



The opportunity for Young Australians sought for voyage of a lifetime on the square-rigged sailing ship, Windeward Bound, as part of Rotary's 100 years in Australia celebrations.

This Leadership Development voyage for young people on Windeward Bound, the Youth Development square rigged sailing ship, assisted by Rotary Club of Sunnybank Hills. There will be 2 separate voyages (or legs of the journey) of 10 days each, so 18 young people can complete each voyage.

Young people aged 14–17 from QLD is invited to join the Windeward Bound as she makes her way from Brisbane to Bundaberg.

The 2nd voyage will be for 18–25-year-olds from Brisbane to Port Stevens on the Windeward Bound.

No sailing experience is necessary. Please refer to the [brochure attached](#).

District funding is available for the first voyage to Bundaberg through District 9620 grants obtained by the Rotary club of Sunnybank Hills to help subsidize the cost to the value of \$1250.00 P/Person.

We want all young people to have a life-changing opportunity and discover their strengths on a sail training voyage. We encourage all young people to apply – especially those who live in regional, rural or remote areas, are Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander or are from culturally or otherwise diverse situations.' Captain Sarah Parry AM, Master of Windeward Bound.

The Windeward Bound Trust and the Windeward Bound Foundation Ltd, are registered charities who provide internationally awarded youth development sail training programs, maritime based volunteering & scholarship programs. They have worked with over 5000 young people over the past 20 years, with over 40 of them becoming Ships Masters and others obtaining cadetships in both the Merchant Navy and Royal Australian Navy

The STV Windeward Bound was built by over 250 volunteers, including many at-risk young people, throughout the 1990s. The ship was launched in 1996.

Rotary Clubs across Australia sponsor young people to develop skills in the areas of communication, leadership, resilience, and self-esteem and in furthering their career aspirations in the areas of mathematics and science.

This year Rotary International is celebrating 100 years of service in Australia and New Zealand.

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