

Rotarians Against Malaria



District Chairs & Committees Session

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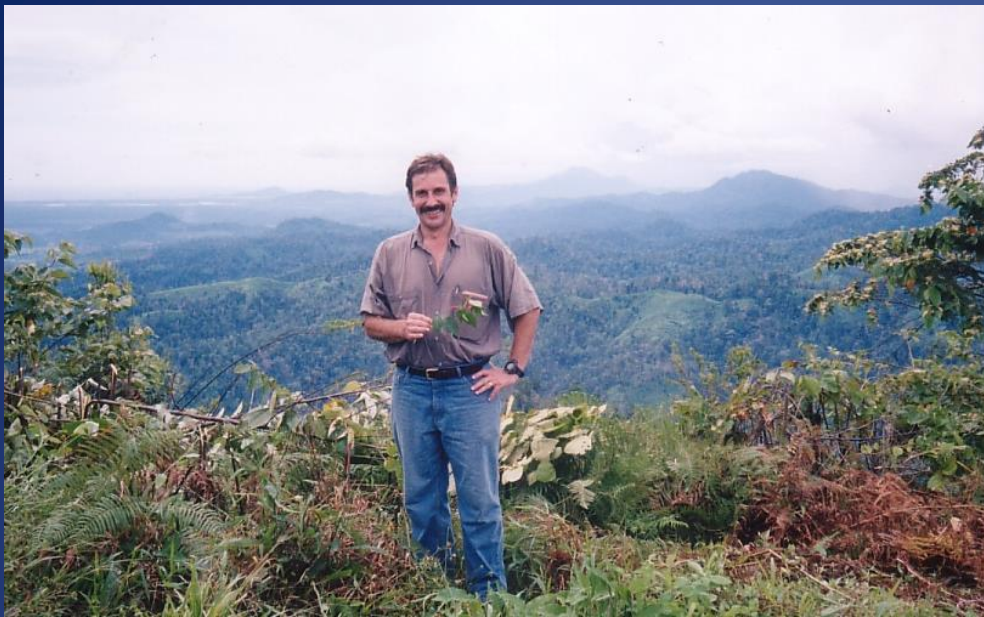
An important goal of RAM



Happy healthy kids eager to get an education

Kayasa Porphyry Prospect 1995

Halmahera Island
Indonesia

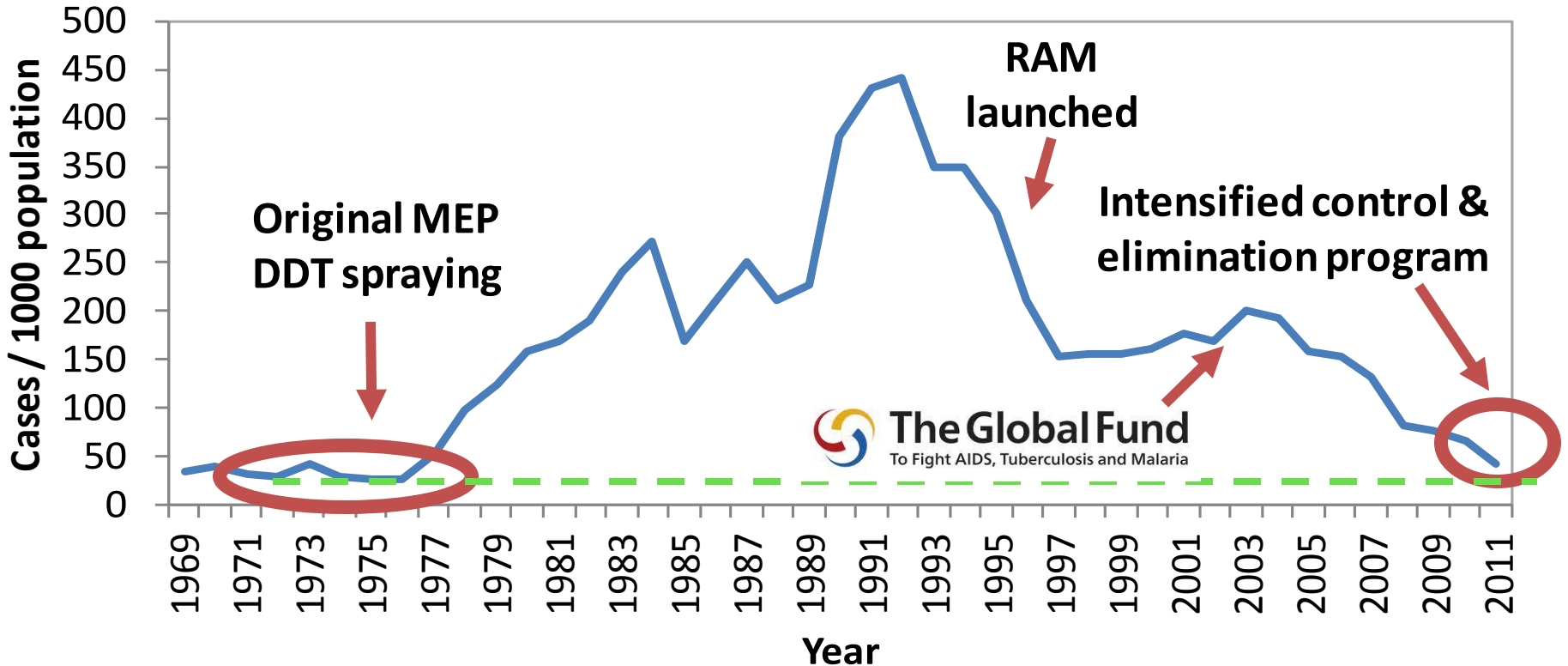


Malaria



The challenge: Globally:- annual infections: 200 million cases
Annual deaths : 429,000
80% of deaths are kids under 5 years
Humans at risk : 3 billion

Recent History of Malaria



Malaria in the Solomon Islands
Incidence of confirmed cases per 1000 population
(MHMS, Solomon Islands)

RAM Beginnings 1995



Tulagi Solomon Islands



Some RAM Achievements

- **PNG** 10,000,000 LLINs (GF funded) 250,000 RAM funded; 65% (to 90%) reduction; elimination programs planned.
- **Solomon Islands** 180,000 LLINs; buildings & equipment 87% reduction, 2 provinces at pre-elimination stage.
- **Timor Leste** 70,500 LLINs since 2006; 99% reduction 5 of 13 Health Districts at pre-elimination stage.

PP Rod Browne RC Gunnedah
Distributing nets at Morai, Timor Leste 2014



RAM Vision ➡ Elimination

- 'STRATEGIC' provision of bed nets.
- Rapid Diagnostic kits, Educational flip charts.
- Convince RI that Malaria should be next after Polio.
- RAM Healthy Villages.
- Expand 'Chasing Malaria' program.
- Seek to work with Rotary Indonesia.
- PhD in Vector Borne disease.
- More Volunteer teams.



RAM Structure & Communications

- RAWCS Ltd Board

RAM National Manager

- RAWCS Regional Committees

RAM Regional Coordinators

- RAWCS District Committees

RAM District Chair

- Rotary Clubs

Club International Service Directors

RAM District Chairs Role

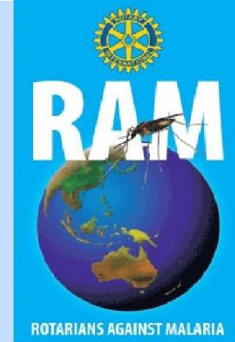
- Raising Awareness within Rotary, Rotaract and the public.
- Raising Funds and support for RAM's national programs.
- Providing malaria advice to Rotary Volunteers
- Contributing to RAM planning.
- Identifying District projects that meet RAM objectives.

Fund Raising:-

- Individuals
- Rotary Clubs
- Corporate



For Just
\$10....



you can proudly wear this Rotary 'bling'

&

buy a Long Lasting Insect Net
to protect a family from malaria.



RAM

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District Activities

- Create a RAM Committee – Cluster representatives
 - Succession planning, wider penetration
- Seek to visit Clubs as guest speaker
- Contribute to District enews
 - Advertise availability of speakers, MAD programs
 - Report RAM developments & Conference
- Mount RAM displays at District functions
- Liaise with DG & Management team
 - Global grant support with DDFs
- Encourage District projects and Volunteers for RAM

Make up your own presentation !
There are lots of photos, maps, graphs and diagrams,
as well as pre-prepared slides.

Two generations appreciate the protection of RAM bed nets



Devise a District project like.....



Involve local Rotaractors



rotaractors
against
malaria

Help | Learn | Enjoy
Rotaract
Rotary Club Partner



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Encourage RAM Rotary Volunteers



Awareness Raising



Malaria Awareness Day April 30

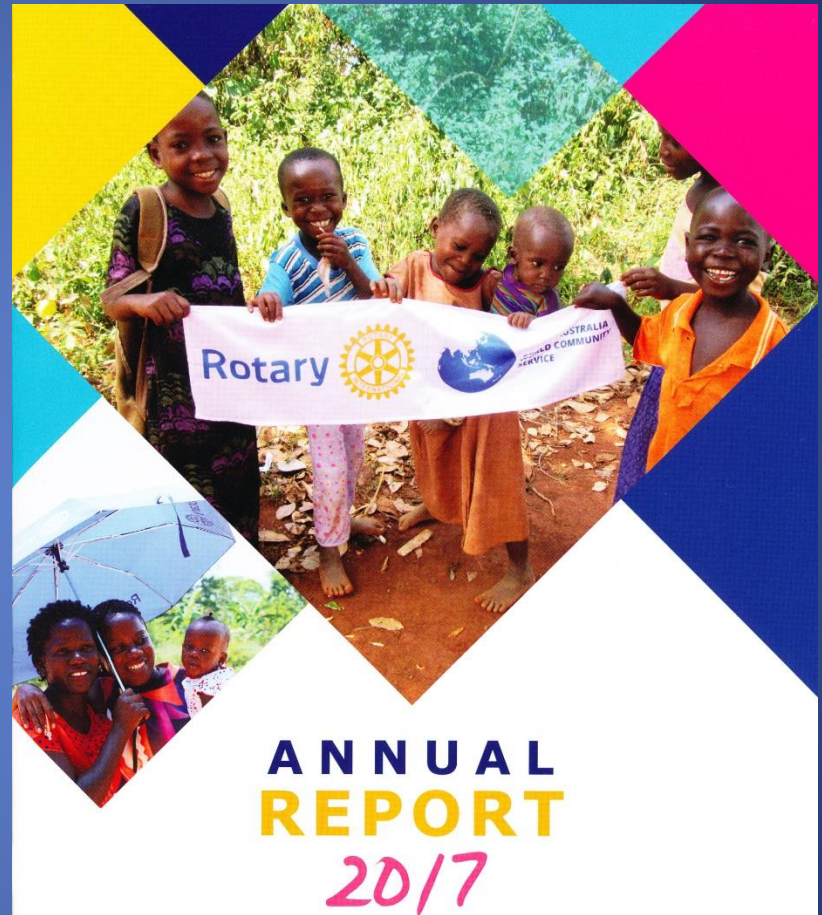


Helpful resources



RAM



Rotarians Against Malaria




www.rawcs.org.au

RAM Web site

Resources, Reports, Contacts, Donations.



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Welcome to Rotarians Against Malaria – an activity of Rotary Australia World Community Service (RAWCS)

Rotarians Against Malaria is a volunteer-run organisation working to eliminate malaria.

Fifteen years ago, malaria killed a child every 30 seconds. Under the Millennium Development Goals, however, considerable progress has been made in preventing, diagnosing and treating malaria. As a result, deaths have fallen by 60 percent. Now, under the ambitious Sustainable Development Goals, we are aiming to reduce malaria cases and deaths by a further 90 percent by 2030.

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Upcoming Keynote Event: 2017 RAM Conference in Sydney, 19-20 August

RAM Activities

- Active two way communication
- Contribute ideas to Regional Coordinators and RAM Executive Committee. (e.g. MAD pgms)
- Contribute to Program planning at Conference
- Advocate for malaria to be next RI global pgm.
- Report: Annual activity report
- Write news of activity for RAM Facebook



Rotarians Against Malaria

District Activities Annual Report for:

Rotary Year / . District:

(Please fill in expandable yellow highlighted areas where applicable)

Activity	This Year	Guide
Number of Club RAM presentations/visits		10
Number of multi Club events where RAM was presented		2
Presentation &/or display at District Conference		Yes
Articles submitted to District newsletter (e.g. RAM Conference information)		2
Number of Clubs with Malaria Awareness Day activity		5
Funds raised during this Rotary year		\$5,000
Attended RAM Annual Conference		Yes
Number of RAM Committee members – Cluster representatives		5
District Deputy Chair appointed ?		Yes
RAWCS regional meetings attended		1
Short reports posted on RAM Facebook		2
RAM information published in local print		2
Other PR successes, please detail in comments below		

Comments and Suggestions:

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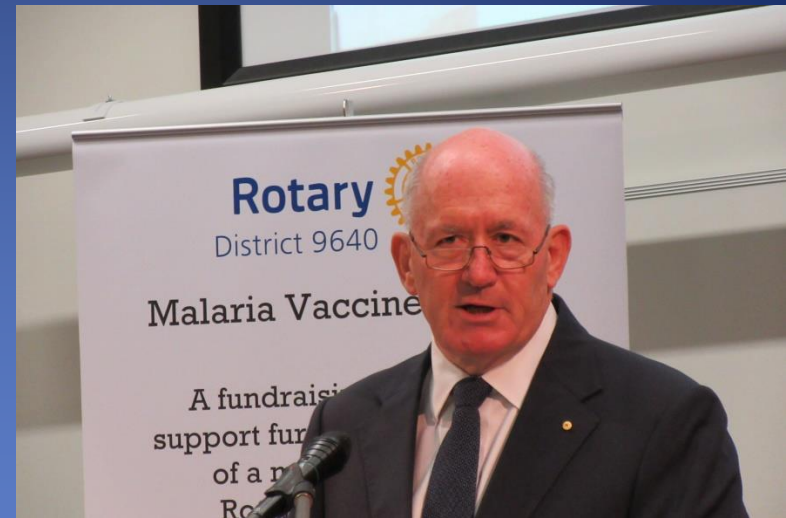
Chasing Malaria volunteers and local school surveillance recruits



Elimination will require:-

- Accurate surveillance and mapping
- Maintenance of control measures
- A reliable field test for asymptomatic carriers
- New affordable drug as a reliable treatment
- Multi valent vaccine

Malaria Vaccine Fund raising project





Towards Eradicating Malaria

Considerable work has already been done to promote the First Malaria World Congress to be held from 1 – 5 July 2018, in Melbourne at the Melbourne Convention and Exhibition Centre.

Malaria has long been one of the world's worst problems; a human health catastrophe and a disease that has entrenched poverty.

Elimination and even eradication of malaria is a seriously considered ambition.

The inaugural **World Congress on Malaria** will bring together the broad global community including implementers, scientists, funders, governments, policy makers and those directly affected by the disease. The aim is to bring the broad spectrum of the malaria world together for the first time, to further galvanise the effort for the eradication of malaria.

We hope you will support this significant event.

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