

'The Rotor'—the Official Newsletter of the Rotary Club of Mackay Inc 5th April, 2022
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Program

Date	Topic	Speaker	Sergeant	Toast	Attendance	Scribe	Chair
12/4/22	MRC events	Mark Sleeman	Mick Martin		Mike Thackray Rob Denman	John Hocking	James Wortley
19/4/22					Lyn & Rob Denman		
26/4/22							

President's Message



When I accepted the request from Crossroad Art's Sponsorship and Development Officer Melissa Broadhurst for someone to come and present at one of our Rotary meetings, I had no idea of just how special that presentation would turn out to be. It was truly a privilege to "watch & listen" to Crossroad Arts

Ambassador/Artist in residence Brendan Borellini inform members about what his not for profit community inclusive arts organisation was all about. Ably assisted by Artistic Director and CEO of Crossroad Arts, Alison Richardson, Brendan showed that being deaf and blind is no impediment to being able to perform and contribute to all aspects of the community he lives and works in. A very unique and enjoyable night for us all.

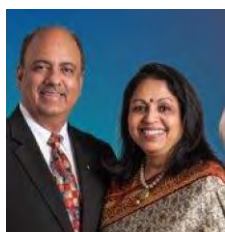
With our club needing to consider suitable beneficiaries of our upcoming Mayor Charity Golf event, I will certainly be

discussing with my board the option of a contribution to the Crossroad Arts 2022 Annual Giving Program mentioned by Alison and Brendan.

Speaking of our Charity Golf Day, while we have had a couple of good leads for hole sponsors, can I again ask all members to give thought to any businesses or acquaintances who could be approached to sponsor a hole or even enter a team to play on the day.

A number of Rotary Mackay Corporate Club members will be joining us next meeting, so please take time to chat and get to know them, and make them welcome in true rotary fellowship manner. With only a couple of weeks now till the ARH Lift the Lid Walk, hosted by the Corporate Club this year, it is a good opportunity to find out how we can assist them to make the walk a great success again this year.

President John



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Club Calendar and Announcements

- Sat 9th & Sun 10th April – RLI training Mackay. Confirmed as going ahead.
- Sun 10th April – Mt Pleasant meat tray raffle
- 20th – 26th April – rescheduled RYLA @ Caves Rockhampton
- 22nd- 24th April – RYPEN Yeppoon PCYC
- Sun 24th April – ARH Lift the Lid Walk
- Sat 30th April – Mon 2nd May – 9560 District Conference in Mackay. Don't forget to register
- Fri 13th May – Mayor's Charity Golf Day
- 14-16 June – Mackay Show
- Sat 17th July – Wine & Food Day Queens Park

Other Announcements-

If not already done so, don't forget to register for the upcoming 9560 District Conference at :

[2022 Conference - Rotary 9560](#)

Checkout latest district newsletter at:

[Rotary District 9560 Newsletter April 2022](#)



Organised by Rotary Mackay Corporate Club this year, helpers required for setup and running the event. See details at : [MACKAY | LIFT THE LID WALK](#)

Birthdays and Anniversaries

Member Birthday

Tracie Harvison 7th April

Wedding Anniversaries

Ray and Sonia Muller 13th April

Next Meat Tray raffle Sun 10th April



Ticket sellers:

First shift: (9-11am) Laurie Mayer, Rob Denman

Second Shift: (11-1pm) Laurie Mayer , Noel Kidd



Sergeant's Sessions



Sergeant for the night PP Frank Gilbert had obviously been doing a bit of online research for the night as he took to the lectern with a palm full of card prompts. The current conflict in Eastern Europe was definitely on his mind,

but he lightened the mood with a couple of warmly received jokes and fines including:

- Lyn Denham – for being “rude” or something
- Mil Rowan – as welcome to our club
- those that benefitted from recent federal budget, Frank then tried to see how much attention we had been paying of late with a quick trivia quiz to name – 7 countries that border Ukraine (Belarus, Hungary, Moldova, Poland, Romania, Russia and Slovakia). Nobody got them all correct, but at least Frank made a couple more dollars to keep a smile of John Cool’s dial !

Heads and Tails winner – Rod Froyland



District Conference Information



2022 Conference
Mackay 30 April – 2 May



One Team, One Goal

Rotary
District 9560



**YOU ARE INVITED TO JOIN ROTARIANS FROM ACROSS
NORTHERN AUSTRALIA AND TIMOR-LESTE FOR**

ROTARY DISTRICT 9560 CONFERENCE

Mackay Entertainment and Convention Centre

Our **special rate*** provides a unique opportunity for you to hear from a range of inspirational, entertaining speakers, and learn about the amazing work of Rotarians and Rotary Clubs in local and global communities

SUNDAY, 1 MAY 2022 - 8.30 am - 4.00 pm
HEAR FROM THESE SPEAKERS, AND MORE!



PROFESSOR JOHN SKERRITT
Deputy Secretary
Commonwealth Department of Health

'One Team, One Goal - the Health System and the Journey to Life after COVID-19'



RACHAEL ROBERTSON
Antarctic Expedition Leader

'Leading on the Edge'



DOROTHY HODDINOTT
Human Rights Advocate

'Refugees'

MONDAY, 2 MAY 2022 - 8.30 am - 1.00 pm
HEAR FROM THESE SPEAKERS, AND MORE!



PROFESSOR PIERRE VILJOEN
Central Qld University
Assoc Vice-President North Queensland Region

'Horizon of Opportunity'



NICK BEVERIDGE
Paralympian

'Leading Yourself'



MARY O'BRIEN
Mental Health Advocate

'Are you bogged mate?'

SPECIAL RATE - \$85 TO ATTEND ALL DAY SESSIONS

**Includes all meals available each day: Excludes evening functions*

Guest Speaker presentation



We are a local not-for-profit community inclusive arts organisation, a Public Benevolent Institution with DGR status and a registered charity. Crossroad Arts is dedicated to creating outstanding inclusive art experiences for all people. We work with people with and without disability to create outstanding and original performances, to build stronger communities, challenge stereotypes and transform thinking now and for future Mackay generations



The presentation was delivered by Ambassador/Artist in residence Brendan Borellini and Artistic Director/ CEO of Crossroad Arts, Alison Richardson. They were also accompanied on the night by support worker Nikki Hay. Brendan is deaf and blind, and uses a braille device called a "Mantis" – translates word and PDF documents, linked up to his phone and bluetooth to PC.



A very engaging and informative session with Alison assisting Brendan to present to members. We learned how to use deaf/blind alphabet.



In 2022 – “An unexpected tour” was performed at Mulherin park in Mackay, Brendan recorded an interview with his mum and also recorded a song. We also watched a 5 minute video of the event showing performances and interviews with audience and participants



For more detailed information about Crossroad Arts Mackay visit their very informative website:
<https://www.crossroadarts.com.au/>



Just for a laugh

The Statue

A woman was in bed with her lover when she heard her husband opening the front door. "Hurry!" she said. "Stand in the corner." She quickly rubbed baby oil all over him and then she dusted him with talcum powder. "Don't move until I tell you to," she whispered. "Just pretend you're a statue." "What's this honey?" the husband inquired as he entered the room.

"Oh, its just a statue," she replied nonchalantly. "The Smiths bought one for their bedroom. I liked it so much, I got one for us too."

No more was said about the statue, not even later that night when they went to sleep. Around two in the morning the husband got out of bed, went to the kitchen and returned a while later with a sandwich and a glass of milk. "Here," he said to the 'statue', "eat something. I stood like an idiot at the Smith's for three days and nobody offered me so much as a glass of water".



Past Presidents

1926-28 - WA Amiet*	1947-48 - HR Hart	1967-68 - JR Allen	1987-88 - I Hamilton	2007-08 - M Buckeridge
1928-29 - AMM Galletly	1948-49 - FK Smith	1968-69 - NB Jackson	1988-89 - G Williamson	2008-09 - F Gilbert
1929-30 - CR Croker	1949-50 - L Cain	1969-70 - KR Nielsen	1989-90 - RW Dawson	2009-10 - R Phillips
1930-31 - MJ Gallagher	1950-51 - F Jorgensen	1970-71 - G Hamilton	1990-91 - DC Graham	2010-11 - J Hocking
1931-32 - OE Neale	1951-52 - H Reilly	1971-72 - EJ Parsons	1991-92 - R Beasley	2011-12 - G Sutherland*
1932-33 - R Taylor	1952-53 - J Griffin	1972-73 - RJ Searle*	1992-93 - S Boyd	2012-13 - A Ruming
1933-34 - SH Tait	1953-54 - I Chenoweth	1973-74 - EN Lever	1993-94 - D Connole	2013-14 - L Mayer
1934-35 - FN Hales	1954-55 - CN Barton	1974-75 - GT McLean	1994-95 - K Blinco	2014-15 - J Pennisi/G
1935-36 - FS Williams	1955-56 - MJ Beirne	1975-76 - PD Coghlan	1995-96 - S Hawkins	Sutherland*
1936-37 - M Darcey Collins	1956-57 - A Soxman	1976-77 - KH Franklin	1996-97 - K Giles	2015-16 - M Jewell
1937-38 - R Taylor	1957-58 - ME Low	1977-78 - GH Muntz	1998-99 - B Deaves	2016-17 - T Block
1938-39 - N Bennett	1958-59 - HL Bagley	1978-79 - VC Brake	1997-98 - G Chappell	2017-18 - A Pozza*
1939-40 - K Carroll	1959-60 - AWS Galletly	1979-80 - JD Tait	1999-00 - B Lee	2018-19 - T Jaggar/A Pozza*
1940-41 - GE Reichelman	1960-61 - DJ Murray	1980-81 - SR Wallace	2000-01 - R Senini	2019-20 - J Wortley
1941-42 - A Taylor	1961-62 - TJ Abbiss	1981-82 - RJ Searle*	2001-02 - P Graham	2020-21 - P Graham*
1942-43 - RE James/ A Taylor	1962-63 - P Leivesley	1982-83 - JV Kane	2002-03 - I Hope	
1943-44 - HH Weston	1963-64 - FC Ruffle	1983-84 - AJ Wallace	2003-04 - K Kelly	* Multiple years of service as President
1944-45 - HJ Tuffley	1964-65 - N Ullman	1984-85 - WM Ungerer	2004-05 - G Sutherland*	
1945-46 - FC Field	1965-66 - GA Nolan	1985-86 - SB Fursman	2005-06 - F Hayes	
1946-47 - WA Amiet*	1966-67 - CM Manning	1986-87 - R Ellick	2006-07 - T Vella	

Five Avenues of Service

1999-00 – Ray Muller	2000-01 – Jolyon Forsyth	2007-08 Michael wright
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Paul Harris Fellows

Abbott, Sir Albie	Denman, Robert* (1998)	Hansen, Lloyd (1988)	Martin, Mick (2011)	Sutherland, Blanche (2013)
Allen, John (1988)	Eastment, Eric (2009)	Hayes, Frank (2009)	Mayer, Laurie (2020)	Sutherland, Greg (2006)
Baguley, Fredrick (2011)	Ellick, Ray (1988)	Hayes, Terry (2005)	Muller, Ray (1994)	Tait, John (1989)
Bani, Jameson (2014)	Field, Frederick (1981)	Henry, Norm* (2009)	Murray, Don* (1978)	Taylor, Henry (1981)
Barnett, Adrienne (2015)	Forsyth, Jolyon (2005)	Hocking, John (2011)	Murray, Ursula (1997)	Taylor John (Chemist) (2004)
Blinco, Keith (2002)	Franklin, Kenneth (1990)	Hodda, Margaret (2007)	Nancarrow, Heather (2010)	Taylor, John (Cool) (2006)
Bliss, Samantha (2014)	Froyland, Rod (2020)	Hodda, Bob (2007)	Nosco, Gordon (2004)	Treacy, Father Kevin (2005)
Block, Joy (2016)	Fursman, Stanley* (1989)	Hogeveen, Anita (2019)	Pozza, Andrea (2019)	Vella, Josie (2006)
Braithwaite, Ray (2001)	Galletly, Andrew (1985)	Hollingsworth, Ala (2014)	Power, David (2017)	Vuti, Alicita (2014)
Buckeridge, Karen** (2010)	Gibbs, George (2000)	Hope, Ian (2008)	Pratt, David (1981)	Wallace, Ross (1991)
Buckeridge, Michael** (2009)	Gibson, Bruce (1999)	Hyland, Ross (2012)	Roddenby, Peter (2016)	Wallace, Tony (1991)
Casey, Edmund (2001)	Gibson, Adrian (2002)	Jewell, Michael (2020)	Roddenby, Roz (2011)	Warren, Elizabeth (2006)
Casey, Kevin (2018)	Gilbert Frank* (2010)	Jewell, Rita (2015)	Ross, Henry (1983)	Whitmore, Greg* (1995)
Chappell, Greg (2005)	Giles, Kevin (1999)	Kelly, Joyce* (2013)	Saunders, Lena (2013)	Williamson, Greg (2016)
Chenoweth, Ian (1981)	Glanville, John (2005)	Kelly, Ken* (2007)	Schembri, Paul (2015)	Wicks, Tracey (2011)
Coghlan, Joan (1995)	Goldup, Richie (2006)	Kane, James (1991)	Searle, Helen (1999)	Wortley, James (2021)
Coghlan, Paul (1988)	Graham, Don* (1992)	Kidd, Noel (2008)	Searle, Ronald* (1987)	Wright, Bernice (2003)
Curran, Nancy (2011)	Graham, Judy (2012)	Lang, John (2019)	Shore, Di (2011)	Wright, Michael* (2002)
Daveson, Carmel* (2003)	Graham, Peter* (2003)	Lee, Jodie (2019)	Soxman, Albert (1984)	
Dean, Margaret (2012)	Hamilton, Ian (1990)	Linsley, Charles (2017)	Stewart, Barry (1998)	
Denman, Lyn (2012)	Hamilton, Val (1994)	Marrs, James (2018)	Strange, Geoffrey (2008)	

* Denotes multiple PHFs and ** Denotes Foundation Benefactors

Honorary Members

Blanche Sutherland	PP Ian Hamilton	PP Greg Williamson
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Club Trophies

The Ron Searle Award

2001 – Barrie Lee	2005 – John Glanville	2009 – Lyn Lewis	2013 – Kimberly Hoile	2017 – Michael Buckeridge
2002 – Robyn Taylor	2006 – Raylene Trewartha	2010 – Lyn Lewis	2014 – Dave Power	2018 – Andrea Pozza
2003 – Ed Casey	2007 – Raylene Trewartha	2011 – John Hocking	2015 – Lyn Lewis	2019 – John Lang
2004 – Peter Graham	2008 – Ray Muller	2012 – Trudie Jaggar	2016 – John Hocking	2020 – Andrea Pozza
				2021 – Michael Buckeridge

The Presidents Trophy

2008 – Don Graham	2011 – Lyn Lewis	2014 – Naomi Otto	2017 – Peter Graham	2020 – Keith Murdoch
2009 – Laurie Mayer	2012 – Reg Le Garde	2015 – Thomas Block	2018 – Norm Henry	2021 – John Lang
2010 – Laurie Mayer	2013 – Mike Wright	2016 – David Power	2019 – Peter Graham	2022 – James Wortley

District Awards

Clem Renouf Trophy – Best Club in District 9570

1993-94 – Dennis Connole	2001-02 – Peter Graham	2002-03 – Ian hope	2004-05 – Greg Sutherland	2010-11 – John Hocking
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Best Club Bulletin

2007-08 – Norm Henry

Area 4 Clubs, Charter Date, Meeting Venues and Times:

Club	Chartered	Sponsor	When	Meets At	Time
Mackay	16.10.1926	Brisbane	Tuesday	Ocean International	17:45 for 18:15
Sarina	13.05.1949	Mackay	2 nd & 4 th Thursday	Sarina Motor Inn	18:00 for 18:30
Mackay West	01.10.1959	Mackay	Wednesday	Shamrock Hotel	17:45 for 18:15
Mackay North	18.03.1970	Mackay West	Thursday	North Mackay Bowls Club	18:00 for 18:15
Pioneer Valley	22.10.1975	Mackay West	2 nd & 4 th Monday	Duke of Edinburgh Hotel	18:30 for 19:00
Port of Mackay	29.05.1984	Mackay North	Friday	Ocean International	12:00 for 12:30
Walkerston	10.10.1991	Mackay West	Tuesday	Duke of Edinburgh Hotel	19:00 for 19:15
Mackay Sunrise	18.05.1992	Mackay	Friday	Ocean International	06:45 for 07:00
Mackay Northern Beaches	20.03.2019	Mackay North	2 nd & 4 th Wednesday	Northern Beaches Bowls Club	18:30 for 19:00

10 RULES FOR EMAIL ETIQUETTE

1. Use A Clear, Professional Subject Line

Show your recipient clearly what the email will cover. Many people will decide whether they will open an email depending on the subject line. For someone who gets hundreds of emails a day, a subject line that is to the point makes it easier for them to sort through their inbox and decide what communications to prioritise.

2. Proofread Every Email You Send

Make sure there are no grammatical or professional errors. Have you spelt the recipient's name correctly? Are there spelling errors? Are you using simple sentence structures and correct capitalisation and punctuation? Ignoring these compromises your professionalism and the credibility of your email.

3. Write Your Email Before Entering the Recipient Email Address

It is always best practice to write the contents of your email first in case you accidentally send the message too early.

4. Double Check You Have the Correct Recipient

There is nothing worse than sending an email to the wrong person or a confidential document to the wrong client or company.

5. Ensure You CC All Relevant Recipients

It is unprofessional to leave out a colleague or client from a relevant email chain. Be mindful of who should be informed about a given matter and respect that.

6. You Don't Always Have to "Reply All"

Think about who needs to read your response; no one wants to read an email chain from 20 people that has nothing to do with them.

7. Reply to your Emails

Most people at some point have felt swamped by the large number of emails they have to sift through. But replying to an email is good etiquette, especially if the sender is expecting a response. Acknowledging you received the email but will get back to the sender at a later time is a professional alternative to ignoring or avoiding certain emails.

8. Include a Signature Block

If your recipient doesn't know anything about you, they may be skeptical of the authenticity of your email. It is professional to include your full name, title, your company and your contact number.

9. Use the Appropriate Level of Formality

For instance, begin with "Dear _____", use "please" and "thank you" where necessary, and always end your email with the appropriate phrase, "Kind regards", "Thank you", "Sincerely" and so on.

10. Keep Emails Brief and to the Point

No one wants to read an enormous chunk of text. You can always follow up on the matter later or suggest they give you a call if they have any queries or concerns.



TIME TO SHINE

SHINE A LIGHT ON YOUR MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES AND HELP RESEARCH INTO MENTAL HEALTH

While some amazing programs are raising awareness of mental health issues and helping people deal with those issues, Rotary is filling a key role with the research needed to build our knowledge about mental health.



Rotary Mackay Corporate invites you to join us for the **2022 Lift The Lid Walk**, helping us raise awareness and elevate the importance of mental Health.

Walk as much or as little as you want. See the website for full details: www.liftthelidwalk.com.au/mackay

LIFT THE LID WALK



FOR MENTAL HEALTH

What: (up to) 8km walk

Where: Bluewater Quay, River Street, Mackay

When: 8am registrations for 9am start, Sunday 24 April 2022

Course: Start at the walk's HQ at Bluewater Quay, walk over the Forgan Bridge, down Barnes Creek Road and along Harbour Road to the 4km mark and then turn and head for home.

Register



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