



19 June 2006

### GUEST SPEAKER

*This Week*

**Peter Tse**

*'Rotary Today in Hong Kong'*

*Next Week*

*'Club Changeover'*



SERVICE Above Self

### **The Rotary Club of Brisbane Inc.**

Meets 4<sup>th</sup> Floor  
(Edinburgh Room)  
of the Brisbane Club  
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**MONDAYS**

12.15 pm – 1.45 pm

District 9600  
Club Number 17787  
Founded 29 May 1923  
ABN 75 152 438 149

### **President's Message**

Today we take pleasure in hosting two guests and fellow Rotarians from our Sister Club of Tsim Sha Tsui in Hong Kong Mr Peter Tse and Mr Raymond Au. It has been seven years since Peter Tse and Warren Hampton first started discussing the possibility of forming a Sister Club relationship between our two Clubs. Since that time, our relationship has consolidated and matured through correspondence, meetings and joint initiatives. We earnestly hope that it will further strengthen in the years to come. We welcome our guests and look forward to Peter's presentation.

Past President John Puttick and his wife Gerri are attending the Rotary International Convention in Denmark. We have received initial correspondence and photos from John that you can see in this issue. John and Gerri caught up with our Outbound Youth Exchanger Kate Condon. You will recall that Kate arrived in Denmark in January last and John reports that they had dinner with Kate soon after arriving and report she is thriving.

*Danish royal couple visits  
Rotary International Convention*



*John Puttick, Kate Condon and  
Gerri Puttick*

She has made lots of friends amongst the YE In bounders as well as many local Danish friends. She is enjoying school and her Rotary experiences. She is a volunteer for the Convention, greeting people as they arrive on the hospitality bag stand. Kate has recently returned from the grand tour of Europe in three buses of sixty youth exchangers. Kate said that it was very hectic and they got most of their sleep on the bus. John and Gerri passed on all the current news from Brisbane and this of course was greatly appreciated. Kate is looking forward to her parents visit to see her in July. All the best Kate and thanks to John and Gerri for meeting up with her.

Finally, a reminder that the Changeover is Monday of next week. As previously reported, the Changeover will be an evening event in the Edinburgh Room commencing with fellowship at 6.30. Please come along and bring your partner and guests to welcome President Elect Graeme in to his year. Please ring through or email your numbers to the Secretary as soon as possible.

*Bill Cunningham*



**Have you had your say on the 'Business Dinner Event' project proposal yet?**



Please email any comments or suggestions to Committee Chair [john.puttick@smartenv.com](mailto:john.puttick@smartenv.com)

or

Speak directly to any of the Business Dinner Event committee members

**Warren Hampton, Graeme Ridler, Don O'Donoghue, Graham McHarry or Luke Stalley**

**Read Bulletin – 22 May for full details**

**Attendance Report for May 06**

Number of meetings held	4
Potential attendance ( <i>active members less those with approved leave and exempt attendance</i> )	152
Actual attendance ( <i>attendance plus make-ups</i> )	108
Attendance – as reported to district	71.05%
Visiting Rotarians at meetings	8
Partners	Nil
Guests at meetings	5
Total numbers at meetings	109
Average attendance at meetings	27

**Anagrams**

Someone out there either has too much spare time or is deadly at Scrabble.

**PRESBYTERIAN:**

When you rearrange the letters: BEST IN PRAYER

**ASTRONOMER:**

When you rearrange the letters: MOON STARER

**THE EYES:**

When you rearrange the letters: THEY SEE

**THE MORSE CODE :**

When you rearrange the letters: HERE COME DOTS

**SLOT MACHINES:**

When you rearrange the letters: CASH LOST IN ME

**Polio Eradication**

Rotary International is the world's first and one of the largest volunteer service organisations with 1.2 million members in more than 160 countries. In 1985, Rotary created *PolioPlus* and set one of the most ambitious goals in the history of global public health to immunise the children of the world against polio. To date, Rotary has contributed nearly US\$600 million toward polio eradication. More than 1 million Rotary members have volunteered their time and personal resources to help immunise more than two billion children in 122 countries.

**CALENDAR**

**Changeover Evening**

Monday 26 June

**District Governor Changeover**

Saturday 1 July

**CONTRIBUTIONS**

Please submit all newsletter items to the Club Secretary via email by

**FRIDAY PM**

Articles are required in MS Word format only and photos as JPG or TIF files.

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### DUTY ROSTER

5 June	12 June	19 June	26 June
<b>Chair person</b>		<b>Chair person</b>	<b>Chair person</b>
B Veal		W Hampton	W Hampton
<b>Set Up</b>		<b>Set Up</b>	<b>Set Up</b>
R McLeod		J Smerdon	K Watts R McLeod
<b>Put Away</b>		<b>Put Away</b>	<b>Put Away</b>
G McHarrie		Greg Sellers	M Brandle
<b>Raffle</b>		<b>Raffle</b>	<b>Raffle</b>
P Dawson		M Stephens	M Kelly
<b>Visitor Register</b>		<b>Visitor Register</b>	<b>Visitor Register</b>
C Kerr		R Mann	D O'Donoghue
<b>Fellowship</b>		<b>Fellowship</b>	<b>Fellowship</b>
W Hampton		M Pennisi	K Watts R McLeod
<b>Attendance</b>		<b>Attendance</b>	<b>Attendance</b>
B Esler		B Esler	B Esler
G Whitmore		G Whitmore	G Whitmore
<b>Speaker Review</b>		<b>Speaker Review</b>	<b>Speaker Review</b>
L Stalley		M Winders	L Stalley

Queens  
Birthday  
Holiday

If you are unable to fulfill your rostered duty, please arrange a swap with another member. Please don't forget as your failure to turn up affects Club organisation. If you are designated as the Chair and you will not be available, please advise the President. Members listed should **ARRIVE** by **NOON**.

### June

Birthdays	Anniversaries	Induction Date	
10 Des Knight	21 Greg Sellars	W Hampton	9
13 Rick Tamaschke	27 John Puttick	C Muir	15
14 Peter Dawson		T Love	25
14 Greg Sellars			

### ATTENDANCE

29 May		5 June	
Members	<b>34</b>	Members	<b>29</b>
Visiting Rotarians	<b>2</b> John Williams (Planetarium) Damian Carroll (Ashgrove)	Visiting Rotarians	
Partners	<b>0</b>	Partners	
Guests	<b>1</b> Mary Lindores (Guest of G. McHarrie)	Guests	1 visitor/inductee – Phil Nobbs
Club Guests	<b>1</b> Eric Powell – Ambassadorial Scholar	Club Guests	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>30</b>
Makeups	<b>5</b> R Barnwell, M Winders, J Puttick, W Hampton, G Ridler	Makeups	



**ROTARY INFORMATION**

**OBJECT OF ROTARY**

The object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster:

**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 of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve the society.

**THIRD** The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business and community life.

**FOURTH** The advancement of international understanding, goodwill and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.

**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 concerned?



**NATIONAL ANTHEM**

*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*

**CLUB OFFICERS**

<b>President</b>	Bill Cunningham
<b>President elect</b>	Graeme Ridler
<b>Secretary</b>	PP Des Knight
<b>Treasurer</b>	Marjorie Herrington
<b>Imm. Past Pres</b>	Marjorie Carss
<b>Vice President</b>	Mel Evans

**CLUB DIRECTORS**

<b>Club Service</b>	Graeme Ridler
<b>Community Service</b>	David Cain
<b>International Service</b>	Warren Hampton
<b>Vocational Service</b>	Cheryl Kerr
<b>Sergeant-at-Arms</b>	Tony Love

**DISTRICT 9600 GOVERNOR**

**Charles Guesdon**

**ROTARY GRACE**

*O Lord and giver of all good  
We thank You for our daily food  
May Rotary friends and Rotary ways  
Help us to serve You all our days.*

**ROTARY INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT**

**Carl-Wilhelm Stenhammar**