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"A Call to Action - Women in Rotary - Quilting Fellowship and those with a love of or passion for Quilting"

SYDNEY CONVENTION 2014 QUILT Project

With the blessing of Bob Aitken (RDU) AG Vere Gray, Rotary Club of Bateman's Bay (NSW) is coordinating a quilt project for Australian quilters.

The project is to make a series of wall hanging panels 15"x 50" depicting some aspect of Australia, and these will be hung in the Billabong House of Friendship at the 2014 Rotary International Convention in Sydney. The Panels where so authorised, will be offered for sale with the monies raised donated to the Polio End Game.



If you haven't participated in a project like this before, I hope you will take up the challenge and showcase your skills, you could work with a group of friends - it doesn't matter if the panel is made by one person or a group. The project is open not only to members of the Rotarian Fellowship of Quilters and Fibre Artists but to any quilter with a link to Rotary, as a Rotarian, a partner or a friend of Rotary.

Gwenda Knights of Strathalbyn has offered to coordinate the District 9520 Panel(s) It would be great to offer up and showcase a pictorial reference of South Australia. tel: 08 8536 2132 e: ken.knights@bigpond.com

Gwenda is keen to hear if you'd like to participate. You don't have to decide on your theme straight away - take time to think about it - but if you'd like to be part of the project, please let her know as soon as you can so she can advise Vere of the level of interest". Vere has provided a document which contains all the details. This has been placed on the District 9520 web site <http://www.rotarynews.info/d9520/r.i> in Latest District News. If you have other suggestions about method/technique please let her know.

Email: garryandvere@bigpond.com Phone: (02) 4471 3468

Come Join Us Again



New Release Wines from Australasia
Judged and courtesy of WINESTATE Magazine



Sunday 11th August. Time: 2.00 – 6.00 pm

Hyde Park Rotarian Sam Savis has invited us to
MAXIM'S WINE BAR on The Parade

Sunny Sunday-afternoon Sip Bottomless Glass

with partners and friends

entry donation of \$10 with full proceeds to the Hyde Park Rotary Club Leukaemia Project

In all approx 150 bottles of red and white wines to taste (BYO driver)

Payment at the door (upstairs opposite Norwood Town Hall)

For further information ring Sam Savis on 0407 828 455

or President Hyde Park Rotary Club Sandy Matz 0414 747657

<<http://www.clubrunner.ca/Portal/story/StoryDetail.aspx?accountid=2901&sid=361895&stid=>>



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Remove **Dennis Heanes** and **Bill Davies** from the NYSF committee on Page 26.

Correct **Walter Todd-Egglestone** mobile 0421 041 435 and Club Flagstaff Hill on page 79



ROTARY INTERNATIONAL WEBSITE NEWS

Get ready: Rotary is launching its new website next month. With its improved design, the site will be easier to navigate and search. Stay tuned.

Did you know that Rotary Club Central offers a range of resources? Go to

http://www.rotary.org/en/members/training/pages/120601_announce_learn.aspx sign in, click on Learn, then Goal-setting, and check out Rotary Club Central Resources. You'll find a previously recorded webinar, a general PowerPoint you can download to use at club meetings, and a club and district reference guide.



THE ROTARY FOUNDATION FOCUS



ROTARY DISTRICT 9520 2013-14

Issue 1 July-August

To find out the latest information regarding Foundation programs in our District use the link below to access the new 2 page newsletter **The Rotary Foundation Focus** which is available on the District website.

This edition highlights the Polio End Game, Foundation Giving for the last year and details of the new Grants model for District Grants and Global Grants as well as other Foundation programs.

Click here to make the link [newsletter](#)

or use this address

<http://www.rotarynews.info/Uploads/Districts/9520/Documents/Foundation/2014/FOUNDATION%20FOCUS1%20Jul-Aug2013.pdf>

ROTARY CLUB CENTRAL is an online tool for recording and tracking Club Goals.

Only a few District 9520 Clubs have ventured into Rotary Club Central but all Clubs are encouraged to go into this resource through Member Access, have a look, and try with a few simple goals for this year.

This new tool allows Clubs to monitor achievements in three key performance areas: membership, service activities and Rotary Foundation giving.

Data collected through Rotary Club Central will give Rotary International support in demonstrating the impact of Rotary Programs worldwide. It is in our interest to learn how to use this new tool.

Club leaders including the president, secretary, treasurer, executive secretary, foundation chair, and membership chair can edit goals and achievements for the year they are in office. All club members can view club goals and achievements for all years.



Rotarian Action Group Against Child Slavery

"Rotarian Action Group - Against Child Slavery. This group has sought permission to liaise directly with Clubs. This information is

provided to you in full understanding that any decision to participate falls solely within the provenance of each Club, its Board of Management and Membership."

The contact details for this organisation are Harry Payne Secretary: 43 Hillside Road, Southminster, Essex CM0 7AL England. Telephone: +44 (0) 1621 772129 Email: harrypayne1@btinternet.com

The following is an extract from a letter sent to District 9520. "Slavery is a little known yet enormous problem world-wide, with around 40% of the victims coming from an extremely vulnerable group of society, children ! ...We would like to communicate with clubs and Rotarians in District 9520 to educate them about this growing menace and to encourage their support of projects to protect children from slavery and to aid survivors."



Otago Youth Adventure Trust Milton Rotary Tramping Club



An Update from Milton Rotary Club (District 9980, New Zealand)

The summer of 2014 will be the 28th season that the volunteers from Milton Rotary Club, with the Otago Youth Adventure Trust, will be running their well known series of outdoor activities in the magnificent world famous tracks and localities in southern NZ. To date some 17,000 individuals (mostly adults), have experienced these adventures, and many return year after year to participate in a different trip. Last season we asked your DGs to publicise our activities on their Newsletters to Clubs, and we had about 60 Aussies join in. We are sure that all enjoyed the trips, and we would like to see more cross the "ditch".

All trip and booking details, costs, dates, contacts etc, can be found on our web site

www.otagorotarytrusttramps.org.nz

TRIPS IN 2014 With places still available.

Cycle Otago Central Railtrail (2trips), Milford Track (x3trips), Tuatapere HumpRidge Track (x1)
Kepler Track (1trip) Routeburn/Greenstone Track (3trip), Routeburn/Milford Combined (1trip)
Borland Lodge (1trip), Catlins – Tautuku Camp (1trip), Aspiring – Tititea Lodge (3trips)
General Contact, Peter Vollweiler peter.vollweiler@xtra.co.nz

The Helping Hands project

A project to assemble artificial hands for landmine victims in Cambodia, Laos and Vietnam.

There are about 120 million land mines still set in the world

They are being cleared at a rate of 100 thousand per year

There are more than 380 thousand people with one or two hands missing and they are mostly children.

The hands come in 38 pieces and it takes two people 2 hour to assemble one hand.

They come in sets of 10 and cost \$3000.00. We need your help!!!

Contact President Judy Shipp, Holdfast Bay Rotary Club. Ph 8377 2358 or email shippj@bigpond.org.au

