

The Wello Hello

Rotary Club Wellington Point ~ Weekly Newsletter

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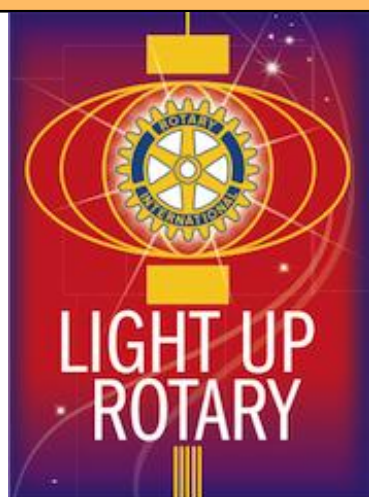
From the President

Greetings in the name of Rotary everyone - I am writing this early as heading to New Zealand for a couple of weeks.

What a challenging meeting looking at the work of Interplast and a big thank you to John Lipman for explaining this facet of Rotary to us. It would be fair to say we were challenged looking at the wonderful work done all by voluntary medical teams providing health care in areas and in conditions very different to here in Australia. I would really like to think that we will convert our compassion into a tangible response in this year.

By the time this Newsletter comes out I will be in the land of the long white cloud and Julie, our Secretary is travelling with me. What a special treat for us to be able to attend Katikati Rotary Club and also Tauranga/Te Papa Rotary Club meetings where I'll be sharing a slide show with them and telling them about our Club and some of the things we have been involved in within this Rotary year.

I promise you pictures - and I will make every endeavour to rise to the challenge Gordon made at our meeting on 12th November - the challenge being to bring back to our Club an idea for a fund raising activity or project that would be different and suitable for our Club's involvement.



Directors

Effective Services: Matthew Knight

Foundation: Terry Ryan

Administration: Peter Moody

PR/Publicity: Kenn Van Noort

Membership: Tracey Deane

New Generations: Glen Brown

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Thanks everyone for the good wishes - don't forget to get those nominations in for Directorships in the 2015/2016 Rotary year and for this year's Directors, your half yearly reports are now due.

I'll be home in time for our Christmas party!

President Lorraine
Yours in Rotary Service

Lorraine Hooker

President

Coming Events

Half Yearly Directors Reports

Just a reminder to all Directors that your half yearly Directors reports are due in the hands of Secretary Julie by Wednesday 26th November.

A report is required from each Director! Have YOU sent yours in yet?

Apology System

Can we please ensure that our Rotary apology system is adhered to. If you are not able to attend a meeting, can I ask that you let our Director of Administration Peter Moody know rather than letting either myself, or another member know of your intended non-attendance.

There are many returns in Rotary that we furnish to Rotary International and a couple of them include membership, numbers attending, and engagement of members in projects.

Your help by letting Peter know if you are not able to attend a meeting will assist us in keeping our records accurate and up to date and would be greatly appreciated.

Lorraine

Christmas Party

Yes - our Club's Christmas party is being held at the home of John and Carmel Chirio, 6 Grenaid Court, Wellington Point, on Saturday 29th November starting at 5pm. John will be coordinating this BYO Bar-B-Q event.

The theme, if you wish to be thematic, is 'Christmas beach party', so dress either in poolside / beach / Hawaiian wear, or Christmas style or a bit of both.

It will be BYO everything except chairs and John will coordinate for your attendance and offered contributions to provide a salad or desert to share.

Nominations - Rotary Year 2015-2016

All positions are declared vacant at our AGM on Wednesday 3rd December. Nominations are now being invited for the 2015-2016 Rotary year which runs from June next year.

It's time to think who you would like in the different positions or what role you would like to play to ensure the continuing effectiveness of our Rotary Club. If you have any queries as to any of the Directorships, please don't hesitate in contacting the current Director who will be only too happy to help.

These nominations also must be in the hands of Secretary Julie by Wednesday 26th November.

Two antennas met on a roof, fell in love and got married. The ceremony wasn't much, but the reception was excellent.

A jumper cable walks into a bar. The bar tender says, "I'll serve you but don't start anything".

Two peanuts walk into a bar, and one was a salted.

A dyslexic man walks into a bra.

An invisible man marries an invisible woman. The kids were nothing to look at either.

Apology System

If you are unable to attend a meeting, please advise your apologies to Peter Moody, at pasmoo@bigpond.com or phone 0421 053 568, 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 Peter

DATE	Event	Volunteers or Action required
Wednesday 26 th November	RYDA (Cleveland District State High School)	Barry is coordinating
Saturday 29 th November	Mental Health week BBQ lunch - Raby Bay Park	Kenn is coordinating
Saturday 29 th November	Club Christmas Function at John's place, 6 Grenaid Court, 5pm	John is coordinating
Wednesday 3 rd December	Bunnings BBQ	Peter is coordinating
Saturday 6 th December	Twilight Market	Kenn is coordinating
Sunday 14 th December	Bunnings BBQ	Peter is coordinating
Sunday 28 th December	Bunnings BBQ	Peter is coordinating

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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?

Duty Roster

Date	26 th November	3 rd December	10 th December		
Chairperson	Julie Clarke	Kenn Van Noort	Matty McKenna		
Attendance	Peter Moody	John Chirio	Mitchell Parsons		
Wello Fellow	Matthew Knight	Terry Ryan	Gordon Lawrence		
Speaker Facilitator	NA	NA	John Chirio (as Gordon's Buddy)		
Speaker	NA	NA	Gordon Lawrence		
Activity/Topic	General Business	General Business	Club Cameo Speaker		
Meeting Location	Golfers' Lounge	Golfers' Lounge	Board Room		
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