

Rotary Club of Mitcham

District 9810 Victoria Australia



Reach Within to Embrace Humanity

Bulletin

Tues 14th February 2012

Lunch Meeting: 1:00pm—2:00pm

Summary of Rotary presentation by Kevin Gray, Taralye

Deafness

Adults, mostly degenerative unless war injuries

Children: acquired, eg illness

Infants, congenital, state wide screening

Taralye

Began 41 years ago when parents of deaf kids came together

Don't charge kids for service.

40% from state government, help from donations, none from federal government

We see parents when they've just been told their child was born deaf.
They're gutted.

Taralye un-guts them.

Deaf kids we have now catch up before they even start primary school.

We run our own kinder. 1:8 ratio

If anyone would like to see this for themselves, we'd be happy to welcome you to a children's Christmas rehearsal

Hearing Aids

Cochlear Implants

Prof. Graeme Clarke bionic eye

Taught how to use it --3 years

Case Manager, Speech Pathology, Social Worker

Costs average \$12,000 over 3 years

February 2012



none



Wedding
Anniversaries

none

Rotary Grace

For good food, good fellowship and the opportunity of service through Rotary, we give thanks.



PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS

Presented by the Rotary Club of Mitcham

1979 Geoffrey Prior	1999 John Varley
1980 Dr John Munro	2000 John Cook
1983 Bruce McLaughlin	2000 Jean & Ray † Rose
1986 Maxwell Bloom †	2000 Brian Bergin†
1988 William Wood†	2001 Christine Ryan
1988 Alan Fraser	2001 Bill Mudford
1989 Tony Gibson	2001 John Atkinson
1989 David Gawler	2002 Wayne Lucas
1991 Dr Peter Brown	2002 Denis Bunn †
1991 Robert McDowell	2002 Michael Edney†
1991 Bruce Wainwright	2002 Peter McPhee
1993 Ronald Slattery	2003 Dawn & Graham Whiteside
1994 Vic Dye	2003 Keith Nunn
1995 Fr Kevin Dillon	2004 Brendan Tunstall
1995 Kenneth Rose	2004 Colin Spencer
1997 David Murray	2005 Fred Wiffrie
1998 Ian Young	2006 Les Marton
1998 Ron Frederick	2009 Eva Anderson
1999 Chris & Ian McColl	2009 Sharon Partridge
	2010 Jack Butler

PAUL HARRIS FELLOW SAPPHIRE AWARD

2002 Bruce Wainwright

2004 Tony Gibson

2004 John Atkinson

2007 Brian Bergin (Dec)

2007 Bill Mudford

2007 Colin Spencer

FOUR AVENUES OF SERVICE AWARD

2000 John Atkinson

AUSTRALIAN ROTARY HEALTH RESEARCH FUND COMPANIONS

1994 Roy Knudson † 1996 Dr Peter Brown 1999 David Murray

Officers for 2011/12

BOARD

President:	Philip Daw
Past Pres:	Wayne Lucas
Pres. Elect:	TBA
Vice Pres :	TBA
Secretary:	John Atkinson
Treasurer:	Wayne Lucas
Membership:	Colin Spencer
Membership Retention PR & Marketing	Colin Spencer
Community & International:	Ron Frederick
New Generations:	David Murray

OTHER PORTFOLIOS

On to Conference:	Wayne Lucas
Fellowship Vocational:	David Murray
Attendance:	John Atkinson
Foundation & International:	Ron Frederick
Bulletin:	Philip Daw and Colin Spencer
Program:	Philip daw / members
Sergeant:	Wayne Lucas
Public Officer:	Ron Frederick
Internet / Website:	Colin Spencer
Op Shop:	John Atkinson

The Rotary Club of Mitcham needs you!

Helping Hands

The Rotary Club is looking for volunteer shop attendants to help assist in the continued running of our local op-shop.

Why not come and spend a few hours in our fun and happy environment and help support our community and have fun too!



Please call John Atkinson on **9873 3322** for more details!



**President Philip Daw
2011 - 2012**

Hi all,



Today's guest speaker is Kevin Gray from Taralye. Kevin will be talking on the very important work that Taralye does to develop hearing impaired children and support for their parents.

This is most important work carried out from a center located in Blackburn Road, Blackburn south but serving hearing impaired children and their parents across the State of Victoria.

Once again we had a Rotary market last Sunday that I was unfortunately unable to attend due to other unexpected last minute commitments. I am sure that one of our attending RC Mitcham attendees will be able to bring the Club up to date.

Last week we launched out much anticipated corporate membership drive and over the next few weeks we should get an idea of how it is shaping up.

Wayne and Dianne are going great guns with their collection for the Indonesian bound container.

Until next time, stay well.

All the best,

President Philip

Advance Australia Fair

*Australians all let us rejoice, for we are young and free
We've golden soil and wealth for toil, our home is girt by sea
Our land abounds in nature's gifts, of beauty rich and rare
In history's page let every stage, advance Australia fair
In joyful strains, then let us sing
Advance Australia fair*

The Year 2011 - 2012

**President: Philip Daw
Secretary: John Atkinson
Treasurer: Wayne Lucas
Desk : Colin Spencer**

APOLOGIES: Would all members please ring or email another member if they are not able to attend a regular meeting of the club, if they find they have another engagement?

District 9810**Annual Foundation Dinner
THUR 23 FEB**

hosted by The Rotary Club of Mordialloc

with Guest Speaker

**PRIT IAN RISELEY,
Trustee Rotary Foundation 2011-14**

Venue: Woodlands Golf Club,
Time: 6:30 pm for 7:00
Cost : \$50 pp (Drinks at bar prices)

**RSVP : Graeme Bruce on 0438 737 144, or email
GRAEME**

**N.B. registration forms must be submitted by
Thurs FEB 16**

www.rotary9810.org.au

REGISTRATION
Dinner
Northern Region Cluster – Whitehorse and Manningham

The Rotary Club of Nunawading is organising the Cluster Dinner Meeting for the Northern Region Cluster. It is envisaged that this meeting could be in lieu of your normal meeting that week.

When: Wednesday, February 29th, 2012
 Where: Monte Carlo Room, Casavini, 5 Mitchell St, Doncaster East
 Time: 6:00 for 6:30pm
 Cost: \$30 pp (Drinks at bar prices)

The Rotary Club of _____ will have ____ representatives at the dinner.

Number of members attending _____ (@ \$30 per person) Total amount:
 \$ _____

Please list any special dietary requirements:

Name	Special dietary requirements

Payment:

By your Club cheque, made payable to The Rotary Club of Nunawading. Please bring your club cheque to the event. No cash desk facilities will be available on the night.

OR

The Rotary Club of _____ will not have representatives at the dinner. Please tender the club's apology to the meeting.

REGISTRATION FORM REQUIRED BY: Wednesday February 22, 2012

Please forward Registration Sheet to:

Judith Eadon
 Rotary Club of Nunawading
 Email: eadon.judith.a@edumail.vic.gov.au
 Mail: 1/85 Churinga Avenue, Mitcham 3132

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Rotary Clubs and Membership

Rotary is a worldwide organisation of business and professional people that provides humanitarian service, encourages high ethical standards in all vocations and helps build goodwill and peace in the world. Approximately 1.2 million Rotarians belong to more than 32000 Rotary Clubs located in over 200 countries.

Clubs may differ from each other in demographic terms, meeting times and venues, but all have the same aims of making the world a better place, locally and internationally, while at the same time strengthening established friendships and creating new ones.

One of 51 clubs in Rotary District 9810, the Rotary Club of Mitcham has served its local community, and participated in many international projects since its charter in 1979. In these busy days, it is not so easy for young business and professional people to set aside a little bit of time to participate in Rotary functions. Those who do, are rewarded beyond belief. Support for Camp Quality - Kids living with Cancer, the International Polio Plus worldwide Polio eradication program, International Student Exchange, Rotary Youth Leadership Awards and many other fantastic opportunities exist. Giving immense satisfaction to all who are involved.



... of the things we think, say or do.

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

The Objects of Rotary

To encourage and foster the idea of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and in particular:

- first** The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service.
- second** High ethical standards in business and professions, the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations and the dignifying by each Rotarian of this occupation as an opportunity to serve society.
- third** The application of the ideal of service by every Rotarian's personal, business and community life.
- fourth** The advancement of international understanding, goodwill and peace, through the world fellowship of business and professional men and women united in the ideal of service.

Description of Rotary

Rotary is an organisation of Business and Professional persons, united world wide who provide humanitarian service, encourage high ethical standards in all vocations, and help build goodwill and peace in all the world.

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Diary Dates

ROTARY CLUB OF MITCHAM

Meets at Mitcham RSL Club, 26 McDowall St. Mitcham

LUNCH Meetings:

Tuesdays 12:30 for 1:00pm for lunch

Coming meetings (Guest Speakers):

14th Feb Kevin Gray, Taralye

21st Feb John Williams

28th Feb RYLA

All funds applied to Rotary Community Projects in Whitehorse



After another successful event, make sure you join us at the next market on the second Sunday, 11th March 2012

8.00 am to 1.00 pm at:

The Whitehorse Civic Centre 279 Whitehorse Rd
Nunawading. Enquiries 0425222550

www.rotarymitcham.com