

The Rotary Club of Parkwood



This Year the Club continued to support the 3 "R" Seminars. The 3 "R" seminars are aimed at different age groups but take similar forms as they are all intensive personal and leadership development experiences.

* **RYTS - ROTARY YOUTH TRANSITION SEMINAR** Year 12 Students
@Camp Bornhoffen Attendee: Ann Pennell from Kalbar

* **RYLA – ROTARY YOUTH LEADERSHIP AWARDS**
19-28 years of age @ Camp Bornhoffen Attendee: Ben Rossberg

* **RYPEN -ROTARY YOUTH PROGRAM OF ENRICHMET** for students
between 14 &16 years of age @ Camp Bornhoffen Attendee: Jasmine Mitscke

***MUSGRAVE HILL STATE SCHOOL**

Thanks to Ken Bonython and other members, the introduction of nutritional breakfasts at the Musgrave Hill State School to the less fortunate students in our Community was introduced this year and operated on a weekly basis. This is in addition to Club's support of Chaplaincy service in the School.

* **LABRADOR STATE SCHOOL - HELP WHEN YOU NEED IT KIT (HWYNI)** The Club presented a HWYNI Kit to the Labrador State School

HWYNI is primarily a reference for teachers. The pastoral care role of teachers creates many opportunities to recognise the signs and symptoms of mental illness in students. Sometimes teachers have no idea how much a particular student may depend upon them as trusted, reliable adults. At a time of mental illness, alertness to any signs and symptoms may play a critical role in identifying that a problem exists and in moving the young person towards seeking help from an appropriate mental health professional. The positive flow-on to education can be significant. Students with mental illness find it incredibly difficult to study; they soak up teacher time in class and distract other students.



* **ARUNDEL STATE SCHOOL** A grant through District 9640 Rotary Foundation funding matched Club funds enabling a cheque for \$1,300 to be handed to Mr Peter Krugle, Principal of Arundel State School to assist with improvements to the school grounds.

Yours in Rotary

SEL HARDY 2006-07
New Generations Director

