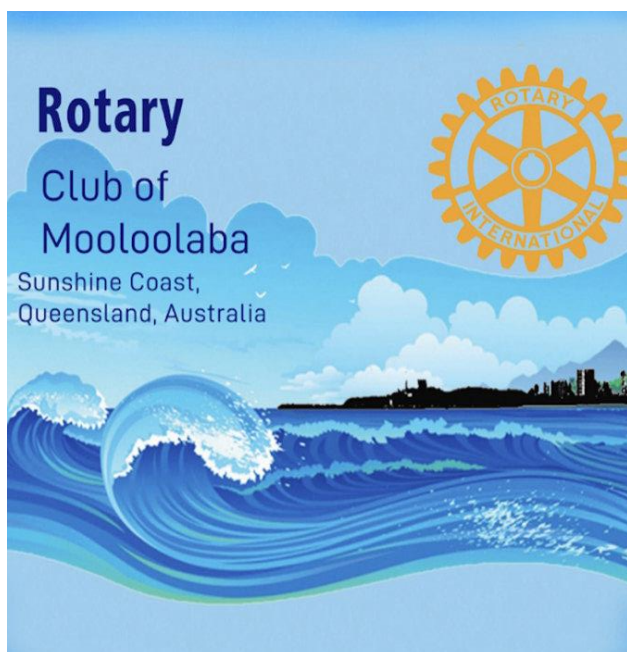


**Weekly Club
Bulletin**



**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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At our recent Board meeting the following items were considered.

- Notification from Club Mooloolaba that meal costs would rise from 24th March
 - Meal costs will increase to \$27.50 from the 24th March to cover rising costs
 - It was decided to raise our meal charges to \$27.50
 - Members are asked to avoid paying cash at the door and use the prepayment system or card as no change will be provided. Eliminating cash will reduce the workload on our Treasurer.
- The difficulties of the sound system was discussed and the following action will be taken to help improve the system
 - The guest speaker will be briefed on the use of the microphone
 - There will be a tablet on the podium showing the projected screen so that the speaker does not have to turn away from the microphone to see the screen.
 - The chairperson will be given a roving microphone and any one speaking from the floor will be asked to use the roving microphone
- Attendance of members at meetings seemed to be low.
 - Since the meeting, the following summary has been produced

Date	Members	Out Of	Percent	Visitors	At Meeting
10-Mar-25	23	46	50%	6	29
3-Mar-25	20	43	46%	6	26
24-Feb-25	27	45	60%	7	34
17-Feb-25	26	46	56%	2	28
10-Feb-25	28	44	63%	7	35
3-Feb-25	30	45	66%	5	35
20-Jan-25	24	44	54%	3	27
13-Jan-25	28	45	62%	1	29
16-Dec-24	28	44	63%	20	48
9-Dec-24	26	46	56%	12	38
2-Dec-24	24	45	53%	6	30
25-Nov-24	21	45	46%	3	24

- The Membership committee will be looking further at these figures to see if improvements can be made

Surf for Kids (formerly The Board Meeting Surf Charity)

It was great to hear from Mark Skinner that a new organisation, Surf for Kids, is continuing the great work done by the Board Meeting Surf Charity. We will be supporting Mark's new venture starting with a sausage sizzle at a surf carnival planned for November

Next Club Meeting

The next Club meeting 17 Mar 2025

Our next club meeting will be held at the Mooloolaba Bowls Club. The guest speaker will be Ratna Paudyal who will be talking on Nepal project.

Ratna recently visited Nepal and will bring us up to date with his project there

Coming Events

WHAT'S AHEAD FOR OUR CLUB

March 17	Club Meeting - Nepal project [Speaker Ratna Paudyal]
March 24	Club Meeting - Nipping juvenile criminal behaviour in the bud [Speaker Dimitra Lattas]
March 28	District Conference 28-30 March - District Conference 2025 [Speaker Various]
March 31	Club Meeting - STEMM [Speaker Jacque Dean Janelle Logan]
April 7	Club Meeting [Speaker Michael Hurley]
April 14	Board Meeting (Short)
April 14	Club Meeting - CAYAC [Speaker Nadia]
April 21	No Club Meeting - Easter
May 15	Board Meeting (Full)
May 19	Club Meeting [Speaker Lillian Murchiri]
June 12	Board Meeting (Full)
August 30	Fruehlingsfest Car Parking Project

Members' Communications

Birthdays

Bernie TAMBA-LEBBIE (21/3)

Cliff WILKINSON (17/3)

John GOWLAND (20/3)

Margaret WEBB(21/3)

Program for the weeks ahead

Date	Mar 17	Mar 24	Mar 31	Apr 7
Venue	Mooloolaba Bowls Club	Mooloolaba Bowls Club	Mooloolaba Bowls Club	Mooloolaba Bowls Club
Subject	Nepal project	Nipping juvenile criminal behaviour in the bud	STEMM	
Speaker	Ratna Paudyal	Dimitra Lattas	Jacque Dean Janelle Logan	Michael Hurley
Chairman	Graham MCHUGH	Vicki STEWART	Cathy WRIGHT	
Speaker Host		Charles GODFREY	Roger WRIGHT	Syd SHILLING
Front Desk	Lindsay ROCK	Andrew LEHMANN	Mike IVESS	
Meet & Greet	Jack WILLIAMS	Lyn EPPS	Connie SILLAMAN	

Last Meeting

Meeting of the Rotary Club of Mooloolaba held Mar 10 2025 6:00PM

There were 23 Members present along with 5 guests.

We received 25 apologies.

(More information can be obtained from our website.)

Visitors at last meeting

Club Guests: Ruby DeWet (Club guest speaker), Antionette Lloyd (Club guest speaker), Mark Skinner (Surf for Kids Charity)

Members' Guests: Bev Skinner (Kevan DACEY)

Partners: David (Cathy WRIGHT)

About the Guest Speaker

It was my pleasure to host our Guest Speaker Antionette Lloyd at our meeting last Monday.

Antionette works with YouTurn, an organization that was formed in Noosa more than 30 years ago. Their Mission is to support people in their times of need to live a healthy and meaningful life. YouTurn is a "Not for Profit Organisation."

Antionette shared some brief statistics highlighting the extent the number of young people suffering some form of mental health. It is estimated that 40% of people aged 24 years and under suffer some form of mental health.

Antionett's presentation included a short video showing three live cases on issues leading to poor mental health.

YouTurn assists with child safety, supporting the homeless, general mental health and in suicide prevention. It was interesting to note eating disorders, bullying and financial issues were also raised.

During her presentation Antionette mentioned that in earlier times whilst living in South Africa she travelled to Texas USA as Rotary Youth Exchange Student.

Thank you Antionette for a professional and informative presentation, on a subject that is important to us all and a major focus to our Club.

Tony Sporton

11th March 2025





Ruby DeWet and Antionette Lloyd with Tony



Mark Skinner announcing his new venture

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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