

Rotary Club of Gungahlin (Inc)

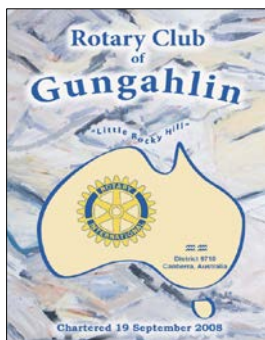
District 9710

The Key

29 February 2016



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Meetings: Mondays 6:30 for 7pm
Temporary Venue (month of February): Belconnen Soccer Club, McKellar

President: Sandra Mahlberg

Secretary: Ian Foster

Last Monday – 22nd of February 2016

Simon Port from EveryMan spoke to us last night where he works as a Co-ordinator / Senior Practitioner. EveryMan was formerly called the Canberra Men's Centre and was founded in 1992. Everyman runs a number of programs for men that range from a counselling service, a one on one program called the MASS (Men's Accommodation and Support Service) program, a specialist behaviour change program called Working with the Man, a 10 week group program on Preventing Violence and Managing Anger as well as a disability service for men who have outgrown the need for institutionalised support.



Everyman works closely with the Australian Federal Police. They receive a lot of referrals from the AFP and work side by side with the AFP's perpetrator. Everyman's referrals have increased by 220% in the last year and people in their programs have increased by 150%. The success of the programs can be measured by the number of participants increasing as well as the rate of participants re-offending and being comparatively low compared to non-participants.

Everyman is funded by the ACT and Federal governments. They have approximately 20 staff and are the second largest provider of temporary housing in the ACT. Their website is <http://www.everyman.org.au/> if you or someone you know needs assistance.

New member joins the club – Mick Murphy



The club celebrated the induction of Mick Murphy to our club. Mick is a Financial Advisor by trade and we already know that he will be of great assistance moving forward with our international project and our general club activities. We were fortunate enough to also welcome his lovely wife Jill, as a partner of a Rotarian, to our meeting and hope that both feel well and truly part of the Rotary family now. Thanks to our Assistant District Governor Graeme for coming along to our meeting and also presenting Mick with his badges.

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Celebrating Rotary's 111th Birthday

At our meeting we also celebrated Rotary's 111th birthday, with President Sandra baking a delicious cake and her getting to wear the traditional birthday hat on behalf of the club. It is great to see that we are continuing to service the community of Gungahlin while building our membership – overall lots to celebrate.



This Monday

We do not have a meeting this Monday and instead have social event (TBC) on Tuesday the 1st of March 2016. More details to come from President Sandra.

Upcoming Events

Rotary Club of Canberra Sunrise Trivia Night

The Rotary Club of Canberra Sunrise (RCCS) has invited members to their third annual Trivia Night fund raiser at the National Press Club in Barton, from 7pm on Friday 18th March. This years event will support DeamCricket in the ACT - a fantastic series of activities encouraging disabled children to participate in cricket/sport. As well as being a great fundraiser, this is a fun evening with Greg Bayliss (ABC radio personality) as MC, quiz prizes, raffles and silent auctions. Tickets can be purchased at <https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/rotary-trivia-fundraiser-2016-tickets-21048574854?aff=es2> Book as an individual or a group but note the registration cut off is 12th of March 2016.

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
Sat 27 th Feb	Club Visioning – all members expected please - 10:00am until 2:00pm	
Sun 28 th Feb	T&T –Brian/ Sandra	
Mon 29 th Feb	Meeting deferred to Tuesday 1 st March	
March		Water and Sanitation
Tuesday 1 st March	Members Social Event	

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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 - Brian
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
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
1 st May	T&T –Volunteers required

May

Youth

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

Meeting	Toast
29 th February	No Meeting
7 th March	Robyn
14 th March	No Meeting
21 st March	Ian
28 th March	No Meeting

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

Roster for Thanking Speakers

Meeting	Member
21 st March	Brian
4 th April	Robyn
18 th April	Kiri

Please note that you are not only responsible for thanking the speaker, but writing up a blurb about the presentation for the Key. This must be submitted to the PR Gungahlin email by Wednesday at the latest

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.