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Editorial
It has been a busy week with two official meetings in the one week. On the 7th October a colleague of Noel, Trevor Clark OAM, was the guest speaker at our regular meeting. Keppel Turnour was in the chair, ably assisted by President Noel.

There was a slight problem with the stove in the kitchen, and as a result of the meal being delayed, Trevor headed off the meeting with his address “Creating work for oneself after the usual retirement age”. Trevor impressed us all with his own range of activities. He emphasized the value of networking in achieving goals, but made the point that selection of the right person for the job is the key to achieving successful outcomes.

We had our second official meeting on 9th October at the Austrian Club, combining with the Rotary Club of Rosanna to celebrate

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Australian Rotary Health Hat Night.

Disappointingly only five of our members were able to attend the meeting at which Rosemary Freeman was the guest speaker. For more detail, please see the separate report on page 3.

Bruce

Noel sends his regards
The Rotary Club of Heidelberg met at the Austrian Club on 9th October to join with The Rotary Club of Rosanna in their celebration of Australian Rotary Health Hat Night.

At the meeting were: Greg Ross, Chair of Australian Rotary Health (Board), District 9790 representative on the ARH Board, Rosemary Freeman, and Rotary Ambassador Terry Grant.

After the presentation by Greg Ross, PDG Richard Luke outlined some of the recent accomplishments of Australian Rotary Health (ARH) which included:
- a research project into Sudden Infant Death Syndrome (SIDS),
- funding research into mental health, which, by the way affects 1 in 2 Australians at some time throughout their lives
- support for an indigenous health program.

Australian Rotary Health now has a permanent staff of 7 who are funded by interest on the accumulated funds of ARH. Its income last year was $700,000 and this went toward supporting 760 applicants for research funding. The successful applicants are selected by an expert research committee. In this way ARH has become a conduit between young researchers and the money needed to fund their research.

(Notes courtesy of the Rotary Club of Rosanna)
Rotary Club of Heidelberg
Invites Rotarians and friends
to an

OAKS EVE CALCUTTA DINNER MEETING
Wednesday 6 November 2019
6.00 pm for 6.30 pm
$40 per person

Rosanna Bowling Club
3 Strasbourg Road Rosanna
Plenty of car parking
Short walk from Rosanna Station

- Hot roast meats buffet, salads and sweets
- Drinks at very reasonable bar prices

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NO later than Friday 1st November 2019
Please Note: Ken Norman always seeks to finalize numbers by Monday 10.00am by collating responses about attendance at that day’s meeting. So please try to telephone or email Ken by that time; and, at the same time, forewarn of any guests. (Predicting our numbers as closely as possible helps to minimise our catering costs)

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WHERE ARE THEY NOW
Wayne and Doreen – Home again
Peter and Helen – Home again
Laurie and Jane – Home again
Gordon – Portugal, Spain, Italy
Graham O – Scotland, Germany
Cynthia - Thailand

Heidelberg Germany - (From Graham O)