



Presidents Post



We had a very eventful month this month . Firstly, we were able to have our first election for some of our board members. I would like to congratulate Lyn Wang our secretary and Samprithi Raja who is now our treasurer. There are more roles on offer for those members who are interested! Some more exciting news has also come out of our meeting this month. We were able to make a decision on the project our members are passionate about. We are going to focus on Education as there is much that can be done in this area. We plan to collect books for children and donate them to charities who assist students in need. We are very excited about this and hope we can make that much needed change in these peoples lives.

- Jason Terry

Events — Changeover

In early July some big things happened! Our sponsoring clubs and the district had their changeovers. Our new District Governor and the new District Rotaract Representative was elected. Starting at a district level, David Clark our new District Governor from the club of the Lower Blue Mountains was elected. The new District Rotaract Representative is Brittany Lewis from the club of the Northern Beaches Rotaract Club. At a club level Pennant Hills Rotary Club had their changeover which was an amazing event and they invited two guests that to speak about the areas that they are sponsoring. West Pennant Hills—Cherrybrook also had their changeover as well through a zoom meeting. Our club congratulates all the newly elected club members and we look forward to the coming year and the great relationships that we will have with them.



Pennant Hills changeover (from left to right) District Governor David Clark, Vice President Jim Frasier, Jason Terry and President David Firth

Pennant Hills new board roles:

- President: David Firth
- Vice President: Jim Frasier
- Secretary: John Ellis
- Treasurer: Terence Pankhurst
- Youth Officer: John Ellis

WPH Cherrybrook new board roles:

- President: Rosemary Clarke
- President Elect: Keith Ball
- Secretary: Tony Makin
- Treasurer: Paul Laroumanie
- Youth officer: Janelle Craig

Quote of the Month

"If you can't fly then run, if you can't run then walk, if you can't walk then crawl, but whatever you do you have to keep moving forward."

—Martin Luther King Jr.

Say hello to our new Board!

Jason Terry: President

Hi! I have been a member of Rotaract for two years and also a member of Dural Rotary Club. I was Selected to Attend the Rotary Youth leadership awards (RYLA) in at a district level in 2019 and I was chosen to go to the very first RYLA Oceania in 2020. I love to do my part for the local, national and international communities as it is very rewarding. In my down time I like to play golf and play board games with friends and family.

Lyn Wang: Secretary

Hello! I'm Lyn, a uni student excited to be part of our new club! Joining the Rotaract community is a milestone for me, as someone interested in volunteering. I'm enthusiastic for all our club's future projects to further Rotary and Rotaract's worthy causes, of which the most important to me are promoting education and supporting environmental conservation. As our club grows, I'm looking forward to getting to know more young people with a verve for community service.



Samprithi Raja: Treasurer

Hi! I'm Sam and am currently at uni. Having always had a passion for community service and engagement, I'm grateful that Rotaract is providing local youth with an effective platform to serve while empowering each other to enact change. As a Hills District constituent, we hope to work with local organisations to combat the pressing issues that face communities, particularly illiteracy and environmental degradation. I'm excited to see our club grow and am eager to work with like-minded individuals!

Key dates—August

31 July	Taldumande Event (West Pennant Hills Event)
04 August	Rotaract Meeting
18 August	Rotaract Meeting
24 August	West Pennant Hills 'Special' Rotaract event