

Rotary Club of Kincumber



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OCTOBER IS

ECONOMIC & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT MONTH

70% of the world's poorest people live in rural areas and depend on agriculture and related activities for their livelihood.
-Rotary International

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District 9685 Conference
18-19 March 2022

Navigating Change

bit.ly/navigatingchange2022

Medicine
Prof Dwyer
COVID19 WHO team to China

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Prof. Sahajwalla
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Sophie Ford
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PRESIDENT BRUCE'S MESSAGE

Hello All

I hope you are all staying safe and well. We have been extremely lucky to have had mostly beautiful weather lately, mind you some days have been quite cool.

It seems COVID inoculations are increasing state-wide and hopefully we should be out of lockdown shortly with restrictions lifted.

The Premier has suggested this will start as soon as we reach the 11th October date and that by the 1st of December most venues will begin to

open up with their rules and regulations of entry defined.

At that point we can once again get back to some sort of normality, visiting hair salons, pubs & clubs, etc.

Since our last newsletter we have enjoyed three guest speakers. Firstly, we had Fiona Lloyd and then the following week Maree Jenner. Maree was at our first ever Zoom TEK meeting. Our next guest speaker was Jan Brown, our club's Foundation Director, who gave us a fabulous and informative presentation about the Rotary Foundation. The attendance was great from both Erina and Terrigal clubs.



Image Source: Rotary District 9685

DISTRICT PRESIDENT'S UPDATE

On Saturday I attended a District Governors President's meeting in which we were given reports by the DG.

These reports covered various topics, including insurance, COVID exclusions and guidelines, stall holders' insurance, the Big RED Bus and Miss a Meal deal.

We were also advised that the Polio Train ride was to be postponed until the 23rd February 2022 which was understandable.

The District Governor's newsletter is due on the 7th October and the e-newsletter on the 21st October, so if you do not receive a copy please contact me and I can onforward.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Another reminder is that Mental Health day (Tin Hat Day) is just around the corner on the 10th October.

A suggestion would be that we donate \$5 each to our charity account. Charity account at the Bendigo Bank - BSB: 633 000 Acct # 163875 0245.

The members feedback would be appreciated on this suggestion.?

I came across an interesting report by PDG, Susan Wakefield OAM, on empowering girls and I am waiting for the various slides to come through so I can share them with you all. There has also been a suggestion/project of "the Lock-down Walkathon", which I will share further once I have more information.

Please remember to diarise the forthcoming District Conference - Navigating Change" which will be attended by some fabulous guest speakers.

Looking forward to hopefully getting back to Face-to-Face meetings in October.

Have a great month

Cheers from your President,

Bruce Dent

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Our meetings will continue via zoom until we come out of this second successive lockdown.

Rotary

monthly themes

- DECEMBER** Disease Prevention and Treatment month
- JANUARY** Vocational Service month
- FEBRUARY** Peace and Conflict Prevention/Resolution month
- MARCH** Water and Sanitation month
- APRIL** Maternal and Child Health month
- MAY** Youth Service month
- JUNE** Rotary Fellowships month
- AUGUST** Membership and New Club Development month
- SEPTEMBER** Basic Education and Literacy month
- OCTOBER** Economic and Community Development month
- NOVEMBER** Rotary Foundation month

Quiz Time

Answers from Issue 29 (23rd

August 2021)

1. Frost
2. Candle in the Wind
3. Victoria
4. Clear
5. Four

Quiz 2 - Questions

1. According to a common saying to attack a task fearlessly is to "Take the bull by ..." What?
2. Name the part of the eye is a synonym for a "Student"?
3. What coloured hat does the Nintendo character Mario wear?
4. In what year was the first Harry Potter novel published... 1997, 1999 or 2001?
5. Henry Higgins is a major character in which stage musical?

A Message from Ralph Brown

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING, DECEMBER 2021

An agenda item for the AGM is always the election of the Board members for the ensuing year, in this case for the period commencing 1st July, 2022 to the 30th June, 2023.

This is the most important activity for the club as succession planning will ensure the continuation of a vibrant, inclusive and tolerant Rotary club.

Please consider nomination for a Board position. Being President or holding a club executive position is a great learning experience and one where you will gain knowledge, skills and confidence.

Click into My Rotary or Rotary District 9685 for information about how clubs conduct business and what services are available.

Talk to any experienced Rotarian in the club who will confirm what a good experience being a club President can be.

Membership Networking Event Update

Membership Networking Event tentatively scheduled for Monday 29 November 2021, at Davistown RSL Club.

Each one Bring one.

Please send names and contact details of your interested party to Christine Owen christine_owen@bigpond.com so that contact can be made prior to the event given the delay due to lockdown.

**EACH ONE
BRING ONE**

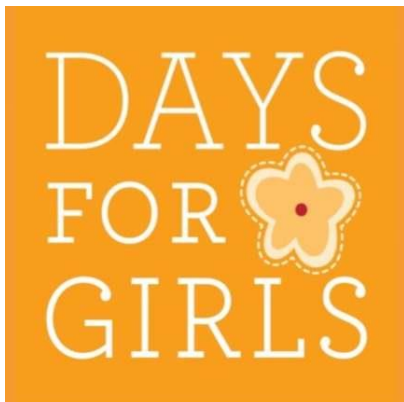


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<https://www.rotaryclubofeleuthera.org/Stories/membership-month-each-one-bring-one>

We were recently contacted by Rotarian Barbara Kitto of WA seeking support with the Knitting of slippers and beanies for some 400 orphan Myanmar children living in a hostel in northern Thailand - Borderless Friendship.

Tina Latham, 15 Day for Girls volunteers and two Kincumber Rotarians have come onboard to assist with the knitting of these Beanies & Slippers for this request. Congratulations to Tina and her volunteers for taking this task on board. Image Credits: Borderless Friendship WA & Days for Girls Avoca Facebook Pages & Rosebank Rotary Club



UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday 10th October 2021

Hat Day: Let's All Lift the Lid on Mental Illness

Monday 29th November 2021 (Tentative Date)

Membership Networking Event, Davistown RSL Club

Friday 18th & Saturday 19th March 2022

DISTRICT 9685 CONFERENCE: Navigating Change

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(rotary_kincumber)

Website: <http://www.kincumberrotary.org>



Rotary Club of Kincumber; CURRENT MEETING TIMES

Evenings: 7pm AEST, Monday via Zoom until the easing of restrictions

Please join us for a meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83739431233?pwd=MnM3RUVNL2ZYSlg2Nzg1dGtVQ3ZUUT09>

Zoom Details: Meeting ID: 837 3943 1233 Password: RoK2251

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