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Kalgoorlie Boulder
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This month is **ROTARY MONTH**



Hello fellow Rotarians

I am pleased to advise that we will have a shelter box at breakfast this week. A great opportunity to actually see what the boxes contain.

This week's meeting is a club forum so please come along with any ideas, suggestions or feedback you would like to share with your fellow club members.

If there is anything specific you would like to discuss, please email me and I will ensure we allocate some time to cover it.

It's great to hear that Linda is out of hospital and back in town – Welcome back Linda!!

Look forward to seeing you all at breakfast!

Yours in Rotary
President Anne



Last week's Guest Speakers

Ellen Aperios and Sam Scattini who were sponsored by our Club to attend RYLA. Ellen and Sam told us of their experience at RYLA and what they felt they personally got out of attending.

As it is St Patricks Day next week thought I'd add a little 'Irish' to the bulletin this week.

If you click on the middle icon you will hear a famous Irish song.



Two Irishmen walk into a pet shop in Dingle, they walk over to the bird section and Gerry says to Paddy, 'Dat's dem.'

The owner comes over and asks if he can help them.

'Yeah, we'll take four of dem dere little budgies in dat cage up dere,' says Gerry.

The owner puts the budgies in a cardboard box.

Paddy and Gerry pay for the birds, leave the shop and get into Gerry's truck to drive to the top of the Connor Pass.

At the Connor Pass, Gerry looks down at the 1000 foot drop and says, 'Dis looks like a grand place.'

He takes two birds out of the box, puts one on each shoulder and jumps off the cliff.

Paddy watches as the budgies fly off and Gerry falls all the way to the bottom, killing himself stone dead.

Looking down at the remains of his best pal, Paddy shakes his head and says, 'Fook dat. Dis budgie jumping is too fook'n dangerous for me!'

THERE'S MORE...

Moment's later; Seamus arrives up at ConnorPass.

He's been to the pet shop too and walks up to the edge of the cliff carrying another cardboard box in one hand and a shotgun in the other.

'Hi, Paddy, watch dis,' Seamus says.

He takes a parrot from the box and lets him fly free.

He then throws himself over the edge of the cliff with the gun.

Paddy watches as half way down, Seamus takes the gun and shoots the parrot.

Seamus continues to plummet down and down until he hits the bottom and breaks every bone in his body.

Paddy shakes his head and says, 'And I'm never trying dat parrotshooting either!'

IT IS NOT OVER YET...

Paddy is just getting over the shock of losing two friends when Sean appears.

He's also been to the pet shop and is carrying a cardboard box out of which he pulls a chicken.

Sean then takes the chicken by its legs and hurls himself off the cliff and disappears down and down until he hits a rock and breaks his spine.

Once more Paddy shakes his head.

'Fook dat, lads. First dere was Gerry with his budgie jumping, den Seamus parrotshooting... And now Sean and his fook'n hengliding!'



*Murphy told Quinn that his wife was driving him to drink.
Quinn thinks he's very lucky because his own wife makes him walk.*

*An American lawyer asked, "Paddy, why is it that whenever you ask an
Irishman a question, he answers with another question?
"Who told you that?" asked Paddy.*

*Reilly went to trial for armed robbery. The jury foreman came out and
announced, "Not guilty." "That's grand!" shouted Reilly. "Does that mean I
can keep the money?"*

*Mrs. Feeney shouted from the kitchen, "Is that you I hear spittin in the
vase on the mantle piece?"
"No," said himself, "but I'm gettin' closer all the time."*

*Finnegan: My wife has a terrible habit of staying up 'til two o'clock in the
morning. I can't break her of it,
Keenan: What on earth is she doin' at that time?
Finnegan: Waitin' for me to come home.*

*"O'Ryan," asked the druggist, "did that mudpack I gave you improve your
wife's appearance?"
"It did surely," replied O'Ryan, "but it keeps fallin' off!"*

*My mother wanted me to be a priest. Can you imagine giving up your sex life
and then once a week people come in to tell you the details and highlights
of theirs?*

One ShelterBox ... Each Rotary Club ... Each year

Help to assist the International committee raise funds to order a Shelter box or two. Bring along your change and deposit in the copper kettle each week.

Thank you Club members for your generosity – we have now purchased our 7th Shelterbox.

Don't forget to let your workmates and friends know that collecting for Shelterbox is something that our Club does all year round. If they would like to make a donation then all they need to do is go into Goldfields Credit Union and let the staff know the donation is for The Rotary Club of Hannans-Kalgoorlie Burma Appeal.

Congratulations Club members we have now achieved our 8th Shelterbox

Progress for Shelterbox 9 (as at Friday 27 February) \$370.45

<p style="text-align: center;"><u>WELCOME</u></p> <p>The Rotary Club of Hannans was chartered on May 28, 1994 as a mixed gender club. The club meets every Friday at the historic Hannans Club, corner of Brookman and Maritana Streets, Kalgoorlie</p> <p style="text-align: center;">6.30am for a 7.00am breakfast. Full breakfast \$25.00 Continental breakfast \$12 No breakfast \$7.00</p> <p>(This includes \$2 for Heads and Tails)</p> <p>You must advise <u>EACH WEEK</u> if you are not having a full breakfast. If you do not advise <u>YOU MUST</u> Pay for a full breakfast</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>ATTENDANCE</u></p> <p>Details of guests and apologies should be advised to the attendance officer Raelene George by noon Wednesday each week. Members failing to do so will be invoiced \$25 for the cost of a full breakfast. raelene.george@rapallo.com.au or phone 0417 920 401</p> <p>February Club Attendance 49% Your Attendance % to the end of February is in this week's Bulletin</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>MEETING MANAGER</u></p> <p>13th: Velicia le Tang 20th: Robin Lonsdale 27th: Donnie Martin</p> <p><i>Remember, If you can't attend on your rostered date it is your responsibility to organise to swap with another Rotarian. It is your responsibility to set up before the meeting and to pack away after the meeting.</i></p>	<p>These figures have been collated from the weekly attendance sheets as provided by the attendance officer. If you have any queries please check with Raelene in the first instance.</p> <p>Reminder: Makeup's with other clubs MUST be substantiated with a makeup card from that Club. It is a requirement of Rotary that members MUST attend 50% of meetings in any half year period.</p>

REMINDER 2: Under the Rotary Rules Members are reminded that makeups are only registered for 2 weeks before or after any missed meeting.

Attendance has been adjusted taking into consideration the above.

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	Surname	First name	%
1	Bentley	Kathleen	78%
2	Bentley	Max	78%
3	Chestnutt	Brendan	88%
4	Coggon	Wendy	81%
5	Davies	Dale	0%
6	Ellery	Lisa	78%
7			%
8	George	Raelene	72%
9	Glanfield	Nerida	38%
10	Hodsdon	Mal	88%
11	Horsley	Lorraine	66%
12	Keating	Terry	81%
13	Le Tang	Velicia	65%
14	Lonsdale	Robin	90%
15	McLerie	Linda	91%
16	McLoughlin	Anne	103%
17	Martin	Donnie	66%
18	Roadnight	Esther	106%
19	Temby	Julia	0%
20	Velander	Fredrik	59%
21	Vekemans	Neri	22%
22	Verstegen	Mary	100%
23	Williams	Diana	78%
24	Ennis	Geraldine	63%

MARCH



13th Neil Sedaka 1939
14th Albert Einstein 1879
15th Fabio 1961
16th Jerry Lewis 1926
17th Nat "King" Cole 1919
18th Queen Latifah 1970
19th Wyatt Earp 1848

MEET AND GREET

Most weeks our club has visitors to our meeting, be they Guest Speakers, Visiting Rotarians or Club member Guests. We should all make them feel welcome and ensure they are introduced to President Anne prior to the commencement of the meeting. Anne asks that all Club members make all visitors feel welcome when they attend our meetings.



GOLDFIELDS ROTARACT

MEET: 1st and 3rd Thursday of the month.
6.30pm for a 7pm start.
Hannans Club
Rotarians welcome

9-15 March
World Rotaract Week

ROTARACT INFORMATION EVENING

Thursday 19 March
6.30 for a 7pm start
Hannans Club

Members please encourage any young people you know between the ages of 18 and 30 to come along and find out about Rotaract in the Goldfields

2009-2010 INBOUND EXCHANGE STUDENT

The club will be looking to host our next Inbound Exchange Student in July of this year. Prior to that date we need to have certain things in place. The main one being:

Host Families Are you interested? This will entail you completing a Host Family Application (This applies whether or not you have hosted a Youth Exchange student in the past or not).

We will require 4 host families who will host the student for a 12 week period.

IMPORTANT: You, your partner and any members of your family who are over 18 who live with you will need to have a Working with Children Card.

If you would be able to host the student for a weekend or a few days if the host family is going away etc then please let us know as well.

If you would like a Host Family Application please contact Esther.



**ROTARY PEACE PARK
BUSY BEE
8.30am SATURDAY 18 April
AND SUNDAY 19 APRIL, if required**

At this stage Council will:

Install reticulation to the area to be grassed.

Install swing set

Install halfcourt basket ball court

There is a garden bed on the bank that needs planting. There will be 300 plants to be planted. These will be provided by Council. As part of our commitment to Peace Park we will plant these plants and install the drippers in the appropriate places. The main reticulation will be in place ready for us.

We will be required to spread the mulch on this garden area.

We will also be installing the fitness equipment that is being provided.

A BBQ Lunch will be held for workers on Saturday

ROTARY OBJECTIVES

The object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster.....

- First: The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service.
- Second: High ethical standards in business and professions; the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations; and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society.
- Third: The application of the ideal of Service in each Rotarians personal, business and community life;
- Fourth: The advancement of International understanding, goodwill and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.

4 WAY TEST

1. Is it the TRUTH?

2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?

3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?

4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all?

RDU CASH BACK OFFER TO CLUBS

Last year we took part in the RDU promotion that gave the Club the opportunity, if they promoted RDU in their Bulletin each week, to earn additional cash for the Club. We are going to participate again this year. If you do wish to order anything from RDU let Esther know and the order will be placed under the Club name which will enable us to get the rebate at the end of the year

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CLUB CALENDAR

						ACTIVITIES
MARCH Literacy Month	6 th Ellen Aperios, Sam Scattini RYLA Meeting Manager: Terry Keating	13 th Club Forum Kylie Pettit, Treasurer Goldfields Rotaract Meeting Manager: Velicia le Tang	20 th Speaker pending confirmation Meeting Manager: Robin Lonsdale	27 th Speaker Pending confirmation Meeting Manager: Donnie Martin		1 st Bunnings Sausage Sizzle (Organised by Club Service) 4 th Board Meeting 9-15 March World Rotaract Week
APRIL Magazine Month	3 rd Meeting Manager: Linda McLerie	10 th GOOD FRIDAY	17 th CLUB FORUM Meeting Manager: Fredrik Welander	24 th Meeting Manager: Neri Vekemans		
MAY Australian Rotary Health Research Fund Month	1 st Meeting Manager: Mary Verstegen	8 th Club Forum Meeting Manager: Diana Williams	15 th Meeting Manager: Max Bentley	22 nd Meeting Manager: Kathleen Bentley	29 th	1 st Board meeting