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Happy Birthday too.

No sooner had last week's "The Herald" hit the streets with the story from Jan Barwick and Chris Dodsworth when Murphy Keith popped up to show he was born at the South Coast District Hospital, and that he also has received a copy of "Ten Little Fingers" by Mem Fox.

Murphy is snugly tucked up in his blanket, but Rotarian Beryl Waters is presenting the book to proud parents Jacki Cornish and Sam Hoffmann.

Thanks John Cunningham from RC of Victor Harbor for such a lovely story. I suppose you are also trying to draw the link to Rotary's 111th birthday, but I am not deceived by such a tenuous connection. Editor Sam.

ShelterBox Australia is a significant contributor to aid for the people in Fiji.

Within hours after the passage of Cyclone Winston, ShelterBox had a response Team on the ground to assist with the distribution of 204 boxes from New Zealand, and later 209 boxes were flown out of Melbourne to Fiji by DFAT and ADF as shown in the picture. Plans are underway for a further 2000 boxes to be assembled at the request of the Fijian Government. UN estimates that 360,000 people were affected in Fiji, and that 120,000 of these were left homeless.





Look for ways to improve the safety of water supplies for all people in our world.



WELCOME KIM HARVEY OUR INCOMING District Governor Nominee Designate.

Kim is presently a member of the RC of Holdfast Bay.

Kim's Rotary story started at an early age in Broken Hill where her father, Allen McMaster, was a member of the RC of Broken Hill South.

Kim was inducted into the RC of Brighton in 2003 and was Club

President 2005-2006. She has been active at the District level serving on several committees including Peace Scholarships, Alumni and Training. Kim was District Trainer 2011-2012 and is currently Chair of the Training Committee. She was also Assistant Governor for Group 8 from 2009-2012.

Kim's professional background has focused on community engagement and alumni relations. She is the Alumni Coordinator for the Australian Volunteers for International Development program with Scope Global. Prior to this current role Kim was the Director of Alumni Relations at the University of Adelaide.

She is married to Paul Harvey, an Importer and Promotional Products entrepreneur. Kim and Paul live in Brighton with their dog Patch. Kim is thrilled to be selected as District Governor for 2018-2019 and looks forward to supporting and working with Rotarians across the District.

RYPEN (Rotary Youth Program of Enrichment) provides a group of young people aged 14-17 an opportunity to develop valuable leadership skills. This weekend long program will see participants engage with likeminded people, while having fun and learning new skills in areas such as problem solving and public speaking. On top of learning these skills, RYPEN gives young people a chance to put them to practical use, through debate and physical activity.

With two programs running this year (one in Adelaide, and one in Sunraysia), we felt it was important to clarify some timings to eliminate confusion..





RYPEN Sunraysia (and Riverland)

Date: 8-10 April 2016 Location: Lake Cullulleraine

Cost (to clubs): \$230 for the first applicant, \$200 for

subsequent applications

Applications must be submitted to

ryla9520@gmail.com by 25 March (a one week

extension)





RYPEN Adelaide (and Murraylands)

Date: 15-17 April 2016.

Cost (to clubs): \$280 for the first applicant, \$200 for

subsequent applications

Applications must be submitted to ryla9520@gmail.com by 1 April.

Direct any questions to John Sandham District Chair 0412 440 or email ryla9520@gmail.com

RENMARK DISTRICT CONFERENCE REGISTRATION STATISTICS

Full Registrations 402

Social Registration 14

Paddle steamer Cruise 1 on Friday 29th April 1 seat available. Paddle steamer Cruise 2 on Friday 29th April 11 seats available. Paddle steamer Cruise on Saturday 30th April 2 seats available.

There are places available on the Calperum Station Walk Tours.

Full details on the website.



The Hon John Doyle OA will address our District Conference within the topic of "Courage, Resilience and Inspiration."

John Doyle's development into the life of law showed early signs of great promise as the Dux of the graduating class at Saint Ignatius College in South Australia in 1962, before being admitted to the degree of Bachelor of Laws from the University of Adelaide in 1966 and to the degree of Bachelor of Civil Law from Oxford University in 1969.

He was the 1967 Rhodes Scholar for South Australia, using this to complete his studies in law at Magdalen College, Oxford. He was admitted as a barrister and solicitor of the South Australian Supreme Court in 1970, and became a partner in an Adelaide firm of solicitors from 1970 to 1977. From 1977 until 1986 he practised at the Bar in Adelaide. John Doyle was appointed a Queen's Counsel in 1981, and in 1986 he was appointed



Solicitor-General of the State of South Australia in which position he represented the State before the High Court of Australia and the Supreme Court of South Australia in constitutional, criminal and other cases.

John Doyle was appointed Chief Justice of South Australia from May 1995 to June 2012 and a Companion of the Order of Australia was conferred in June 2002.



Capri Theatre Saturday 16th April 3.45pm

Including organ recital by Col Williams \$20 per ticket supporting



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COMBINED DISTRICT 9500 & 9520 Event



Rotary Club of Waikerie Street Festival

After 37 years as a Food Fair, RC of Waikerie changed the venue and the mode and turned the event into a Street Festival.

The main street of the quiet little town of Waikerie was transformed into a happy family friendly party atmosphere with music, games, food, drinks, magician and even Bollywood dancers at one point.

Most of the street traders opened their shop fronts and joined in too. Rotarians worked hard at the food and drink stalls as always, with a welcome visit from Disaster Aid, we were able to showcase a few Rotary Projects.

Left: Street magician at work.

Street vendor President Richard Hall entices the passing trade to try his gourmet calamari slices.

Thanks to sponsorship from the Waikerie Hotel Motel, Riverland West Chamber of Commerce, Loxton-Waikerie Council, Taylor Group and Nippys, the event achieved what it set out to do, which was to bring the town together and help revitalise it. Proceeds of course, will as usual be returned to the Community in various projects





Access to safe water is still beyond the resource capability of an unacceptably large percentage of people living around the world. If you are looking for a way to quickly improve the lot of your fellow human beings then investing in the means to supply safe water for drinking, washing, and sanitation is a sure fire way to see results.

ROYAL FLYING DOCTOR SERVICE

RFDS Central Operations covers South Australia and the lower half of the Northern Territory. There are three aeromedical bases in Adelaide, Port Augusta and Alice Springs, as well as the Marree Health Service on the Birdsville Track.

The Service has 193 staff, including 138 full-time in Central Operations working within the following areas:

- 24-hour emergency aeromedical evacuations and retrievals, for victims of accident or serious illness from a remote location.
- Primary health care clinics to rural and remote areas for speech pathologists, physiotherapists, occupational
 therapists, diabetic educators and mental health workers to remote communities in SA and the lower half of
 the NT.
- State wide inter-hospital transfer service (in South Australia). RFDS Central Operations conducts around 20 aeromedical transfers every day of patients from a country hospital to a major metropolitan hospital for a higher level of care. Often inter-hospital transfers occur in the middle of the night for patients requiring life-saving organ transplant or a newborn in need of emergency heart surgery at an interstate hospital.
- Facilitation of allied health services such as physiotherapy, podiatry, occupational therapy etc.
- Radio and telephone medical consultations; Radio and telephone medical consultations with a Doctor or Remote Area Nurse for isolated patients. A rostered, on-call doctor is available to take calls 24/7. We also administer Medical Chests to more than 150 remote communities and stations throughout South Australia.
- Provision of Medical Chests; and, The Aboriginal Health Coordinator focuses on providing a service specific to



Aboriginal communities in South Australia. The position operates from the Port Augusta Base to liaise with Aboriginal patients of all ages, RFDS staff and health professionals.

 Health promotion and education services through the Healthy Living Program.

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The Healthy Living Program is aimed at helping individuals and communities to adopt exercise and diet principles which support well-being and reductions in illness related to the onset of diabetes and cardiovascular disease.

Medical Practitioners, Pilots and Flight Nurses work on a rotating roster which operates 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

Next week we will discuss the involvement of Rotary Clubs in supporting the Royal Flying Doctor Service.

Gill Hicks is the founder of London based not for profit "MAD for Peace."

She is a motivational speaker, author, curator and trustee for several cultural organisations.

Gill was the last living victim rescued from the London Bombings, and she had both legs amputated below the knee. Her injuries were so severe that she was initially not expected to live.

Join us to hear her story, 18th April 2016, 6.30pm for 7.00pm, \$25pp RSVP to David Munro 0418 845 644 by 11th April 2016.



