

ROTARY CLUB OF NAPIER



Chartered 1924 District 9930 Club

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The Rotary Club of Napier Vision Statement 2023/2024 *Making Meaningful Change in our World*

President:

Gary Hemmings

Past President:

Paul O'Leary

Secretary:

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Treasurer:

Ross McKelvie

Club Development:

Ralph Slooten

Directors:

Ann Clarke

Brien Mahoney

Ewan Gardiner

Jeff Silvester

Matthew June

Bulletin Editor:

Tara Huckle

Youth Advisor:

Maggie Cooper (Interact President)

Napier Rotary Club meets:
Monday 12.00 pm for a
12.30 pm start, 1.30 pm finish

Location: The Westshore Hotel,
85 Meeanee Quay, Napier.

Apologies and meal booking by
MIDDAY FRIDAY before meeting to Paul O'Leary:
lawyerpaul001@gmail.com

Notices and synopsis for inclusion in bulletin
by WEDNESDAY 1 PM to Tara Huckle:
tarahucklerotary@gmail.com

<https://www.rotarynapier.org/>

News and Notices



President Gary Hemmings hobnobs with some bigwigs. . . at a volunteer appreciation day commemorating the 12 months anniversary to Cyclone Gabrielle at Hastings Showgrounds on 11 February 2024

JOINT MEETING with Rotary Club of Ahuriri 4th March

At our last meetomg (19 February 2024) we did not have a speaker but important options for the future of our club were discussed. As a result we are having a joint meeting with the Rotary Club of Ahuriri on Monday 4th March to take the discussions forward regarding the future of both clubs.

RYLA REMINDER

RYLA (Rotary Youth Leadership Awards) is a top-level week-long programme aimed at taking emerging young leaders in our communities and developing them further. Last year, the programme was elevated again with the inclusion of volunteering in our own communities, environmental awareness, and greater cultural leadership development.

RYLA 2024 will run from Sunday 21st April to Friday 26th April and the cost is \$900 per attendee. The cost is inclusive of all accommodation, meals, and transport within the week. The enrolment form and information letter can be found on our website

<https://rotary9930.org/page/youth-ryla>

We encourage all Rotarians to consider who they might know between the age of 20-26, in paid employment, and already holding a position of leadership or early

management (or demonstrating potential leadership skills/qualities) to apply. Do you know a company that has staff who could benefit from this course? We already have a number of large companies that regularly send staff for management training - they are aware of the well-researched efficacy in week-long immersive training courses and the small cost compared to gains made for our community leaders/young adults.

ACT NOW - enrolments close on 28th Feb!!

Musical Instruments For Playgrounds

Ross McKelvie introduced a possible project for the club which he has circulated by email. It is to establish a Rotary musical playground in the city in collaboration with the Napier City Council.

Below are the links to information he has circulated:

https://www.freenotesharmonypark.com/?utm_source=PlayCore.com&utm_campaign=BrandBanner&utm_medium=referral

<https://jaspergarotary.org/club-projects/childrens-music-park/>

<https://www.playcore.com/news/case-study-a-growing-ensemble-for-more-than-20-years>

<https://www.freenotesharmonypark.com/projects/rotary-music-garden-manchester/>



Five Avenues of Service

Club Service focuses on strengthening fellowship and ensuring the effective functioning of the club. This "Avenue" promotes the development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service. It involves the activities necessary to make the Club function successfully and achieve its goals.

Vocational Service encourages Rotarians to serve others through their vocations and to practice high ethical standards. This area represents the opportunity that each Rotarian has to represent the dignity and utility of one's vocation as an opportunity to serve society. Rotarians promote and foster high ethical standards in business and professions and promote the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations.

Community Service covers the projects and activities the club undertakes to improve life in its community. This "Avenue" relates to the activities that Rotarians undertake to improve the quality of life in their community. Particular emphasis is given to helping children, needy families, the aged, the handicapped, and those most in need of assistance. Rotarians strive to promote the ideal of service in their personal, business, and community lives.

International Service encompasses actions taken to expand Rotary's humanitarian reach around the globe and to promote world understanding and peace. In this area, Rotarians strive for the advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service. International Service Projects are designed to meet the humanitarian needs of people in many lands, with particular emphasis on the most underprivileged children and families in developing countries.

Youth Service recognizes the positive change implemented by youth and young adults through leadership development activities as RYLA, Rotaract and Interact, service projects, and creating international understanding with Rotary Youth Exchange.



Rotary's 7 Areas of Focus

Rotary is dedicated to causes that build international relationships, improve lives, and create a better world to support our peace efforts and end polio forever.

Promoting peace -

Fighting disease -

Providing clean water, sanitation, and hygiene

Saving mothers and children

Supporting education

Growing local economies

Protecting the environment

Leave of absence:

Darren Buckley

Carol Hall

Viv Levet

DUTIES

NOTE: If you cannot do your duty, you are responsible for finding a replacement before the meeting. If possible, advise the President by email beforehand.

Duty	26 February 2024	4 March 2024	11 March 2024
Attendance Desk (Money)	Paul	Paul	Paul
Steward – Door Host	Alan	Alan	Alan
Speaker Host & Synopsis for bulletin	Brian	Matthew	Paul
Sergeant at Arms	Brien	Ewan	Peter
3-minute Speaker	David	Jeff	Ralph
Set up & Pack Up	Alan/Brien	Alan/Brien	Alan/Brien

Napier Rotary Club Guest Speakers:

	Speaker	Topic
Monday 26 February	Sonia Codd	Nature Connect - Puketapu
Monday 4 th March Evening meeting	Joint Meeting with Rotary Club of Ahuriri	The future of our clubs



We are the Present But We are Not the Future