

ROTARY CLUB OF HORNSBY DISTRICT NEWSLETTER

July 2021 – Part 3



Cancer Council

CANCER COUNCIL TALK

On Monday, 19th July, the club heard from the Cancer Council speaker, Susila Kulasingam. It was a very informative talk where she spoke to how the Cancer Council operates. Susila mentioned how it has been a challenging time for Cancer Council with the pandemic. They have had to adjust their fundraising activities to continue online and still raise money for cancer research.

Susila advised the club members about downloading the Sun Smart app on their phones. It is a great way to be notified about when the UV rays are over the limit and sunscreen needs to be applied.

Our club members really enjoyed Susila's presentation, and we had a great question and answer session after her talk.

- Cancer Council Talk
- RI's Areas of Focus
- Speaker Series
- Board Assistance
- Increase Membership

Did you know why the logo of the Cancer Council is a daffodil?

The daffodil is a symbol of hope. In Canada, the daffodil is the first flower to emerge from the snow in spring and the symbol is now used in New Zealand, the UK, the US, and Australia.

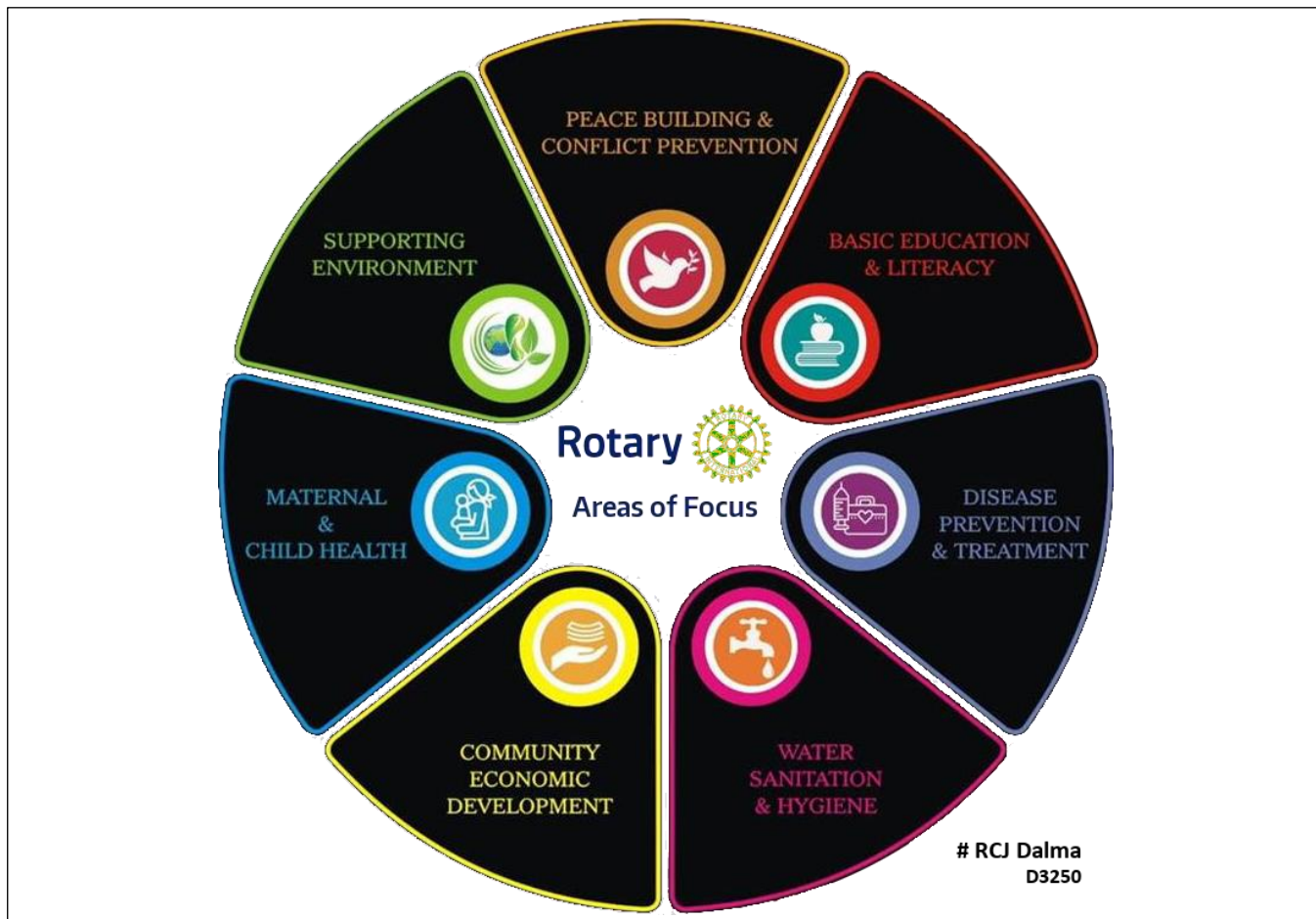


TAKE ACTION: www.hornsbydistrictrotary.org

ROTARY'S AREA OF FOCUS

For the Rotary year 2021-2022, there have been seven Areas of Focus announced which Rotary clubs are to consider.

The Rotary Foundation Trustees and Rotary International Board of Directors have both unanimously approved adding a new area of focus: supporting the environment.



Board Assistance



Thank you to all the members who replied to my ask if club members to volunteer for the various portfolios that Board members are in charge of!

Because we are a few people in charge of multiple portfolios, it is even more important to get more assistance to ensure that the club keeps going.

Rotary
Club of Hornsby District



BOARD 2021-2022

The board for this year is:

President – **Bobby Holder**

Secretary – **Bill Scott**

Treasurer – **Stephen Bruce**

International/ Vocational – **Geoff Sell**

Community/ Club – **Rob Caldwell**
(Assisted by **Sadia Niazi**)

PR/ Membership/ Marketing – **Sahar Zaidi** (Assisted by **Dennis Hogan**)

Sergeant – **Dennis Hogan**

Marketing Team volunteers – **Ankita Agarwal, Priyanka Mukherjee and Haru Nguyen**

Club Meeting Information

Weekly: Every Monday, at 6:30 pm

Place: Zoom

Please confirm your attendance by clicking [here](#).

Dates to Celebrate!

Birthdays:

- Joe Beskin
- Dallas Demeny (Joe Beskin's partner)
- Stephen Bruce
- Paul Rashbrook

RI Presidential Changeover

Presidential Changeover with President Shekhar Mehta and 2020-21 Rotary President Holger Knaack. Click below to watch the recording.



It is not secret that without an increase in membership, future leadership is in jeopardy, which in turn will affect the continuity of the club.

Sahar, who has the Marketing portfolio, is working with the Marketing Team volunteers to create online posts and do a membership recruitment drive next month. We are looking for potential members who are diverse, professional, and leaders in the Hornsby community. The types of skills required are marketing, fundraising, financial, and community engagement.

We ask members to have a look within their networks and identify members who would be a great asset to the club and the community alike!

INCREASE MEMBERSHIP

