



# ROTARY INTERNATIONAL

## The Four Way Test

'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

## ROTARY GRACE

We break thy bread in brotherhood  
And thank thee Lord for all things good.  
May we more blessed than we deserve  
Live less for self and more to serve

## UPDATE ON HAL DOBBINS (AMBASSADORIAL SCHOLAR)



A little bit of news re Hal Dobbins, our very energetic 2002 Rotary Ambassadorial Scholar, who liked us all so much, he quickly got approval to return, with help from Geoff and Paul, to live and work in Australia.

A couple of weekends ago, Geoff and Brian Beconsall and their wives went to a farewell send-off for the former 2002 Ambassadorial Scholar, Hal Dobbins and his partner Nathalie Ramiere, who are both taking a few years off full time work here in Australia to do some serious travel. They have now left Australia for Japan, and will work their way down through China, Korea, etc to Singapore

and then off to Southern France by the end 2010 to have Christmas with Nathalie's parents.

They have been working for the last 3 years in Sydney, and there were some 40 of their friends here in Brisbane to wish them farewell. Hal will attempt to keep in touch with Rotary in his travels, and will post progress reports from time to time

## COMIC GENIUS

1. Two blondes walked into a building.....you'd think at least one of them would have seen it.
2. Phone answering machine message - '...If you want marijuana, press the hash key...'
3. A guy walks into the psychiatrist wearing only Clingfilm for shorts. The shrink says, 'Well, I can clearly see you're nuts.'
4. I went to buy some camouflage trousers the other day but I couldn't find any.
5. I went to the butchers the other day and I bet him 50 quid that he couldn't reach the meat off the top shelf. He said, 'No, the steaks are too high.'

## Quote of the Week:

You can judge your age by the amount of pain you feel when you come in contact with a new idea



# THE KENMORE KOG



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Week 35— 3 March, 2010

**RI President**  
**John Kenny**



**Theme for February: World Understanding Month**

**Tonight: National Youth Science Forum**

**District Governor**  
**Walter Buchanan**



**Speaker: Isabella Benfer**

**Chair: Colin Melvin**

**President**  
**Bill Waterfield**  
**OAM**



**Duty Officers: Paul McLaughlin; Nelson Ganhao**

**F'ship /Grace: Bob Rogers**

**Sergeant: Andre du Preez**

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DATE	10 MAR	17 MAR	24 MAR	31 MAR
<b>Subject</b>	Ambass. Scholars and Peace Fellows	New Member Introductions	Ambassadorial Scholar	Vocational Visit—Australia Post Mail Centre
<b>Speakers</b>	Scholars and Fellows	Michael Price Ray Hartzenberg	Patrick Day	N/A
<b>Chair</b>	Brian Duddington	Taso Kouvaras	Karen Cosh	N/A
<b>Duty Officers</b>	David Lock; Meyrick Croker; Royce Allan; Karen Cosh;	Ray Giarola Henry Zehr	Geoff Haigh Barry Wheeler	N/A
<b>F'ship/Grace</b>	Brian Beconsall	Tony Bracken	Alan Johnston	N/A
<b>Sergeant</b>	Lance Weller	Ken Wasley	Ted Horsbrugh	N/A

DATE	EVENT	CO-ORDINATOR
6 March (Saturday)	DIK Container	Bill Waterfield
11 March (Thursday)	RYDA Program	Jim Dalton
26-28 March	District 9600 Conference	Joan Moloney
31 March (Wednesday)	Vocation Visit—Aust. Post	Kerri Horsbrugh



## President's Notes

RC Kenmore has been involved with Donations in Kind almost from the beginning 21 years ago when in that time DIK have sent 605 containers to developing countries packed with health and education goods. Next Saturday, 6 March, we will be assisting with packing two shipping containers bound for Honiara and Rabaul, assisting, as there will be three other Clubs involved. I will be looking for six Rotarians from RC Kenmore, but if we have more there is always something to do.

For your inf; 152 Freeman Road, Durack, sharp at 8.00 am to 10.30, **no children** (it's a warehouse situation with forklifts running).

## Last Week's Meeting— 24 February, 2010

**Members Attending:** 31 68.9 %

**Visiting Rotarians:** John Lane  
(Ashgrove the Gap)

**Apologies:** Alan Johnston, David Lock, Jack Rynn, Brian Stevens

**Member's Guests:** Nancy Rogers,

**Club Guests:** Jane Edwards, Patrick Cook, Simon Ho (Guest Speaker), Jenica Ho, Peter McKenzie, Pat Delaney

**Leave of Absence:** Nil

**Make Ups:** Jenny Horton (Somewhere in India )

**Door Prize:** ( 18) Michael Price (\$19)

**Joker: (\$395)** ( 53) Michael Price (Ace Clubs)

**H&T:** Simon Ho

## LAST WEEK'S SPEAKER

**SUBJECT: MEDICAL EXPERIENCES IN RWANDA**

**SPEAKER: SIMON HO**

- Canadian completing his medical degree at UQ
- In year 1 he elected to go to Rwanda for training as he saw it as an opportunity to see Africa from a health care perspective.
- The health system in Rwanda is financed by the Government utilising foreign aid. It has three categories; State Agents; General and Military
- He went to Rwanda to gain; cultural education; medical education; personal education
- He sought to give to Rwanda; cultural exchange; professional exchange; supply medical goods
- He learnt; how a hospital functions; Patient history, processes and physical examination procedures
- He developed a strong rapport with children and supplied the hospital he was appointed to with 3 boxes of medical goods (not medications). These boxes were supplied by the Towards International Medical Aid Project (TIME)
- Hospital had 11 doctors, 49 nurses, 12-15 cleaners and ambulance drivers for 100,000 residents
- Rwanda is recovering from the genocide of 1984



## SPOTS:

**President Bill:** Welcomed all members and guests . Brought members' attention to the Shelter Box in the foyer indicating that they cost \$1,200 and that \$169,000 had already been spent to date. Reminded members that Brian Beconsall was looking after the club shirts , caps and hat bands and Brian was taking orders. Thanked all members attending the International House function with the Indian student community. Reminded the Board that their next meeting was 9 March.

**Secretary—Ian Kilpatrick:** No Report

**Treasurer: Kerri Horsbrugh :** No Report .

**Club Service Director: Jack Rynn:** In the absence of Jack President Bill sent the Absentee Board around.

**Vocation Service Director: Carol Koser:** No Report

**Community Service Director: Royce Allan:** No Report

**Youth Service Director : Colin Melvin:** - No Report

**Intn'l Service Director: Brian Duddington:** - No Report

**HOME: Brian Stevens:** No Report

## Members Spots:

**Jim Dalton:** Advised that the upcoming Rotary Youth Driver Awareness Program is now to be held on one day (11 March). Has enough starters at this time.

**Brian Beconsall:** Advised that he was taking orders for the Club Shirt, Cap and Hat Band. A board was being sent around.

**President Elect Joan:** Reminded members of the upcoming District Conference and a Board was being sent around to seek attendees

**John Lane (Ashgrove the Gap)** - On behalf of DG Walter Buchanan presented a Certificate of Appreciation for 2008-09 from the Rotary Foundation. He also made a special presentation to Tim Richards (in his absence) for his work with RAWCS .

## "Mens' Change Room



**Des Knight, Margaret de Wit and Lord Mayor Campbell Newman with Shelter Box at Community Centre Opening**



## Birthdays and Anniversaries for February

### Birthdays

1 March Bob Cleland  
10 March Tim Richards  
12 March Bill Waterfield  
16 March John O'Rourke

### Anniversaries RC Kenmore Induction

14 March John Smith 3 Years  
27 March Michael Fitzgerald

### Wedding Anniversaries

23 March Rob and Margot Jeffery