINES

It is a very busy time this week for Rotary's Youth Exchange Program (YEP) in our Club and District as students arrived back from their whole year abroad on Monday just as this year's group prepare to head off on Friday for their own year of experience.

The week started with an afternoon tea on Sunday for our Club's outbound student for this year, Sally Irving, who is heading off to France on Friday. It was a very pleasant afternoon with a number of members joining Sally, her Mum Susan and a family friend, Sue. Thanks to Yvonne's son Cameron for keeping Buzz at Emporium open a little longer than usual just for us.

On Monday, Rosemary, Susan, Diane and I were at the airport to welcome home Sasha Paterson who just spent a year in Switzerland hosted by the Rotary Club of Schwyz-Mythen just outside Lucerne. If her excitement on her return (and the extraordinary number and variety of badges on the blazers of each of the returning students into Brisbane) is any gauge of the benefits that YEP provides, Sally is in for an amazing year.

But then of course, we only have to see and talk to our inbound student from Denmark, Emilie, to know this is a rewarding program.

Sally will be our speaker this Thursday as practice for her presentation to her host French club, the Rotary Club of Hazelbrouck-Merville (apparently between Lille and Dunkirk) so a meeting not to miss.

Then another date not to miss will be Thu 5 Feb when Sasha will be our speaker to give us a snapshot of her year in Switzerland.

ROSTER	15-Jan	22-Jan	29-Jan	5-Feb	12-Feb
Chair	James N	Sarah	Bill P	Yvonne	Steve S
Set Up	Sarah	Bill P	Yvonne	Steve S	Jane
	Bill P	Yvonne	Steve S	Jane	Angela
Close Down	Yvonne	Steve S	Jane	Angela	Craig
	Steve S	Jane	Angela	Craig	Chris
Sergeant	Barbara	John	Rob	Greg	Wendy

INTERNATIONAL TOAST

This week we toast Sally's Host club, the Rotary Club of Hazelbrouck-Merville.

GUEST SPEAKERS

Date	Name	Topic
15 January	Sally Irving	Youth Exchange Program – Outbound to France
22 January	Michael Pini	Employment for disabled
29 January	TBC	
5 February	Sasha Paterson	Youth Exchange Program
12 February	Paul and Gabrielle Quilliam	Hummingbird House

ATTENDANCE

MEMBERS:
VISITING ROTARIANS:
GUESTS:
PERCENTAGE OF MEMBERS
ATTENDED: %

APOLOGIES / GUESTS and MAKEUPS

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

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Direct Debit

PREPAY FOR OUR MEETINGS,
EVENTS, SUBSCRIPTIONS AT:

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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.*



DIARY DATES



Date	Event	Details
28 Feb 2015	Rotary Million Dollar Dinner	For more details go to www.rotarymilliondollardinner.org
Sat 28 March	Rotary Peace Fellows Seminar	
Tues 21 April	An evening at the Maritime Museum	In place of our regular meeting to present the replica bell to the Museum.

Tales from Africa...

Intercontinental Hotel, Nairobi

First morning in Kenya. Ready to depart for sights in Nairobi.



Farewell Sally

A farewell afternoon tea on Sunday 11 January for Sally at Buzz



Welcome Home Sasha!

Sasha return from her year abroad



More tales from Africa...



Ed – Edison and I are SUPER jealous!



Eddie's Epilogue



I went to Mooloolaba Sealife (aka Underwater World) on the weekend and had a blast!