

The Wello Hello

Volume 10, Issue 17, 23rd April 2019

Club 83404 | District 9630 | PO Box 2231 Wellington Point QLD 4160



OFFICE BEARERS

President: Lorraine Hooker
Vice President: Vacant
President Elect: Catherine Smith
President Nominee: Vacant
Secretary: Sue Reid
Treasurer: Peter Moody
Sergeant: Steven Knight
Editor: Catherine Smith
Corporal: Glen Brown

DIRECTORS

Effective Services: Matt Knight
Foundation: Catherine Smith
Administration: Di Thompson
PR/Publicity: Kenn Van Noort
Membership: Neil Waterer
New Generations: Barry Melgaard

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

The Wello Hello

Volume 10, Issue 17, 23rd April 2019

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Best Easter wishes to each of you as we acknowledge how fortunate we are to live in a country where we have freedom of choice to spend our time over the long weekend as we would like. If you are travelling, please stay safe on the roads.

I've been thinking about the Rotary theme for April which is 'maternal and child health month' and thinking about those children who go without a meal or who live in poverty, and summed up my thought right now would be is that 'health is wealth'. I always remember my mum saying 'if you haven't got your health, you've got nothing' and I think all of us can relate to this as with the change of season, the flu season is perhaps around the corner. Please stay well (a little better than I have been!!!)

Perhaps now is the time for us to ask ourselves - is there something either as a Rotarian, a member of Wellington Point Rotary, or as an individual we can be doing that is indirectly defined by this month's Rotary theme - on the local front? Is help needed at our local schools in their tuckshops, or the breakfasts that are supplied to students in our local High Schools? Are our young friends or even grandchildren being encouraged to make healthy eating choices? Those are just a couple of ideas - I'm just asking!

We have had a couple of weeks of good meetings and it has been encouraging to see a good roll up and plenty of interactive lively chatter. Great having Marilyn Way and Kerry Boland present on their Timor Leste involvement

and motivating to witness the enthusiasm of Carly and Lucy and their work with Y-Lead. We have also had the exciting induction of our newest member, Sharon Widt – and we are most thrilled.



Kerry and Marilyn are involved in a community development program in Timor Leste.



Welcome to our Rotary family Sharon!

There's plenty on the immediate horizon as well with Anzac Day on Thursday and the laying of a wreath at the Service at Wellington Point State High School on behalf of our Club - (the service is 7.45am for 8.00 commencement) and then moving into Friday with a good turnout expected at the Friday Friendly at the Lions Club at 6.30pm. If you haven't already indicated that you would like to attend this Friday Friendly, would you please let us know as soon as possible for catering purposes - it's a pizza night. You'll get dessert too, and all for \$10!

Help is required at several up-coming events in the near future and these will be tabled each week at our meetings - Community Service is certainly to the fore, and we are privileged we are able to help most times when requested to do so.

Arrangements for our Changeover function on 14th June are now well underway, and the committee for this under Catherine's leadership have already met. May I remind all Directors please to have their Annual Reports to me as soon as possible - this will help me no end when it comes to preparing my President's Report to you which will be presented at Changeover.

Now is the time to also think of the person you will nominate to be the recipient the 'Club Service' Award and also the 'Rotarian of the Year' Award - and I will talk more about these next meeting.

While I think about Changeover - a friendly reminder that there are still two Board positions available - that of President Elect and Catherine will need a Director of Administration. If you are unsure what these roles entail, please talk to either myself or any current Board member.

A date saver for those people on the Board of Directors next year - Eastern Members forum is being held on Sunday 9th June out at Wacol and this is an interesting and vital part of learning the relevance of your role next Rotary year - I'd encourage you to keep the date free and attend if at all possible.

Best regards to all, President Lorraine

AWARDS

Now is the perfect time for us to reflect on our club's achievements and its wonderful members as we think about nominations for Rotarian of the Year and Community Service. These awards are defined as below with the following selection criteria.

Rotarian of the year. *That person who has contributed most to the successful development, growth or ongoing operation of the club and or its programs through exceptional participation, leadership, responsibility or service work.*

Community Service Award. *For that person that represents the ideals of Rotary in the wider community through their commitment to other organisations, community engagement and or via Rotary service work and projects that aim to Build Better Communities.*

Whilst you can discuss nominations with other members, the final voting process is democratic, confidential and you only get one vote. Please direct your vote to President Lorraine. The result will be shared during the Change Over celebration. Thank you for your participation!



The Wello Hello

Volume 10, Issue 17, 23rd April 2019

Links

Wellington Point: <http://www.rotaryclubofwellingtonpoint.org.au/>

Capalaba: <http://www.rotarycapalaba.org/>

Cleveland: <http://www.rotarnet.com.au/users/9/96308/index.htm>

Redland Sunrise: <http://www.redlandsunrise.org.au>

Wynnum-Manly: <http://www.wynnum-manly.rotaryclub.asn.au/>

Redland Bayside: <http://www.redlands.bayside.rotaryclub.asn.au/>

District 9630: <http://www.rotary9630.org/>

Rotary International: <http://www.rotary.org/>

The Four Way Test: Let's all learn it and live by it!

Of all the things we think, say and do...

Is it the TRUTH?

Is it FAIR to all concerned?

Will it build GOODWILL and better
FRIENDSHIPS?

Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

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
26 th April	Friday Friendly with Lions Club	Co-ordinators are Lorraine and Sue
1 st May	BUNNINGS BBQ	Contact is Neil on 0491 374 737
7 th May (Tuesday)	Wellington Point S/School BBQ (10am-2pm)	Sue, Dudley, Neil, Delcey and Denise have volunteered.

Rotary Club of Wellington Point | Fortnightly Newsletter

Date	24 th April	1 st May	8 th May	15 th May	22 nd May
Chairperson	Glen Brown	Barry Melgaard	Catherine Smith	Matty McKenna	Tony Mills
Attendance	DI Thompson	Sue Reid	Peter Moody	Denise Kolze	Mitch Parsons
Wello Fellow					
Speaker Facilitator	N/A	Sharon Wendt	N/A	Sue Reid	N/A
Speaker	N/A	Kendrick and Lisa from LOVE AND HOPE REDLANDS	N/A	Sues sister Jenny from "Girls Got Heart"	N/A
Activity/Topic		A local charity assisting Redlanders	Members Corner	Jennys Ride for Charity	BOARD MEETING
Meeting Location	Front Room	Front Room	Front Room	Front Room	Front Room
Special Notes	ANZAC DAY				

