



TO: District Management Committee, Presidents, and Secretaries
FROM: DG Roy Armstrong
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Welcome to this week's issue of the Herald. Hope you are all ***"Having Fun"***.

Showcase at the District Conference 2013

Rotary District 9520 Conference 2013




Tanunda, South Australia, 25th – 28 April 2013
 Hosted by the Rotary Club of Marion Inc.

Applications are now open for all Clubs and District Committees to register for a stand in the Rotary Showcase at the 2013 Rotary District Conference.

Application forms are available on the Rotary District Conference Web Site

<http://www.d9520conf2013.rotaryaust.org/>

Book Now - as spaces limited and preference will be given on a first in basis

Rotary Bike Ride – Adelaide to Melbourne From: Ian Parsons 08 8323 9284 or 0408 337 155
email: nettian@iinet.net.au

Katharina Buchholz Ambassadorial Scholar from Germany is studying International Law at LaTrobe University in Melbourne. She has set a challenge to ride from Adelaide to Melbourne starting on Friday, 19th October with completion in Melbourne on Sunday 4th November raising money for Polio Plus program.

She has asked for support along the way with companionship and support on this solo effort whilst cycling through our District.

Katharina's itinerary and resume of ride are available as attachments. I call on all cyclists who would be prepared to ride for a section of her effort as support to contact me for further information and times.

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The Rotary Foundation



Future of the TRF Humanitarian Grants Program



FUTURE VISION – getting your Club ready for the changes – Workshop - Saturday 3rd November 2012 (am). Norwood Town Hall. Register your Club – contact Euan Miller (euam@internode.on.net)

- ♦ Grants Workshop – current (Matching Grant) and Future Vision (Global Grant & District grants) – Saturday 3rd November 2012 (pm) Norwood Town Hall – Register your interest for either or both –Contact Chandra Sluggett (chandsluggett@tpg.com.au) and/or Euan Miller (euam@internode.on.net)
- ♦ For more information - <http://www.rotarynews.info/3/District/9520/7380/> (see. Training workshops)

\$ District Simplified Grants - Applications are Now Open – closing date 21/10/2012. More information on how to apply – visit District website <http://www.rotarynews.info/3/District/9520/7380/> (see, Current Applications) or contact Chandra Sluggett for more information (chandsluggett@tpg.com.au)

\$\$\$ Matching Grants (MG) – list of projects for the Humanitarian ♥♥harts -

Is your Club looking for a Matching Grant project to do, by February 2013? Check out your District website <http://www.rotarynews.info/2/District/9520/348/> (under MG, select 'list of Matching Grants (Sept 12)')

There, you will find projects to quench your humanitarian ♥♥harts – you can choose from a selection of entre' size to main course size projects. Depending on your Club budget ie your wallet – choose small & easy projects or bigger and long term projects. Of Course , your District will split the bill with you – ie provide your Club with DDF – so that you get value for your \$\$\$\$. But, first in best dress!!!

There are projects with different flavours - providing hearing aids to enable the hearing impaired to function in our hearing world - water and sanitation for school children and/or whole communities –school desks and benches to educate the-have-not - water buffalos to generate income – health and more.

If you have never tried flavours of a Matching Grant – choose a small project. I have couple of Matching Grants applications ready to go – so have a look at them? The District will help you until the project is completed – so you are not alone. Enjoy the experience! Please contact Chandra Sluggett chandsluggett@tpg.com.au for more information and/or help.

Lunch with RI President Elect Ron D Burton

Chris Michelmore, President Rotary Club of Adelaide, invites Rotarians and guests from Districts 9500 and 9520 to join our intercity meeting for Group 1 Adelaide Clubs, at 12 noon on Thursday 29 November in the Members Dining Room Adelaide Oval. **The speaker will be RI President Elect, Ron D Burton.**

Please encourage your members to take advantage of this wonderful opportunity to hear RI President Elect Ron Burton speak while he is in Adelaide. Please return the attached flyer with your club cheque.

Thursday 29 November 2012, 12 noon for 12.30pm (finishing at 2pm) - Members Dining Room Adelaide Oval (entrance through Northern Gate only)

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Rotary World Community Service (RAWCS)

RAWCS Central Region will be holding a meeting at Blackfriars Priory School, Prospect Road, Prospect on Friday 5 October 2012—starting @ 6.30 pm. A copy of the agenda is attached.

Rotarians who are interested in international projects are invited to attend. RSVP names to Elizabeth Pohl e.pohl@hotmail.com for catering purposes

Legislation to be considered by the Rotary International 2013 Council on Legislation

The Constitution of Rotary International provides that the Council on Legislation shall meet every three years at a site determined by the RI Board of Directors. In 2013, the Council on Legislation is scheduled to meet from 21-26 April in Chicago, Illinois, USA. District 9500 Member on the Council on Legislation is PDG Allan Wilson. All legislation to be proposed at the Council can be found at the following link:

http://www.rotary.org/RIdocuments/en_pdf/col13_proposed_legislation_en.pdf

Mitcham Rotary Bookshop - FABULOUS BOOK SALE - Saturday 6th October 8am to 4pm

448 Goodwood Road, Cumberland Park Bus Stop 12 opposite DOMAIN MITRE 10 next to NATIONAL PHARMACIES

All books to clear include

Fiction thriller crime SF biography Australiana, classics animals gardening, art crafts religion sport cookery reference and more...

Also Audiocassettes Vinyl records CDs Videos

Cakes, Biscuits, Tea & Coffee

COME EARLY AND ENJOY EXCELLENT BARGAINS

Morialta Rotary – Golf Fun Day

Thursday 15th November

Geoff Heath Par 3 Golf Course (Campbelltown)

2x9 Holes – Individual & Teams (4)

\$20 per Person including BBQ & Drink (Beer or Soft)

Profit to IMOG Safe Motherhood

For Registration & further information CONTACT:

Terry Carson – 0417 831 283 or 8336 3766



Rotary Club of Morialta

GOLF FUN DAY



SPONSORED BY:



Thursday 15th of November 9:30am
Geoff Heath Par 3 Golf Course (Campbelltown)
2 x 9 holes – Individual & Teams (4)
\$20.00 Per Person including BBQ & Drink (Beer or Soft) Profit to IMOG (Safe Motherhood)
For Registration & further information CONTACT:
Terry Carson – 0417831283 or 83363766
INVITE YOUR FRIENDS!!!



Trophy & Prizes



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ROMAC Concert – Roger Woodward

Tickets for the event are on sale now through Bass and are available on their Web Site, www.bass.net.au or you can book direct by going in person to the various BASS outlets around Adelaide and Country Centres where their agencies are located, again, these can be found on the BASS Web site.

Roger Woodward is performing for ROMAC at no fee in Adelaide and all proceeds after our own expenses in staging the event, will go towards helping our 'forgotten' Children from around the Oceania Region.

Oleh Bilyk, Chairperson of ROMAC Central Region, said that "The Concert that Roger is doing for ROMAC, not only in Adelaide but in Sydney and Newcastle as well, highlights the regard in which he holds ROMAC and admires the work that it is doing."



Five year old Rex Khumo came to Adelaide from the Highlands of Papua New Guinea for Cranio Facial treatment at the Australian Cranio Facial Unit, headed by Professor David David. The Cranio Facial Unit is part of the Women's and Children's Hospital situated in North Adelaide.

Roger Woodward AC, OM (Pol), OBE, one of Australia's one hundred National Treasures returns to Adelaide, to perform in aid of **ROMAC** (Rotary Oceania Medical Aid for Children). This pianist and, presently, Professor at San Francisco State University has now been at the forefront of national and international music making for more than half a century. He celebrates his 70th birthday in December this year. His concert appearances and lifelong recording activities have garnered exceptional reviews continuing to confirm his place as belonging to the highest echelon of living pianists.

He will present a largely Chopin performance with Christ Church Camerata who are based in Newcastle.

All proceeds of the concert will be applied to ROMAC, a project of Rotary Districts in Australia and New Zealand. ROMAC assists "forgotten" children from Oceanic countries who might have congenital deformities, burns injuries, malformations or heart problems and brings them to Australia and NZ hospitals for life saving and/or dignity-restoring surgery.



Rex was operated on by Dr. Mark Moore who completely restructured his face. Rex and his mother remained in Adelaide for six weeks before returning home where Rex will lead a normal life after being ostracized by his peers.

ROMAC ROTARY OCEANIA MEDICAL AID FOR CHILDREN
www.romac.org.au

CHRIST CHURCH CAMERATA
www.ccccamerata.com.au

ROMAC (Rotary Oceania Medical Aid for Children)
presents



Roger Woodward
playing
Chopin

Adelaide Town Hall
Sunday 25th November 2012
Matinee: 2.30pm Featuring Christ Church
Camerata String Quartet

Guest compere Jane Doyle

Tickets from \$49.50*

check BASS website for details

BOOK NOW

Visit www.bass.net.au
Call 131 246
In Person Adelaide Festival Theatre
King William Road, Adelaide
and various suburban outlets

*Includes booking fees and gst.

Transaction fees will apply. Subject to change.



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A Project of the Rotary Districts of Australia and New Zealand



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ARH Hat Day is getting close

Friday 12th October is Hat Day in Mental Health Month

Hat Day is Australian Rotary Health's action and awareness day for mental health research in Australia. While 4 million Australians will suffer a mental illness this year, Hat Day is aimed at reducing the stigma associated with mental health and stopping Australians from keeping mental illness 'under their hats'. All proceeds will go towards Australian Rotary Health's mental health research projects aimed at finding treatments and cures for depression, anxiety, Alzheimer's, schizophrenia, bipolar disorder and other mental illnesses.



Rotary Clubs are invited to connect with their communities by hosting a Hat Day during Mental Health Month in October. It is a fun way for people of all ages to get involved while raising money for important and focused research. \$100,000 was raised at the inaugural Hat Day in 2011 and \$140,000 was donated for Hat Day in May this year. With your help we hope to increase this amount of donations at Hat Day in October. More information on hosting a Hat Day can be found on the website www.hatday.com.au where you can download a 'How to Host a Hat Day' manual, register your event and print promotional material.

The official celebrations of Hat Day will be at City Square in Melbourne at 11.30am-1.30pm on Friday 12th October. The Millinery Association of Australia and City Hatters will present hat parades, the Royal Australian Air Force Band and Charles Bobongie will provide musical entertainment, people can take part in hat making workshops with *Hatmobile*, and also win a variety of prizes. We need 803 people at 1pm to break the Guinness World Record for the Most People Wearing Paper Hats simultaneously for ten minutes. Donations will be \$1 per hat with an opportunity to donate further for mental health research.

Sydney sidlers can attend our Hat Day at 10.30am-3.30pm on the 19th October where Australian Rotary Health will have a stall at the Flourish Festival in Church Street Mall, Parramatta. Hat Day visors will be available for a donation.

We hope everyone will wear a hat on Friday October 12th or host a Hat Day sometime during October. If you would like any more information, please visit the website www.hatday.com.au. Alternatively you can contact Terry Davies, Corporate Manager, (02) 8837 1900 or terrydavies@australianrotaryhealth.org.au.

That's all for this week. Peace through Service – The Challenge of Change – Have fun.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Roy".

DG Roy Armstrong.

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