

# Rotary Club of Howrah Bulletin

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A switched on Club working for our community.

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## This week .

### Club Assembly

Discussion of Rotary Club of Kangaroo Bay participation during September. Is there a better model than alternating meeting responsibility?

A group have been throwing around the fundraising ideas suggested a few weeks ago. A report will be discussed tonight.

Last week we all had the chance to talk about ourselves, something we should do now and again.

The prize must go to Greg, Kangaroo Bay's 93 year old. His stories about his cricket memories impressed.

For good food, good fellowship and the opportunity of service to others,

May the Lord's name be praised  
Amen

### Attendance

Currently 19

Present 14

85 rule exemptions 3

1 Make Up

18/19 = 94.7%

**Birthdays and Anniversaries Nil**

## Roster

Chairman

25 Reg Emmett

While taking a routine vandalism report at a primary school, I was interrupted by a little girl about six-years-old.

While looking up and down at my uniform, she asked, "Are you a cop"?

"Yes," I answered and continued writing the report.

"My mother said if I ever needed help, I should ask the police. Is that right"?

"Yes, that's right," I told her.

"Well, then," she said as she extended her foot toward me, "would you please tie my shoe"?

Two husbands, Jon and Keith, were discussing their married lives. Although happily married, they admitted that there were arguments sometimes.

Then Keith said, "I've made one great discovery. I now know how to always have the last word."

"Wow!" said Jon, "How do you manage that?"

"It's easy," replied Keith, "My last words are always 'Yes, Dear.'"

## Here and There

You all noticed, I'm sure, that our website has reappeared. The time error on our website that Geoff Rosan fined me for was a diversion notice from our old website which I'd forgotten about, fixed.

While in Melbourne I dropped into Docklands to see the Yellow Boat Road arrive. I was disappointed by the low key reception—I'm sure Hobart will do better on Sunday (or later)



Boat 2 Skipper Mick Souter speaks with a Polio survivor's daughter on arrival in Melbourne.

Provided they can make Strahan on Saturday, they'll be in Hobart on Sunday.

Cameras in smart phones aren't so smart in sunny weather. The photos I thought I took weren't there.

## Date List

25 Aug	Club Assembly
29 Aug	Combined Board meeting Kangaroo Bay & Howrah 4 30 pm Vanessa Goodwin's Office, Clarence St
4 Sept	K & D BBQ
8 9 Oct	Spring Festival
16 Oct	K & D BBQ
23 Oct	Seafarers Festival
6 Nov	Special Children's Party
3 4 Dec	K & D BBQ
10 Dec	Bike giveaway
18 Dec	Cremorne BBQ
4 Feb	Big Rotary BBQ day
12 Feb	Govt House open day

## Second Bite Roster

18 Au	Suzanne
25 Aug	David

In response to the humanitarian crisis in parts of Ethiopia, Kenya, and Somalia, The Rotary Foundation has established the Rotary Horn of Africa Famine and Refugee Relief Fund, which will support recovery projects in the affected areas.

The worst drought in 60 years has gripped the Horn of Africa, leading to acute famine in parts of Somalia, where hundreds of thousands of people are now fleeing to Ethiopia and Kenya for aid.

More than 10 million people are affected in the drought-stricken countries, including 3.7 million who are at risk of starvation.