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ROTARY CLUB OF KENT TOWN & ROTARY CLUB OF ST PETERS

JOINT MEETING:
TUESDAY 5TH NOVEMBER 2013:

ZOO
FOLLOWED BY A JOINT CLUB
DINNER IN THE ZOO WISTERIA
CAFÉ:

Presidents Tegan Webb and Milton Jones welcome you to join them on a Tour of the Zoo at 6.45 pm for 7.00 pm start.

The evening meal will begin at the **Zoo Wisteria Café** at 8.00 pm, entrance between Frome Road and Botanical Drive, with a delightful menu for \$35.00 Tour + Meal or \$32.00 for meal only.

Payments for tickets can be made directly to the Secretary or Treasurer of the Kent Town or the St Peters Clubs. Closing dates for payments is by Friday 25th Oct. If paying by EFT:BSB: 105 032 Account No: 55466940: Account Name: Rotary Club of Kent Town

Please enter a code being "your first four letters of your Surname followed by zoo" e.g. Smitzoo. Please send me an email to say that you have done that.

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My Rotary is the website for all Rotarians to use.

I hope that many readers of "The Herald" have already used the link provided in Edition 15 to Tour the public site of the newly designed Rotary website. It is 5 minutes well spent to get an overview of the website.

Now let us move on to the website section that most Rotarians will use.

My Rotary contains a wealth of information about Rotary and eventually there will be a lot of information about how your own Rotary Club is operating. Encourage your President and Secretary to enter information. The tour of My Rotary takes about 12 minutes and again it is time well spent to learn.

Ctrl + click on the link, Tour My Rotary

The Rotary Club of Kent Town launches "Asylum Speakers" project.

The Asylum Speakers Project of the Rotary Club of Kent Town is dedicated to informing other Rotarians about the current situation of asylum seekers and refugees living in Adelaide and surrounding areas.



Vision

In order to engage and change lives, it is necessary to break down the concept that exists in our society of seeing asylum seekers as a homogenised group of "queue jumpers" or "illegal migrants". Keeping in mind the current polarisation around the asylum seekers issue in the Australian society, it is important that rotary clubs ask themselves the following question: "What strategies can organisations like Rotary implement to make host communities more active and systematically inclusive of asylum seekers?"

Our Rotary Guest Speakers, the "Asylum Speakers" will be available to present to clubs from December 2013. To make a booking, please contact Nelson Sanz-Cadena – Kent Town Rotarian & Rotary Peace Fellow 2010-2012 at nelsonsanzcadena@gmail.com.

Should you be interested in becoming an "Asylum Speaker" please send your expression of interest to Nelson Sanz-Cadena by October 22, 2013.

Learn how to embed Social Media Feeds into your Rotary website.

If you are reading this and do not understand what the message means, it means that you could have easy access to news items about Rotary projects and Rotarians from places all around Australia and the South Pacific.

Use the link below to get to the website and then click on one of the examples to see the Social Media Feeds in action. They are live feeds and change regularly giving a continuous flow of interesting information about Rotary people and projects. Scroll down to see hundreds of entries. If you are unable to make the addition to your Rotary Club website then prompt, encourage or badger your website manager to add this feature.

Ctrl + click How to Embed Social Media Feeds



"Rotary at Calperum" is a new

Facebook page created to enable Rotarians and those on Rotary programs to share their experiences and photos from events at Calperum Station.

Almost every week we have a working group from a Rotary club planting trees, measuring water quality or tree health, or just simply relaxing and having a good time in this beautiful environment.

There are also an increasing number of programs taking place at Calperum such as:

- Health of the River Forum
- Camp Calperum,
- Exchange Student weekends

We would like to use this page to spread the word about Rotary activity at Calperum Station, so if you have some great experiences, please "LIKE" the page and join the conversation. The story must be told!



Please be advised the **Fashion Show of Preloved Clothing** advertised for Saturday 26th October 2013 has now been **postponed** to a date yet to be determined by the Rotary Club of St Peters.

Training Talk

Over 50,000 people have created accounts on <u>rotary.org/myrotary</u>. We want to make sure that you are among that number. If you're still having problems signing in or accessing features of the site, please send an email to <u>website@rotary.org</u>. and ask for assistance.

If you would like to learn more about the operations of Rotary then keep an eye on the **Training Talk Newsletter**.

This month has reference to "Lifecycle of a Service Project." and "Grant Management seminars."



Ctrl + click on Training talk to read the October Newsletter.