

The Attadale

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View



John Sharp
2021-22 President

Well the technology gremlins struck again. Unfortunately they refused to cooperate with Evadne's presentation. This is doubly sad as there was clearly a lot of interest in the subject and Evadne clearly has a deep knowledge of it. I want to congratulate Evadne for soldiering on and keeping on topic whilst others were trying to fix the Gremlins.

We had a valuable Board meeting on Tuesday, which will all be revealed by Directors next Monday at our first Club Business meeting. As always the Minutes of the Meeting will be available on the Web if you want to get a sneak preview.

Very importantly on that night we will be presenting Greg James with his Honorary Members Badge and celebrating his significant contribution to Rotary over 31 years

I also had a valuable Cluster Presidents Meeting with Peter McEwan - Applecross, Peter Best - Booragoon, Howard Maccal - Melville & Ken Williams - Assistant Governor. This set the scene for a year of cooperation with Group 1 Clubs. One worthy opportunity to collaborate is to join Booragoon's "Lift the Lid for Mental Health" walk on Sun 14th November. The walk is from Dome Deep Water Point to Canning Bridge and back, which allows walkers to turn back whenever they feel they have done enough. Further details will be coming closer to the day. There was also recognition that Attadale is the only Club in the Group without a major source of untied income such as markets & the Jacaranda Festival. Ken has some ideas that he will offer us and the other Presidents all said they would consider ways of us engaging in some of their fundraising ventures as Applecross already does with the Jacaranda Festival



MONTHLY CLUB CALENDAR

Unless otherwise specified, the Rotary Club of Attadale meets at Limones Restaurant every Monday (except public holidays), 6 for 6:30PM

For Attendance (GUESTS) and Apologies (MEMBERS), please advise Attendance Officer no later than 6pm Friday prior to the meeting

AUGUST 2021

Day / Date	Event / Activity
Monday, 16th	Business Meeting
Monday, 23rd	Social / Dinner Meeting
Monday, 30th	Meeting Cancelled



Birthdays

01 - Neil McKay
21 - Viv Donnes

Induction Anniversaries

04 - Abby & Kerry Parsons (2014)
25 - John Sharp (2003)
26 - Mick Donnes (2002)

ANNOUNCEMENT

From the Rotary Club of Willetton

Interest Meeting: Monday, 16 August, 6PM

Venue: Riverton RSL Club, Upstairs 153 High Road, Willetton

“Members are encouraged to invite potential members to an interest meeting which will run for approximately 1.5 hours. Finger food will be available for attendees with a cash bar. The cost to Rotarians will be \$30, guests will be free. The evening is meant to be convivial with two presentations by Rotarians about Rotary International and Our Club in particular. “



New Olympic sport: "La balle dans le bucket"
Photos & caption by Heather McNaught



August is Membership and Club Development Month

Grow More . . . Do More

Contributors Wanted for OUR Bulletin
 e.g.; directors could supply something that is current for their portfolios and members with special projects / appeals can email details.

ROTARY PROJECTS AROUND THE GLOBE

By Brad Webber

Mexico

In Ciudad Juárez, one woman's work to protect children from street violence has blossomed into Soles de Anapra, a center serving some 80 young people. Since 2014, the Rotary Club of El Paso, Camino Real, Texas, had been donating goods to Lourdes Contreras for the after-school program she ran out of a small house. In 2015, the club decided to find her a bigger, better space. With \$25,000 donated by the 16 clubs in Ciudad Juárez and two partners in New Mexico — the Rotary clubs of Los Alamos and Silver City, frequent contributors and visitors to the center — and \$10,000 raised from a 5K run sponsored by the Eaton Corporation, the club purchased a 6,000-square-foot warehouse in 2016 and went to work. In April, the club completed a refurbishment of the building, carried out even as the pandemic temporarily halted the after-school program.

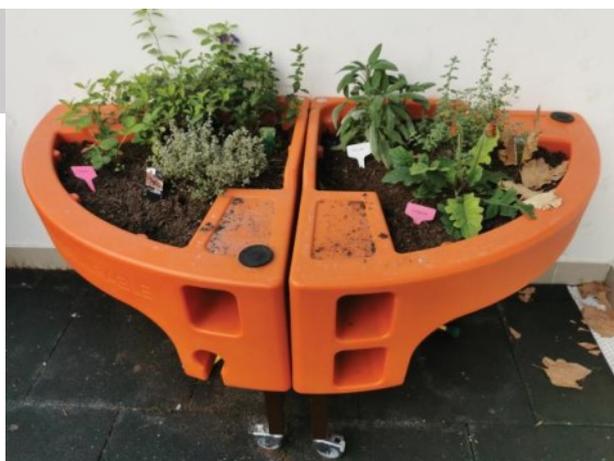


United States

In October, about a dozen Rotarians from the Rotary Club of Eau Claire Morning, Wisconsin, along with some of their family members, used a product called Invisible of the hydrophobic, nontoxic liquid spray, donated the product, which allows users to create designs that only appear when the sidewalks get wet. At a cost of about \$130, 16 ounces can cover up to 110 square feet. "We thought in the difficult times of the pandemic, we could bring smiles to our community" and inspire other organizations to do the same, says Sarah Stackhouse, a co-president of the club. A "thank you" below an image of a firefighter's hat was traced outside a fire station, Spray to stencil temporary, water-activated artwork on sidewalks throughout the city. Rainworks, manufacturer while a drawing at the entrance to a theater featured musical notes and suggested "singing in the rain."

France

The Rotary Club of Nice Riviera Côte d'Azur has tackled an outside number of projects in France and beyond in recent years. It worked with a sister club, the Rotary Club of Norwich, England, to install a rainwater recovery system in Ho, Ghana, and has done fundraising for cancer research. The Rotarians also donated to a charity that purchased garden planters valued at more than \$6,000 for local pediatric medical facilities in Nice. The club also raises funds for cancer research. At local grocery stores, in exchange for a donation of 1 €, club members offer tokens used to unlock shopping carts.



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August 2021



South Africa

When COVID-19 shutdowns heightened hunger in his country, Rex Ifechukwude Omameh turned his family's living room into a sandwich assembly area to prepare food for those in need. Omameh, who is a member of the Rotaract Club of Blouberg and the Rotary Club of Blouberg, and his family members made the effort a Friday tradition. Fellow Rotaractors sometimes help prepare the sandwiches, and most of the food is given to the Milnerton Community Action Network for distribution. Omameh has spent more than \$1,500 on food, and a bread company has also pitched in to provide some of the bread and soup. Omameh also received contributions to defray the project's costs as a birthday present.

Sri Lanka

With 11,000 followers on Facebook and nearly 3,000 on Instagram, the Rotaract Club of Sri Lanka Institute of Information Technology (SLIIT) collects clicks when it takes on a cause. In September, the 331-member club wrapped up an initiative to use those social media platforms, as well as its YouTube channel, to promote pandemic-stricken businesses in and around Colombo, one of the nation's two capital cities. The Rotaractors produced and posted 10 video interviews with the operators of various enterprises, including bakeries, an event-organizing company, and an auto parts supplier. "Many small business owners faced a lot of downfalls in surviving the crisis," says Sharoni Anthony, a club member. "We hoped to make the public aware of them and their amazing products and services."



A while ago I was talking to a lovely lady from a club from North of the river.

Part of the discussion was about just meeting and talking with people from other Rotary clubs. I thought that it would be a good idea if we members of Rotary could have a day where we could just meet and talk with other Rotarians who we would never normally meet.

She agreed and said to let her know if I was able to come up with anything.

I would like now to invite all Rotarians in Western Australia to

A DAY AT THE PERTH ZOO.

On the 24th of October 2021 I would like

- Rotarians,
- Friends of Rotary
- Partners and Family of Rotary
- Members

to come down to Perth Zoo and have a day mingling.

There will be no set activities no fund raising just a day to celebrate being a member of Rotary. The only request is that you wear your Rotary shirt and when you see someone in a Rotary shirt say Hi.

If you want you can chew the fat, see what they are doing, tell them what you are doing or talk about the animals. The day itself is completely up to you.

- Bring your lunch or buy it.
- Come with your family or alone
- No pressure just a chance to meet others and enjoy.
- Celebrate being a Rotarian.
- The cost is entry to the Zoo. The price of entry helps support the Zoo.

The Perth Zoo is a leading Wildlife Conservation Organization in Western Australia and the best way to support it is to visit it. Then tell others how great a place it is.

You can see their work and just enjoy yourself.

A Win all around.

For more information email me at baldvisrotaryclub@gmail.com

I hope to see you there

Regards
Trevor Churcher
President 2021-22
Baldvis Rotary Club



BALDIVIS ROTARY CLUB

presents

Rotary

Western Australia

At The Perth Zoo

24th of October 2021