

Salamanca Sounds



**Bulletin of the Rotary Club of Salamanca
Hobart's Only Breakfast Club**



Fortnightly Edition 3: Tuesday 5th May 2020

This Week: On-line ZOOM Meeting 7.30 pm Tuesday 5th May

**GOOD NEWS FROM
KOROIPITA, FIJI**



Many club members and partners, especially the Goninons, have volunteered their help to build cyclone-proof housing and/or run craft workshops at Koroipita Model Town, Fiji.

A recent report (see Tom's email of 24/04/2020) by Peter Drysdale and Susan Naidu indicates that despite Tropical Cyclone Harold and COVID-19, Koroipita continues to go from strength to strength and has now reached house No. 1000, and has provided homes for 4400 people.

**Rotarians Against Malaria
Social Media Campaign**

In this week's Rotary Tas. DG News 24 Dr Jenny Kerrison invites us to join the RAWCS Rotarians Against Malaria social media campaign

'Zero Malaria Is Possible'

- Write 'zero' on a poster
- Take a photo of yourself, holding up the poster
- Send the photo to the RAM PR and Media Coordinator:
netania@monashrotaract.org.au



FIRST CLUB ZOOM MEETING



Fifteen club members joined the club's first Zoom meeting last Tuesday. Among the items decided was a donation to Bonorong Wildlife Sanctuary to support their ongoing activities and in recognition of Greg Irons contribution to RYPEN over the years.



Bonorong's Melinda Hunt has written thanking the club & says: "... Receiving your financial support helps tremendously in these uncertain times. Our animals are still being carefully looked after ... by our keepers despite our sanctuary being temporarily closed. Your donation will help us to continue operating Tasmania's only 24 hour Wildlife Rescue Service and our dedicated wildlife hospital." (See Annie P's email of 22/04/2020)

To Join Today's Zoom Meeting

Click on the blue link in Secretary Pam's email of 30/04/2020.

If you haven't used Zoom before, you'll be prompted to download the required software.

Zoom has a help centre at <https://support.zoom.us/hc/en-us>

**WATER FOR A VILLAGE,
ETHIOPIA**

In an email (precised here) Catherine Wheatley, CEO of Water For A Village, has thanked the club for our donation.



"I wanted to update Rotary Salamanca on [the] water source that you funded this year. As you are aware, we built a tanker at a roadside village called Nonaniya ... it is completely finished and paid for and has been handed over to the community. ...

... Thanks very much ...for providing this facility and for your confidence in Water For A Village. Your contribution will really change things. It will ensure that people are healthier – especially children." (See Pam's email of 27/04/2020 for the full report)

The RI 2020 Convention will go ahead as a virtual meeting

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See: riconvention.org

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