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Anthropologist Jean-Jacques Decoster is a keynote speaker at our District 9520 Conference 20-23 March 2014



Anthropologist Jean-Jacques Decoster has studied Andean cultures for more than 25 years. He earned his Ph.D. at Cornell University and lives in Cusco, where he teaches Inca history and Andean ethnology at the Universidad Nacional de San Antonio Abad. Since August 2012, Jean-Jacques has also served as Director of the Machupicchu Casa Concha Museum in Cusco.



Prostate Cancer Awareness

On Monday 11th November the guest speaker at Mount Barker Rotary club will be Allan Dand. Allan is an ambassador for the Prostate Cancer Foundation and himself a prostate cancer survivor. He will be giving a presentation on the disease, early diagnosis and its treatment. This subject is particularly appropriate for mature men and an open invitation is cordially given to everyone. The meeting is at Mount Barker Golf club, Bald Hills Road, Mount Barker, 6pm for 6.30pm. The cost is \$20 for the 2 course meal.

RSVP to Shawn Hutchinson on 0410-683-813 by 7th November.

Rotary on the Move.

"Rotary Clubs are encouraged to develop long-range goals that address the elements of an effective club. In developing a plan for the future, the first thing that a club needs is a Vision." PDG Rob Wylie.

Read more about Club Visioning and other interesting articles in the November Edition of the "Rotary on the Move Newsletter." Rotary on the Move Newsletter - November

COUNCIL ON LEGISLATION

Dear Club Presidents and Secretaries,

The 2013 Manual of Procedure (MOP) is now available in English!

To download your PDF of the MOP, please click here: https://www.rotary.org/myrotary/en/document/468. You may also access the MOP, along with other governance documents, from the Rotary website at https://www.rotary.org/myrotary/en/learning-reference/about-rotary/policies-procedures/governance-documents.

Note that at the end of August, we sent all club presidents a survey asking if they preferred to receive a PDF or a hardcopy of the MOP. If you requested a hardcopy of the MOP, you will receive it in the next few weeks. Feel free to also reference the PDF version.

If you did not request a hardcopy of the MOP or if you would like to order more copies, you may do so through the Rotary Shop at shop.rotary.org. If you have any questions about the updated MOP, please let us know at council services@rotary.org.

Best regards, Sarah Christensen

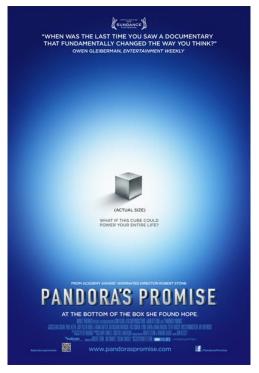
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PANDORA'S PROMISE

Every so often, we get the opportunity to take part in a promoting a discussion on an issue that polarizes community. Pandora's Promise is a film not to be missed.

Proceeds after costs, will go towards funding environmentalist Ben Heard's – Youth Exchange to Belgium, participation in a world symposium in Washington November 2013.

Take this opportunity to attend, to be informed and ready for the conversation in the Q&A session after the screening.



Pandora's Promise bookings at: http://www.trybooking.com/DUMC

A feature-length documentary about the history and future of nuclear power. The film explores how and why mankind's most feared and controversial technological discovery is now passionately embraced by many of those who once led the charge against it. Operating as history, cultural meditation and contemporary exploration, PANDORA'S PROMISE aims to inspire a serious and realistic debate over what is without question the most important question of our time: how do we continue to power modern civilization without destroying it?

Pandora's Promise premiered at the Sundance Film Festival in January 2013 where it received critical and popular acclaim. Previous screenings in Adelaide and Perth sold out. Ensure you are informed, and join the conversation. 6.30pm 26 November 2013. VENUE: Mercury Theatre. 13 Morphett Street. Adelaide, South Australia 5000 CONTACT DETAILS: Wendy Gaborit District Governor, D9520 Learn more about Ben Heard at: Ben Heard

Audit Time



MEMBERSHIP

Use My Rotary to check your Club Membership in preparation for the Semi Annual Returns which will be calculated from what you have in your records on December 1st 2013.

Remember that all membership records are now in your control, and if the records are not correct you need to do the correction.

While you are in the Membership section work through a few of the records of contact details of members to ensure they are correct and up to date.

SEMI ANNUAL RETURNS

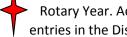
These are your dues to RI which entitles you to be part of our wonderful organisation.

I ran a record check for Clubs on 26th October 2013 and at that time 25% of Rotary Clubs in our District still have not cleared their dues for the current part of this Rotary Year. Some of the amounts due are indeed small and maybe calculation errors, but some of the amounts are large which can attract unwanted attention.

INCOMING CLUB OFFICERS

During December all Clubs will hold an AGM at which all Incoming Officers will be elected.

Please ensure the names of these Incoming Officers are added into the Club Administration Records in My Rotary. This needs to be completed before the end of December this year.



This will be the source for all information about the President, Secretary and Treasurer for the 2014-2015 Rotary Year. Accurate and timely information is required for Training, Circulation of information, and entries in the District Directory. Meeting this deadline is important.

CONSTITUTION AND BY LAWS

At your AGM in December you also need to adopt your Club Constitution and By Laws which reflect the changes that have occurred as a result of the outcomes of the RI Council of Legislation, and send a copy to your State authority.

The standard Constitution template has been distributed to all Clubs and only needs 3 entries to be made: Complete top of page 1 with the name of your Club, in Article 2 add the name of your Club, and in Article 3 add the locality of your Club.

The standard By Laws template has also been circulated but the entries in this need to firstly reflect the special cases for your Club, and they need to reflect the specific conditions that apply for your State.

Assistance is at hand to help you with this task. For Victorian and New South Wales Clubs the law firm of McKeen Park have expertise for that jurisdiction and these details have been circulated.

For South Australian Clubs I am happy to advise that the law firm of Mason Westover Homburg has been engaged to provide a suitable template for use in SA with Clubs only having to add the specific details pertaining to their Club. This template will be circulated to SA Clubs in the near future. Complete the details, adopt at your AGM and send a copy to Consumer and Business Services.

If you need assistance with any of the above 4 items contact Sam Cozens now at d9520.secretary@gmail.com

Message from Justine Chilman-Moore.

My husband, Ashleigh Moore OAM, is well known for the volunteer advocacy work he has done to help 'people affected by cancer' over the past 7 years. Ironically he now needs your help.

Many people have asked "How can we help Ashleigh and myself?"

We feel uncomfortable about asking but the truth is we need help to pay for the flights so he can continue clinical trial treatment in Sydney.

Ashleigh has been fighting cancer for 8 years, first it was advanced head and neck cancer, and now advanced lung cancer. Learn more by using the link below.

http://www.mycause.com.au/page/ashleighscancerfight



Dear friends, once more we find a community faced with the devastation of loss as a result of bush fire. Many have lost all they possess and the fires continue to rage. I am aware that a number of you are seeking information or direction on how you can assist.

District Governors Garry Browne and Graeme Davies – greater Sydney area, have advised a Bush Fire Appeal has been established to assist the families recovering from the devastation and loss of homes and properties as a result of the bushfires in the Blue Mountains.

1. DG Graeme Davies -

A donation option has been established under RAWCS – Rotary Australian Benevolent Fund New South Wales Bushfire Relief.

A project has been established to receive funds to be used to support individuals who have suffered as a result of this fire and the fund is administered by District 9685 which includes the Blue Mountains area. Tax deductible receipts are issued on-line.

Donations can be made NOW at https://donations.rawcs.com.au/Default.aspx?ProjectID=719&ReturnTo=4 Alternatively funds can be deposited directly in the District Account.

Westpac Banking Corporation Branch Lindfield Rotary District 9685 Administration Fund BSB 032 086 A/c 333 071 For more information, click on the link and go to District 9685's website, it is continually being updated.

2. DG Garry Browne, D9675

District has been reviewing the best method and approach to assist the communities stricken by bushfires – we have determined that the funds raised and resources to be provided are best determined by national organisations who have experience in devastation and crisis relief – they also are organisations that are trusted and acknowledged by the community as credible.

The Salvation Army fits this criteria and is well aligned with Rotary.

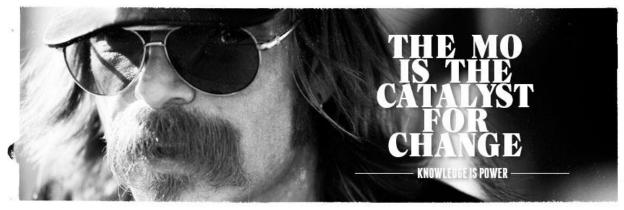
As a result we have established an alliance with the Salvation Army to collect donations and direct them to a specific fund that will be used for this relief effort through their Bushfire Appeal.

Please direct your donations to **The Salvation Army** – **Rotary Bushfire Appeal** <u>www.salvos.org.au/rotary</u> and share it with your family and friends. For individuals who do not have internet connection and would like to make **donations via the phone 13 Salvos 13 72 58) and please quote appeal code 1043314** which will track this back to **Salvos - Rotary Appeal**.

3. DG Wendy Gaborit D9520 - clubs may choose to forward their donations through district. District Treasurer. Michael Bowman will establish an account within District's Disaster Account the details of which will be advertised in the "The Herald." This option provides for District to allocate collected funds to a specific project identified in the recovery phase that will assist community in rebuilding and restoring community capacity. The choice is yours.

I will be continually in touch with my fellow Governors to keep you updated with any requests for assistance in areas where we in District 9520 can help.

Wendy Gaborít



Movember funds are helping researchers around the world conduct vital research into prostate cancer, in an effort to make a significant difference to the lives of men who experience the disease, the families who support them and to reduce the incident and mortality rate. http://au.movember.com/programs

James Schober from the Waikerie Apex Club is growing a moustache for the entire month of November to raise funds for prostate cancer research.

You can donate to this important research work at: http://mobro.co/6826633

You can also donate by sending a cheque to "Movember" and use the registration ID 6826633, and then mail the cheque to Movember Foundation PO Box 60 East Melbourne Vic 8002.

The Voice of Rotary Broadcast on 1197AM RPH Adelaide each Tuesday 7.30-8.00 pm

From each Wednesday the broadcast program can be heard on-line at - www.rphadelaide.org.au
October 2013

October 22nd PP David Adamson (R.C. of Elizabeth)
"The Science Experience"

October 29th PP Dale Manson (R.C. of Mobilong)
"District 9520 Conference 2014"
November 2013

Nov 5th PP Jeff Cluse (R.C. of Prospect)

"The Premier's Service Club Awards"

Nov 12th PP Val Kirk (R.C. of Walkerville)
"Child Slavery"

Nov 19th Pres. Frank O'Neill (R.C. of Adelaide)

"90 Years of Rotary"

Nov 26th President, Rotary International 2013/14 Ron D. Burton (R.C. of Norman, Oklahoma)

"Voice of Rotary Broadcast No. 1000"

Information available from Chris Hughes (8379 4633)(0418 835 977)emandcee@bigpond.com

HISTORY ABOUT TO BE MADE

RI President Ron Burton visited Sydney 8-10 October touching base with the Rotary Clubs who will be delivering the 2014 World Convention.

In the weeks preceding his visit, Rotarian Chris Hughes let it be known the Voice of Rotary was to go to air with its 1000th broadcast 26th November 2013.

A few emails between District Governors and RDU got the green light and saw Ron take time out of his busy day to talk about his passion for Rotary.

Take the time out to tune in and listen to the 1000th broadcast –

The Voice of Rotary – 1197 AM RPH Adelaide. Tuesday November 26th 7.30-8.00pm