

The Wello Hello

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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 Rotarian family.

We have certainly not been idle and when we look at the huge variety of activities we have been involved in, I am inspired. I am inspired and encouraged and hope that you are too, because as we ask ourselves 'why did we join Rotary' - there remains a constant variety of activities that we can engage with and lovely people to interact with.

Thank you to each of you for your willingness to help. We've been involved in so many activities of late:

- Crimestoppers Charity Golf day
- Grandview Raffle ticket selling
- Bunnings BBQ (we've even managed the onions on the bottom)
- Trinity Trivia night in support of Chaplaincy
- Wellington Point Probus Club formation
- Walk for Polio support
- African Hearts Swimathon
- Toiletries for 'It's in the Bag'
- Bra and sewing kit collation for Vanuatu mamas
- World Suicide Survivor Loss Remembrance Day BBQ and time of reflection

....and the list goes on.

We move forward and coming up we have two very large activities which again provide a platform for community service.

Our Christmas wrapping service at Capalaba Central in support of Crimestoppers and Queensland Police Legacy, and we have the

opportunity to provide a present for someone less fortunate in our area under the Ray White Christmas Spirit of Giving. This is always a great community event – lots of fun, laughter and generosity. If you are available for a few hours to assist with the project, please contact Terry.

We also have the opportunity to support the large community Christmas event at Mt Cotton which is on our immediate horizon. This event is on next Sunday (25th Nov) and we have the pleasure of helping to run the BBQ (see flyer for event details). If you are free between 2-5pm or 5-8:30pm, it would be wonderful to have your company as we get in the Christmas spirit and cook up some delicious snags. Let Secretary Sue know if you will be coming along and your preferred time slot.

We won't forget that in there also is our quarterly Clean Up the Point, our Christmas function coming up and an opportunity to pick up the phone in Rotary friendship and check on how Matt and Kenn are both going with their convalescence following their respective medical procedures.

And on a lighter note - 'it didn't take long' - we've all heard the procedure now when it comes to the placement of onions first, then the sausage on the bread at our Bunnings BBQs - well, makes sense and had to happen and I am confident and happy to say that we are 'complaint' and certainly will stay this way. Our Bunnings BBQs are a great source of community awareness and we all enjoy and appreciate these avenues of fundraising. Check out the new sausage sizzle bib!



Our official visit from our DG Jitendra Prasad is on 28th November - we look forward to his visit along with wife Nim and some members of Brisbane International Rotary Club will be coming along to join in the evening as well. There'll be a prior meeting for Board members with Jitendra at 6pm followed by our normal meeting – another opportunity to embrace All Things Rotary.

Please remember our Christmas function coming up on 12th December - and this will be our last meeting for the year (dinner at Hogans, Wellington Point) confirmations of attendance and pre-ordering of your meal please to Sue and a \$10 present to share will add a little ambience to the night.

Additionally, November - yes, also known as Movember is a month where there is a strong focus on the health of our menfolk and many activities, such as the shaving of specially grown 'mo's' 'beards' or 'hair' to raise money to enhance this cause.

But in Rotary, November is Rotary Foundation month! So, for our newer Rotarians - here is a little about Foundation... The Rotary Foundation transforms your gifts into service projects that change lives both close to home and around the world.

During the past 100 years, the Foundation has spent \$3 billion on life-changing, sustainable projects.

With your help, we can make lives better in your community and around the world. The mission of The Rotary Foundation of Rotary International is to enable Rotarians to advance world understanding, goodwill, and peace through the improvement of health, the support of education, and the alleviation of poverty.

Your donation makes a difference to those who need our help most. More than 90 percent of donations go directly to supporting our service projects around the world.

How does the Rotary Foundation use the donations?

Our 35,000 clubs carry out sustainable service projects that support our six causes. With donations like yours, we've wiped out 99.9 percent of all polio cases. Your donation also trains future peacemakers, supports clean water, and strengthens local economies.

What impact can one donation have?

It can save a life. A child can be protected from polio with as little as 60 cents. Our partners make your donation go even further. For every \$1 Rotary commits to polio eradication, the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation has committed \$2.

I hope I have challenged you and have given you enough reasons to think about YOUR Foundation contribution?



President Lorraine with Warren from STAR.

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Thank you everyone for being 'ready' - 'willing' and always 'able' - YOU are the Inspiration.

President Lorraine



POEM ON ROTARY

Where there is darkness, Rotary shares light.
Where there is loneliness, Rotary shares love.

Where there is illiteracy, Rotary shares education.
Where there is ignorance, Rotary shares knowledge.

Where there are problems, Rotary shares solutions.
Where there is enmity, Rotary shares friendship.
Where there are unearthed talents, Rotary shares opportunities.
Where there are needs, Rotary shares new horizons of living.

Where there is a tear, Rotary shares smiles.
Where there is a distance, Rotary shares the miles.
Where there is pain, Rotary shares the agony.
Where there is gain, Rotary shares the joy.

Where there are achievers, Rotary shares the compliments.
Where there are failures, Rotary shares success supplements.

Where there are orphans, Rotary shares the family.
Where there are elders, Rotary shares time.

Where there is childhood, Rotary shares values of life.

Where there is youth, Rotary shares the ladder of leadership.

Where there is unemployment, Rotary shares career choices.

Where there is lack of awareness, Rotary shares vocational training.

Where there is despair, Rotary shares hope.

Where there is depression, Rotary shares inspiration.

Where there is weakness, Rotary shares strength.
When there is chaos, Rotary shares harmony.

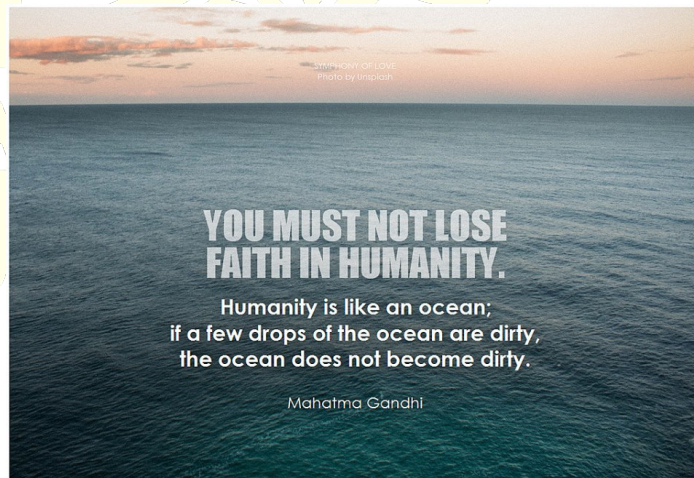
Where there is illness, Rotary shares curing.
Where there are disabilities, Rotary shares ability.

Where there are contingencies, Rotary shares might.

Where there is poverty, Rotary shares ways to wealth.

Where there is nothing, Rotary shares something.
Where there is everything,
Rotary sources it and shares it with those who have nothing.

This beautiful poem was written by Mrs. Jayanthi Raja Seenivasan (2007), the wife of PDG Rtn V Raja Seenivasan (District Governor RI Dist 3230, 12-13)





- 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?

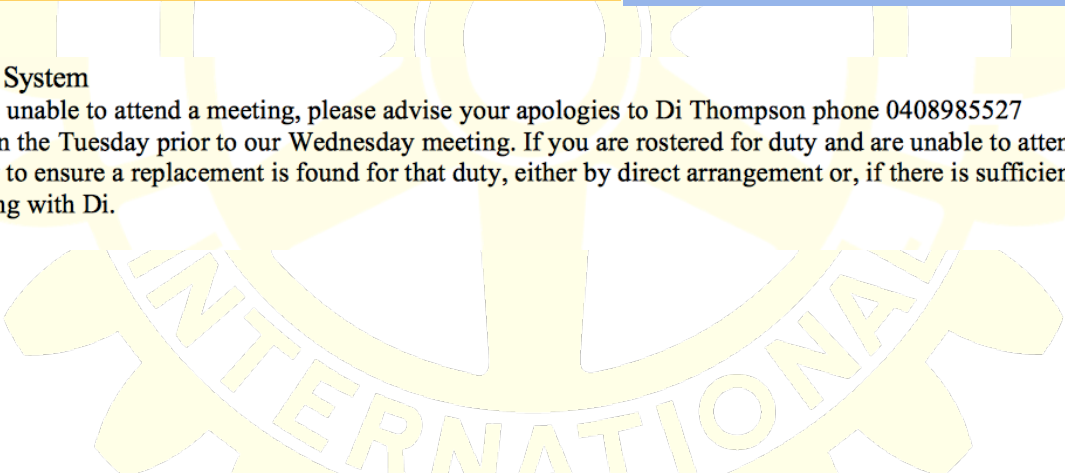
Is it FAIR to all concerned?

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
November 17th	Suicide Fun Day at Raby Bay Foreshore	Contact is Sue to volunteer 0407 133 240
November 25th	Clean Up Wellington Point Christmas Carols at Mt Cotton Park (Doing BBQ)	Contact is Neil on 0491 374 737 Contact Sue to volunteer on 0407 133 240
November 29th	RYDA – held at Mt Gravatt Campus TAFE 8.30-2pm	Contact is Barry on 0466 748 210
December 3rd	Christmas Wrapping commences at Capalaba Central	Contact is Terry on 0448 200 401
December 9th	Grandview Raffles	Tony, Sue & Dudley volunteering

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Date	21 st November	28 th November	5 th December	12 th December	Christmas Break
Chairperson	Steven Knight	Barry Meigaard	Glen Brown	N/A	
Attendance	Kerry Bunker	Ken Van Noort	Matthew Knight	N/A	
Wello Fellow	Neil Waterer	Denise Kolze	Peter Moody	N/A	
Speaker Facilitator	Catherine Smith	Lorraine Hooker	N/A	N/A	
Speaker	TBA	DG Jitendra	N/A	N/A	
Activity/Topic	TBA	It's all about our Club	AGM	Christmas Breakup	
Meeting Location	Front Room	Front Room	Board Room	HOGANS	
Special Notes					

