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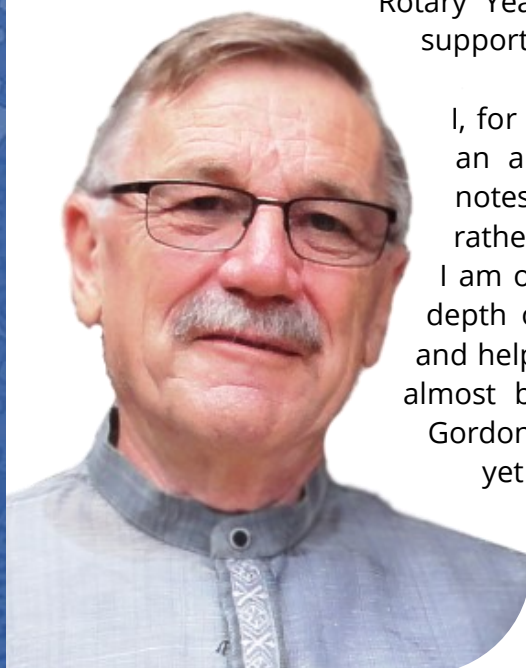
PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Well, it has been a busy week and unfortunately Rotary has had to take a back seat.

Giovanna and I would like to thank everyone for their thoughts, best wishes, offers of help and kind words — they certainly all went a long way to ensure we got through relatively unscathed.

Our Monday meeting simply flew by, it was always going to be busy and what I thought would be a structured agenda was literally turned on its head, but in the end all turned out well and everyone adjusted accordingly.

Firstly, congratulations to President Elect John and his team for forthcoming Rotary Year. We all wish you the best and our support during your terms in office.



I, for one, appreciate a speaker who can keep an audience captivated without referring to notes and using slides as a tool to talk to, rather than a prop which is used to read from. I am of the opinion that it shows the speaker's depth of knowledge on their particular subject and helps to draw us in to their presentation and almost become part of it. So well done Don Gordon for what I thought was an informative yet entertaining presentation.

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Having said that, how can we not recognise Heather, with her bundle of Containers for Change sacks, the size of which would make Father Christmas envious. I now fully understand the procedure and raring to participate to the point of thinking I am letting the team down by no longer buying the occasional slab of beer. Yes I know soft drink cans are acceptable, but it's just not the same. May be I will have to "man up" and revert to my old ways.

To follow up on Gail's request for dry goods to be donated to the Mount Pleasant Baptist Church kitchen, wouldn't it be wonderful to fill a huge number of Containers for Change sacks? Only kidding - let's not mix and match but bring our dry good contribution to the next three weeks meetings in recyclable bags and cardboard boxes.

I am sure that somewhere in this bulletin, Giovanna has included an article on The Jacaranda Festival to be held Saturday 28 November, by which time the Jacarandas ought to be in full bloom, meaning that my annual chore of clearing the gutters will be on the list of things to do. Anyway, let's enjoy the colourful sight while we can and join the crowd at the Festival (if not to hot).

Having three wedding anniversaries in one week was a surprise, but not as big as the one when Ian turned up for the meeting on THE day. He obviously has a wonderful, charming and understanding wife that would allow him to leave her home alone J

Finally, I know that Giovanna has forwarded the details of our meeting next week at Limones. I got the idea that most members understood exactly where it is when someone mentioned that it is the former Zebra's African Restaurant building. Either way, I hope to see you all there at 6pm for a 6.30pm start and do not forget that Abby has offered to bring along the after dinner treats to go with the re-introduction of tea and coffee after the meeting.

Yours in Rotary

Neil

Next Week's Guest Speaker

23 November



BIANCA McGOLDRICK

Bianca has over 20 years experience as a general property lawyer. Her focus is on the seniors housing sector and includes work on the development, operation and disposal of aged care and retirement living assets. Bianca also advises on leasing for a variety of government developments and metropolitan office, industrial and retail clients. A passionate member of the Property Council's Retirement Living Committee, Bianca regularly assists with advocacy and is willing to share her wealth of knowledge regarding the challenges faced in the sector.

ANNOUNCEMENTS & ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

FAMILY OF ROTARY

Huge thank you to members and all other Rotary family for the strong support system we've received these past few months. Giovanna is on the mend and raring to get back in action

SUNDOWNER - FRIDAY, 20 NOVEMBER

Members are invited to a Sundowner at Jim & Jenny's place, Friday, 20 November, 5:30pm. BYO drinks and plate to share. Please advise Jim and Jenny at 0418 929 601 or 9438 2340

TRIAL NEW MEETING VENUE MONDAY 23RD NOVEMBER

LIMONES - 1 Point Walter Road, Bicton (Parking at medical centre or in the Leopold Hotel carpark)

- * 6 for 6-30 Outside bar for fellowship & drinks (Main bar in inclement weather)
- * 6.30~8.00 Dinner meeting in Function Room
- * One dish offered with special dietary requirements catered for
- * Attendance Officer (at present Barb Kitto 0431 109 305) advised by 10.00 am Friday of apologies & special dietary requirements
- * Unless you are a standard apology, you will be assumed to be going unless you apologise
- * Tea & Coffee included
- * One or more members welcome to bring cakes /biscuits for dessert with coffee/tea
- * Meal cost \$30 payable by each member eating to the attendance officer before the meal
- * \$7 per head for members not eating

JACARANDA FESTIVAL - SATURDAY, 28 NOVEMBER

We have committed to help the Rotary Club of Applecross with their Jacaranda Festival by manning the North West entrance with two people for the whole day. The task is to welcome people and encourage them to give a gold coin donation for entry (or an electronic donation).

RCA CHRISTMAS DINNER

- * Our Christmas Dinner Meeting this year will be held at the home of Kerry and Abby Parsons **Monday, December 14, 2020.**
- * A Christmas Buffet Dinner catered by All seasons Catering will be provided.
- * Wine (red and white) will be supplied. Soft drinks will also be provided.
- * **Beer and speciality drinks: BYO**
- * **Cost: Members & Spouses/Partners = \$40/pp**
Guests = \$50/pp



November 2020- ROTARY FOUNDATION MONTH

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	Dinner Meeting Guest Speaker: Matthew Scanlon, Chair, Fair Game Recycling Sports Equipment Chair: Keith McNaught Host: Giovanna McKay BIRTHDAY Donna Van Trier					
	<div>World Interact Week, 2-8</div>					
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
BIRTHDAY Helen James	Dinner Meeting Guest Speaker: Bob Coventry, The Sandakan Death Marches ~ Honouring Remembrance Day 11th November Chair: Host: Keith McNaught	RCA Board Meeting, 7:00pm at the McCulloch's				INDUCTIONS Carole Maxwell and Jeff Spickett, 2005
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
ANNIVERSARY Trish & John Sharp	ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING Guest Speaker: Don Gordon ~ From Technocrat to Leader Chair: John Sharp Host: Bev Moffat ANNIVERSARY Jacquie & Ian Pittaway				SUNDOWNER at Jim & Jenny's from 5:30pm. BYO drinks and plate to share ANNIVERSARY Judy & Winston Marsh	
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
ANNIVERSARY Patty & Jim Trotter BIRTHDAYS Jim Trotter Freya Taylor	Dinner Meeting Guest Speaker: Bianca McGoldrick ~ Seniors Housing Options and Legal Framework Chair: Jim Calcei Host: Abby Parsons				BIRTHDAY Selwyn Castles	JACARANDA FESTIVAL Volunteers needed to help RC Applecross
29	30					
	Dinner Meeting Guest Speaker: Viana Beresford Get Scrubbed, Scrub Hats Chair: Barb Kitto Host: Kerry Parsons INDUCTION Fred Soale, 2015					



Christmas Food Donation for those in need

We invite you to bring along a donation of non-perishable food items for the Mount Pleasant Baptist Church Pantry.

They help needy families in the Melville area throughout the year.

As this is the venue where we hold our 'Music in the Air Concert' it will be a great opportunity to help them, help those in need.

Please bring your donation to a Rotary meeting on: -

Monday 23 November

Monday 30 November

or

Monday 7 December



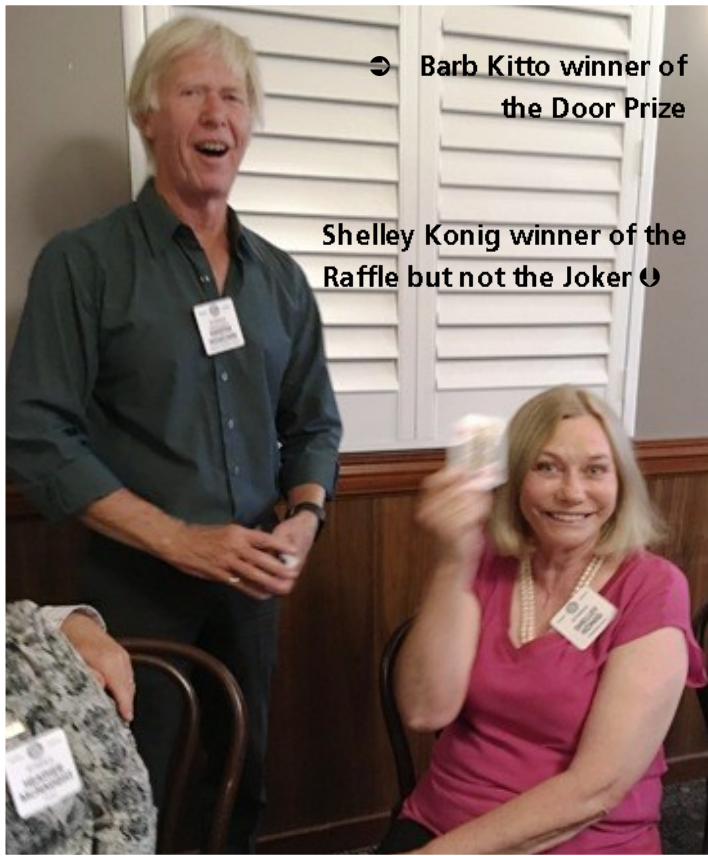
Delivering last year's donation to the Mount Pleasant Baptist Church Pantry



President Elect John Sharp and Guest Speaker Don Gordon

Bev and Charles Moffat — both looking good

Colin McCulloch congratulating President Nominee Barb Kitto



➡ Barb Kitto winner of the Door Prize

Shelley Konig winner of the Raffle but not the Joker ☹



Heather McNaught explaining 'Containers for Change'



Three ways to support our Rotary Foundation

Every November, we celebrate The Rotary Foundation. Your support and generous gifts to the Foundation make it possible for us to be people of action and engage in life-changing projects worldwide. Here are three ways you can help maximize the effectiveness of our year-end giving campaigns and increase the amount of good we can do:

1. Encourage your members to make a gift to the Foundation on Giving Tuesday, which is 1 December. [Share our video message](#)
2. [Give the gift of Rotary](#) this holiday season. [Share our digital flyer](#) with members and potential donors.
3. Learn more about our new peer-to-peer fundraising tool, [Raise for Rotary](#), where you can create fundraising pages that are easy to share with family and friends through social media and email.

For over 100 years, The Rotary Foundation has been supporting the work of Rotary members like you, who find sustainable solutions to their communities' most pressing needs. Rotarians and Rotaractors are hard at work to improve lives around the world. But there is still much to do, and we need your help.

Your gift makes a difference. Give the gift of Rotary today.

rotary.org/donate

Your gift does not purchase a specific item but will support projects like those shown here.

**Take
Action:
GIVE
NOW**

HOSTING ROSTER

SEPTEMBER

- 07 Mick Donnes
- 14 Martin Houchin
- 21 Greg James
- 28 **Public holiday - no meeting**

OCTOBER

- 05 Shelley Konig
- 12 Gail McCulloch
- 19 Winston Marsh
- 26 George Lewkowski

NOVEMBER

- 02 Giovanna McKay
- 09 Keith McNaught
- 16 Bev Moffat
- 23 Abby Parsons
- 30 Kerry Parsons

DECEMBER

- 07 Ian Pittaway
- 14 Rod Rate **(Christmas Meeting)**

DUTIES OF HOST

- Welcome each Rotarian and Guest to the meeting
- Advise President of arrival of Speaker and special guests
- Issue badges and indicate location of Attendance Officer
- At conclusion of meeting, collect members' badges for the box
- Ensure all guest badges have been collected

MOST IMPORTANT

If you are unable to be Host on the night allocated, it is your responsibility to provide a replacement

SPEAKER CHAIR DUTIES

Guest Speaker Chair shall:

- Read the Bulletin in advance and then contact Program Officer for CV of speaker
- Arrive at Dinner Meeting venue at least 30 minutes before starting time
- Greet the Speaker at entrance
- Introduce the Speaker to President and at least four Rotarians
- Assist Speaker to setup his/her audio/visual and any other aids
- Show Speaker the Menu; order and pay for Speaker's meal (to be reimbursed by Attendance Officer); and show Speaker where to sit down for dinner on President's table and where to speak
- Advise Speaker to speak for 20 minutes including questions
- Introduce Speaker by name and topic when requested by Sergeant or President
- Formally introduce Speaker by written CV addressing name, vocation, qualifications, family (if appropriate), interests and lastly topic
- Chair the speaker session allowing one question per Rotarian or Guest
- Terminate session with presentation of gift (from Secretary)
- Escort Speaker to door after meeting

Rotarians asking Questions

Upon recognition by the Speaker Chair, Rotarians:

- should stand and introduce themselves
- may ask one question and refrain from prefacing question with a statement

The Speaker shall be afforded all courtesies of a guest

FESTIVE FOOD DRIVE

Saturday 21st November 2020
Starting at 9am and ending at 12pm

What and Why? Rotary of Elizabeth Quay and Knights of the Southern Cross are supporting Vinnies Christmas appeal for WA families in need

Collection Location:

Dismantle carpark 497 Newcastle Street, West Perth (Look for volunteers in Hi-Vis)

Desired non-perishable food items:

Long life milk, Long life juice, Long life custard, Milo, tea, coffee, Ring pulled tinned fruit, Honey, jam, vegemite, Tomatosauce, Pasta and pasta sauce, Tinned ham (or Tuna), Rice, noodles and cereals, Christmas cake, Fruit mince pies, Biscuits, Candy canes, Bon-bons, Christmas napkins, Christmas paper or ribbon

Can you collect the food from my home or School? Yes!

Registration: RSVP by 18 November if you plan to drive & drop your items or you'd like them collected, via this link

<https://festivefoodforvinnies.eventbrite.com.au>

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