

Rotary Club of Corowa



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SERVE TO CHANGE LIVES

Program and Roster:

ZOOM

Wed 25th Aug

Program

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Chairman

N/A

Treasurer

N/A

Rotary Grace

Ian K

Loyal Toast

Alan W

International Toast

Stephen A

Rotary Information

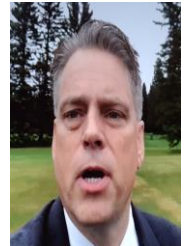
Neil D

Sergeants Help

N/A

Rotary international toast -- Neil Davis.

Rotary Club of Calgary at Stampede Park, Canada.



Their President is Craig Stokke Club Meetings: The meets Thursdays from 12:15 pm - 1:30 pm at Rotary House, Stampede Park which is on the Western edge of the park
The Rotary Club of Calgary at Stampede Park currently has 120 members and our primary fundraiser is the Rotary Dream Home.

Our Rotarians, friends, and family fill over 1200 volunteer hours (during the 10-day Stampede) selling tickets on the home. The Dream Home on park is situated in the Stampede grounds during the Stampede. Once the Stampede is over and a winner is drawn, the home is moved to it's final destination.

There are 11 Rotary Clubs in Calgary. Rotary Club of Calgary at Stampede Park is the second oldest, and second largest Club in town - but the most active (Craigs words).

The club was started 1955 -as the "Rotary Club of Manchester" chartered; first President Harry Clevon, 44 members

1957 - Club location moved from Palliser Hotel to "Fort Calgary House," Stampede Park

1968 - Club name changed from "Rotary Club of Manchester" to "Rotary Club of South Calgary," later in 1991, "Rotary Club of Calgary South"

1972 - Tree Planting initiated by Bob Dawson for new members and in remembrance

1974 - International Youth Exchange; first Inbound and Outbound students

1977 - Stampede Dream Home lottery replaces garage sales as Club's primary fundraiser

1978 - First District Governor from our Club, Bob Dawson; Gardie Shaw, 1984-85; Ken Copithorne, 2004-05

1979 - "Rotary House" replaced "Fort Calgary House" as Club meeting place (on same site); initiated Welcome Song "We are glad you're here...."

1980 - First New Member's Auction to raise funds for Club operations

1987 - First women admitted to Rotary; First woman in Calgary South, 1998; the spouses of Calgary South members first called themselves Inner Wheel, then Rotary Anns, and in 1998 "Rotary Partners"

1996 - 87th Rotary International Convention held in Calgary, influential Club members were Gardie Shaw and George (Curly) Galbraith; 25,000 in attendance

2000 - George Adam, Charter Member, recognized as custodian of our records and our Archives

2003 - Opening of Rotary Challenger Park

2004 - Publication of Club History, Manchester to Calgary South, 1955-2005: Rotary Fellowship in Action, Peter Penner published, 385 pages (only 500 copies and an overrun printed, 400 copies distributed; the remainder kept for new members until they run out; no copies for sale)

2016 - Split 'Em 50 lottery ticket sales are added to our existing Dream Home ticket campaign during the Calgary Stampede

2018 - The Rotary Club of Calgary South leads a successful bid to host the 2025 Rotary International Convention in Calgary

2019: The Rotary Club of Calgary South changes its name to: The Rotary Club of Calgary at Stampede Park

1905 - Rotary began with Paul Harris in Chicago

1910 - Rotary was brought to Canada, Winnipeg, thus becoming International

1913 - Rotary came to Calgary, meeting in the Palliser Hotel

1927 - Adoption of Four Avenues of Service: Club, Vocational, Community, International

1928 - Rotary Foundation was formalized

1931 - International Peace Park founded, "Hands Across the Border"

1932 - The Four-Way Test was conceived in 1932, fully adopted during the War years

1950 - Rotary mottoes "He Profits Most Who Serves Best," "Service Above Self," officially designated

Since 1977, the Rotary Club of Calgary South's primary fundraiser has been the Rotary Dream Home lottery. Our members, partners, friends and family donate their time and skills to sell lottery tickets for both the Rotary Dream Home and the Split 'Em 50 lotteries during the world-famous Calgary Stampede. We are grateful for our incredible relationship with the Calgary Stampede and Stampede Lotteries.

CALGARY AT STAMPEDE PARK ROTARY PARTNERS

Rotary Club of Calgary at Stampede Park Rotary Partners are a group of women consisting of spouses of Rotarians and friends of Rotary. Our Club holds five social events each year where women get together and have a social time forming wonderful friendships.

Throughout the year women can volunteer for Sarcee Bingo; sign up for Book Club, Hiking or Walking Clubs, Dinner Club, Bridge Club, Lunch Bunch, and Investment Club. Each year there is a new Executive and Chairs Board organized to coordinate all of the activities for the year running from July 1 – June 30th.

Rotary Partners are true "partners in service" and key members of the Rotary Club of Calgary at Stampede Park. We contribute greatly to the many projects and events throughout the year. The largest fundraising event is the Rotary Dream Home that takes place during the week of the Calgary Stampede. We, along with family and friends, sell tickets or print tickets on the Stampede Grounds.

Rotary Club of Calgary at Stampede Park is so appreciative of our support that the Club President presents a cheque to the Calgary South Rotary Partners to be allocated for Project Research. Each year we donate to health and social agencies, education, community improvement projects, the arts and culture, and sports and recreation.



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Rotary Information: Whitehead Street Wetlands



Neil and Graham enjoyed a wonderful morning at the Wetlands. There were about 15 school students present, along with representatives of Landcare, Rotary, Apex, Community Gardens and interested teachers and community members. There was also a researcher from CSU, who was very knowledgeable about reptiles and had written some books on the subject.

The lizard area was established, and the Apexians assisted the children with the heavy lifting of logs and the spreading of bark chips.

Neil and Graham were busy digging holes and planting many Billy Buttons, Melaleucas and Hardenbergia near the bird hide and picnic seats.



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Rotary Grace:

Oh Lord, the 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.
Amen

.....
For Good Food,
For Good Fellowship
And the opportunity
for Serve service in
Rotary,
We Give Thanks.
Amen.

.....
Today we are
thankful for all
we've received.
However we live, we
firmly believe
All is a blessing that
we must pass on
No matter our status
or where we have
gone. Kindness and
generosity are what
we impart
Showing the world
what's in Rotary's
heart.

Rotary 4 way Test:

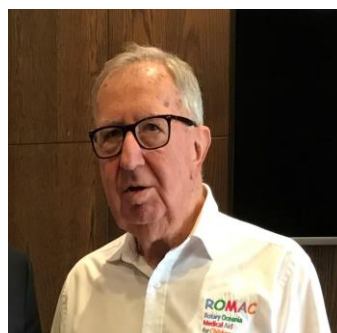
- 1: Is it the **TRUTH**?
- 2: Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
- 3: Will it build **GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?
- 4: Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?



Meeting with Guest Speaker

PDG Harold Sharp OAM
Chair

R O M A C
Rotary Oceania Medical Aid for Children



ROMAC commenced in March 1988 out of the actions of an Australian Rotarian who, with a group of surgeons, visited Lambasa in Fiji. They found the child mortality rate as high as 25% in some places. They quickly identified that lack of medical and surgical facilities and skills for children of the island nations in Oceania, was a major cause. Rotary faced the challenge to assist an 18-year-old Fijian girl whose right leg was threatened if immediate surgery was not performed.

During the next four years, eight children were brought to Australia for major, often lifesaving, surgery. Soon 20 Australian Rotary clubs were caught up in the success of each case and assisted in various ways. ROMAC established five regions representing clubs in the west, east, south, north and centre of the country.

A New Zealand region was formally established in 2004 and treated its first patient, from Vanuatu, in December 2005. The inaugural New Zealand region representative was Trish O'Reilly and Dr Max Morris, the first New Zealand Medical Director.

It was a slow and steady process to promote the objectives and raise awareness of ROMAC in the New Zealand region, but the number of patients treated in New Zealand has risen to more than 25 patients per year.

ROMAC in New Zealand and Australia enlists assistance from medical experts, hospitals, nurses, physiotherapists, pathology and radiology services, airlines, sponsors and other supporters. Today ROMAC is providing surgical treatment to around 50 children from Oceania every year – we are making a huge difference in their lives.



Vincent turns 1 October 25, 2020

Vincent is a Solomon Islands patient who arrived in Australia as a two-month old requiring urgent surgery to correct a blockage between his oesophagus and his stomach. This meant he had to be fed via a catheter into the stomach.

Ten months later, after follow-up surgery, numerous hospital visits for day procedures, and constant monitoring by the doctors at the Centennial Hospital for Women and Children in Canberra, he is progressing. He is now able to take food orally and is putting on weight. Vincent celebrated his first birthday at a colourful party organised by Sandra Goldstraw and her District 9710 ROMAC team.

Rotarians are Empowered to Help Those in Need

ROMAC is able to provide Life Giving surgery to children and babies of our nearest Island neighbours because of the support and generosity of Rotarians and Rotary Clubs throughout the Rotary Districts of Australia and New Zealand. Rotarians and Rotary Clubs can:-

Request your International Committee to allocate \$2,000 each year to ROMAC – it is not a big amount, but if every Club donated that each year to ROMAC, we would 'Give Life' to another 50 children every year!

ROMAC Trivia Night in District 9700, left Deputy Chair Rob Wilkinson and right Eastern Region Chair Ron Delezio.

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Fundraise through Club activities like a Trivia Night – ROMAC can supply the format, questions and support which will not only add a great social day or evening to your Club's social calendar, but everyone participating has the joy of helping 'Give Life' to a child who would otherwise have no hope.

Individuals are also important in our fundraising program and can benefit from our tax deductible status. There are several different ways you can support ROMAC:

A one off donation – go direct to our DONATE page and click the radio button.

A regular monthly amount that will occur automatically and can be stopped at any time – go direct to our DONATE page and click the radio button.

A bequest by donating a percentage of your estate to ROMAC, i.e. 50%, 20%, 10%, 5%. Therefore proportions of your estate which you have left to your family and friends (and to ROMAC) will not be affected by changes in the size of your estate or by inflation.



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Reminder to pay your Annual Subs:



\$240 per person

These can be paid on line with:

Reference: Subs and your surname

Account Name: Rotary Club of Corowa

BSB: 082 559 - Account No: 692 592 173



Rotary Club of Corowa:

Website:

<http://www.corowarotary.org.au>

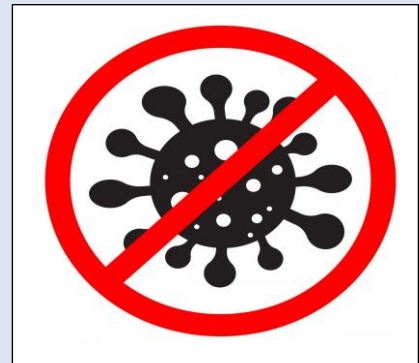
We are also on FACEBOOK!

<https://www.facebook.com/corowarotary/>

Raffle Presidents Muscat: Neil Davis



Cut the cards:



Please remember to notify **Neil Davis** if you **CAN NOT** attend our weekly meetings or if you wish to bring any guests.

Neil can be contacted by:

Phone or text on 0400 481 496

Email: davis98@bigpond.net.au

Deadline for replies is 11am Wed



Due to the unknow at this minute

It's just a case of watch this space

we may be doing a little zoom for some time

Meeting Date	Mon 30 th Aug	Wed 8 th Sept
Venue	Bourke's Hotel	Royal Hotel
Program	Fellowship	Deb Telstra
Chairman	N/A	Robyn R
Treasurer	N/A	Sam D
Rotary Grace	N/A	Bill B
Loyal Toast	N/A	Wally C
International Toast	N/A	Ian K
Rotary Information	N/A	Alan W
Sergeants Help	N/A	Stephen A

Deb's bright side of life

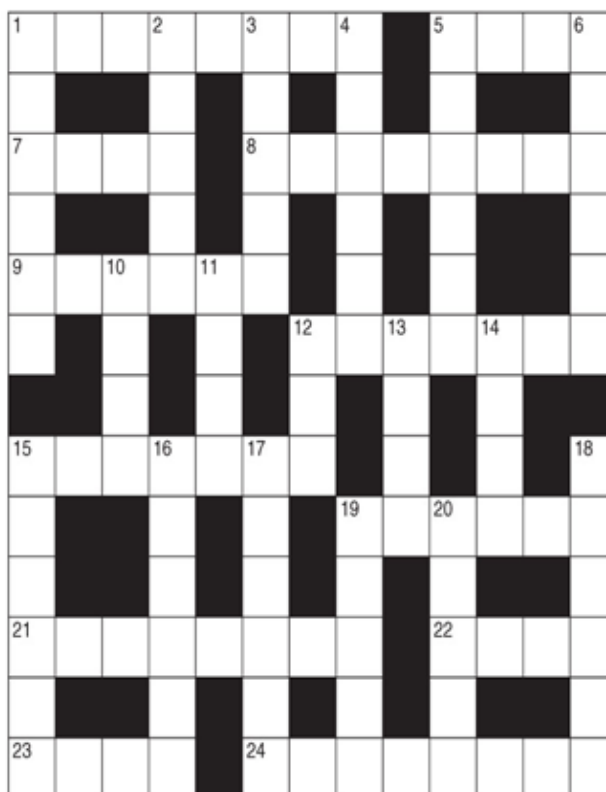
Around The World

ACROSS

1. US volcano, Mount ... (2,6)
5. Supersonic planes
7. Taj Mahal city
8. Cambridge & Oxford universities
9. Treeless Arctic zone
12. Coniferous tree found in Europe
15. Vienna is there
19. Croatian capital
21. Peninsula in southwest England
22. Manchurian river
23. Central attraction of Piccadilly Circus
24. Region that includes Japan, China and Korea (4,4)

DOWN

1. Roughly built settlements, ... towns
2. Large African antelope
3. Nasty disease named after a river in the Democratic Republic of the Congo, ... virus
4. Underground train system
5. City of northwest India
6. People from Stockholm
10. Scotland's monster lake, Loch ...
11. German industrial region
12. Washington-based spy group (1,1,1)
13. Italy's Leaning Tower of ...
14. Kuwaiti ruler



15. Native American tribe
16. Sport played at Wimbledon
17. Earth's glacial period (3,3)
18. Portugal and Spain
19. Bantu peoples of Natal
20. West African nation

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LOVATTS LARGE PRINT CROSSWORDS

The puzzle experts™

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The Rotary Club Of Corowa meets every WEDNESDAY @ The Royal Hotel: 6.30pm for a 7pm start

President 2021-2022: Rotarian Deb Rowe

Secretary: Rotarian Margaret Brown

Treasurer: Rotarian Paul Miegel

Vice President: Rotarian Norman O'Flaherty

President Elect 2022-2023: Rotarian Stephen Apps

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