

Rotaract



Pennant Hills - Cherrybrook Provisional Club

1 July 2020

Welcome to the Club!



I am more than happy to announce that the Pennant Hills – Cherrybrook Provisional Club is officially open! We have now had our orientation and also have a possibility of some potential members who are interested in joining. It is a very exciting time to finally get the club running and finally work out what the clubs projects will be. I really look forward to meeting new members as they come in and meet people that are like minded. In the near future we will meet at a fantastic location and I am working with our sponsoring clubs to secure a venue. I really look forward to the coming months and the difference that the club will make to the community.

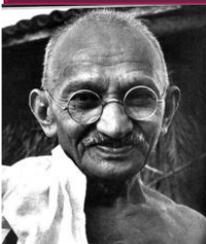
- Jason Terry

Events

We were able to host our first event on Tuesday the 23rd of June over Zoom. We had some fantastic people join us including the past District Governor, Kalma McLellan, the past and the current District Rotaract Representatives, Cameron Cortazzo and Brittany Lewis, Board Members from the sponsoring clubs and my mentor and friend Rebecca Fry. The orientation meeting was to inform and engage potential members of the club. Everyone was welcomed to the meeting and then we broke down what Rotaract was about. We played a game called “Where in the World is Rotary?” and then broke into a Q&A session where the current and past Rotaractors shared their experiences. The event was recorded on Facebook so if you missed any information you can easily catch up by visiting our Facebook page.



Quote of the Month



“Be the change that you wish to see in the world.”

— Mahatma Gandhi

Our Sponsoring Clubs

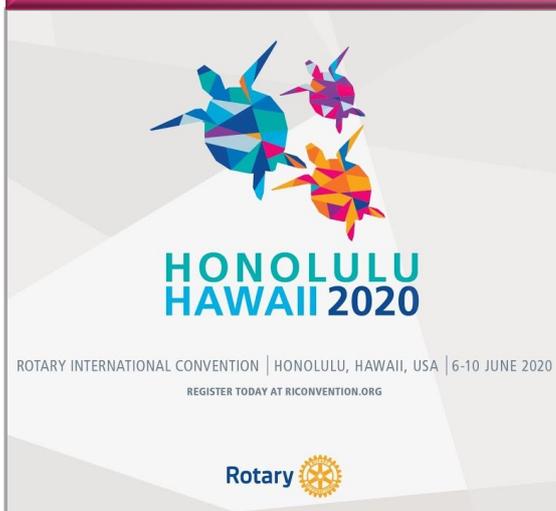
Pennant Hills – Cherrybrook Provisional Club is very fortunate to have two sponsoring Rotary Clubs. The Clubs that are supporting us are:

- West Pennant Hills - Cherrybrook Rotary Club and,
- Pennant Hills Rotary Club

These clubs can help our Rotaract club in so many ways like mentoring, event assistance, financing and so much more. If you have any questions for them or would like some guidance do not hesitate to ask them. You are always welcome to pay them a visit but please send them an email or call their president or secretary to make them aware that you are visiting.



International Rotary Convention



Earlier this year the International Rotary Convention was going to be held in Hawaii. These conventions give members training opportunities, information sessions and the chance to listen to great guest speakers. They also organise some fantastic external activities so you can see the highlights of the area you are visiting. Rotaract holds a preconvention which everybody raves about. There are many fun events and you also have the chance of making friends worldwide. Unfortunately, due to COVID-19, it had to be cancelled which disappointed a lot of people, however Rotary still held it online in Chicago. Chicago has a 15 hour time difference to

Sydney. The conventions were run overnight usually starting at 11pm AEST. Fortunately these sessions were recorded so you won't miss a thing. These conventions are run every year and the next one is in Taipei Taiwan in 2021. Also in the same year Interota is being held in Hong Kong. This is a special Rotaract conference held specifically for Rotaractors. Once again Rotaractors from all over the world come to these conventions to learn new skills and give Rotaractors a chance to make connections all over the world.

Key dates

01/07/2020	Pennant Hills Rotary Changeover
06/07/2020	West Pennant Hills—Cherrybrook Rotary Changeover
14/07/2020	Rotaract Meeting
28/07/2020	Rotaract Meeting