



# HOT AIR

District 9600  
Serving the Heart of Brisbane  
06 December 2012

## ANGELA'S ANGLE

This year we have tried to improve our accuracy of predicting apologies and guests with the aim of minimising costs and sustaining our relationship with the Polo Club staff. To this end we have trialled an automated email reminder that was developed by Mark Lateo. I am pleased to advise that this system is improving our accuracy and is here to stay. Thanks Mark. As we come into the traditional holiday season I would really encourage you to respond to the email regarding apologies and guests to help us get it right.

This week Kristian Doescher returns to our Club. Kristian was an exchange student with our club 15 years ago. That really makes me feel old!!! Often exchange students come and go and we never really see the long term impact of this valuable Rotary Program, with the exception of a few of our own members who have chosen to stay connected to Rotary. This week's guest speaker enables us to hear firsthand the impact our Club and the Rotary exchange program has had on their career and life.

Don't forget that our Christmas Party is also on this Friday night – 7 December at Sassafra at Paddington and it is BYO. Thanks Barbara for organising.

ROSTER	6 December	13 December	20 December	27 December	03 January	10 January	17 January	24 January
<b>CHAIRMAN</b>	Jane S	Craig W	Ken W				Daryl W	John A
<b>SET UP</b>	Craig W	Ken W	Daryl W			Joint	John A	Margot B
	Ken W	Daryl W	John A	NO	NO	Meeting	Margot B	Tim B
<b>CLOSE DOWN</b>	Daryl W	John A	Margot B	MEETING	MEETING	with	Tim B	Jackie B
	John A	Margot B	Tim B			Planetarium	Jackie B	Kit B
<b>SERGEANT</b>	Wendy	Russell	Barbara				Greg	Rob

## INTERNATIONAL TOAST

We toast the Rotary Club of Maria Pia da Praia, Cape Verde in District 9100.

## GUEST SPEAKERS

<b>06 December</b>	<b>Kristian Doescher and NYSF</b>	Kristian was an exchange student from Germany with High Rise back in 1997 and is returning for a visit
<b>13 December</b>	<b>Breakfast Christmas Party</b>	A Christmas celebration!
<b>20 December</b>	<b>AGM and Club Assembly</b>	Some official business to finish off the Rotary Year followed by fellowship

## ATTENDANCE 29/11

MEMBERS -	37
VISITING -	1
ROTARIANS	
GUESTS -	1
ATTENDING	59%

## APOLOGIES / GUESTS and MAKEUPS

NOTIFY OUR CLUB BY 1700 TUESDAY PRIOR TO THAT WEEK'S MEETING AT:  
[apologies@rotarybrisbanehighrise.com](mailto:apologies@rotarybrisbanehighrise.com)  
[make-ups@rotarybrisbanehighrise.com](mailto:make-ups@rotarybrisbanehighrise.com)

## PayPal

PREPAY FOR OUR MEETINGS, EVENTS, SUBSCRIPTIONS AT:  
[rotarybrisbanehighrise.com](http://rotarybrisbanehighrise.com)  
 GO TO THE MEMBERS SECTION

## 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.*



## BARBARA'S UPDATES FOR CHRISTMAS

We will celebrate Christmas at the second last meeting of the Rotary year - **Thursday 13 December**. The fellowship team is asking that you come dressed in a Christmassy hat/tie and bring an edible/drinkable prize for a Christmas raffle.

Please also advise by 6 December if you are bringing children, so we can arrange a sweets basket for each child. There will be no secret Santa this year.

Our traditional meeting with Planetarium Club will be held on **January 10**. We will need numbers for those attending before Christmas, so please let Ros M know if you intend being there.

The board has decided that we will have an 'empty Christmas tree' at our Christmas meeting (13 December) under which we will place a gift suitable for a homeless male/female spending Christmas at Bryce's centre. A few ideas: Movie tickets, Perfume/ aftershave - Vouchers: Dick smith, Woolies etc. Nice chocolates 10 pin bowling vouchers

So! To recap:

- A Christmassy you (hat/tie) - A bottle/goodies for raffle - A present for under the tree - If bringing children let me know by 6 Dec

Extra: - If you will be attending the Planetarium/High-Rise meeting on 10 Jan, please let Ros M know by 20 Dec

AND: - As our resident paparazzo will be hula-ing her way into the hearts of the Sugar Daddies of Hawaii, can someone offer to do the shoots of both Christmas functions (party & meeting) for Hot Air & Archives???

Kindest regards

Santa's cutest helper!!

THE ROTARY CLUB OF BRISBANE HIGH-RISE PROJECTS SUPPORT  
LOCAL COMMUNITY, YOUTH, INTERNATIONAL AND  
EMERGENCY RESPONSES



[rotary.org/en/EndPolio](http://rotary.org/en/EndPolio)



[rotaryyouthexchange.org.au](http://rotaryyouthexchange.org.au)



Albert Park Flexischool  
07 3071 9010



Mamba Primary School  
0418 780 663



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[bric.org.au](http://bric.org.au)



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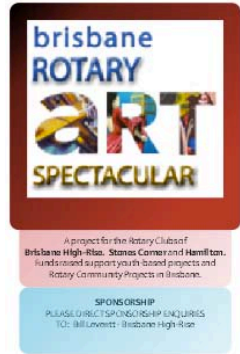


2013  
NATIONAL  
YOUTH  
SCIENCE  
FORUM  
THE FUTURE NEEDS YOU  
[nysf.edu.au](http://nysf.edu.au)



Rotary Youth Leadership Awards

THE ROTARY CLUB OF BRISBANE HIGH-RISE EVENTS CALENDAR FOR 2012 to 2013



A project for the Rotary Clubs of  
Brisbane High-Rise, Stanes Corner and Hamilton.  
Fundraising support youth based projects and  
Rotary Community Projects in Brisbane.  
SPONSORSHIP  
PLEASE CONTACT SPONSORSHIP ENQUIRIES  
TO: Bill Lovatt - Brisbane High Rise



[jdrf.org.au/walk](http://jdrf.org.au/walk)



[bridgetobrisbane.com.au](http://bridgetobrisbane.com.au)



[salvationarmy.org.au](http://salvationarmy.org.au)



[cleanup.org.au](http://cleanup.org.au)

Events are aligned with  
our purpose and are run  
to raise awareness of  
key issues and the role  
Rotary plays in our  
community as well as  
raising funds.

2012/13 POSITIONS

- President** - Angela Tillmanns
- Secretary** - Rosemary Meadows
- Treasurer** - Deb Le Garde
- Program Director** - Kym McClusky
- Youth Director** - Lindsay Marshall
- Fellowship** - Barbara Leddy
- Services Director** - Margot Baillie
- Rotary Foundation** - Jennifer Eathorne
- Membership Director** - Greg Pearson
- PR Director** - Gary McDonald
- Sergeants** - Lindsay, Greg, Barbara, Wendy
- Website** - Mark Lateo, Barry Cooper
- Venue Liaison** - Ros Mumford
- Joker Draw** - Caroline Stewart

**PRESIDENT ELECT FOR 2013/14**  
Wendy Protheroe

DATES TO REMEMBER

- 2013 International Assembly  
13-19 January - San Diego, USA
- 2013 International Convention  
23-26 June - Lisbon, Portugal
- 2013 Council on Legislation  
22-26 April - Chicago, USA
- 2014 International Assembly  
12-18 January - San, Diego, USA
- 2014 International Convention  
01-04 June - Sydney, Australia
- CALENDAR OF ROTARY MONTHS**
- NOVEMBER - Rotary Foundation
- DECEMBER - Family
- JANUARY - Rotary Awareness
- FEBRUARY - World Understanding
- MARCH - Literacy
- APRIL - Magazine
- MAY - Development
- JUNE - Rotary Fellowship

YOUTH EXCHANGE

- South Central Rotary Youth Exchange  
Conference Tulsa  
Oklahoma, USA  
18-20 January Contact  
Don Peters for more information.
- 2013 North American Youth Exchange  
Network Conference Orlando  
Florida, USA  
14-17 February

NOTICEBOARD + CALLS TO ACTION FOR HIGH-RISERS

The Rotary Club of Bribie Island  
Australia Day BALL

BRIBIE ISLAND RSL FUNCTION ROOM,  
SATURDAY 19TH JANUARY 2013,

DOORS OPEN 6.00PM

6.30PM TO 11.00PM  
DRESS BLACK TIE / FORMAL  
COST \$70 PP (DINNER AND DANCING.)

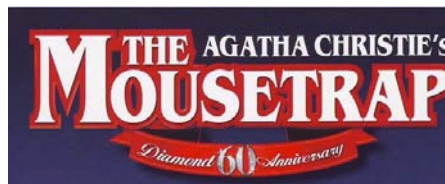
FEATURING  
Sunshine Coast Concert Band  
Music Director Ken Chadwick OAM  
and the band will delight you  
with quicksteps, waltzes, foxtrots, Pride of Erin,  
Progressive Barn Dance,  
Gypsy Tap, Evening 3 Step,  
and of course the very popular rock 'n roll.



Tickets Available  
Kevin and Kay Benson 34081058  
email...kayevin9@bigpond.com

PHIL'S THEATRE BOOKINGS !!

CONFIRM YOUR SEATS TODAY



THE PLAYHOUSE - 5.30pm  
Sunday 6 Jan 2013

Theatre Tickets \$95 - Parking \$21  
ICONIC whodunit by arrangement with  
the London production.

Brisbane has a 2 1/2 week season from  
28 Dec 2012

We have 20 good seats

Stalls M an N - A great Xmas gift!!

Or a great family outing in the festive  
season

If the numbers are there we may get more  
tickets.

Please email Phil B

WAR HORSE - Don't miss th



Lyric Theatre

Thu 25 July 2013 - 7.30pm

\$107 - Box office stalls prices are  
\$112.90

We have 60 tickets on hold !  
only till 16 Nov 2012

In a preview Marie and I attended, the  
life size puppets were spectacular!!

In the space of 10 minutes they  
became real horses...

A compelling story of WW1 seen  
through the experience of the horse.

Australia sent over 120 000 horses to  
WW1 - This is very much our story

Please reply by email - PHIL



This Christmas join us in supporting women fighting the debilitating effects of Drug, Alcohol & Gambling addiction in Queensland. You can make a difference.

"MAY YOUR FESTIVE SEASON BE JOYOUS AND YOUR NEW YEAR FILLED WITH PEACE, HOPE AND HAPPINESS FOR YOU AND THOSE YOU LOVE"



Queensland artist and illustrator, Katherine May. Her quirky and colourful illustrations aim to create unique stories.

For just \$15.00 you can buy a set of 12 beautifully illustrated Christmas cards. Monies raised will go towards building an urgently needed residence for women who are desperately trying to get their lives back on track.

Project NOW is a joint initiative of The Rotary Club on Brisbane Planetarium, Zonta Brisbane Metro Breakfast Club (and affiliated Zonta clubs) and The Salvation Army. Project NOW gives these women the HOPE to restore their lives with dignity.

Only \$15 for 12 individually illustrated Christmas cards.

**TO PURCHASE: Susan R is the contact**

For further information please visit  
[www.rotaryprojectnow.org](http://www.rotaryprojectnow.org)

## BOUNDARY STREET - BUY A STARTER KIT/S \$50ea

The easiest way for our Members to help Residents is to donate \$50/base starter kit. Talk to Margo B to arrange.

### PUT TOGETHER A KIT YOURSELF!

If you would prefer to put a kit or kits together yourself these are the items a single resident needs to kick them off and new if possible: - **Single sheet set + Pillow case Saucepan - Towels - Tea towel - Cutlery - Crockery**

**ELECTRICAL GOODS** - Also starter kit donations for boarders: **toasters - jugs - irons - etc.**

**PAYMENT CAN BE MADE AT THE DESK**  
Contact **MARGOT**



## 2013 RI Convention Lisbon Portugal - 23-26 June!

Lisbon is an explorer's paradise. Perched on the west coast of Europe, Portugal's capital city is a charming combination of old-world appeal and modern flair. As one of the oldest cities in Europe, Lisbon can boast a colorful history that's been preserved in world-class museums and iconic monuments. **REGISTER NOW - Join us Online**  
<http://www.rotary.org/en/Members/Events/Convention/Pages/ridefault.aspx>

## SPONSORSHIP!!!! Time to support the: BRISBANE ROTARY ART SPECTACULAR

11-20 April 2013

Riverside Centre

**PLEASE CONTACT NEIL B. or GARY MC** re sponsoring the event for our Club.

Screens available



## CHRISTMAS PARTY FRIDAY 7 December


SASSAFRAS - PADDINGTON

BRISBANE HIGH-RISE

BYO DRINKS

Contact: **Barbara L**

Lets all confirm this date with Barbara as soon as possible so we can lock in the details and the drinks!!



# Waitangi Day

## Lunch

Wednesday 6 February 2013  
Queensland Cricketers' Club - Main Viewing Room

## Trans Tasman Rivalry

with  
**Sir Richard Hadlee**

Few players in the history of cricket have carried the fortunes of their team to quite the same extent as Richard Hadlee. By the time he retired from international cricket in 1990, at the age of 39 and with a Knighthood newly conferred upon him for his services to the game, Hadlee had cemented his place as one of the great fast bowlers of all time.

### DETAILS

TIME: 12pm - 2pm

DATE: Wednesday 6 February 2013

VENUE: Queensland Cricketers' Club - Main Viewing Room  
411 Vulture Street, East Brisbane Q 4169  
[qldcricketersclub.com.au](http://qldcricketersclub.com.au)


COST: \$ 120 pp Incl. GST Tables of 10

BOOKINGS: by Wednesday 30 January 2013  
PAYMENT: OR UNTIL SOLD OUT

BOOKINGS: Deborah LeGarde  
T: 0409876772  
E: [secretary@rotarybrisbanehighrise.com](mailto:secretary@rotarybrisbanehighrise.com)

PAYMENT: Credit Cards - please complete registration form and email to:  
Cheques payable to The Rotary Club of Brisbane High-Rise  
GPO BOX 1958 BRISBANE Q 4001

Supporting




**BoysTown**  
Fresh start  
New hope

BoysTown assists marginalized youth. Last year, 3,506 disadvantaged young people were placed in employment. This followed opportunities to learn new skills, develop individual strengths and participate in job placement activities. As the beneficiary of this Event your support will make that all important difference for young Australians and young New Zealanders striving to be the best they can be. Many of these young men and women will benefit by the support you give.

**JOIN IN OUR SILENT AUCTION, AUCTION and RAFFLE**  
INCLUDING A FRAMED-SIGNED CRICKET BAT FROM SIR RICHARD HADLEE

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