



CREATE HOPE in the WORLD



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The Rotary Club of Brisbane Centenary Graham's Gossip!

18th October 2023

The Rotary Club of Brisbane Centenary Inc. meets on Wednesday at 6:30am for 6:45am at:

Kingsford Terrace,
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Corinda.

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President Graham Osterfield

Hi All,

Don't forget 29th October at Rocks Riverside Park. It's an 8:00 am start for the "Walk and Talk for mental health". We have plenty of flyers so please contact me so I can arrange to get some to you to help spread the word. I have been walking the streets and putting flyers in letterboxes or on the cars windscreen wipers. My contact 0418 888 123.

Members, please note that the meeting on 25 October will be at 7:45 am and will be held at Jamboree Heights State School with the students. Some Year 6 students are participating in the Rotary Junior Community Awards at the school and observing a meeting is part of the requirements for the Award. Our Rotary Club meeting is an opportunity for them to satisfy this criteria and for our Club to help the students gain their Awards.

John Woodward & the staff at Stoddards are collecting old phones which will then go to an organisation to refresh them and distribute to people who need help due to experiencing domestic violence. Our club will also make a financial contribution.

Graham

This week

Board Meeting 6:30am

**Craig Parker—Director
Casse
Creating a safe
supported environment**

25 October

**Jamboree Heights
State School 7:45am**

27th October

**Our usual end of month
social.**

1st November

Club Assembly



DISTRICT
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8TH TO 10TH
MARCH 2024



The Board for 2022 – 23

President
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Graham Osterfield
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Di Scotte
Andrew Rodgers
John Woodward
Neville Blomeley
Nick Curry

That was the week that was or TW3

Rotary Talk: Neville Blomeley told us about Nancy Santiappilai from Uni of Sydney who received the Rotary Club of Blacktown City PhD scholarship in partnership with ARH . She is doing great research on high-resolution assessment of cancer cell metabolism for Prostate Cancer treatment.

Treasurer: A great result from last Bunnings- \$3000 profit.

Club Admin: discussed upcoming meetings. Christmas Party to be held at a restaurant- NB to research. Last meeting of the year- 20th December, 1st meeting in the New Year- 17th January.

Guest Speaker—Lester Drew

AG Lester Drew then discussed key issues He presented a Level 1 Club Annual Donor Award to President Graham - for 100% \$US100 Rotary Foundation contributions.

RARE- opening of new facility on 28th October.

He discussed the Lift the Lid walk which we are already well advanced with planning for ours on 28th October.

Wendy Protheroe will conduct a Train the Trainer session on 22nd October between 9am and 2 pm.

Our DG wants us to concentrate on Domestic Violence programmes. There will be a Walk for DV late November/early December- we are encouraged to organise our shirts for that. There was an order form on the GIST.

Sue Rogers is supporting Shelter Box for her project.

Membership - With PDG Jitendra, a combined meeting of 5 Clubs held a session where local people could come to the meeting and discuss with the group their desired projects. Each person who did that was invited by one of the Clubs and some talks also gave the " prospective " members Rotary information. Lester felt that that part did not work well because it made people a bit reluctant to then talk about their ideas. Lester encouraged our Club to be part of a similar session in the near future- he will be in contact about that.

Foundation dinner at Tatts Club on 3rd November.

Rotary photo comp discussed in GIST.

Reminder that Roger Crawfoot is the District historian and to work on getting more of our history together.

District AGM- 12/11.

Regionalisation- another District has pulled out of the process and it is not progressing



Borderline was founded in 2019 by Cody Schaeffer who identified a need for an organisation relatable to the needs of Youth experiencing Mental Health issues. Through their immersive camps they have been very effective in creating a self-supporting network, with the participants establishing strong relationships.



Rotary has been a strong supporter of Borderline,

this was recognised at their recent 2023 "the Bordie Awards" where Rotary International, the Rotary Club of Jimboomba, Rotary Club of Brisbane Centenary, District 9620, the Rotary Club of Archerfield, the Rotary E Club of Global Trekkers, Northern Gold Coast Rotaract Club, and the Rotary Club of Brisbane Taylor Bridge all received recognition of their valued support.

The event was spectacular and filled with the enthusiasm of the Borderline community comprised of past participants, volunteers, and members of the community.





Our last Bunnings BBQ.....What a great success with over \$3,000 being raised! Well done to all that served!!!



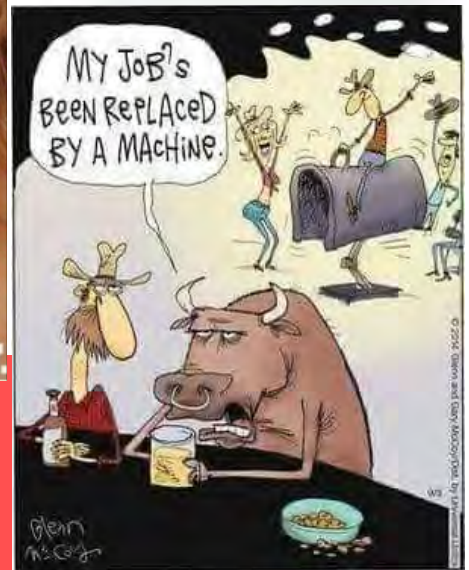
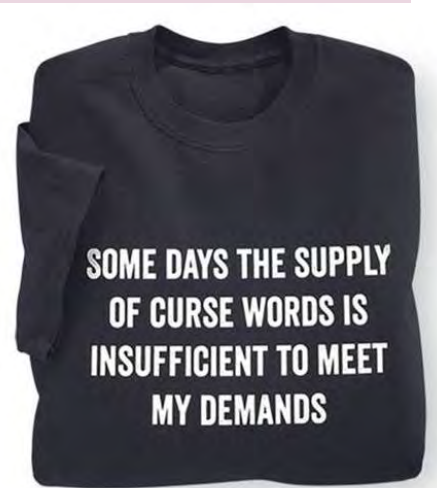
Today (a while ago)!

- 1356** Basel earthquake, the most significant historic seismological event north of the Alps, destroys the town of Basel, Switzerland.
- 1597** King Philip II of Spain send his third and final armada against England, but ends in failure due to storms. The remaining ships are captured or sunk by the English
- 1867** United States takes possession of Alaska after purchasing it from Russia for \$7.2 million. Celebrated annually in the state as Alaska Day
- 1922** The British Broadcasting Company (later Corporation) is founded by a consortium, to establish a nationwide network of radio transmitters to provide a national broadcasting service.
- 1945** Argentine military officer and politician Juan Perón marries actress Eva Duarte.
- 1954** Texas Instruments announces the first transistor radio.

SMILE...



An Orangutan is sitting in his enclosure in the zoo. In one hand he has the Holy Bible; in the other, Darwin's *On the Origin of Species*. "I can't figure it out" he thinks; "one says I'm my brother's keeper, and the other says I'm my keeper's brother!"



Some people call me crazy. I prefer happy with a twist.



The Club welcomed:

Craig Carson 15 October 2015

Congratulations and happy anniversary to:

John and Robyn Woodward 24 October



The 4-way Test

Of the things we think, say or do

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 concerned?

Duty	18 October	1 November
Chair	Dianne Scotte	John Woodward
Duty Officer	Craig Carson	Nev Blomeley
Fellowship Officer	John Woodward	Craig Carson
Rotary talk	Nick Curry	Gerry Gebert