



TO: District Management Committee, Presidents, and Secretaries
FROM: DG Roy Armstrong
Date of Issue: 7th October 2012

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

Lunch with RI President Elect Ron D Burton

Chris Micheltore, 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)

Sunday, 7th October 2012



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 ♥♥arts -

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 ♥♥arts – 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.

Unsolicited eMails

We have had a number of queries about unsolicited emails from within Rotary, examples being the Transylvania emails and more recently the Bike Ride email from Katharina Buchholz. These emails do not follow accepted Rotary protocols but are legitimate. We are unable to intercept such emails but where we know they are genuine we will publish such information in the Herald. In the meantime Roy is advising RI that they should endeavour to advise clubs to follow the correct processes.

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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.



ROMAC
Rotary
Oceania Medical
Aid for Children
A project of the Rotary Districts of Australia and New Zealand



131 246 [bass.net.au](http://www.bass.net.au)

Mercedes-Benz
Adelaide

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Invitation for Volunteers to join House Building Teams in the Solomon Islands During November

To all Rotarians with a desire to work in an International Humanitarian Team Project this is your Opportunity to Volunteer. RAWCS is organising two teams to travel to Seghe, New Georgia Island, Western Province to construct two staff RAM (Rotarians Against Malaria) houses. Each Team will consist of eight members.

Team 1 requires one builder, one plumber plus five or six workers.

Team 2 requires one builder, one plumber, one electrician plus four or five workers. In addition the work is suitable for women.

Volunteering is the experience of a lifetime. As usual, Volunteers will enjoy the ambience, the culture, the mateship and the experience, yet know they are contributing in a project to save lives. Dates: Team 1 will leave October 31st and return Australia November 14th. Team 2 will leave November 13th and return Australia November 27th. Cost Will be approx \$1,600 per person (Return Air to Honiara, plus one night accom in Honiara on 13th, souvenirs, out of pockets) Internal flights are paid for and Internal accommodation is provided. NB All tools are on site. A Rotary meeting with R/C Honiara Tuesday. Be Passport ready. For more details contact

PDG Terry Daley (e) tddaley@bigpond.com or (m) 0447 361 631

RSVP Expressions of Interest by October 8th latest and a RAWCS Application form will be sent for completion.

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.

Sydneyiders 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.

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The Rotary Foundation – Life of Pi

After the success of **The Best Exotic Marigold Hotel** Rotary has successfully negotiated for another 20th Century Fox pre-release to benefit the Polio Eradication campaign.

The Life of Pi is an another Ang Lee production (Brokeback Mountain, Crouching Tiger, Hidden Dragon) about a young man on a fateful voyage who, after a spectacular disaster, is hurtled into an epic journey of adventure and discovery. He becomes marooned on a lifeboat he must share with the ship's only other survivor, a fearsome Bengal tiger with whom he makes an amazing and unexpected connection.

Districts 9500 and 9520 will hold a joint movie night on Sunday Dec 9 at 5.00 pm at the Capri Cinema Goodwood. A theatre organ recital will begin at 4.30 pm and dinner will be available immediately after the movie at a special price at either the Chinese or Vietnamese restaurant opposite the cinema.

Tickets and posters will be available in a couple of weeks for clubs to promote and sell tickets. It will be a great pre-Christmas family event.

Link to trailer & movie website info: <http://www.lifeofpimovie.com/>

Euan Miller

Chair

D 9520 Foundation Committee

Humanity in Motion Number 3 Is On Its Way

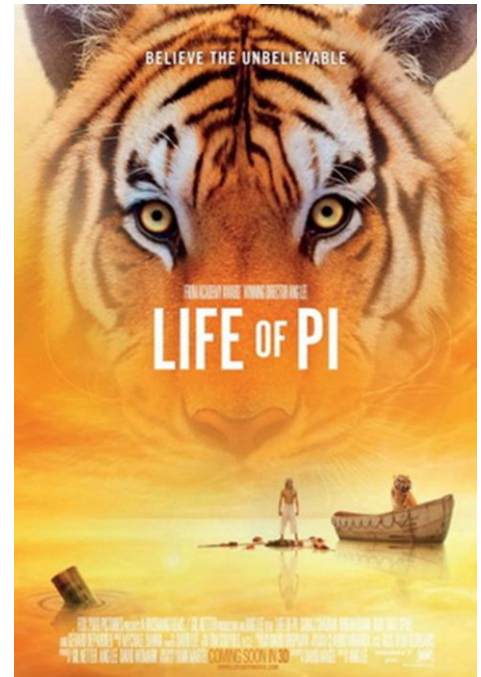
The very popular *Humanity in Motion 2* has now officially sold out!

Some 25,000 copies have been distributed throughout Australia and New Zealand.

Given the next edition – *Humanity in Motion 3* or 'Rotary says G'day' – is planned for publication in February 2014 to promote the RI Convention in Sydney – June 1-4, our RDU team is now investigating the possibility of a reprint of HIM 2?

Such action is possible but can only be actioned on pre-paid orders – \$5 per book or \$200 per box of 40. As you all know, this splendid publication is the perfect gift for guest speakers and various forms of Rotary promotion. These charges include GST but will be plus freight. Again, electronic promotional material and order forms accompany this letter. Pre-orders must be lodged before November 30, 2012.

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HUMANITY IN MOTION 3 IS UNDER WAY



showcasing Rotary action in Australia!

ORDER YOUR COPIES NOW...

The best Rotary public relations exercise in years!

Wow! I would join that organization.

I did not know Rotary clubs did that ...

... just a couple of the comments received following distribution of Humanity in Motion 2 during 2011/12.

The inspiration of FDO Tony Castley, the original *Humanity in Motion* volume was produced during his gubernatorial year of 2008/09, sponsored by Rotary International's innovative Public Relations Grants system. The second edition of this superb coffee table book was produced in 2011/12 and has provided the perfect resource for Rotarians and Rotary clubs to promote Rotary's usage and achievements around Australia.

Humanity in Motion #3 will be a project of the Rotary International Districts of Australia. It will again showcase a myriad of outstanding Rotary programs and

special projects throughout 120 pages of superbly presented editorial and graphic design - reflecting the professional skills of veteran Rotarian journalist George Richards and graphic designer Ted Sheedy.

Major programs like The Rotary Foundation, Australian Rotary Health, success stories from Rotary Australia World Community Service, Interplast, Rotary Oceania Medical Aid for Children, Shelter Box Australia, Probus, Disaster Aid Australia, Rotary Youth Exchange and other major youth initiatives like Rotary Youth Leadership Awards and Rotary's Model United Nations Assembly will all be included!

Humanity in Motion 3 will be the perfect gift for club public relations programs, guest speakers, awards nights, international guests, exchange students, Group Study Exchange of Vocational Training Team members, city and school libraries, hotels, professional offices and coffee shops ... the list is endless!

It is absolutely vital for Districts and clubs to secure their orders - before the print run is finalized - at the special price of \$5 per book (including GST) plus freight. See the order form on the back of this flyer ...

Contact Judy Drake or Bob Aitken at Rotary Down Under
telephone 02 9633 4888 – for further information.

Orders may also be placed with Judy Drake – email judydrake@rotarydownunder.com.au

February 23rd – Rotary's Birthday



Group 8 Peace Dinner

Saturday 17th November

6.30pm for 7pm start

Club Marion Sturt Road

\$50 per person three course meal, drinks available at the bar

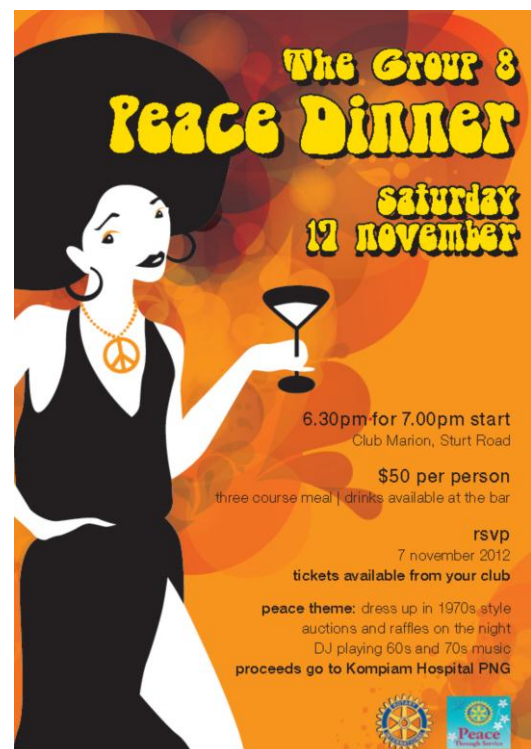
Rsvp 7 November 2012

Tickets available from your club

Peace theme: dress up in 1970s style auctions and raffles on the night

DJ playing 60s and 70s music

Proceeds go to Kompam Hospital PNG



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RYWELL (Rotary Youth Wellbeing) is an initiative of District 9520. It recognises that our youth can be quite disadvantaged as a result of family circumstances and seeks to provide them with opportunities for enjoyable recreational activities.

Families SA highly values Rotary's contribution to the wellbeing of youth in care and encourages **RYWELL** to maintain these activities; made possible only by donations from Rotary Clubs.

ROTARY places great value on all human life and through **RYWELL**, and in conjunction with Families SA, seeks to offer fun and memorable experiences through a variety of activities to young people aged 10 to 17. As a consequence of their early childhood experiences, many young people living in residential care struggle with general social skills and to engage with their communities. Providing assistance in this area aligns well with the ethos of **RYWELL** in promoting community engagement for young people.

The **RYWELL** committee is seeking the services of a beautician to provide some of the girls in residential care with a couple of hours of pampering. We would like to offer them some advice on applying makeup with the opportunity to experiment under supervision. It would be great to be able to include a manicure and/or some reflexology or massage.

If you are able to help in this area, would like to know more about RYWELL or would like to make a donation, please contact the **RYWELL** committee on

1300 723 946 or Sarah Walsh on 0401 679210.

Help us continue to make a difference.

Marion Rotary Business Breakfast

Club Marion 262 Sturt Road Marion

Car Parking is available at the venue

Cost: \$25 Including cooked buffet breakfast

Date Tuesday 23rd October 2012

Time 7.15am for 7.30am start

Concludes at 8.30am

RSVP

Call Club Marion 8296 8444 or email clubmarion@clubmarion.org.au

MARION BUSINESS BREAKFAST

Southern Expressway Duplication Project:
What's in it for business?

We invite you to be a part of this exciting networking breakfast group. Our goal is to provide interesting and relevant topics for the Marion business community

Venue
Club Marion
262 Sturt Road Marion
Car Parking is available at the venue

Cost
\$25 Including cooked buffet breakfast

Date
Tuesday 23rd October 2012

Time
7.15am for 7.30am start
Concludes at 8.30am

RSVP
Call Club Marion 8296 8444 or email clubmarion@clubmarion.org.au
Payment methods: Cash / Cheque / Credit Card
Tax Invoices will be issued upon receipt of payment

Spaces are limited and will be allocated on a first registered basis until capacity is reached. Bring along some of your business leaflets and place them on our information table.

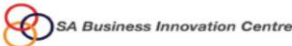


Danny Parkinson, BAJV Project Director, Southern Expressway Duplication Project
Danny is one of Baulderstone's most accomplished project directors. He has a strong background in managing large design and construction teams and in the delivery of complex road projects - most notably the recent construction of the Northern Expressway.

Danny will provide us with an update about where the project is at in its current stage of development, and will also present on the sorts of opportunities that local businesses have already engaged in in relation to activity on this major project, employment, apprenticeships and traineeships; and some of the opportunities that are expected to be forthcoming from now until construction is completed in June 2014.

About the Southern Expressway Duplication Project
The \$407.5m duplication of the Southern Expressway is a key part of the development of Adelaide's north-south corridor and, when complete (in mid-2014) will deliver an 18.5 km multi-lane, two-way expressway between Bedford Park and Old Noarlunga. This will provide people living in Adelaide's south with improved access to employment, education, shopping and community facilities and will put Adelaide's southern beaches and the McLaren Vale wine region within easier reach.

This project will also support economic activity in Adelaide's southern commercial and industrial areas like Edwardstown, Reynella, Lonsdale and Noarlunga Centre as well as help the state achieve identified targets in the South Australia Strategic Plan.




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Rotary District 9520 Friendship Exchange - Tasmania District 98308th – 22nd February 1213



The District 9520 Friendship Exchange Committee has made contact with Rotary Clubs in **District 9830, Tasmania**, and an offer has been made to host **4-5 couples** in the period **February 8-22nd 2013**.

The RC of Salamanca, in Hobart has offered to home host for 4 nights and so far the RC Westbury has also offered to host. Other Clubs have been approached. Tasmania has only one District D 9830, with 48 Clubs. Check out that District's website for further information about District 9830.

Suggested itinerary is:

- 4 nights in Hobart from 8th February,
- travel north to Launceston,
- then west along the north coast,
- a few days on the west coast (no Clubs available there, so alternative accommodation required)
- return to Hobart in time for the Wooden Boat festival, 22-23rd February

The group will need to **pay for their return airfares and shared cost of a minivan (estimate \$1350 plus petrol i.e. \$135 pp plus petrol if the group is 10 people)**, plus any other accommodation where Rotary hosts are not available.

If the group travels together they may be eligible for group travel air fare concessions. **(Venture Travel has estimated at \$450 pp Adelaide-Hobart return for group travel.)**

The District committee will establish an initial contact in Tasmania. Once the group is finalized a team leader will be selected by the group and the itinerary can be adapted to suit the group's interests.

Individuals may wish to extend their time before or after the Exchange.

We will need to confirm with the Clubs in Tasmania as soon as possible if we wish to proceed. Because of the limited number of places available early response will ensure you a place in the group. Singles are welcome to join the group but must be willing to share accommodation.

If sufficient interest is indicated further details will be available shortly with an application form. Please send expressions of interest in joining this Friendship Exchange Group to the District Chair, **Elizabeth Caldicott**, by **15th October 2012**, ecaldico@bigpond.net.au, mobile 0418 801 918

Health of the River Youth Forum Reminder

If any club is currently processing applicants for the Health of the River Forum, please email me at dickcuttle@gmail.com with details. If your club has not yet found a student to sponsor, we will accept late entrants if you let us know you are working on it.

Thanks, Dick Cuttle on behalf of the Calperum Committee.

Change of eMail Address

Please note that Michael Bowman, President of Blakiston Rotary has a new email address: michael@michaelbowman.com.au the online version of the District Directory has been updated.

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

DG Roy Armstrong.

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