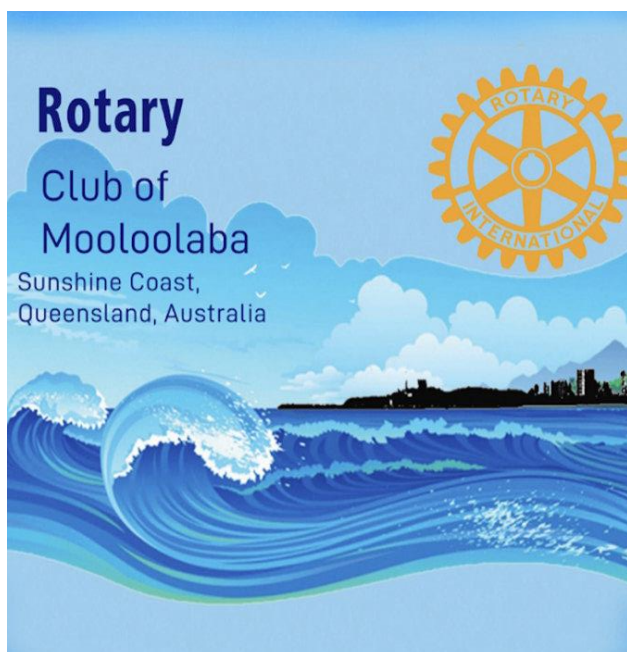


**Weekly Club
Bulletin**



**Rotary International Theme
2024-25**

ROTARY CLUB OF MOOLOOLABA INC.

(Chartered 26th March 1973, Club No. 17810)

Club meets Monday Mooloolaba Bowls Club
Fellowship 6.00pm - Dinner 6.30pm

All Correspondence to: PO Box 963, Buddina, Queensland 4575

Club President - Ian Barnett

R.I. President - Stephanie A. Urchick (Rotary Club of McMurray, Pennsylvania, USA)

District 9620 D.G Sue Mulraney (Rotary Club of Loganholme)

Secretary Harry Powell

* **Board**

Responsible for the overall governance of the club

Ian BARNETT (President), Harry POWELL (Secretary), John OATES (Treasurer), Graham LUKINS (Vice President), Sandra HARRINGTON (President Elect), Pam PURVIS (Imm. Past Pres), Donna DUNCAN (Community), Graham MCHUGH (International), Sandra HARRINGTON (Youth), Andrew LEHMANN (Vocational), Charles GODFREY (Membership)

* **Board Elect**

Harry POWELL (Secretary), John OATES (Treasurer), Ian BARNETT (Vice President), Sandra HARRINGTON (President Elect), Donna DUNCAN (Community), Graham MCHUGH (International), Mary-Anne SUTTON (Youth), Malcolm MCCOLM (Vocational), Syd SHILLING (Membership)

* **Club Administration**

Focuses on strengthening of fellowship and ensuring the effective functioning of the club

Ian BARNETT (Chairman), Mike IVES, Lindsay ROCK, Tony SPORTON

* **Community Service**

Planning and carrying out a range of projects that address the needs of the club's community

John GOWLAND (Director), Donna DUNCAN (Chairman), Phil BALLINGER, Rick BISHOP, Charles GODFREY, Margaret JONES, Susie RASMUSSEN, Syd SHILLING, Martin SILINK AO, Connie SILLAMAN, Tony SPORTON, Vicki STEWART, Roger WRIGHT

* **International**

Planning and carrying out educational & humanitarian projects that address the needs of communities in other countries Including support for The Rotary Foundation through financial contributions and club participation in Foundation programs.

Graham MCHUGH (Chairman), Kevan DACEY (Vice-Chairman), George FRASER (Vice-Chairman), Som-Ling LEUNG, Ratna PAUDYAL, Harry POWELL, Lindsay ROCK, Leo SMITH, Jack WILLIAMS

* **Youth**

Focuses on developing projects related supporting and enhancing life opportunities for the next generation

Sandra HARRINGTON (Chairman), Anne ALLEN, Peter BELL, Andrew BUTTERWORTH, Shannon DOLAN, Lyn EPPS, Paula GOWLAND, Bryan HUNT, Graham LUKINS, Margaret SILINK, Mary-Anne SUTTON, Kelly TELFORD, Cathy WRIGHT, Alison YOUNG

* **Vocational**

Planning and carrying out projects that address the vocational needs of the club's community

Andrew LEHMANN (Chairman), Barry FRASER, Malcolm MCCOLM, Pam PURVIS, Paul ROBINS

* **Membership**

Focuses on recruiting and retaining club members in addition to providing the public with information about Rotary and the Club's service projects and activities

Charles GODFREY (Chairman), Graham LUKINS, Graham MCHUGH, Paul ROBINS, Vicki STEWART, Bernie TAMBA-LEBBIE, Joel TYACK, Paul WARREN



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Next Saturday the District is holding the Presidents Elect training and the District Assembly for the eastern clubs in Caboolture. This heralds the start of the planning for the next Rotary Year. President Elect Sandra and her board will soon be looking for people to chair the many committees that manage the Club and its various projects.

Over the years various people have fulfilled these roles and because of the experience they have gained do their jobs exceptionally well. A number of these people have indicated that they do not wish to continue in their current positions next year. If you are asked to take on one of these roles don't be concerned that you may not be able to do the job as well as the current person. They will still be available to assist you and you will become an expert.

If you are asked to take a role in next year's committees please give it due consideration. It is a privilege to be part of the management team of a great club.

The spirit of Rotary

As many of you will be aware, our member Paul Robins was severely injured in a skiing accident in Europe and is recovering in hospital in hospital. Janene is with him but it will be some time before Paul will be able to fly home.

Paul was skiing with the International Fellowship of Skiing Rotarians when the accident occurred and Paul and Janene have been supported by members of the Fellowship. Before going skiing they had visited the family of our past exchange student Robert Quack and his parents Thomas and Karin (who are both doctors) who have also given their support.

Although far away and unable to provide physical support to Paul and Janene our thoughts are with them and we wish Paul a speedy recovery and return home.

Next Club Meeting

The next Club meeting 07 Apr 2025

Our next club meeting will be held at the Mooloolaba Bowls Club. The guest speaker will be Michael Hurley who will be talking on Strata Community Title Industry plus more!.

Michael is managing director of Strata Title Management Pty Ltd and is heavily involved on boards involved in the industry. and is a member of the Task Force 2032 Committee (Olympic Games), is a director of the Buderim Foundation and a passionate Rugby supporter Michael's challenge will be to keep his talk to 25 minutes

Coming Events

WHAT'S AHEAD FOR OUR CLUB

April 7	Club Meeting - Strata Community Title Industry plus more! [Speaker Michael Hurley]
April 14	Board Meeting (Short)
April 14	Club Meeting - CAYAC [Speaker Nadia Anderson]
April 24	ROMAC Trivia night
April 28	Club Meeting - SC Council activities and goals [Speaker John Baker CEO Sunshine Coast Council]
May 12	Club Meeting - IFYS [Speaker Tanya Fraser]
May 15	Board Meeting (Full)
May 19	Club Meeting [Speaker Lillian Murchiri]
May 26	Club Meeting - Kirabili [Speaker Ben Clare]
June 12	Board Meeting (Full)
July 7	Club Meeting - Club changeover
July 10	Board Meeting (Full)
July 11-13	Garden Show Car Parking
August 30	Fruehlingsfest Car Parking Project
October 27	Club Meeting - Telling Stories Writing competition
November 10	Club Meeting - Interact changeover Dinner

Members' Communications

Member Update - PP Paul Robins

Some members will know that PP Paul and Janene are overseas in Europe on holidays. Whilst over there, they enjoyed skiing with Rotarians from the ISFR (International Skiing Fellowship of Rotarians). Unfortunately, on Paul's last skiing day, he had a serious accident that required evacuation and surgery on his back to address a broken vertebrae. Currently Paul is in a hospital in Zams, Austria with Janene close by and being well looked after by the Quack family. Although a significant injury, Paul was up and walking a day after surgery but clearly has a long "recovery" road ahead. It is expected that with all going well, Paul and Janene will be able to return home in around 3 weeks.

With regards to support, Janene's exact words were "Rotarians are amazing people and we're grateful for all their support." Thomas, Karin and Robert Quack (Robert was a Rotary Exchange student from Germany and was hosted by our club with time spent with the Robins family) have been instrumental, together with members of the ISFR in supporting Paul and

Janene. As a club, we thank them and wish Paul a speedy recovery and Janene the added strength required during these challenging times.

Yours in Rotary Service,
Andrew Butterworth
Welfare

Rotary Information

Rotary Anti-Malaria Campaign and The Gates Foundation

By Abigail Pratt, Gates Foundation malaria program -

Over the last two decades, the [partnership between Rotary and the Gates Foundation](#) to eradicate polio has been one of the most impactful collaborations in public health history. Thanks to your leadership, vision, and commitment, the world is on the brink of eradicating polio.

But the end of polio is not the end of our work together. The infrastructure and lessons from polio eradication have already been repurposed to address other critical health challenges. One of the most urgent is malaria - and at the heart of this fight are community health workers.

So it was thrilling to join hands with Rotary and World Vision again on the [Programs of Scale award in Zambia "Partners for a Malaria-free Zambia"](#) - that trained 2,500 community health workers to protect over 1.3 million people from severe illness and death. These workers delivered integrated care, tackled malaria head-on, and provided a transformative blueprint for public health projects.

Building on this success, we knew that we wanted to work with Rotary on something similar, but even bigger. It needed to stay locally led by Rotary members but implemented in partnership with government, and key organizations who have expertise and resources in the public health systems.

Together we launched the **Rotary Healthy Communities Challenge**. This \$30 million program spans four countries - the Democratic Republic of Congo, Nigeria, Mozambique, and Zambia - where the need is greatest and where you all - locally and globally - are ready to step in. Though newly launched, RHCC is already saving lives and demonstrating that this partnership model can be replicated worldwide.

We already see opportunities to scale; places where Rotary members are energized and committed to establishing community health worker programs and have already forged longstanding, trusting relationships with local health authorities.

RHCC is more than just a program; it's a model for how Rotary and the Gates Foundation and others can continue to work together to address systemic health challenges. By leveraging each other's strengths, we can create sustainable, scalable solutions that have a lasting impact.

But there is still much to be done. Malaria is facing resistance on every front. Many programs face fragmentation, insufficient resources, and challenges in scaling effectively. And moving beyond a project-by-project mindset to engaging in longer-term planning and resource mobilization is critical to moving from helping one child at a time to eliminating a preventable and treatable disease like malaria.

This is where Rotary shines. You are "local everywhere," which means you can ensure community voices are heard, solutions are appropriate, and programs are locally owned.

children, grandchildren, and all of their neighbors to have access to the care they need when they need it.

Abigail Pratt is a Senior Program Officer on the Malaria Team at the Gates Foundation. This post is adapted from the speech Pratt gave to incoming leaders at Rotary's annual training eve

Program for the weeks ahead

Date	Apr 7	Apr 14	Apr 28	May 12
Venue	Mooloolaba Bowls Club	Mooloolaba Bowls Club	Mooloolaba Bowls Club	Mooloolaba Bowls Club
Subject	Strata Community Title Industry plus more!	CAYAC	SC Council activities and goals	IFYS
Speaker	Michael Hurley	Nadia Anderson	John Baker CEO Sunshine Coast Council	Tanya Fraser
Chairman	Graham LUKINS	Rick BISHOP	Andrew BUTTERWORTH	
Speaker Host	Syd SHILLING	Sandra HARRINGTON	Charles GODFREY	
Front Desk	Lindsay ROCK	Margaret JONES	Andrew LEHMANN	
Meet & Greet	Lyn EPPS	Connie SILLAMAN	Alison YOUNG	

Last Meeting

Meeting of the Rotary Club of Mooloolaba held

Mar 31 2025 6:00PM

There were 27 Members present along with 5 guests.

We received 20 apologies.

(More information can be obtained from our website.)

Visitors at last meeting

Club Guests: Jaque Dean (Club guest speaker), Amber Holland (Club guest speaker)

Members' Guests: Xavier Sutton (Mary-Anne SUTTON)

Partners: LEEANNE (Phil BALLINGER), David (Cathy WRIGHT)



Jaque Dean and Amber Holland with Roher

Holding the shield the club donated to STEMM



Club Sub-Committees 2024-25

Club Administration

*Guest Speakers	Lindsay ROCK (Chairman), Adrian HEALEY, Vicki STEWART
*AV Services	Ian BARNETT (Chairman), Peter BELL, Mike IVESS, John OATES, Syd SHILLING
*Sergeants	Harry POWELL (Chairman), Peter BELL, Andrew BUTTERWORTH
*Website	Mike IVESS (Chairman), Ian BARNETT, John OATES, Paul WARREN
*Rotary Info	Graham MCHUGH (Chairman), Mike IVESS
*Classification	Harry POWELL (Chairman)
*Welfare	Andrew BUTTERWORTH (Chairman)
*History	Mike IVESS (Chairman)
*Insurance and Risk	Tony SPORTON (Chairman)
*Duty Rosters	Lindsay ROCK (Chairman)
*Blue Card Register/Form 3	Lyn EPPS (Chairman)
*PHF Committee	Roger WRIGHT (Chairman), Barry FRASER, Cathy WRIGHT
*Database Admin	Harry POWELL (Chairman)
*Club Clothing	Harry POWELL (Chairman)
*Catering	Ian BARNETT (Chairman)
*Calendar Maintenance	John OATES (Chairman)

Community Service

*Nambour Garden Show	Ian BARNETT (Chairman), Lindsay ROCK (Vice-Chairman)
*Trailer Raffle	Peter BELL (Chairman)
*Citizenship Ceremony	TBA
*Urban Angles	Syd SHILLING (Chairman)
*Lift the Lid Walk For Mental Health	Charles GODFREY (Chairman), George FRASER, Graham LUKINS, John OATES, Vicki STEWART, Roger WRIGHT
*ECOKAPS	Susie RASMUSSEN (Chairman)
*Elton John Experience	Rick BISHOP (Chairman)

International

*Solomon Islands Medical Equip	- TBA
*Grants	Graham MCHUGH (Chairman)
*Rotary Foundation	Graham MCHUGH (Chairman)

Youth

- *Telling Stories Cathy WRIGHT (Chairman), Sandra HARRINGTON
- *Equine Therapy Lyn EPPS (Chairman)
- *Child Protection Lyn EPPS (Chairman)
- *NYSF Sandra HARRINGTON (Chairman)
- *Seniors Christmas Party Sandra HARRINGTON (Chairman), Anne ALLEN, Andrew BUTTERWORTH, Lyn EPPS, Cathy WRIGHT
- *Immanuel Car Parking Andrew BUTTERWORTH (Chairman)
- *RYPEN Sandra HARRINGTON (Chairman)
- *Youth Exchange Sandra HARRINGTON (Chairman), Margaret SILINK, Cathy WRIGHT
- *Earlyact Buddina SS Peter BELL (Chairman)
- *RYDA Graham LUKINS (Chairman), Bryan HUNT
- *RYLA Margaret SILINK (Chairman), Sandra HARRINGTON, Kelly TELFORD
- *Interact Immanuel Andrew BUTTERWORTH (Chairman), Bryan HUNT
- *Interact KWSC Anne ALLEN (Chairman)
- *RYTS Sandra HARRINGTON (Chairman)
- *International Peace Day Sandra HARRINGTON (Chairman), Peter BELL, Margaret SILINK
- *Rotaract Sandra HARRINGTON (Chairman), Kelly TELFORD

Vocational

- *Vocational Visits TBA
- *Small Business Awards TBA

Membership

- *Social Lindsay ROCK (Chairman)
- *Recruitment & Retention TBA
- *Public Image TBA

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