

Rotary Club of Gungahlin (Inc)

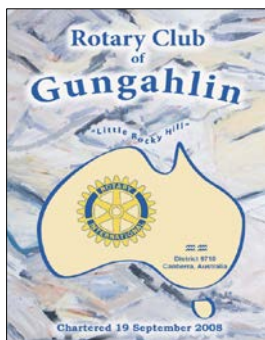
District 9710

The Key

08 February 2016



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Meetings: Mondays 6:30 for 7pm
Temporary Venue (1st & 8th of Feb): Belconnen Soccer Club, McKellar

President: Sandra Mahlberg

Secretary: Ian Foster

Last Monday – 1st of Feb– Dramatic Productions – Richard Block

On Monday we were fortunate enough to listen to a presentation from Richard Block who runs and directs Dramatic Productions – a co-op arranged theatre company operated right here in Gungahlin. Richard is a Canberra boy, born and bred, and is literally run off his feet running a publishing company, being a personal trainer and setting up a martial arts club in Gungahlin. He is passionate about supporting the local community and evidence of this is that Dramatic Productions is one of a kind in Canberra, whereby it is the only theatre company to pay their performers and production staff. 'Into the Woods' and 'How to succeed in business without trying' are just some of their success stories with the company recently being nominated for 11 awards in the Canberra area Theatre Awards (which includes companies beyond the Canberra region and expands to include parts of NSW). We all have our fingers and toes crossed that Dramatic Productions will scoop up a number of wins for their not only their hard work but their commitment to the arts and producing high quality theatrical works. Meanwhile the company is practicing hard for their next musical 'Catch me if you can', based on the movie with Leonardo Dicaprio. I am sure a number of our members will attend! For those interested you can purchase tickets at stagecenta.com or by phone at 02 6253 1454.



We also had another visitor – Mark from MyGungahlin who attended our meeting and updated the club on various local and upcoming events. It really is amazing to know that we have the support and assistance from an organisation such as MyGungahlin - who is constantly promoting the local community. We look forward to working together more in the future.

This Monday

Great news for members- for the second week in a row we have a guest speaker. This Monday we have Robyn Corbett, from Viva Haiti Inc coming so hopefully we can replicate the high meeting attendance that we had on Monday.

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Upcoming Events

Foundation Seminar on 20th March 2016, Raiders Club Holt

Members are invited to attend an information seminar by the Rotary Foundation on the 20th of March at the Raiders Belconnen, Hardwick Crescent HOLT. The seminar will give everyone a chance to meet the District 9710 Foundation Team for 2016/2017 and learn about the many programs of the Foundation. Start time is 10:30am for 11:00am start, coffee / tea / water and biscuits will be available on arrival. A light lunch will be provided and we are planning for the seminar to conclude no later than 4.00pm. Please register your interest on the District website by using this link <https://www.rotaryd9710.org.au/store/rotary-foundation-seminar.html>

Club Calendar (subject to confirmation by Board) – update your diaries

February	Peace & Conflict Prevention/Resolution
Sun 7 th Feb	Rotary Learning Initiative (RLI) Session 1 – Raiders Club Holt – Gordana & Sandra
Mon 8 th Feb	Meeting – Speaker - Robyn Corbett, from Viva Haiti Inc.
Sun 14 th Feb	BBQ Magnet Mart – Coordinator Sandra – AM – Sandra, Emma, Aaron, Katie PM – Gordana, Robyn, Mick, Brian
Mon 15 th Feb	Meeting – Club Assembly & Board Meeting
Sa/Su 20-21 Feb	PETS (Presidents Elect Training Session) – Terry RAWCS Eastern Region Meeting – Casula – Brian
Mon 22 nd Feb	Meeting – Speaker - Greg Aldridge, CEO Canberra Men's Centre
Tues 23 rd Feb	111 th Anniversary of Rotary
Sat 27 th Feb	Club Visioning – all members expected please - 10:00am until 4:00pm
Sun 28 th Feb	T&T – (TBC - Gordana and Kiri)
Mon 29 th Feb	Meeting deferred to Tuesday 1 st March
March	Water and Sanitation
Tuesday 1 st March	Meeting - Multi-club get-together – Murrumbateman
Sun 6 th March	Rotary Learning Initiative (RLI) Session 2 – Raiders Club Holt – Gordana & Sandra
Mon 7 th March	Meeting – Club Assembly & Board Meeting
Sat 12 th March	BBQ Magnet Mart –Volunteers required
Mon 14 th March	No Meeting– Public Holiday – Canberra Day
Sunday 20 th March	The Rotary Foundation Seminar - Raiders Belconnen Club, Holt – 11:00am to 4:00pm
Mon 21 st March	Meeting – Speakers - Francis Mikula-Quitty, Savannah McGuik –RYLA
Fri 25 th & Sun 27 th	Good Friday and Easter Sunday – Also T&T on Sunday
Mon 28 th March	No Meeting – Easter Monday Public Holiday
April	Maternal and Child Health
Sat 2 nd April	Celebrate Gungahlin
Sun 3 rd April	Rotary Learning Initiative (RLI) Session 3 – Raiders Club Holt
Mon 4 th April	Meeting – TBA

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Mon 11 th April	Meeting – Club Assembly & Board Meeting
Mon 18 th April	Meeting – TBA
Sun 24 th April	BBQ Bunnings –Volunteers required
Mon 25 th April	No Meeting – Public Holiday – ANZAC Day
Sat 30 th April	National Malaria Day
30 th Apr – 1 st May	District Assembly – Berry

May

Youth

13 th to 15 th May	RYPEN Camp – Mogo
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Roster for Meeting Toast:

Meeting	Toast
8 th February	Brian
15 th February	Robyn
22 nd February	Terry
29 th February	No Meeting

You can make your toast something significant to you, Rotary, or the world. Feel free to be creative!

Please share this newsletter with your friends to let them know what Rotary is about.

This week's edition of The Key has been edited by Katie Davis, pr.rcgungahlin@gmail.com.
Contributions from members are much appreciated.