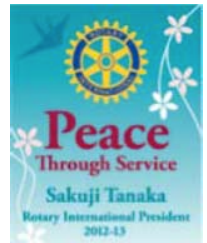




HOT AIR

District 9600
Serving the Heart of Brisbane
14 February 2013



ANGELA'S ANGLE

What a wonderful event we had last week in support of Boystown. It shows what this Club is capable of achieving. It is important to remember that it takes years to develop an event that makes substantial returns and the Waitangi Day lunch certainly got off to a good start. The guest speaker – Sir Richard Hadlee was exceptional and Kieran Perkins was a great MC, the gum boot throwing and the singers and dancers certainly got everyone into the mood of Waitangi day. The cricketers club was a great venue and there was a great buzz around the room, especially during the live auction, that was very professionally run, by Russell Postle and his two “barrel girls” – John Lee and Lindsay Marshall. Thank you to everyone who attended and brought along guests, you certainly helped to make the event a success. All attendees left the event talking about new year which is a great sign.

A huge THANK YOU to the Committee who did an amazing job in organising the event. This Committee was lead by Vic Morrissey and included Christine Morrissey, Jane Smeeton, Rod Carstens, Susan Rix, Bill Phillips, Daryl Wright, Gary McDonald and Wendy Protheroe. Thank you for all that you did. Putting on an event of this magnitude takes a lot of planning and work. It also takes time to sort through all the financials and once that is finalised I am sure Wendy will advise us of the profit from the day.

Now that the Waitangi Day event is over we need to turn our minds to the Rotary Art Spectacular and sell sponsorship. The show is on in mid April so we need to be selling panels and screens NOW. Neil Bray and Gary McDonald are managing sponsorship so if you know someone who may be interested or you yourself is interested please contact them or check on the website www.rotaryartspectacular.com.au

ROSTER	14 February	21 February	28 February	07 March	14 March	21 March	28 March	04 April
CHAIRMAN	Jonathan C	Rod Castens	Joy C	Bryce D	Tom D	Jennifer E	Ross G	Angela G
SET UP	Rod Castens	Barry C	Bryce D	Tom D	Jennifer E	Ross G	Angela G	Diana G
	Barry C	Joy C	Tom D	Jennifer E	Ross G	Angela G	Diana G	James G
CLOSE DOWN	Joy C	Bryce D	Jennifer E	Ross G	Angela G	Diana G	James G	Elena G
	Bryce D	Tom D	Ross G	Angela G	Diana G	James G	Elena G	Shanna H
SERGEANT	Lindsay	Wendy	Russell	Barbara	Greg	Rob	Kit	Lindsay

INTERNATIONAL TOAST

We toast the Rotary Club of Djibouti District 9200. Djibouti, officially the Republic of Djibouti, is a country in the Horn of Africa. It is bordered by Eritrea in the north, Ethiopia in the west and south, and Somalia in the southeast.

GUEST SPEAKERS

14 February	Michael Ahillen	Ambassadorial Scholar "Public Bicycles in Brisbane: Challenges, Opportunities & Lessons Learned."
21 February	Rotary International	A day to celebrate Rotary International
28 February	Tim Baker	Tim will talk about The End of the Performance Review and his experience publishing his new book

ATTENDANCE 07/02

MEMBERS -	33
VISITING -	-
ROTARIANS	-
GUESTS -	-
ATTENDING	55%

APOLOGIES / GUESTS and MAKEUPS

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

PayPal

PREPAY FOR OUR MEETINGS, EVENTS, SUBSCRIPTIONS AT:
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.



Clothes needed for Dress for Success



Seeking clothes over the next few weeks – please see Angela G

Dress for Success is a global not-for-profit organisation offering services designed to help disadvantaged women, and now also men, find jobs and remain employed. Since January 2010, the Dress for Success program assisted over 2,000 women from the Greater Brisbane area and during 2012, services were extended to men. All clothes (corporate, casual and formal attire) in good condition are appreciated. However, in particularly strong demand are:

For women - Suits (jackets and trousers) in smaller and larger sizes (6-8 / 16+)
Shoes – closed toes
Handbags – particularly black
Unused makeup

For men - Shirts, trousers and suit jackets (all sizes needed but especially sizes 2XL+)
Shoes
Ties
Belts – particularly black

NOTICEBOARD + CALLS TO ACTION FOR HIGH-RISERS

Dear Members

As announced at the meeting last week, Bill P will be placing an order for Rotary Polo shirts. Bill L and Deb L were our models to show you the styles for men and ladies. If you wish to purchase a shirt please email me with your style and size, I will also have a list to circulate at the meeting on Thursday. Ladies shirts are in sizes 10 to 16 and men's are S, M, L, XL. Cost is \$50 per shirt. Bill needs approximate numbers before he can order. They are great promotion for the club so please get your order in. Rosemary M



2013 RI Convention Lisbon Portugal - 23-26 June!

Lisbon perched on the west coast of Europe, Portugal's capital city

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



President Darryl Iseppi and the members
of the
Rotary Club of New Farm

cordially invite you join them in
celebrating the club's charter

At a dinner
to be held at

The Queensland Cricketers' Club
'The Gabba'
411 Vulture Street, East Brisbane

Saturday, 16th February 2013
5.30pm for 6.00pm

Tickets - \$65 per person (2 Course Dinner) RSVP - 7 February 2013
E: president.newfarm@rotary9600.org

Thank you Phil - the Club made \$190 on
Mousetrap - well done!

PHIL's THEATRE BOOKINGS! CONFIRM YOUR SEATS TODAY

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



Rotary Australia World Community Service

A training and information seminar for potential
project team leaders for RAWCS overseas
Project Volunteer trips.

The seminar would also be of interest to
anyone who has ever contemplated being a
project volunteer or others wanting to get more
information about RAWCS Project Volunteer
trips. Details of the seminar are:

Date: 2nd February 2013

Venue: Morningside Services Club

Time: 2.00 pm until 5.00 pm.

Cost: \$10.00 (for manual)

I would very much appreciate it if you would
circulate this notice to the members of your
club.

Please ask anyone wishing to attend to
register with the writer, Leo Smith, by email
at orgsys@bigpond.net.au

Now that 2013 seems to be in full swing, the
fellowship team is preparing a fun filled
program for the rest of the Rotary year.
Last year a few of us had a great night at the
Jazz Club, and by popular request another is
looming.

Friday 8 March HIGH RISE AT THE JAZZ CLUB

1 Annie Street Kangaroo Point

6.00pm - 9.00pm

\$25.00 per person

Food & Drinks Available

Barb Recco 2 Ingrid James / Nic Jeffries

(Vocal Jazz / Swing / Latin)

CONTACT - Barbara ASAP

HUGE RANGE OF HIGH CLASS WORKS BY WELL-KNOWN
AND LOCAL AUSTRALIAN PAINTERS, POTTERS, SCULPTORS,
GLASS ARTISTS AND PRINTMAKERS.

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961 EATONS CROSSING ROAD, SAMFORD

THURSDAY 7TH TO SUNDAY 10TH FEBRUARY 2013
10AM - 4PM DAILY

OFFICIAL OPENING FRIDAY 8TH FEBRUARY 7 PM - 9 PM
\$25 PER PERSON RSVP: 30TH JANUARY



The Clean-up is on Hail, Rain or Shine
Sunday 3 March 8am - 11am
Slip slop slap and an old hat are the
requirements. As that rock star said
recently in the print media, 80% of fame is
just being there.

Helpers are required.

CONTACT Ken W

For the gadget minded the site number 37424.

ROTARY BUSHFIRE APPEALS - I know from very recent personal experience along
the Condamine River, that it is hard to focus on bushfires when you are surrounded by
flood waters: but some have managed to do so. You will recall that there are two Rotary
Districts managing bushfire appeals namely District 9650, covering the disaster around
Coonabarabran, and District 9830, covering the disaster in Tasmania. So far, five clubs
have notified donations each of \$1000 and one of \$1500. Several clubs are still in the
process of gathering donations. Most donations have been directed to the Tasmania
appeal. Your contribution can be directed to either appeal or split between the two. For
the Coona Appeal, direct deposits may be made. For the Tasmania Appeal, go to
rotary9830.org.au and follow the prompts or by cheque to District Finance Manager, 42
Auburn Road, Kingston, Tas, 7050. Please notify Leon Misfeld of your actions at
leonmisfeld@hotmail.com so that a report on our support from District 9600 can be
compiled. Information by the end of February would be appreciated. Yours in Rotary -
Leon Misfeld - AG Near East Cluster

**THE ROTARY CLUB OF BUDERIM NEEDS
YOUR HELP IN ASSISTING THOSE IN THE
SOLOMON ISLANDS AFFECTED BY LAST
WEEKS EARTHQUAKE / TSUNAMI**

Clubs please consider getting some
LifeStraws to the Solomons



lifestraws.com.au

NOTICEBOARD + CALLS TO ACTION FOR HIGH-RISERS

Celebrating PDG Rev Allan Male (AC)

50yrs servicing the community as a Rotarian
and his Retirement from Rotary International

Rotary Club of Kippa-Ring Inc.

Warmly welcomes you to our weekly meeting

Bianca Gibson (2012 outbound YEP) will be giving her return talk along with Celebrating AC's hard work and commitment as a Rotarian for 50yrs (**Mum's the word! ~ Allan is not aware of this celebration**)

WHEN: Wednesday 13th February 2013

TIME: 1815 for 1845 (6.15pm for 6.45pm)

PLACE: Bramble Bay Bowls Club
Corner Hornibrook Esplanade & Victoria Avenue,
WOODY POINT QLD 4019

COST: \$25.00 p/p

DRESS: Smart Casual

RSVP: 8/2/2013

Colleen Caruana: c_caruana@bigpond.com
0412 744 038

Please advise any dietary requirements



11 - 20 April 2013
Riverside Centre
123 Eagle Street
BRISBANE

A project of the combined clubs of
Hamilton, Brisbane High-Rise and Stones
rotaryartspectacular.com.au

THANK YOU – BRISBANE HIGH-RISE Childrens Aid International Inc. Child Sponsorship confirmation and information

Dear High-Rise,

I wanted to thank your club for deciding to sponsor a child at the Children Welfare Centre, Nepal. We have received your cheque in the mail and will send you a receipt and a sponsorship pack shortly. Rina and I really appreciated the opportunity to be guest speakers at your club in January and we are grateful for the support offered by your club. I have attached some more information about CWC, Rina and CAI for your newsletter. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any queries.

Warm regards and thanks,

David Cansdale
Childrens Aid International Inc.

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



rotary.org/en/EndPolio



rotaryyouthexchange.org.au



Albert Park Flexischool
07 3071 9010



Mamba Primary School
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housing
bric.org.au



shelterboxaustralia.com.au



RYPEN
Rotary Youth Program of Enrichment
rotaryaustralia.org.au



ROMAC
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Oceania
Medical
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Children
A Program of the Rotary Districts
of Australia and New Zealand
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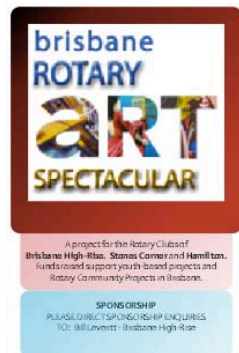


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Rotary Youth Leadership Awards

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



A project for the Rotary Clubs of
Brisbane High-Rise, Stones Corner and Hamilton.
Fundraising support youth based projects and
Rotary Community Projects in Brisbane.

SPONSORSHIP
PLEASE CONTACT SPONSORSHIP ENQUIRIES
TO: Bill Lovett - Brisbane High Rise



jdrf.org.au/walk



bridgetobrisbane.com.au



salvationarmy.org.au



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
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

JANUARY - Rotary Awareness
FEBRUARY - World Understanding
MARCH - Literacy
APRIL - Magazine
MAY - Development
JUNE - Rotary Fellowship

YOUTH EXCHANGE

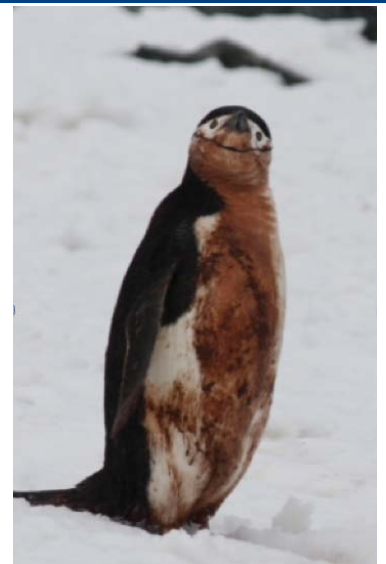
South Central Rotary Youth Exchange
Conference Tulsa
Oklahoma, USA
18-20 January Contact
Don Peters for more information.
2013 North American Youth Exchange
Network Conference Orlando
Florida, USA
14-17 February

OUR OFFICIAL WORLD TRAVELLERS - HAPPY SNAPS and MESSAGE



We visited a Ukranian research station in Antarctica. They make their own vodka, and every visitor has the opportunity to try it!!! Our first steps on the Antarctic mainland. Temperature a balmy 2 degrees and it started to snow a few minutes later. We are currently in Antarctica. We have just completed a 6 day cruise around the coastline of the Antarctic peninsula in a small cruise ship with approx 60 passengers. Every day we have had 2 opportunities to explore on shore, with transport being small rubber zodiac boats. We have lots of photos of penguins, seals, whales, birds and icebergs. We've been able to walk within a couple of metres of penguins, a bit further for the seals. See photos below. Yesterday we were out in the zodiac when our driver spotted two humpback whales. We went over towards them and the whales also came to us. We were only 5 or 6 metres from the whales, who swam all around us. So close that we could smell their breath as they came up for air. (it smells of over cooked cabbage). I am writing this on Thursday morning on the cruise ship as we wait for a transfer to the Chilean research base here. There is an airstrip and we are flying back to Punta Arenas in Chile. It's a two hour flight, which is better than spending two days on a ship crossing the passage via Cape Horn. However, the plane has been delayed by bad weather, so we don't yet know if we can leave today. You will get this email as soon as we get back to our hotel in Punta Arenas and this iPad connects to a wifi network. (There is one on the ship but its really expensive)

After our return to Chile we are joining a different cruise ship and travelling round the fiords of Patagonia. Then home via Buenos Aires next week. Best wishes from us both



Yes, according to Bill this little fellow has been rolling in exactly what it looks like!



LOOK WHO IS BACK IN TOWN ! These two have great timing, never around for a flood or cyclone.