



ROTARY GRIQUA

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Mt Everest – Did You Know?

- It is the highest mountain in the world at 29,035 feet, although its exact height is often disputed.
- Everest grows 4mm higher every year due to geologic uplift.
- George Everest, Surveyor General of India from 1830 to 1843, discovered Everest in 1841.
- Sir Edmund Hilary and Tenzing Norgay were the first to summit Everest, on May 19 1953.
- Mount Everest is home to a very minute black jumping spider. These spiders hide in crevices and feed on frozen insects. Their food depends largely upon what is blown by the wind into the specific area. They live as high as 22,000 feet.
- Over 2000 people have reached the top of Everest.
- The summit is just below the cruising height of a jet.
- The youngest person to reach summit was 13 and the oldest was 80.
- In Nepal the mountain is known as Sagarmatha, meaning 'forehead of the sky'.
- In Tibet the mountain is known as Chomolangma for 'mother of the universe'
- Avalanches are the greatest cause of death for climbers scaling Everest (Avalanches are the greatest at about a 2:1 ratio over falls).



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

The American basketball legend Magic Johnson (Earvin Johnson) celebrates his 58th birthday today.

He won a championship and an NBA Finals Most Valuable Player Award in his rookie season, and won four more championships with the Los Angeles Lakers during the 1980s.

ROTARY CLUB OF KIMBERLEY

2017-2018

Chartered 20 August 1951

Rotary District 9370

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Kimberley Club

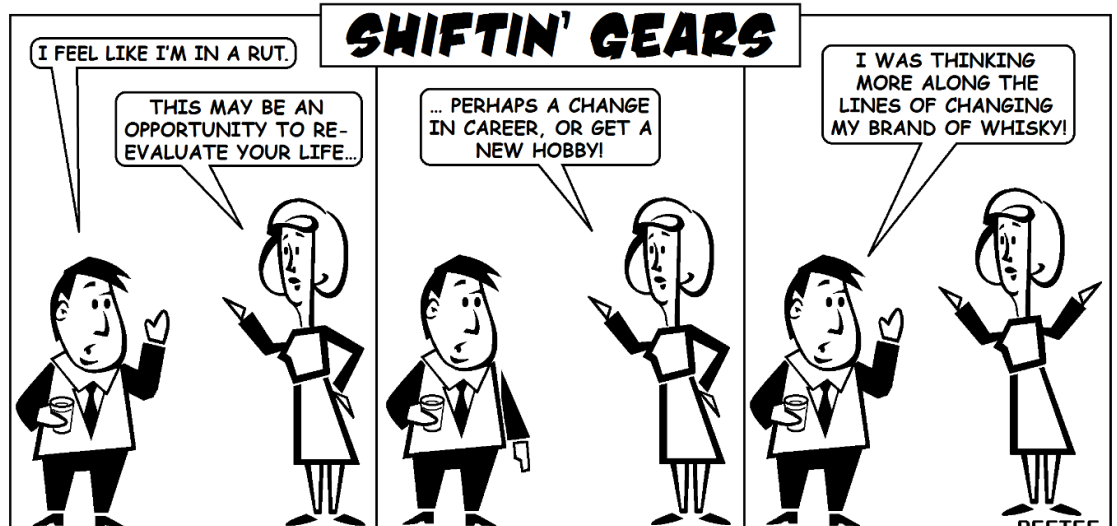
Mondays 12:45 for 13:00

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WELCOME

We welcome our Guest Speaker Pastor André Venter, as well as all our guests to today's lunch meeting.



CALENDAR & DUTIES

AUGUST

Membership Month

- 14 Aug: Club Meeting 12:45 for 13:00
Guest Speaker: Pastor André Venter
21 Aug: Club Meeting 12:45 for 13:00
28 Aug: BOARD MEETING 12:45 for 13:00

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“Life isn't about getting
and having, it's about
giving and being”

Kevin Kruse

DUTIES

*If you are unable to do a duty, please
make arrangements for a substitute.*

WEEK OF 14 AUGUST

FELLOWSHIP: Clayton D & Barry D
CORPORAL: Barry Downs
TUES COFFEE CLUB: Brenda Booth

WEEK OF 21 AUGUST

FELLOWSHIP: Dwayne E. & Colleen F.
CORPORAL: Dwayne Evans
TUES COFFEE CLUB: Clayton Daubermann

WEEK OF 28 AUGUST

FELLOWSHIP: Board Meeting – No Duty
CORPORAL: Board Meeting – No Duty
TUES COFFEE CLUB: Barry Downs

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ROTARY:
MAKING A
DIFFERENCE

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SEPTEMBER

New Generations Month

- 4 Sept: Club Meeting 12:45 for 13:00
11 Sept: Club Meeting 12:45 for 13:00
18 Sept: Club Meeting 12:45 for 13:00
25 Sept: BOARD MEETING 12:45 for 13:00

CELEBRATIONS

BIRTHDAYS

- 20 Aug Rotary Club of Kimberley (1951)
22 Sept Gill Quinn
23 Sept Gordon Dally (Honorary)
29 Sept Marie Parsons (Honorary)

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

- 27 Sept Corlia & Dries Van Tonder
23 Sept Peter & Charlene Daubney (Honorary)

INDUCTION ANNIVERSARIES

- 30 Aug 2009 Pete Van Zyl
04 Sept 2015 Clayton Daubermann

COFFEE CLUB BIRTHDAYS

- 24 Aug Trevor Urry
10 Sept Dennis Sparrow

MEME OF THE WEEK

**You know that
tingly feeling
you get when
you really like
someone?
That's common
sense leaving
your body!**