



Acknowledgement of Country

We acknowledge the Borogegal and Cammeraigal people as the traditional custodians of the land on which our Club meets. We pay our respects to Elders past, present and emerging.

TUESDAY 7th December – the Club meeting will be face-to-face at the Mosman Rowers commencing at 12.45pm. Please contact Dom if you wish to have video access.

OOZOO

Last week, geologist and historian Ian Burnet talked with us about Joseph Conrad's Eastern Voyages. Joseph Conrad lived an adventurous life at sea and wrote about the glorious days of sailing ships. His favoured destination was Asia, the port of Singapore and the remote ports of the Indonesian archipelago, including a river and a settlement in East Borneo which Conrad described as 'One of the last, forgotten, unknown places on earth'. Ian first went to work as a geologist in Indonesia in 1968. He has since spent thirty years living, working and travelling in Indonesia. He is the author of six books that relate to both maritime history, the spice trade and the Indonesian archipelago and earlier this year published "Joseph Conrad's Eastern Voyages – Tales of Singapore and an East Borneo River".

This week's guest speaker will be Sydney and Manchester-based Suke Ridler who will talk with us about recording our unique stories before they are lost forever. Her passion is to inspire people to capture their life and curate their legacy.

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WHY THIS EDITION OF OoZoO IS OUT EARLY!

Please see attached invitation from the e-Club of Greater Sydney to join a special online meeting on **SUNDAY 5th DECEMBER at 7.30 PM.**



The poster is for a 'SPECIAL ONLINE MEETING' organized by the Rotary E-Club of Greater Sydney. It features a portrait of Gordon R. McInally, a man with glasses and a beard, wearing a dark suit. The text on the poster includes the Rotary logo and 'SERVE TO CHANGE LIVES' at the top. Below the logos, it says 'Invites you to a SPECIAL ONLINE MEETING'. Then, 'Meet and hear from Rotary International President Nominee Gordon McInally'. A small text box explains that Gordon R. McInally is a member of the Rotary Club of South Queensferry, Lothian, Scotland, and is the selection of the Nominating Committee for President of Rotary International for 2023-24. The date and time are listed as 'Sunday, 5th December 2021' at '07:30PM AEDT.'. At the bottom, it asks to email the Secretary, Oscar, to get the link to the meeting, with the email address 'secretary@rotarygreatersydney.org'.

Rotary E-Club of Greater Sydney | SERVE TO CHANGE LIVES

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SPECIAL ONLINE MEETING

Meet and hear from
Rotary International President Nominee

Gordon McInally

Gordon R. McInally, a member of the Rotary Club of South Queensferry, Lothian, Scotland, is the selection of the Nominating Committee for President of Rotary International for 2023-24

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ENGINEERING AID AUSTRALIA

Acknowledgement of our recent donation.

“We are so appreciative of the generous gift from the Rotary Club of Mosman. The money will be put to good use as we contact the Science and Careers teachers in every High school in Australia with application forms for the students to apply to attend the Indigenous Australian Engineering Schools (IAES).

Our next two IAES will be in July next year with Sydney University and Curtin University hosting the students.

Please pass on our sincere thanks to all of your members.

Kindest regards
Anne Vans-Colina
Director
Engineering Aid Australia”

Note from editor: the link below has more information on Engineering Aid Australia

<https://www.engineeringaid.org/programs/iaes-sydney/>

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JIGSAW FEEDBACK

Here is a great story from a Brisbane-based buyer of Mosman jigsaws.

“Thank you for sending the jigsaw puzzles. I bought them as a Christmas present for my brother and sister. I have signed up to a newsletter – Mosman Collective and I saw them advertised there. My family owned a house in Iluka Road from 1964 to 2001. I was born in 1965 and spent my whole childhood and of lots of my adult years in this house.

My brother and sister and I have such incredibly fond memories of Mosman. Iluka Road was a magical place to grow up. We spent hours playing in the national park swimming in the bay, climbing around the rocks and riding our bikes around Mosman. The view from our house was stunning. My parents loved to entertain often and share the magnificent view. I know so many of the streets so well as we had many friends scattered all over the Mosman area that we would visit often. We went to Blessed Sacrament school and then to a school in the city. I remember catching the ferry to school. I would walk to the ferry via the zoo. In those days, there was a side gate that was always left open so local residents could walk through the zoo for free on their way to the ferry before the zoo had opened for the day.

I loved going to the local shops. There were 3 milkbars.... Stans, Jims and the middle milk bar. I also loved the fish and chip shop and Franklins supermarket.... It had 3 isles but I thought it was huge. Whenever any of our family come to Sydney we always go to Iluka road and walk around upper and lower Iluka Road and through the National park and down to the water. It is so very different now – high fences and fancy cars, but the beautiful view and the lovely bushland is still there to enjoy.

By the way, I once road my skateboard all the way down Raglan street from Mosman shops to Balmoral beach. I was going so fast I was lucky I didn't kill myself.”

ROTARY CLUB OF MOSMAN CHRISTMAS EVENT

This will be held on Thursday 16 December from 7:00-9:00pm at the Royal Sydney Yacht Squadron, Kirribilli. All members, partners, special guests, friends and OoZoO readers are invited to attend!

Dress code: Think cocktail with a twist!

The cost is \$75 per person, which includes some canapes and drinks for 2 hours. To get a ticket please transfer \$75 per person for you and any guests to the Mosman Rotary bank account (BSB: 633 000 Account: 142267483) and use your name and *Xmas Party* as a reference. Tickets can also be purchased at our Club meetings.

Can you also please advise Dom Rabu (rabu-dc@hotmail.com) if you plan to attend.

A cash bar will be available before and after the event.

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CPR/FIRST AID TRAINING

The Board has agreed to arrange a CPR and First Aid training course for members. While some of us would have done such courses in the past it is well recognized that refresher courses in this area are absolutely invaluable.

The proposed course will take 2.5 hours and the proposed schedule is to start at 10am on Tuesday 1st February at the Mosman Rowers – this would be followed by the normal Club meeting to be held that day.

Details are as follows:

The course provider chosen is re:VIVA and you can read more about them at : www.reviva.com.au

Course fee: \$55.00 per participant (No GST is applied to CPR/First aid training).

Minimum number of participants for on-site training is 10. Should less than 10 attend, the minimum service fee of \$550.00 will apply.

Maximum number of participants: 24 (subject to the venue size maintaining 2m social distancing) .

Course duration: 2.5 hours face-to-face training with NO online learning required.

While there will be more registration details sent out at a later date, please note the following:

CPR Practical Assessment Protocol: In order to be deemed competent in the practical assessment during CPR training, *all participants must demonstrate a minimum of two minutes of continuous CPR with an adult manikin placed on the floor*. Should participants not have the physical capabilities of kneeling for this length of time whilst conducting CPR, then ReVIVA is required to be notified prior to confirmation of enrolment.

Can you please send an email to Dom indicating yes/no whether you plan to attend this course. Following confirmation that there are enough attendees to proceed we will send out details on enrolment and registration to those proposing to attend..

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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

7th December – Suke Ridler – My LifeJar

14th December – Annual General Meeting, Rotary Club of Mosman

16th December – Club Christmas Party

11th January – Club Picnic to welcome in the New Year

18th January – Jane Jeffes – Multicultural Communications Award Winner

The Rotary Club of Mosman wishes to thank Kennard's Storage Artarmon for their generous on-going support in providing storage for our Club.

Board members

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