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KEILOR EAST ROTARY NEWSLETTER

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Club Motto - "Fun and
fellowship whilst helping
others"

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Zoom Meeting August 9th, 2021

by President Yvonne Osborn

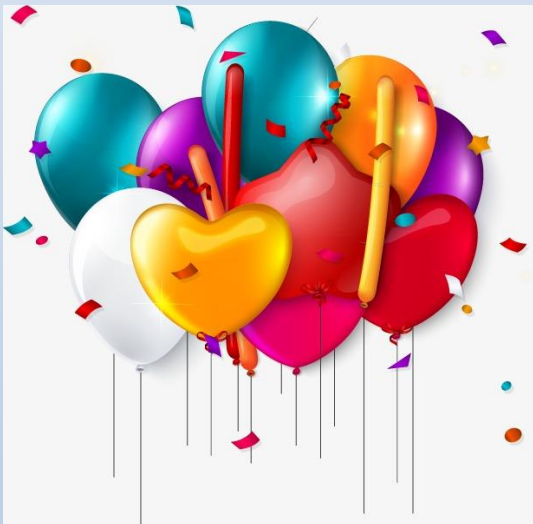
On Monday 9th August we met via Zoom, wearing our colourful gear and with some interesting virtual backgrounds. We sang Happy Birthday and toasted our Club's 38th Birthday which is on August 10th. We discussed our special Rotary moments in small breakout groups and shared afterwards. Tony Thomas played us videos of some of the great Olympic feats of Peter Bol and Nicola McDermott.

A reminder that our official President Changeover is now scheduled to be held on August 30th at The Starlight Room, Taylors Lakes Hotel. This will be Covid Restriction dependent.

<https://www.trybooking.com/BRZSN>

Meeting Report August 9th, 2021.

On August 9th we held our Club 38th Birthday celebration on Zoom due to Covid Lockdown 6.0 in Victoria.



Community - Gerard Mahoney announced that our Watgardens Bunnings BBQ on Sunday 1st August was very successful. He thanked everyone who helped.

International – Cherrie Osborn – A poster advertising our support for Project W – Water for Education has been emailed to Members to share and encourage sponsorship for the program which will provide clean water and toilets for schools in Cambodia.

Social – Ginny Billson reminded Members that the Changeover event will be held on Monday 30th August (Covid Restrictions permitting). She also has also discussed the possibility of a February 23rd Meeting with Essendon North Rotary.

Youth – David has some proposals to put to The August 17th Board Meeting .Other potential events will be another writing competition and a Talent Quest

Our Birthday Night Discussions

We joined small breakout groups and had time to talk about our special moments in Rotary. Cherrie Osborn spoke about her pride in the gardens at Camp Getaway at Axedale and the establishment, with a great team, of a Days for Girls chapter six years ago.



Bruce Cameron spoke about the establishment of Holloway Aged Care Hostel and our work at Donydji in East Arnhem Land where we built a school building for the Community in conjunction with Melbourne Rotary Club.

DONYDJI

Population: 55

Location: Elcho Island,
40 km north of
Galiwin'ku township.

Building: Built in 2002, The Potter Foundation and Rotary.



Needs: The Elders have stated the need for a permanent teacher to be based at Donydji since the early 1970's.

Notes: This school building was constructed in 2002 with assistance from the Potter Foundation and Rotary. The Donydji families had been waiting over 30 years for a school building; the first classes were held under a tree in 1968.



Phil O'Brien and Elvira Tarrant talked about their interest in the Environment and Bees in particular.

Rotarian Behind the Badge – Robert Chessell



Robert Chessell with his wife Persephone and his children, Jack and Katina at his 12th April induction.

Robert was born the Sacred Heart Hospital in Moreland Road Coburg which is now John Fawcner Hospital. His family moved to Essendon where he attended North Essendon Primary School and spent hours playing in the nearby streets and paddocks.

Robert's family moved to Melbourne's East where he attended Box Hill High. Further study was done at Monash University. His work was generally in Property Project Management at various firms, the main one being Ambulance Victoria. Robert joined Brimbank Rotary Club where he became President. After that club handed back their charter Robert joined Strathmore Rotary before he joined Keilor East Rotary in April 2021. Robert is retired and now enjoys spending time with his family. This year he is our Rotary Foundation chairperson.



Can you find Robert in the 1960 graduate class at Box Hill High School?



Our Clean Water Project in Cambodia - [Donation Link](#)

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Project W

Water for Education

Project W Water for Education brings clean, safe drinking water to high schools

Impact – Provide health, hygiene and environmentally sustainable solutions

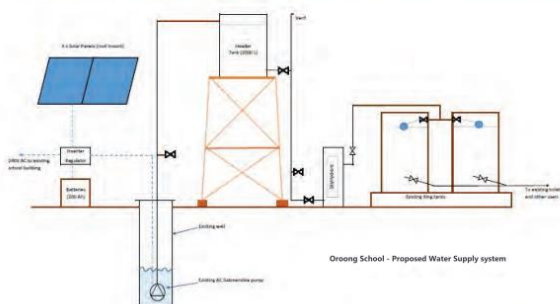
Location – 57 out of 90 high schools in rural Siem Reap province do not have clean drinking water

Financial - The water filtration system is designed to last up to 10 years & is locally maintained. At an average cost of AUD\$7,500 per school, the **cost of providing clean water for every beneficiary is about AUD\$0.50 per year**

Community – Meaningful sustainable impact on the lives of nearby communities with improved health, increased school attendance and cleaner environment

Inspiration – Education is key to changing lives, empowering the next generation through education, clean water for better health and a clean environment for better living conditions, will leave a lasting impact

Installing SkyHydrant water filtration systems that will support
40,000 students & 20,000 families
living around the schools, providing clean water to 130,000 rural Cambodians.



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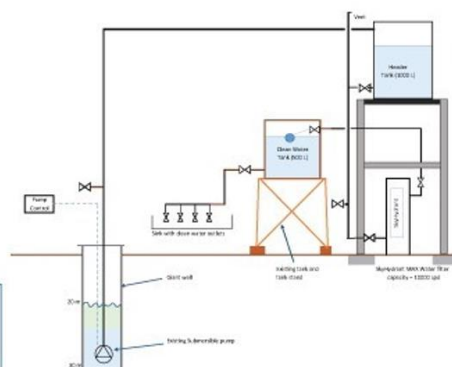
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Khnasondai High School

Item	Qty	Unit	US\$
Submersible pump, electric motor driven	0	each	Exisiting
Pump controller and switchbox	0	each	Exisiting
Skyhydrant MAX water filter	1	each	\$2,100.00
Header tank, HDPE, 1000 L (blue)	0	each	Exisiting
Tank support structure, concrete including filter house and foundations	1	each	\$987.00
Filtered water tank, 500 L, HDPE (blue)	1	each	\$66.00
Ball float valve, 25mm	2	each	\$12.50
Pipe, valves and fittings	1	lot	\$100.00
Filter house construction	0	each	\$-
Wash trough	1	each	\$190.00
Freight (SkyHydrant)	1	lot	\$210.00
Customs duty (SkyHydrant)	1	lot	\$390.00
Total (US\$)			\$4,055.50
Total (AUD\$)			\$5,550.00

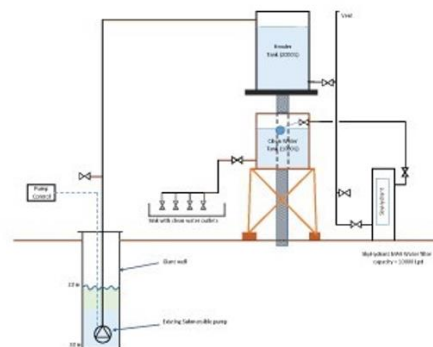
600 students
465 families
38km from Siem Reap



Khnapor High School

Item	Qty	Unit	US\$
Submersible pump, electric motor driven	0	each	Exisiting
Pump controller and switchbox	0	each	Exisiting
Skyhydrant MAX water filter	1	each	\$2,100.00
Header tank, HDPE, 2000 L (blue)	0	each	Exisiting
Tank support structure, steel	1	each	\$302.00
Tank stand foundations	1	each	Exisiting
Filtered water tank, 1000 L, HDPE (blue)	1	each	\$113.00
Ball float valve, 25mm	2	each	\$13.00
Pipe, valves and fittings	1	lot	\$100.00
Filter house construction	1	each	\$400.00
Wash trough	0	each	\$190.00
Freight (SkyHydrant)	1	lot	\$210.00
Customs duty (SkyHydrant)	1	lot	\$390.00
Total (US\$)			\$3,818.00
Total (AUD\$)			\$5,250.00

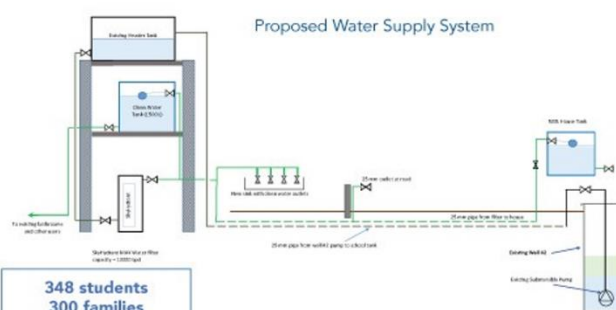
518 students
400 families
38km from Siem Reap



Phnom Krom High School

Item	Qty	Unit	US\$
Submersible pump, electric motor driven	0	each	Exisiting
Pump controller and switchbox	0	each	Exisiting
Skyhydrant MAX water filter	1	each	\$2,100.00
Header tank	0	each	Exisiting
Tank support structure, steel	0	each	\$-
Tank stand foundations	0	lot	\$-
Filtered water tank, 1000 L, HDPE (blue)	1	each	\$115.00
Ball float valve, 25mm	2	each	\$25.00
Pipe, valves and fittings	1	lot	\$100.00
HDPE Pipeline, 100m roll	2	m	\$125.00
Filter house construction	0	each	\$-
Wash trough	1	each	\$190.00
Freight (SkyHydrant)	1	lot	\$210.00
Customs duty (SkyHydrant)	1	lot	\$390.00
Total (US\$)			\$3,255.00
Total (AUD\$)			\$4,550.00

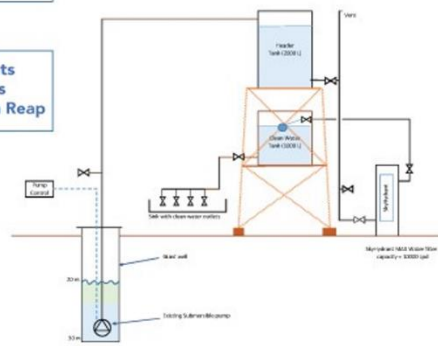
348 students
300 families
19km from Siem Reap



Banteay Srey High School

Item	Qty	Unit	US\$
Submersible pump, electric motor driven	0	each	Exisiting
Pump controller and switchbox	0	each	Exisiting
Skyhydrant MAX water filter	1	each	\$2,100.00
Header tank, HDPE, 2000 L (blue)	0	each	\$192.00
Tank support structure, steel	1	each	Exisiting
Tank stand foundations	1	each	Exisiting
Filtered water tank, 1000 L, HDPE (blue)	1	each	Exisiting
Ball float valve, 25mm	2	each	\$13.00
Pipe, valves and fittings	1	lot	\$100.00
Filter house construction	1	each	\$400.00
Wash trough	0	each	Exisiting
Freight (SkyHydrant)	1	lot	\$210.00
Customs duty (SkyHydrant)	1	lot	\$390.00
Total (US\$)			\$3,405.00
Total (AUD\$)			\$4,700.00

1108 students
436 families
21km from Siem Reap



STAGE 1 includes 4 SCHOOLS, reaching 2,574 students and 1,601 families

International – Cherrie Osborn – These are the 4 schools in the first part of Project W. Their success will enable more schools to be helped in the future.

**Next Keilor East Rotary Meeting - Monday 16th August
via Zoom
Meeting ID : 514 079 0305 Password RCKE2020**

Samantha Rennie - from [Grieving Well Now](#) will speak about Mental Health. From her website -



Sam finished her Bachelor of Education in 1988 but found her true calling in nursing and has been working as a nurse, facilitator, educator and therapist for over 25 years. Little did she realise that her nursing career could lead to working in the funeral industry, but it was a critical meeting in coming to understand the full cycle of life and death and the importance of grief in that process. Sam has been working both nationally and internationally with corporations, groups and individuals around the topic of grief and empowerment to provide people with tools for greater communication, compassion and fun.



When Covid Restrictions allow we meet at Keilor East RSL every Monday. We arrive from 6.00pm and order our meals by 6.30. Our Guest Speaker is introduced at 7.00pm.



We welcome your suggestions for future Guest Speakers. Email Program Director [Annie Webb.](#)

UPCOMING EVENTS

Our Club President Changeover is scheduled to be held on Monday 26th July at the Starlight Room, Taylors Lakes Hotel (Covid Restrictions permitting). Dress - Smart Casual. Please advise any special dietary requirements when you are making your booking.



YOU ARE INVITED TO ATTEND

**KEILOR EAST ROTARY'S
PRESIDENT CHANGEOVER**

COME AND CELEBRATE THE YEAR THAT WAS 2020-2021
AND INTRODUCE A NEW ROTARY YEAR 2021-2022

MONDAY 30TH AUGUST, 2021 • 6.15PM FOR 6.30PM
THE STARLIGHT ROOM, TAYLORS LAKES HOTEL


Rotary Opens Opportunities


SERVE TO CHANGE LIVES

2 course Dinner - \$55 per person - Drinks at Bar Prices
Dress - Smart Casual

Bookings - <https://www.trybooking.com/BRZSN>

Enquiries - Yvonne Osborn 0411773360

UPCOMING EVENTS

MEMBERSHIP & NEW CLUB MONTH		
9th Aug 21	Mond	ROTARY CLUB OF KEILOR EAST BIRTHDAY - 38th
10-Aug-21	Tues	Actual date of Rotary Club of Keilor East's Birthday
11-Aug-21	Wed	DAYS FOR GIRLS Sew In Day
16-Aug-21	Mond	Mental & Covid Health - Samantha Rennie
17-Aug-21	Tues	BOARD MEETING
23-Aug-21	Mond	Rotarian Behind the Badge - David Dippie
25-Aug-21	Wed	DAYS FOR GIRLS Sew In Day
30-Aug-21	Mond	PRESIDENTIAL CHANGEOVER - & 5 Presentations /Induction Tony Thomas
BASIC EDUCATION & LITERACY MONTH		
4-Sep-21	Sat	Bunnings BBQ - Taylors Lakes -
5-Sep-21	Sunday	FATHER'S DAY
6-Sep-21	Mond	Promoting 6 Local Traders -TBC (inc Iconic Clothing") Serion & Sara Aziz
10-12 Sept	Frid-Sund	CAMP GETAWAY
13-Sep-21	Mond	YOUTH NIGHT - NYSF / TBC -David Bennett
20-Sep-21	Mond	Rotarian Behind the Badge -Elvira Tarrant
21-Sep-21	Tues	BOARD MEETING
27-Sep-21	Mond	VOCATIONAL NIGHT-Richard Mason & Nien Dinh - TBC
29-Sep-21	Wed	DAYS FOR GIRLS Sew In Day
COMMUNITY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT MONTH		
3-Oct-21	Sund	Bunnings BBQ - Taylors Lakes -TBC
4-Oct-21	Mond	DEBATE: IS THE 4-WAY TEST RELEVANT? TBC
11-Oct-21	Mond	HUMAN TRAFFICKING
18-Oct-21	Mond	District Governor's Visit
19-Oct-21	Tues	BOARD MEETING
25-Oct-21	Mond	
27-Oct-21	Wed	DAYS FOR GIRLS Sew In Day
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Date	Day	Speaker / Event Title
FOUNDATION MONTH		
1-Nov-21	Mond	
2-Nov-21	Tues	MELBOURNE CUP
6-Nov-21	Sat	Bunnings BBQ - Taylors Lakes -TBC
8-Nov-21	Mond	
15-Nov-21	Mond	Foundation Presentation - Murray Verso
16-Nov-21	Tues	BOARD MEETING
22-Nov-21	Mond	
24-Nov-21	Wed	DAYS FOR GIRLS Sew In Day



Rotary
District 9800

DIVERSITY EQUITY AND INCLUSION WORKSHOPS

Help Build a Better Rotary

The workshops are for Rotary Club DEI Champions or Rotarians who have an interest in creating change and ensuring their Rotary club is more inclusive and supportive of the community.

The FREE workshops led by 'Courage to Care' will explore:

- Creating awareness of the dangers of prejudice, racism and discrimination
- Educating to challenge attitudes and behaviours
- Demonstrating that every individual can make a difference
- Transforming "bystander" behaviour to "upstander"

Each Workshop is funded by D9800 and will conclude with a light lunch.

Sunday 15th August -Melbourne 9.30am-1pm
Registration at: <https://www.trybooking.com/BSZOD>

Sunday 29th August – Woodend 9.30am -1pm
Registration at: <https://www.trybooking.com/BSJQN>

NEW DATES Sep 19, 2021, 9:30 AM – 1:00 PM
Montague St School
100 Montague Street
SOUTH MELBOURNE, VIC 3205
Sep 26, 2021, 9:30 AM - 1:00 PM - WOODEND

CALLING ALL VOLUNTEERS

Join us to celebrate
100 years of Essendon Airport



Community Event!

Open Day

NEW DATE Saturday October 9th, 2021.

SAT 4 SEPTEMBER

A day celebrating our past, present and future.

VOLUNTEER SHIFTS
9.30am - 12.30pm
12pm - 3pm

On site parking, event entry, coffee and lunch vouchers provided
All event parking proceeds go direct to the Rotary Club

To register to volunteer contact:

Rod Gurry
Rotary Club of Essendon North
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rodgurry@hotmail.com



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Club Birthdays and Anniversaries

Birthdays

August 7: Wayne Parker (Athena's husband)

August 10 : Keilor East Rotary Birthday

August 11: Trish O'Brien

August 13th: Joel Hewish

August 20: David Barnes

August 22: Peter Tomlinson



Wedding Anniversaries

August 27: Arnold and Pam Vandenham



Rotary Anniversaries

August 1: David Barnes 1991

August 1: Bruce Cameron 1984

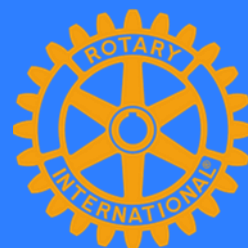
August 1: Peter Tomlinson 1991

August 10: Lloyd Lancaster 1983 Charter Member

August 10: John Walsh 1983 Charter Member

August 10: Yvonne Osborn 2002

August 22: Vanda Mullen 2011



MEMBER NEWS



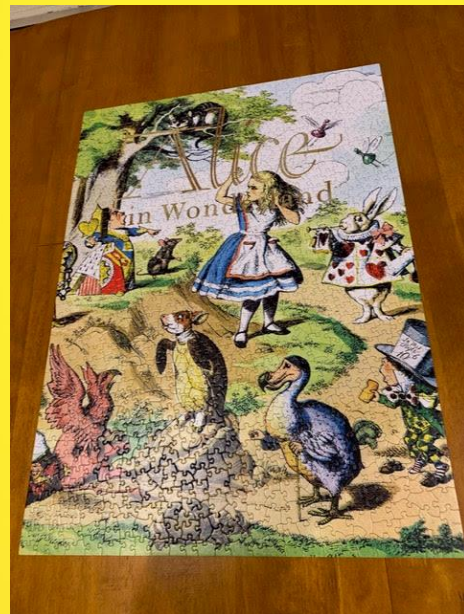
Annie's grandchildren have been homeschooling during Lockdown 6.0.



Masses of flowers at Annie's front doorway brighten lockdown days.



Hyacinths bloom in Ginny and Alex's garden, signs that Spring is on its way soon.



Another 1000-piece jigsaw done and dusted. It was a very difficult one with weird shaped pieces. Ginny Billson.