#### **Rotary Club Of** Ku-ring-gai Inc Chartered 6th February 1959



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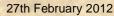
#### **Meeting Apology**

Please use the club website 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

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www.kuringgairotary.org.au The club meets every Monday 6.30pm at West Pymble Bowling Club

## Next 2 Meetings not at WPBC

This coming week the Movie night replaces the meeting

The following week we meet at Macquarie University

## Peter Kipps BHCC

Barry O'Farrel wrote an excellent letter supporting BHCC, it is posted on our WEB and Facebook

Trailer signs installed over the weekend Email are being sent to all bike shops in NSW

We are Printing Posters this week

We need 20 volunteers the day before the ride and 100 on the day

## Movie night

## Movie Night Monday 27 Feb 12

We have booked 200 seats to watch Late Bloomers at Roseville Cinema. Drinks & nibbles from 6.30 pm for a 7.30 pm movie.

This Movie evening is a great fundraising opportunity for our Club.

Please contact your friends and make bulk booking with Ross Egan. Tickets \$20.

## **Attendance Sheet for** up-coming Functions

Please see Caroline for the Attendance sheet to nominate for these functions:

Mon 27 Feb - Movie Night

Mon 5 Mar - Tour & dinner at Macquarie Library

Sat 21 Apr - Trivia Night Sat 26 May - Dinner for 8 (host or attend)

## This Week

Movie evening

**Romac Philip Smith** 



## Our Second E Fine—White F



Peter Kipps was riding his bicycle with Frank White (12 months leave of absence from Rotary) when suddenly Frank disappeared-again, this time while going down Bobbin Head

#### Frank fortunately you can pay this fine and your last with the one direct deposit

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

Last Week



#### **BHCC WEB hits**



Day	Date	Page Loads	Unique Visits	First Time Visits	Returning Visits
Tuesday	21st February 2012	312	243	192	51
Monday	20th February 2012	279	217	164	53
Sunday	19th February 2012	254	160	133	27
Saturday	18th February 2012	<mark>174</mark>	137	121	16
Friday	17th February 2012	184	142	106	36
Thursday	16th February 2012	179	147	120	27
Wednesday	15th February 2012	177	144	117	27
Tuesday	14th February 2012	259	201	161	40
Monday	13th February 2012	317	255	195	60

## **Michael Tyler Membership**

Michael asked us to consider the Classifications we would like to represented in our club

We are sending letters to Business people in the Gordon Pymble area inviting members to a Rotary meeting with a following phone up to confirm the invitation

## **ROMAC Philip Smith**

The photos below represent some of the children ROMAC has assisted



#### **ROMAC's Mission**

"To provide medical treatment for children from developing countries in the form of life saving and/or dignity restoring surgery not accessible to them in their home country."

There are children in our world who are forgotten.

Children whom no one wants to see.

Children who have no chance of survival.

We call them 'The Forgotten Children.'

These children are from humble backgrounds and live in remote areas.

Some are shunned by their local communities.

A few have no choice but to beg on the streets.

Too many would have died.

A fortunate few will be saved by caring Rotarians just like you.

ROMAC proudly gives these children the opportunity of a new life

Since ROMAC began in 1988, we have treated over 300 deserving and underprivileged children. In 2007/08 we treated 47 children. In 2008/09 we treated 31 children. In 2009/10 we treated 30 children

## **ROMAC Philip Smith**

#### 13 year old Filipino Rey

Born with a severely disfigured face he had great difficulty eating and speaking. Rey's 13 hours of surgery was performed by a group of caring specialists at Brisbane's Wesley Hospital, at no cost. For the first time in his life, he can now face the world with confidence





Poi was kept hidden from society because of her brain herniation.

Her facial restoration was a complex operation, involving the reconstruction of her skull, and the re-centering of her eyes.





4 year old Matthew had a serious heart valve problem that meant that he could have dropped dead at any moment.

He underwent open heart surgery at the Sydney Children's Hospital Randwick

#### Generous surgeons always donate their time.

Many medical support staff often donate their time. Suppliers often donate medical supplies. Rotarian volunteers always donate their time.

Hospitals sometimes don't charge. ROMAC gives you more 'bang for your buck' than probably 99% of all charities

A club donation of \$500, \$1,000, \$2,500 or more if you can, will make a world of difference to a child. A personal donation of \$2 or more is tax deductible. Dedicate your next fund raiser to ROMAC. Tell your friends about ROMAC

> How you can support these children Volunteer to be a casual driver. Introduce an ethnic host family. Join your District ROMAC committee. Be a carer. Be a sponsor club. Open your home and hearts and host a patient for a day, a weekend or ....

## **Volunteers for Lifeline Book Fair**

Lifeline Harbour to Hawkesbury West Lindfield Bookfair Committee 20 February 2012

Dear Voluntary Helpers,

As you may remember, Lifeline's big Annual Bookfair in Wahroonga is our major fundraiser for the year. We want to thank you for your support over past years. Lifeline receives no regular government funding and relies heavily on the success of this event to continue to provide the essential services that they offer to the community.

We realize that **your annual planning** starts now, and we want to alert all our helpers to the dates of our event, and when we will need helpers.

Volunteers start in January, collecting, sorting, pricing and packing books in readiness for the opening at Knox Grammar School in the John Williams Memorial Hall from Thursday 12 July 2012 at 9.00 am to Sunday 15 July 2012, finishing at 5.00 pm.

We have a huge task to move all the stock from our **book depot at West Lindfield**, in the old Scout Hall at the corner of Polding and Ignatius Roads, up to Knox, and take the left-overs back again at the end of the Fair. We hope that you will be able to help us again this year.

This year it will proceed like this:

• <u>Saturday 7 July 2012, at Lindfield, from 7.30 am</u> to about 11.00 am to load boxes into Partytime Hire trucks and SOS removal vans using special conveyors.

• <u>Saturday 7 July 2012, at</u> <u>Wahroonga from 9.30</u> am <u>until early afternoon</u> to help unload boxes of books on to trestles, again, using conveyors where possible.

**N.B: Refreshments** will be provided both at Lindfield and at Wahroonga

Sunday 17 July from 5.00 pm until about 8.00 pm.

<u>Wahroonga</u> - Loading the big truck with boxes to be returned to Lindfield.

- Loading trestles and frames into vans Lindfield - Unloading trestles and frames into Scouthall basement.

Wahroonga - Load all miscellaneous objects into van, and help unload at Lindfield. - Restore hall ready for school next day

**N.B: Refreshments** will be provided afterwards.

Monday 18 July, 7.30 am, <u>help needed</u> to unload removalist van of left-over books at Lindfield. (Again, conveyors used to make the job easy.)

## **Volunteers for Lifeline Book Fair**

I will be in touch by telephone, to find out if you can help on any of these dates along with other volunteers from Lifeline, Lifeline Board, Rotary, Defence, and Scouting. If we can't make a decision over the phone, I would appreciate it if you could let me know no later than Monday 14 June 2 2011, when and how many of you will be coming, so that I can finalise my lists of helpers. My email is <u>dnpbarnett2121@bigpond.com</u>, and my phone is 9144 2988. I was delighted to meet you all last year, and hope to see you again, healthy and happy, at this year's event.

Yours sincerely, Patricia Barnett Chairman LINDFIELD BOOKFAIR COMMITTEE

**Macquarie University Library Dinner** 

Macquarie University Library Dinner & Tour Monday 5 March 6.30 pm Cost: \$32

#### DINNER

 Where:
 Dunmore Lang College, 130-134 Herring Road, North Ryde NSW 2113

 When:
 6.30pm buffet dinner

 Speaker:
 Maxine Brodie, University librarian TOUR

 Where:
 Macquarie University library (building C3C)

 When:
 7.45pm

Come and enjoy a buffet dinner, talk and tour of the historical Lachlan Macquarie Room as well as Macquarie University's innovative and sustainable new library

> Link to map: <u>http://www.whereis.com/?</u> id=33F502B9C5C257&intref=emailmap

## Remainder of 2011-2012 Calendar

DATE	Speaker (BM = Board meeting)
Monday 27 February	Film night: Late Bloomers
Monday 5 March	Maxine Brodie: Macquarie University BM
Monday 12 March	Diana Hanks - "Tales from a Dilly Bag"
16-18 Mar	Conference
Monday 19 March	Macquarie Park talk
Sunday 25 March:	Bobbin Head Cycle Classic
Monday 26 March	Ross Lambert: social media
Monday 2 April	Emyr Evans BM
Monday 9 April	Easter Monday
Monday 16 April	Saving our Heritage (New members night)
Saturday 21 April	Trivia night
Monday 23 April	Robin Millar, Financial Information Service, Centrelink – Topic: Retirement Options
Monday 30 April	
Monday 7 May	BM
Monday 14 May	Ivan Cribb, Member - Topic: Life Story
Monday 21 May	Hat day
Saturday 26 May	dinners-for-eight
Monday 28 May	Red Shield collection
Monday 4 June	BM
Monday 11 June	Queen's birthday – no meeting
Monday 18 June	and the second second and the second s
Monday 25 June	Changeover



#### 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 <a href="http://www.kuringgairotary.org.au">http://www.kuringgairotary.org.au</a> 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.

#### **Rotary Foundation Thought of the week**

29) This week's Rotary Foundation Thought about the PolioPlus Program.

Rotary launched its PolioPlus program in 1985 and contributions to the PolioPlus Fund continue to support the most essential components of polio eradication activities in our partnership with the World Health Organisation (WHO), the US Centres for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), The Gates Foundation and UNICEF. With Rotary's community-based network worldwide, Rotary is the volunteer arm of the global partnership dedicated to eradicating polio. By volunteering and supporting the PolioPlus program, Rotarians do the work of the world with every Polio vaccine administered!

Market roster				
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1ST SHIFT 8.00 to 10.30	Newling, Joy	Aitken, John	Forbes, Wally	Ivey Bob
2ND SHIFT 10.30 to 1.00	Hoch Chris	Jackson, Tom Lambert, Ross	Coenen, Lou Evans, Emyr	Desmarchelier, Roger Tyler, Michael
3RD SHIFT 1.00 to 3.30	Desma <mark>rc</mark> helier, Roger Houghton, Judy	Kipps, Pete <mark>r</mark> Michael Midlam	Bala Krishnan Tang, Peter	Forsythe, David Kennedy, Irene

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

Duty	6 February 2012	20 February 2012		
Greeter	Roger Desmarchelier			
Team	Emyr Evans	Lou Coenen		
Team	Lou Coenen	Linda Lam Rohlfs (or Bala Krishnan)		

**NOTE:** The door team is

Birthdays			Anniversaries	
Judy	Houghton	2 Feb	Ross Lambert	6 Fe
Pam	Forbes	5 Feb		A CALLER AND A
Jannet	(Tony)	10 Feb		
Eunice	Price	19 Feb		
Adele	Mitchell	24 Feb		
Louise	Tyler	27 Feb		
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#### **Bank Details**

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