



Reach Within to Embrace Humanity

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Meeting Apology

Please use the club web-site **before 3 pm** on meeting day to apologise or add a guest, or you will be required to reimburse the club for your meal cost.
<http://www.kuringgairotary.org.au>

Tonight

Steve McGregor
Hon Secretary for the Spitfire Association

**Last Week:
Debate with
RC of Turramurra**



Announcements

John Hessel is improving but will be in hosp. for 3-4 weeks. **Visitors:** he is in Geraghty Ward, Hornsby Hospital, enter via Palmerston Ave.
Bed ph: 8401 0100 + patient number 430899.
Ward office: 9477 9484

Trivia Night - Fri 12 Aug at Chatswood Golf Club, proceeds to Bo Hospital. Space is available - see Greg Newling.

WEBSITE: You can now print your own handy 1-page **Members' Address List**. See "Member Forum - [Member Profiles](#)". (Access to Members Only).

THE GREAT DEBATE

**Congratulations
to our Winning esteemed team!**

Graham Timms, Irene Kennedy and Roger Desmarchelier

Subject: **"Clothes Maketh the Man"**

1st Speaker (Graham) ("Kill 'em with a pre-emptive strike"):



- We are what we wear
- Examined 3 significant events:
- Ancient Athens
- Elizabethan England
- 1912 Germany's defeat of France: The Miracle of the Rhine
- Clothes certainly do maketh the man:

"Naked people rarely have much influence on society!"

The great debate ...cont'd

2nd Speaker Jan (opposition):



- Do we have the right to judge anyone not wearing clothes?
- Today at work, it is more about getting the job done.
- Workers at Google do not have to wear other than casual clothes.
- In today's society, clothes do not maketh the man.

2nd Speaker for Gov't (Irene Kennedy)



(Cool, calm and brutally efficient!)

- Your clothes transmit a very powerful message

3 examples:

- Charities train job-seekers to 'dress for success' & have a professional wardrobe

- Reality TV shows: to be well-dressed makes us feel good

- Clothing fashion industry in Australia
- Dressing for special events: weddings, funerals, night club.
- Clothes can be an equalizer:

"You never get a second chance to make a first impression!"

2nd Speaker for Opposition (Harry)



- Do you think less of Mr Abbott in his bungie smuglers?
- Don't judge a book by its cover, e.g. Nelson Mandella, Ghandi, Richard Nixon
- It is more about what they contributed to society, rather than what they wore.

3rd Speaker for Gov't (Roger Desmarchelier)



(The suit says it all - perfect, professional)

- Notice I am wearing a suit. There are no thongs or T-shirts in the room tonight

- Richard Nixon wore a crumpled suit during that famous debate with Kennedy!

- Yellow jersey for the Tour de France - *"give wings to the wearer"*

- Fashion shops are selling the dream

- Culturally, the importance of clothes is clear: nurses, policemen, hospital workers
- Clothes are a very important part of many ethnic societies

"Naked people have little or no influence on society!"

3rd Speaker for Opposition (Jay)

(surprised the audience when he took his shirt off!)

- Clothes do not maketh the man
- Do you remember what these important people wore on stage? - Billy Connolly, and other comedians
- It is your words, your actions, the courage of your convictions - not the clothes that maketh the man



- As the shirt came off:

"Clothes never will make the man!"

Adjudicator: Doug Stewart (Rostrum)

Graham: "impressive research, excellent speech"

Jan: "what a very pleasant speech this was"

Irene: "a smashing quotation at the end"

Harry: "liked Mark Train's quote about naked men"

Roger: "very good rounding up speech"

Jay: "a caged lion in his performance"





ABBOTSLEIGH

YOU ARE INVITED TO A WONDERFUL EVENING OF MUSIC

MUSICAL SOIREE

DATE: Saturday 20th August, 2011
VENUE: Peter Duly Concert Hall
Abbotsleigh School for Girls
TIME: 7.30pm
TICKETS: \$50.00 (light supper served)



MC for the evening **Mark Scott AO**
(Managing Director of the ABC).

Artists performing on this evening will be -



Gerard Willems is one of Australia's finest concert pianists and leading Beethoven scholars. He is the first Australian and Dutch pianist to record the complete Beethoven Sonata cycle and Beethoven Concertos on CD for the ABC. In 2001, he was the inaugural Queen Elizabeth II Music Scholar and in 2003 he was awarded a Centenary Medal for Services to Music.

Joshua Tsai a pianist, who has taught at Abbotsleigh and the Sydney Conservatorium of music since 1985.

Also, the Abbotsleigh School for Girls 60 piece orchestra will perform the "Lord of the Rings" by Howard Shore and the 160 voice choir accompanied by the orchestra will sing the Dies Irae from Requiem by Karl Jenkins.

RSVP: 14th August
Telephone: 9416 9824 OR email kyds@bigpond.com
Please pay via paypal at www.kyds.org.au/funding

Rotary Club of Ku-ring-gai Bank Accounts

From 1 July 2011 we have a new bank account at Westpac Turramurra.

Rotary Club of Ku ring gai **Project** account
BSB 032089
Account 253333

Rotary Club of Ku ring gai **General** account
BSB 032089
Account 253341

Claims must be presented with a completed remittance advice which you can download from the WEB.

All payments to you will be made electronically (I do not have a cheque book) so please include your BSB and account when you make a claim.

When you make a payment please ensure you include your name in the details



Lifeline

Harbour to Hawkesbury

CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION

*In appreciation of the generous
support to Lifeline
Harbour to Hawkesbury fundraising*

**Rotary Club
of Ku-ring-gai**



Wendy Carver
Chief Executive Officer

2011

Extracts from the AUGUST Edition of ROTARY DOWN UNDER

Polio Plus

Dear ROTARY CLUB OF KU-RING-GAI

We're taking on the big guns in *Rotary Down Under* this month. At the recent Rotary International Convention in New Orleans, Bill Gates Jr named Australia as one of three countries that had been part of the Global Polio Eradication project but had disengaged. He urged Rotarians in those countries to use all resources available to apply whatever pressure they could to politicians in order to get them to re-engage.

So in August, *Rotary Down Under* is publishing an open letter to Prime Minister Julia Gillard to do just that. We're printing the letter on Page 35, and also a downloadable version in a Microsoft Word document (naturally!), that Rotarians will be able to print off and send, or cut and paste into the space provided on the Prime Minister's own Parliamentary website.

It's not about politics -- it's about doing anything and everything we can as Rotarians to End Polio Now!



Rotarians Doing Business

We now have well over a thousand businesses registered with [Rotarians Doing Business](#), *Rotary Down Under's* free professional services & trades directory of Rotarians for Rotarians available to any Rotarians wishing to advertise their business.

If, in the course of your club's service activity, you need a solicitor, a carpenter, an electrician or an accountant, or maybe a florist, event organizer or any other type of business, it makes sense to do that business with a Rotarian.

Of course, you can use the directory for your own purposes too.

If you want to participate in this initiative, please drop a note to your club secretary with the following information:

- Business type:
- Business name:
- Contact name:
- Rotary Club:
- Phone:
- Mobile Phone:
- Fax:
- Email:
- Website URL:

Free Community Event - SAN Hosp



PLASTICS, RECONSTRUCTIVE & COSMETIC SURGERY PUBLIC FORUM

Wednesday 10 August 2011, 6.30pm for 7pm start

Sydney Adventist Hospital, Level 2 Conference Room

The community are invited to attend this informative evening featuring leading medical specialists, light refreshments and health displays.

- The Scope of Plastic Surgery - from Injectable Treatments to Reconstruction
- Breast Reconstruction following Mastectomy
- Cosmetic Surgery of the Face, Brow & Eye areas
- Breast Augmentation as Day Surgery - new Polyurethane implants

BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL - phone 9487 9871 or email comrel@sah.org.au
185 Fox Valley Road, Wahroonga 2076 Website: www.sah.org.au
Free Parking Available

SAN DAY SURGERY HORNSBY

Guest Speakers

See club website: "Member Forum - Events" for whole year listing of events

1 Aug	Steve McGregor, Honorary Secretary for the Spitfire Association
12 Sep	District Governor's visit

Apologies & Guests

Members are booked in to attend every regular meeting of the Club, if you cannot attend a meeting or wish to book in a guest / partner please access the WEB at <http://www.kuringgairotary.org.au> before 3.00 pm on the day of the meeting. An apology for future meetings may also be entered. If you do not apologise for non-attendance the Club must pay for your meal and you will be asked to reimburse the Club.

Market roster

MARKET ROSTER	14-Aug	11-Sep
BANNERS	White, Frank	White, Frank
SIGNS	Timms, Graham	Timms, Graham
	Hungerford, Geoff	Hungerford, Geoff
MORNING SET UP	White, Frank	White, Frank
	Thompson, John	Thompson, John
PR	Lam-Rohlf, Linda	Lam-Rohlf, Linda
1ST SHIFT 8.00 to 10.30	Braid, Malcolm	Forbes, Wally
	Jackson, Tom	
2ND SHIFT 10.30 to 1.00	Hoch, Chris	Evans, Emyr
	Midlam, Michael	Houghton, Judy
3RD SHIFT 1.00 to 3.30	Coenen, Lou	Egan, Ross
		Krishnan, Bala

MARKET DUTIES: You must initiate changes & advise Geoff Hungerford. Third Shift returns signs & bins to St George Bank

Door team

Duty	August	September
Greeter	Graham Timms	Judy Houghton
Team	Linda Lam Rohlf	Bob Ivey
Team	Ross Egan	Chris Hoch

NOTE: The door team is responsible for welcoming visitors and guests, recording payments and issuing copies of the record to the President, Secretary and Bulletin Editor. Please arrange your own replacement.

Happy days August 2011

Birthdays	Anniversaries
Ross Goodman 17 Aug Eleanor Filewood 18 Aug Greg Newling 23 Aug	Nil