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WHO WE ARE

Rotary is a global network of 1.2 million neighbours, friends, leaders, and problem-solvers who come together to make positive, lasting change in communities at home and abroad.

For more than 110 years, our 35,000+ clubs have worked together to:

- Promote peace
- Fight disease
- Provide clean water, sanitation, and hygiene
- Save mothers and children
- Support education
- Grow local economies

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LOGGING IN WITH LORRAINE

Hello everyone

The focus in Rotary for the month of May is that of New Generations.

It is Youth Service Month where Rotary clubs of the world give special emphasis to the many Rotary-sponsored programs which serve children and young people.

Our current Club focus in this regard is the identifying of candidates for the National Youth Science Forum and also the Conoco Phillips Science Experience. We also have a Rotary Youth Driver Awareness day coming up.

It's been a full on fortnight for us all but as we reflect, we can only be thankful that we have been able to help where needed. Just a huge and humble thanks for all you have done - and all you continue to do.

There is always the risk that I'll leave someone or some event out but in short, below are just some of the activities you've been involved in - and with them, a huge thanks to each Rotarian who has helped.

• Goods collected from schools for container loading

- Container loaded for Vanuatu
- District Assembly with four delegates attending
- Successful staffing of African Hearts Corporate dinner
- Changeover committee has met and is in full flight
- Relay for Life attended
- Police Legacy recognition event
 attended
- Two Bunnings bbqs are well into the planning stage
- Community service at Ormiston School function
- Bowel Scan implemented
- Trip to Vanuatu in the planning stages
- Raffles conducted at Grandview Hotel

Next week we are privileged to host Rotarians from our neighbouring Clubs as we showcase the work of Mercy Ships through a presentation by Alan Burrell. If you haven't thought of inviting a neighbour or friend to join us on Wednesday 30th May, now is your chance to extend that invitation. We will be making a presentation to the work of Mercy Ships on this evening and will also be receiving from Redlands Sunrise the gift of a tennis set for future use at a family day or for raffling at a later date.

There is an important District event also to showcase and that is the District Changeover which will see DGE Jitendra Prasad take up the reigns of the District from DG Elwyn Hodges. This is an event well worth our support and I would urge you to consider attending this event on 7th July - come and join me! Please see the District Newsletter for further details.

Can I issue this challenge to you for next week's event and indeed for Rotary in general - 'Each one - reach one'! Who are **you** going to bring to next week's meeting.

On that note - thank you - just a huge 'thank you' one and all, and I will look forward to a fantastic roll up next week for the Mercy Ships presentation by Alan Burrell.

President Lorraine.



Our District Assembly tribe: Catherine, Lorraine, Barry, DGE Jitendra and Neil.

DISTRICT ASSEMBLY

Barry, Neil, Lorraine and I had the pleasure of attending the District Assembly last weekend, which proved to be a very inspiring, informative and rewarding experience. The day was initiated by current DG Elwyn Hodges and upcoming DG Jitendra Prasaad, as well as their support team including past DG Doug St Clair.



Part of the District Assembly team with DGE Jitendra.

The topics were diverse and engaging over the course of the day, and were kick started by Krishneel Maharaj's presentation of Rising to the challenge of "Being the Inspiration:" A Growth Mindset Perspective. He illustrated that we expect high standards of ourselves in Rotary, our work and personal life, but we criticise ourselves if we don't reach our ideal performance level.

However, we tend to forget the factors that go in to reaching a milestone or goal, including things such as the time we put in, our focus in learning a specific skill set, our attitude, willingness to be resilient and passion. At certain points in our lives we have had to overcome a new challenge: learning to walk, read, solving an equation, speaking in front of people, driving a car...even tying a shoelace. It's the little things that become big things!



Be the Inspiration will be our new theme.

Later in the day we have more sessions from a panel of speakers about:

- Leading with Vision, Our Core Values (Patrice Robinson)
- Supporting and Strengthening our Clubs (Josie Howard)
- Our Youth, Our Future (Emily Wood)
- Rotary Knowledge, Rotary Leadership Institute (Catherine Smith)
- Insurance (Peter Marer)
- Journey to Arch Klump Society (Bob Lemon)

Every session gave fresh insight as to how we can practically contribute to our club and organisation in a variety of ways, and how our input becomes amplified when we help others.



Later in the day we broke off in to smaller breakout sessions for roles of Secretary, Treasure, Rotary Foundation, PE Elects, Effective Services, New Generations, Public Image and Branding, and New Members and Membership. These smaller cohorts allowed for a more in-depth analysis of what was to be expected for this new Rotary year.

Finally, the day was wrapped up by short presentations by:

- Project MOM (hygiene packs for disadvantaged children) Nim Prasaad
- RAWCS John Paskin
- Redistricting DG Elwyn
 - Leading the Change Are we Relevant in the 21st Century – Greg Forster
 - From Assembly to Action DGN Ros Kelly

So if you haven't been to a District Assembly already, make sure that you come along next time to be enlightened and equipped with even more tools to Be the Inspiration and make change happen.

Catherine



Apology System

If you are unable to attend a meeting, please advise your apologies to Di Thompson phone 0408985527 by 5pm on the Tuesday prior to our Wednesday meeting. If you are rostered for duty and are unable to attend, it is your duty to ensure a replacement is found for that duty, either by direct arrangement or, if there is sufficient time, by rearranging with Di.

Date	Event	Volunteers or Action required	
May 20th	District Assembly	Contact Lorraine on 0410539303	
May 27 th and June 24th	Selling Raffle Tickets at Grandview	Contact Mitch on 0448522403	
May 30 th and June 6th	Bunnings BBQ	Contact Neil on 0491374737	
June 10th	Clean up Wellington Point	Contact Lorraine on 0410539303	
June 22nd	Changeover Dinner	Contact Lorraine on 0410539303	

Date	16 th May	23 rd May	30 th May	6 th June	13 th June
Chairperson	Barry Melgaard	Neil Waterer	Di Thompson	Matthew Knight	Mitch Parsons
Attendance	Catherine Smith	Gordon Lawrence	Terry Ryan	Matty McKenna	Peter Moody
Wello Fellow	Mona Brammell	Sue Reid	Steven Knight	Glen Brown	Tracey Deane
Speaker Facilitator	Gordon Lawrence	Di Thompson	Lorraine Hooker	Mona Brammell	Matty McKenna
Speaker	Ainsley, Abby & Joel	Wayne Derrick	Allan Burrell from MERCY SHIPS	Helen	Jeanette from Indigiscapes
Activity/Topic	A magical night of Inspiration and Music with Ainsley, Abby & Joel	Wayne shares his inspirational story and his gift for Art	The wonderful work they do providing assistance	Stress and the effect it has on our health	A presentation on all the work that they do in the Community
Meeting Location	Front Room	Front Room	Front Room	Board Room	Front Room
Special Notes			Invitation to other Clubs		

