CLUB BUZZ Rotary Round UP 20th April 2023



Fabulous Finds Dinner

hosted by

Central Blue Mountains

Rotary



Saturday, May 20, 2023 Katoomba RSL Club 86 Lurline Street, Katoomba 6.30pm - 10.30pm \$65 per person

Dress: Something you have bought from your local Op Shop.

HAVE FUN - AUCTIONS RAFFLES - MUSIC

RSVP - May 12, 2023

Booking essential: https://www.trybooking.com/CHJGF Contact: Jennifer Scott - 0414 367 631 - jennifer@scottadr.com





Rotary E-Club of Greater Sydney

SAVE THE DATE:

Our Rotary International President Nominee STEPHANIE URCHICK will be guest speaker at the meeting of the Rotary E-Club of Greater Sydney at 7:30 PM Sydney time on Sunday, 7 May 2023. All are invited. Please contact secretary@rotarygreatersydney.org for log in details.



Stephanie A. Urchick, of the Rotary Club of McMurray, Pennsylvania, USA, is the selection of the Nominating Committee for President of Rotary International for 2024-25.

Rotary Club of Mosman

International Project - Hera Pre School, Timor Leste



WE have successfully registered a project with RAWCS which means that any contribution made will be eligible for a tax deduction.

The project is run by Timor-Leste Rotary Alumni to purchase building materials to enable them to construct a pre-school with their labour being supervised by a professional builder. School running costs will be covered by the Timor-Leste Education ministry and also by income from onsite agriculture and aquaculture projects already set up and running by the RYLA alumni. Hera is a village 15kmm east of Dili and is a farming community with just under 8,900 people of which around 2,700 are children with currently very limited access to any formal education. The school will play essential roles to transform the knowledge of children through a safe environment of learning and provide equal opportunity for children.

Donations can be made via the RAWCS website: https://donations.rawcs.com.au/63-2022-23

Rotary Club of Brisbane Water



Dementia Cafe in the Park

On Easter Monday our DCaf met at Umina recreational area for a picnic in the park. It was a lovely sunny morning and everyone seemed to enjoy getting out in the fresh air having a cuppa and some yummy cake.





Rotary Club of Lane Cove



Sunday 30 July 2023 9:00am – 1:00pm Council Civic Centre car park between Phoenix Street and Little Street, Lane Cove

Apply now for a carspace www.lanecoverotary.org

Find a RECYCLED bargain!

- clothes
- toys
- household items
- · sporting equipment and more

Proceeds to Lane Cove Rotary







65th ANNIVERSARY

ROTARY CLUB OF HUNTERS HILL

George Washingmachine plus Aubrey and Purton

WEDNESDAY 26 April 6pm for 7.00pm Baytree Village 6 Ulonga Ave Greenwich





BILL SCOTT









AUBREY and PURTON

to pay & register www.trybooking.com/CGLDW

FUNDS RAISED FOR NZ CYCLONE APPEAL





Wine & Cheese Night

Come along and join us for a tipple and a nibble for great causes.

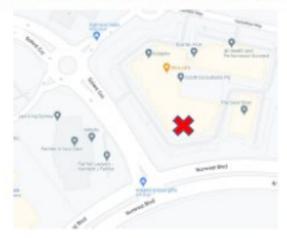
An enjoyable evening of tasting great wine while munching cheese and canapes. Money raised will assist Dinner on The Table, a local social enterprise changing the lives of vulnerable families AND a project in collaboration with our Twin Club the Rotary Club of Bangalore Koramangala supporting young girls to reintegrate with their communities. Also, any wines you like can be ordered on the night.

WHEN: Friday 12 May, 6.30 pm to 9.00 pm

COST: \$40 (\$35 for Rotarians)

WHERE: Rotary Down Under, 25/1 Maitland Place, Norwest

Directions: Turn left off Solent Circuit just before Norwest Boulevard. From Norwest Blvd, turn on so Solent Circuit, make a U-turn at the roundabout, then turn left off Solent Circuit just before reentering Norwest Boulevard. Look for the Rotary signage.





Bookings can be made using the QR Code or the link below:

https://www.trybooking.com/CHQCL

Rotary Club of Lane Cove - The Journey of PDG Lindsay May OAM

PDG Lindsay May's journey on Kialoa II. – Sydney, Australia to Falmouth, UK via "the Horn" – currently heading from Panama to Antigua, unfortunately without Lindsay due to a dislocated shoulder injury.

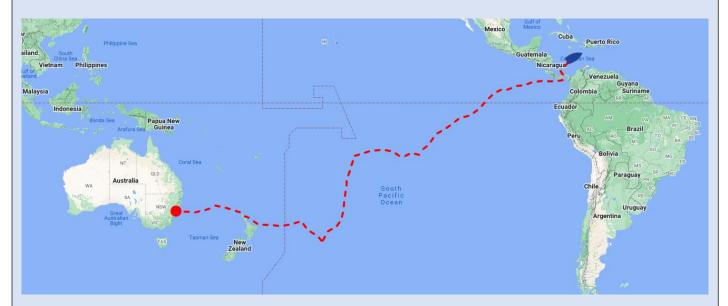
PDG Lindsay's latest remarkable report - Papeete to Balboa, Panama 7 March to 9 April 2023 Wildlife

For such a large expanse of ocean, it appears devoid of wildlife. All the way from Sydney, the dearth of birds and fish has been a talking point. We see sole birds usually a shearwater (mutton bird) and a few exotics, Tropic Birds and Boobies. At 16S 128W a white boobie would fly to leeward and land, allow us to sail by, then about 20 minutes later repeat the process. Each time landing closer to our path but on the last few occasions our close proximity caused him to take off. I say him as we're not sure how to genderise this bird, so we called him 'Bobby/Bobbie' to cover a binary option.

Since sailing into and above 20S, flying fish are the main entertainment. Usually single fish, blue and silvery in colour that take off at a 90 degree angle to the wind and float above the swells, angling downwind, sometimes dropping their tail in the water and changing direction maybe 90 degrees. One day smaller fish changed direction 180 degrees. Nearer 15S there has been larger squadrons of smaller fish white in colour. Flight time about 5 seconds.

Many have been disturbed by our passing and taken flight, but I guess this is their escape mechanism from underwater predators.

To read on, click **HERE**



You can track Kiaola's journey here . . .



Rotary Club of Central Blue Mountains





BECOME A MENTAL HEALTH FIRST AIDER™

to support friends, family members, colleagues and others

About 1 in 5 Australian adults experience a common mental illness each year. Mental Health First Aid® (MHFA) training will teach you practical skills to support someone with a mental health problem. Make a real difference to people in your community.

STANDARD MHFA TRAINING BENEFITS

KNOWLEDGE

CONFIDENCE

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SUPPORT

of mental illnesses, treatments and

Increases confidence

in providing first aid. stigmatising attitudes. provided to others.

Increases the support

Funded by Wentworth Healthcare, provider of the Nepean Blue Mountains Primary Health Network, as part of the Australian Government response to the 2022 floods. Rotary volunteer instructors.



LEARN PRACTICAL FIRST AID SKILLS

- · Recognise common mental health problems
- · Provide initial help using a practical, evidence-based Action Plan
- · Seek appropriate professional help, and
- · Respond in a crisis situation

This is a 12-hour educational course, not a therapy or support group.

DATES 27 April and 4 May 2023

TIMES 8.30am to 4.00pm

COST Free

VENUE Richmond Club

6 East Market St

Richmond NSW

FACILITATOR/S

Ian Scott



HOW DO I SIGN UP?

Email: ian@scottadr.com This is a 2 day course so you must attend both days of the course to graduate. Manual and course materials provided. Bring pen and note paper. Food and coffee available for purchase on site. Thanks to the Richmond Club for providing the venue. Must

For more information, visit **mhfa.com.au/courses**



