

ROTARY CLUB OF PRESTON Inc.
District 9790

CHARTER GRANTED 21-12-1960
PO Box 299, Preston, 3072

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Assistant Governor:
Kay Feain

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District 9790 Governor: 1997-98



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D. De La Coeur, W. O'Neill, E. Price, F. Brass**

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<p><u>Christmas Luncheon</u> L. Woodland</p>	<p><u>On to Conference</u> G. McIlvenna</p>	<p><u>RI World Conference</u> P Gilbert</p>	

SPEAKER LAST WEEK

In thanking speaker **JACK RICHARDS**, Peter Byrne remarked that Jack's presentation was "both thorough and comprehensive". For the newer members it was a totally fresh field. For the more seasoned members who have heard Jack on two previous occasions, it was a growth in comprehension and a consolidation of previous knowledge.

This visit Jack centred his talk on vector-borne diseases; diseases that are transmitted by vectors, principally mosquitoes. He moved through a number of related fields:

- mosquitoes, their variations, disease potential, elimination from tropical communities
- Malaria
- Dengue
- the Zika virus

Mosquitoes are incredibly diverse animals and within their diversity it is necessary to study their progeny behaviours and the specific diseases each one carries. Some mosquitoes lay rafts, hundreds



of eggs at a time, some lay singly. Locations vary according to the habits of the particular mosquito family.

The Zika virus is mosquito-borne and was first identified in Uganda in 1947 in monkeys. It was later identified in humans in

1952 in Uganda and the United Republic of Tanzania. Outbreaks of Zika virus disease have been recorded in Africa, the Americas, Asia and the Pacific. It is important to cover, empty or clean potential mosquito breeding sites in and around houses such as buckets, drums, pots, gutters, and used tyres. Communities should support local government efforts to reduce mosquitoes in their locality e.g. the disposal of coconut shells.

This led Jack to his encouragement for Rotarians and all first world groups which have contact with local tropical communities. His encouragement was for Rotary not so much giving towards research but rather towards the local communities and their endeavors towards elimination of the breeding areas e.g. cleaning up around community living situations.



CLUB NEWS

DISTRICT CONFERENCE MARCH 2017: Attendances at the Conference will be the best ever is the prediction of President Geoff. In the House of Friendship the Club will field 2 exhibits: Pinchapoo and the Pavilion School.

SHINE A LIGHT on Lung Cancer Research. Lung cancer is the 5th most commonly diagnosed cancer but the most common cause of cancer death in Australia. The Lung Foundation invites



members to talks at the Walter and Eliza Hall Institute on Nov. 22 5.30-6.30pm
email: cane@wehi.edu.au.

RYDA - Rotary Youth Driving Awareness. The response has been great from the schools contacted by the Club. As this bulletin is being printed the maximum number of 120 students seems assured for a one-day programme early in 2016.



WANTED - TOWELS IN GOOD CONDITION: Barbara Gilbert is appealing for towels for an emergency clean-up service. Without towels the shower/wash process is inoperable. Members could pass them on to Peter Gilbert.

FAMILY OF ROTARY

Rotary Ann.	Les Woodland 11/11
Wedding Ann.	Christina and Peter Peyton 16/11



DIWALI is the most prominent Hindu festival of India. Diwali arrived in Preston last Wednesday evening when Kapil Agarwal shared around a box of very tasty sweets. A festival of lights, the feast occurs early spring in the Southern Hemisphere.

Accidentally, Diwali coincides with Melbourne's Cup Festival.

VISITORS LAST WEEK: Lia Wei, Marilyn McIlvenna, Marilyn Woodland, Veronica De La Coeur, Jack Wilcox, Barbara Gilbert, Margaret Smarrelli

THE OPENING THE DOORS FOUNDATION addresses the severe educational disadvantage still being experienced by many Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander families, by providing assistance so that they are able to choose and successfully maintain a positive education environment for their children.

Rotary Club of Preston – Past Presidents

1960-61	Alf Bean	1990-91	Ted Begg
1961-62	Bruce Connan	1991-92	Paul Josephson
1962-63	Oliver Roberts	1992-93	Peter Gilbert
1963-64	Royce Kronberg	1993-94	Neil Grierson
1964-65	Perc Cleland	1994-95	Geoff McIlvenna
1965-66	Ron Grierson	1995-96	John McInnes
1966-67	Marc Crampton	1996-97	Constantine Panoussi
1967-68	Ken Land	1997-98	Les Woodland
1968-69	Ray Brabham	1998-99	Rod Draper
1969-70	John Hunting/ Dave Harding	1999-2000	Trevor Wilson
1970-71	Ian Cleland	2000-01	Rosemary Wilcox
1971-72	Hilary Ellis	2001-02	Ian Musgrove
1972-73	Roy Kilkenny	2002-03	Peter Peyton
1973-74	Keith Gibbs	2003-04	Bernie Lamers
1974-75	Eric Thornton	2004-05	Lindsay Gale
1975-76	Vin Ross	2005-06	Carla Finocchiaro
1976-77	Arthur Morgan	2006-07	Richard Gozdzik
1977-78	Arthur Grubb	2007-08	Les Price
1978-79	Bryan Steele	2008-09	Les Woodland
1979-80	Laurie Bryant/ Don Andrews	2009-10	David Sullivan
1980-81	Bill Wonder	2010-11	Rosemary Wilcox
1981-82	Jack Morris	2011-12	David de la Coeur
1982-83	Keith Porter	2012-13	Peter Fitz
1983-84	Norm Griffiths	2013-14	Peter Byrne
1984-85	David Warry	2014-15	Elaine Price
1985-86	Vin Murphy	2015-16	Paul Smarrelli
1987-88	Sandy Mead	2016-17	Geoff McIlvenna
1988-89	Max Kirwan		
1989-90	Paul Smarrelli		

DIARY DATES

DATE		
Nov 9	Chair	Shaun Walsh
	Topic	Opening the Doors Foundation
	Speaker	Helen Christensen
	Welcomes	Claude Verrocchi
	Sergeant	David De La Coeur
	House	Norbert Schaber
Nov 16	Chair	Elaine Price
	Topic	Club Assembly - AGM
	Welcomes	Shaun Walsh
	Sergeant	Paul Josephson
	House	Peter Byrne
Nov 23	Chair	Les Woodland
	Topic	Police Awards
	Welcomes	Shaun Walsh
	House	Brett Allchin

EXODUS ROSTER: Nov. 16 Jill and Norbert Schaber

LOOKING FORWARD

THE ROTARY FOUNDATION MONTH

CLUB ASSEMBLY AGM: November 16

POLICE AWARDS: November 23

SENIOR CITIZENS CHRISTMAS DINNER: November 30

CLUB CHRISTMAS DINNER: December 14, 6.30 for 7pm

FAMILY DAY: January 22, 2017, at Funfields, Whittlesea.

DISTRICT CONFERENCE 2017: Shepparton, March 16-19, 2017.

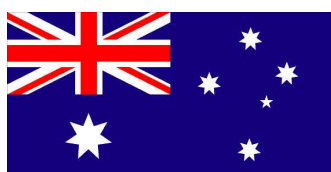
ROTARY GRACE

O Lord and Giver of all good, we thank Thee for our daily food.
May Rotary friends and Rotary ways help us to serve Thee
all our days.

Rotary Club Of Preston

Paul Harris Fellows		Year Awarded	Paul Harris Fellows		Year Awarded
PP	Alf Bean	17/12/1976		Kevin Aylward	24/06/1998
◆ PP	Ron Grierson	22/11/1978	PP	John McInnes	15/09/1999
◆◆ PP	Perc Cleland	11/03/1981	PP	Rod Draper	15/09/1999
◆ PP	Roy Kilkenny	07/04/1982	◆◆	John McCarthy	05/07/2000
◆ PP	Mark Crampton	10/08/1983	◆ PP	Les Woodland	05/07/2000
PP	Bill Wonder	01/05/1985	◆	Rick Kirwan	26/06/2002
◆	Laurie Jones	01/03/1986	◆◆	Wayne O'Neill	26/06/2002
◆	Cliff Kendall	01/03/1986	◆◆◆	Frank Smith	26/06/2002
PP	Arthur Morgan	01/03/1986	◆ PP	Ian Musgrove	25/06/2003
◆ PP	Jack Morris	01/03/1986	◆ PP	Rosemary Wilcox	25/06/2003
◆ PP	Ian Cleland	24/07/1987	PP	Lindsay Gale	12/07/2006
◆ PP	Ken Land	24/07/1987	◆ PP	Carla Finocchiaro	12/07/2006
PP	Norm Griffiths	30/09/1987	◆	Peter Lamers	12/07/2006
PP	Keith Porter	30/09/1987	◆◆ PP	Elaine Price	04/07/2007
PP	Bryan Steele	16/12/1987	PP	Richard Gozdzik	28/06/2008
PP	Reg Dick	26/04/1989	◆	Pauline Josephson	16/06/2009
◆	Lyll Dexter	27/06/1990	◆PP	Les Price	05/08/2009
α	Alf Osborne	26/06/1991	PP	David Warry	06/2012
◆	Gladys Morris	13/05/1992	PP	David Sullivan	06/2012
◆ PP	Vin Murphy	24/06/1992	PP	Hillary Ellis	06/2012
◆◆◆ PP	Peter Peyton	24/06/1992	PP	Eric Thornton	06/2012
◆ PP	Max Kirwan OAM	30/06/1993	PP	Vin Ross	06/2012
◆ PP	Paul Smarrelli	29/06/1994	PP	Arthur Grubb	11/2012
◆◆	Joy Crampton	29/06/1994	▲	Alf Armstrong	11/2012
◆	Jess Cleland	28/06/1995	◆◆ PP	David De La Coeur	17/04/2013
α	Peter Gilbert PDG	28/06/1995	◆	Gerry Smith	18/12/2013
α	Barbara Gilbert	15/09/2010	◆	Lenore Thornton	25/02/2015
PP	Neil Grierson	28/06/1995	◆	Kim West	24/06/2015
◆◆◆ PP	Paul Josephson	28/06/1995	◆ PP	Peter Byrne	26/8/2015
◆◆◆◆	G. McIlvenna PDG	26/06/1995	◆	Margaret Smith OAM	16/12/15
α PP	Bernie Lamers AM	08/05/1997		Jack Wilcox	9/3/2016
α	Gerry Lamers AM	08/05/1997		Norbert Schaber	6/7/2016
◆	Norm Pinder	25/06/1997			

◆ Denotes Sapphire Pin ▲ Denotes Ruby Pin = 6 Sapphire Pins α Denotes Major Donor



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.