

THE ROTARY CLUB OF PERTH

The Perth Rotary Club held its inaugural meeting on 25 August 1926 at the Palace Hotel in St George's Terrace. The meeting was convened by Sir William Lathlain (later Mayor of Perth). Prominent personalities attending included Archbishop Riley, Sir Talbot Hobbs and Major (later Sir) Norman Brearley.

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Acc. No.	DESCRIPTION
	BULLETINS
3503A/1	Published by Perth and overseas Rotary clubs.
	CONSTITUTIONS
7492A/1	5 August 2002 Draft Constitution of the Rotary Club of Perth
7492A/2	n.d. Published Constitution of the Rotary Club of Perth
7492A/3	n.d. Rotary Club of Perth Operations Procedure Notes
	FILES
7492A/4	1935 Project. Titania's Palace Exhibition
7492A/5 OSM	1955 – 1956 Project notes
7492A/6 OSM	1955 – 1960 Project notes

3920A/3	1969 – June 1977 Attendance Committee, Minutes and Correspondence
3920A/4	1971 – June 1975 Attendance Committee, Attendance
3920A/1	May 1976 – February 1977 Aboriginal Social Work
7492A/7	July – August 1976 Aboriginal Scholarships in Social Work
7492A/8	2 September 1993 Project, Sponsorship & Fundraising
7492A/9	n.d. Wishing well project
7492A/10	n.d. Peter Pan statue project
7492A/11	n.d. Royal Perth Hospital helipad project
	HISTORY
3503A/2	Official history Vol. 1 1926-1956, Vol 2 1954-1966. Brief History 1926-1954, 1954-1966
7492A/12	1926 – 1971 Historical papers
7492A/13	1926 – December 2004 Historical papers
3503A/3	1927-1987 Official history. Original handwritten draft, P Firkins
3503A/4	1927-1987 Official history. First type-written draft
3503A/5	1927-1987 Official history. Second type-written draft
3503A/6	1927-1987 Official history. Final type-written draft
3503A/7	Research material provided by members. Includes photograph of district conference at Yanchep 1946
3902A/62	1954-1966 Official history. Brief extracts 1926
3503A/8	1955 Rotary involvement in establishment of Medical School at WA University
7492A/14	15 April 1977 Golden Anniversary commemorative certificate
7492A/15	1980 – 1981 Club 75 th Anniversary papers
7492A/16	June 1984 Published history of Rotary in WA by PP Carl Riedel

7492A/17	1987 Published history of the Rotary Club of Perth by Peter Firkins
7492A/18	December 2001 – April 2002 Papers relating to Club 75 th Anniversary Dinner
7492A/59	2007 Sir Norman Brearley Day
3503A/9	n.d. Rotary members profiles
	LISTS
3902A/46	July 1972 – December 1977 Membership Committee
	MAGAZINES
7492A/19	April 1958 “The Rotarian” featuring article on WA Rotary pp32-33
7492A/20	June 2005 “The Rotarian” featuring Sir Norman Brearley p86
	MAPS
7492A/21	April 1985 Map of Western Australia showing Rotary district boundaries
	MEMBERSHIP
7492A/22	n.d. Recruitment procedures and information for new members
	MINUTE BOOKS
3503A/10	25 August 1926 – 12 December 1929 Board of Directors
3503A/11	3 January 1930 – 13 December 1932 Includes luncheon meetings
3503A /12 OSM	20 December 1932 – 13 December 1935 Includes luncheon meetings
3503A /13 OSM	31 January 1936 – 28 July 1939 Includes luncheon meetings
7492A/23 OSM	1937 - 1938
3503A /14 OSM	14 October 1937 – 18 November 1958
7492A/24 OSM	27 June 1945 – 26 June 1951
3920A/61	2 October 1952 – 10 December 1957
7492A/25	21 January 1955 – 16 December 1955 Luncheon meetings
7492A/26	1957 Friday Luncheon meetings
3503A/15 OSM	10 February 1959 – 25 June 1970

7492A/27	21 June 1967 – 15 May 1968
7492A/28 OSM	23 July 1970 – 28 June 1979
7492A/29	27 February 1969 – 27 March 1969 and 23 August 1979 – 28 June 1984
7492A/30	July 1984 – June 1987
7492A/31	22 August 1987 – 17 December 1991
7492A/32	25 February 1992 – 28 June 1994
7492A/33	6 July 1994 – 25 June 1996
7492A/34	23 July 1996 – 23 June 1998
7492A/35	July 2002
	NOTICES
3503A/16	15 August 1926 – 29 June 1931 Concerning weekly luncheon
3503A/17	3 July 1931 – 29 June 1934
3503A/18 OSM	6 July 1934 – 25 June 1937
7492A/36	4 October 1946 – 29 September 1949
7492A/37	6 October 1949 – December 1953
7492A/38	24 April 1953 – 17 December 1954
7492A/39	January 1954 – 14 December 1956
7492A/40	January 1957 – June 1960
	PHOTOGRAPHS
7492A/41 OSM	1948 – 1949 Wishing well in Kings Park. Include various undated photographs and postcard of adventure playground for children at Kings Park
7492A/42 OSM	1970 – 1972 Photo album containing photographs at various function and events including club luncheons
7492A/43	15 April 1977 Photo album containing various photographs of Celebrating 50 Years of Rotary in Western Australia
7492A/44	1981 1981 Design A Phone Book Cover Competition.
7492A/45 OSM	1981 – 1989 Photo album containing photographs at Sir Wallace Kyle Oration functions
7492A/46	n.d. Photograph of Rotarian Mc Gibbon. Include other unknown photograph and sketches
7492A/47	n.d. Various photographs of adventure playground at Kings Park showing water streams interconnecting mini-lakes
7492A/48	n.d. Photographs of Paul P. Harris, Founder of Rotary International and Gordon Hislop. Include sketches of unknown person

	PLANS
7492A/49	1953 - 2001 Plans and drawings in connection to the construction and erection of wishing well. Include correspondence relating to the well
	PROGRAMMES
7492A/50	1938 Rotary International 65 th District Programme 11 th Annual Conference Perth 1938
7492A/51	1945 Victory Youth Week Nineteen Forty Five. Programme – Games Night and Leaders’ Display at Subiaco Oval
	REPORTS
3503A/19	Various club activities Annual reports
7492A/52	1934 – 1954
3920A/2	1954 – 1970
7492A/53	1989 - 1997 Reports and pamphlet relating to Port to Court Relay
7492A/54	1990 - 1991 Report. Town & Country Port to Court Relay
7492A/55	1991 Publicists report – Port to Court Relay
	SCRAPBOOKS
7492A/56 OSM	1943 - 1944 Newspaper cuttings
	SPEECHES
3503A/20	Addresses to members by prominent personalities
3920A/5	1959 - 1960, 1962, 1965 Australia Day Oration
7492A/57	1959 The Australia Day Oration
7492A/58	1983 – 1995(incomplete) The Sir Wallace Kyle Oration. Include invitation cards
3920A/6	October 1965 – April 1973 Club Assembly
3920A/7	1954 - May 1976 Club Constitution and By-Laws
3920A/8	December 1961 – June 1966 Coding of Territories
3920A/9	May 1955 – July 1978

	Community Service Details of Benevolent Fund
3920A/10	March 1957 – July 1960 Community Service
3920A/11	21 June 1957 – 3 June 1958 Community Service
3920A/12	June 1957 – July 1958 Community Service Benmore Boys House
3920A/13	July 1958 – June 1960 Community Service
3920A/14	April 1958 – December 1962 Community Services including Fellowship Report
3920A/15	September 1958 – August 1974 Community Service and Club Assembly
3920A/16	July 1959 – July 1960 Community Service including plans for Wishing Well Kings Park
3920A/17	September 1960 – November 1962 Community Service
3920A/18	July 1960 – October 1961 Community Service
3920A/19	July 1960 – June 1961 Community Service
3920A/20	February 1964 – June 1966 Community Service
3920A/21	October 1965 – June 1967 Community Service
3920A/22	March 1966 – December 1967 Community Service
3920A/40	April 1967 – May 1969 Community Service
3920A/23	July 1967 – June 1969 Community Service and Youth Committee
3920A/24	1968-1972 Community Service. Allen Bateman's file
3920A/25	July 1979 – January 1980 Community Service
3920A/26	July 1979 – June 1980 Community Service
3920A/27	January 1980 – 1981 Community Service
3920A/28	1962-1963 DH Fraser's file (Club Service Director)
3920A/29	October 1955 – May 1962 Fairbridge Farm
3920A/30	July 1969 – December 1969 Festival of Perth
3920A/31	1977

	Foundation David Stobart
3920A/32	May 1976 – May 1977 Golden Anniversary (April 11)
3920A/33	August 1960 – May 1977 Group Study Exchange
3920A/34	August 1977 – January 1978 Heart Centre – Donations
3920A/35	July 1973 – June 1974 Information Committee; Minutes
3920A/36	July 1971 – June 1974 Information Committees, Correspondence
3920A/37	1952 International Convention, Chicago
3920A/38	1955 International Convention, Seattle
3920A/39	1956 International Convention, Philadelphia
3920A/41	April 1970 International Service Committee
3920A/42	1963-1964 International Service Committee and Foundation Fellowship
3920A/43	December 1956 International Service European Migration
3920A/44	August 1957 International Service European Migration
3920A/45	April 1977 – March 1984 Kings Park Club Charter
3920A/46	July 1972 – December 1977 Membership Committee
3920A/47	March 1932 – February 1967 Martin Spott Personal File
3920A/48	February 1978 – June 1979 Mike Hodgett's President's File Complete
3920A/49	February 1929 – September 1949 Peter Pan Statue
3920A/50	May 1977 – June 1978 Programmes and Public Relations
3920A/51	October 1968 – May 1970 Safety Apparel for School children and others
3920A/52	1977 Seminar Research
3920A/53	1938 – August 1945 Talks
3920A/54	1951 Vocational Service Committee Reports (Booklet)
3920A/55	April 1970 – February 1977

	Vocational Service Committee Technical Scholarships
3920A/56	May 1967 – January 1969 Ways and Means Committee
3920A/57	1 October 1940 Weekly Notices
3920A/58	November 1954 West Perth Charter Night
3920A/59	1967 West Perth Miss Sunshine Quest
3920A/60	June 1966 – April 1977 World Community Service Committee
	AUDIOTAPES & VIDEOCASSETTE
7492A/60	Sir Wallace Kyle Oration: Audio tapes:- 60.1 1982, Sir Wallace Kyle oration; 60.2 1983, Sir Eric McClintock, “In Search of The Uncommon Man”; 60.3 1986, Sir Wallace Kyle oration; 60.4 1989, Sir Weary Duncop – Kyle oration; 60.5 1991, Dame Leonie Kramer – Kyle oration; 60.6 1993, Sir Wallace Kyle oration; 60.7 Undated, Address by HRH The Duke of Edinburgh – Kyle oration; Video tapes (VHS):- 60.8 22 April 1994, Sir Wallace Kyle oration

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HEADING/KEYWORDS	NEWSPAPER TITLE	DATE/PAGE NUMBER
Titania's palace. Exhibition in Perth	West Australian	26 February 1935
Titania's Palace. Perth Display Soon	Daily News	13 March 1935, p4
Rotary In Action	West Australian	28 May 1984, pp41-44
Rotary celebrates 80 years of service	West Australian	24 May 1985, pp33-36
Serving the Community	Geraldton Guardian	14 March 1986 pp11-14
90 years of Rotary	The Australian	23 February 1995 pp16-17
90 years young; Rotary wheel rolls on	West Australian	24 February 1995 p33
Celebrating 50 years of Lions...	West Australian	9 April 1997 pp48-49
Days without end	West Australian "Big Weekend" liftout	12 April 1997 p5
70 years of Rotary in W.A.	West Australian	12 April 1997 p40
Lifetime of caring	Sunday Times	16 August 1998 p48
Rotary club notches big anniversary	Western Suburbs Weekly	16 April 2002, p6.