Rotary Club of Unley Inc.

DISTRICT 9520 CHARTERED 17TH APRIL 1935

THE UNLEY ROTARIAN

2004 - 2005

Meeting 3418 – Tuesday 6 July 2004

CELEBRATE R O T A R Y

The Club meets every Tuesday at the Unley Community Sports Club Oxford Terrace, Unley, at 6.30pm Fellowship at 6.15pm

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Club Board of Directors

President:Ron SchubertPresident Elect:Kaylene KranzVice President/Club Service:Stephen WestgarthImmediate Past President:John RussellHonorary Secretary:Ken Haines

Assistant Secretary: Helen Richter (ex Officio)

Honorary Treasurer: Alex Jonson
Community Service: Tom Tirrell
Vocational Service: Neville Highett
New Generation: Joan Reed
International Service: Greg Love

Membership: Adrian Sobels (ex Officio)

Standing Committees

Vocational Service Committee (Meets First Tuesday)

Neville Highett - Director/Chair John Nowland - Deputy Bob Mills - Mentor Sheila Evans Greg McLeod Rex Martin Vince Michielin Norm Wallace

International Service Committee (Meets First Tuesday)

Greg Love - Director/Chair Ichiro Tanaka - Deputy Darrol Foote - Mentor Lou Barteletti Geoff Howland David Payne Kevin Rogers Dean Swinden

Community Service Committee (Meets First Tuesday)

Tom Tirrell - Director/Chair Chandra Sluggett - Deputy Gary Tonkin - Mentor Robert Birnie Ken Daly Geoff Dunn Jim Newall

Lucien Parent

New Generation Committee (Meets First Tuesday)

Joan Reed - Chair Lindsay England - Deputy Wayne Ross - Mentor Neville Highett Paul Howard Peter James Bob Mullins Helen Richter

Club Service Committee (Meets Third Tuesday)

Stephen Westgarth - Director/Chair Sub-committee Representatives

Membership Committee (Meets First Tuesday)

Adrian Sobels - Director/Chair Greg Love - Deputy/Mentor David Middleton Michael Tait

Ian Pearson

Thrift Shop Committee (Meets Second Saturday)

Geoff Hill - Chair
Josephine Blow es
Don Emmett
Ken Haines
Paul Howard
Kaylene Kranz Jim Newall
David Payne
Dean Swinden

Club Service Sub-committees

Almoner

Norm Wallace Ken Daly Wayne Ross

Attendance

Lindsay England – Chair Geoff Howland – Deputy

Rex Martin Norm Wallace

Auditor

Geoff Dunn

Catering

Kaylene Kranz – Chair Don Emmett

Club Records

Bob Mills

Communications

Bulletin:

TBA

Program:

Sheila Evans - Chair Peter James Mavis Martin *Publicity:* Darrol Foote – Chair Bob Laws

lan Pearson

Website:
Stephen Westgarth

Fellowship

Michael Tait – Chair Bob Mullins – Deputy Natalie Bowen Rob Paternoster Joan Reed Dean Swinden

Fundraising

Mavis Martin – Chair Natalie Bowen Geoff Dunn Neville Highett Kaylene Kranz Chandra Sluggett

Major Projects

Bob Laws – Chair Robert Birnie Ken Haines Kaylene Kranz Sheila Evans

President's Advisory & Nominating Committee

John Russell – Chair Bob Laws Darrol Foote Geoff Hill

Rotary Information

John Russell

Sergeant-At-Arms

Natalie Bowen - Chair David Middleton – Deputy Bob Laws Ian Pearson

Michael Tait

Our Last Meeting

Meeting No.	3418		
Date	6 July 2004		
Venue	The Stable Ballroom, Morphettville Junction		
Occasion	Changeover Dinner		
Guests & Visiting Rotarians	Unley Mayor Michael Keenan, DG Euan Miller & Jill Miller, ADG Peter Ochota & Meredith Ochota, Ken & Norma Gaetjens (RC of Adelaide East), Frank & Mrs Donaghey (RC of Adelaide Parks), Brian & Anne Voumard (RC of Mount Barker), Daniel Schubert & Angela Barwick, Felicity Schubert & Frank Castellano, Alison Reed, John Reed & Sharon Gravney, Catherine Reed & Brian Sellars, John Dent, Rosie & Tom Player, Evelyn Birnie, Pauline Daly, Linda Engl, Marlene Foote, Jill Highett, Jill Cleghorn, Rose Howland, Kathryn Howard, Julie James, Sue Middleton, Maria Mills, Genese Mullins, Anne Newall, Christine Parent, Margaret Payne, Barbara Russell, Glenyss Steedman, Maeve Swinden, Hideko Tanaka, Sharron Tirrell, Muriel Wallace, Susan Westgarth, Netta-Riina Salila		
Apologies	John & Lelene Schwerdt, Mae Mansell (President RC Mount barker), Dick Wilson (President RC Stirling), Sam Camporeale (President RC Glen Osmond), Robert Geekie (President RC Brown Hill Creek), Jeff & Rhonda Nankivell, Don & Margaret Pynor, Noel Milner, Gordon & Mignon Pfeiffer, Robert & Dawn Fielke, Geoff & Nadia Dunn, Don & Shirley Emmett, Mavis Martin & Richard, John & Yvonne Nowland, Rob & Jane Paternoster, Helen Richter, Wayne & Faye Ross, Gary & Judith Tonkin		
Make Ups	None		
Percentage	81%		
Sick List	Don Emmett		
Returning Rotarians	None		
Departing Rotarians	None		

Toasts & Responses

<u>lan Pearson</u> was MC for the evening. Ian kept proceedings on schedule and throughout told stories about pigs and quoted an incredible number of amusing statements and malapropisms from various Prime Ministers and US Presidents.

Darrol Foote gave the invocation and Adrian Sobels proposed the loyal toast.

<u>Stephen Westgarth</u> proposed the toast to Rotary International and outlined what Rotary has accomplished and does not just in Unley, but also internationally throughout the world.

<u>DG Euan Miller</u> responded on behalf of RI and outlined the events that will be taking place in Adelaide and in regional centres in joint celebrations for Districts 9520 and 9500. RI President Glenn Estess will be speaking by satellite to a dinner at the Adelaide Convention Centre. There will also be a family picnic, cocktail parties, a church service at St Peter's Cathedral, a march up King William Street by Rotary clubs interspersed by ethnic groups, and a meal at Government House.

<u>Sheila Evans</u> proposed the toast to the Partners of Rotarians and expressed appreciation for the essential support and encouragement given to Rotarians and the Club over the past year.

<u>Sue Middleton</u> responded on behalf of the partners. Sue referred to the considerable contribution to Rotary activities made by many of the partners of Rotarians and expressed appreciation for what Rotary does and what it has done for her husband David in particular. On behalf of the partners she wished Ron Schubert all the very best for his year as President.

From Outgoing President John

President John presented a summary of his President's Report, with particular emphasis on thanking those who had made significant contributions to the Club and its Service activities. He was especially pleased with the consolidation of membership numbers and the commitment to supporting OSSAA. The full text of John's President's Report is available on the Club's web site in the Members Area.

Sergeant's Session

Natalie Bowen and David Middleton conducted a joint Sergeants' Session and together led the assembly in the dancing of the "Hokey Pokey"! Darrol and Marlene Foote were judged to be the "hokiest" couple with Neville and Jill Highett runners up. The prizes awarded were a feather boa for each of the ladies and bottles of bubbly for the gents.

Induction of President Ron

In the presence of all gathered, President John formally relinquished office and inducted Ron Schubert as President of the Club for the 2004-05 Rotary Year, and he then transferred to President Ron the President's lapel badge and collar of office and presented him with a banner bearing the 2004-05 Rotary theme – "Celebrate Rotary".

From President Ron

President Ron complimented Past President John on his character and on the Club's achievements of the previous Rotary Year. Pres. Ron thanked members for their confidence in appointing him President for 2004-05. He then gave a "snapshot" of his own plans for the new Rotary Year, with fun, fellowship, friendship and "Celebrate Rotary" being the central planks of his vision for this year. He wants to give predictability to the Club, to see at least six major fellowship events for the year, 60 members by the end of the year, and an even more caring attitude toward the community, to celebrate the Centenary of Rotary and the Club's 70th anniversary, to very soon see a District Governor from this Club, and to see more of our members, such as Past Presidents, involved in District committees. He then introduced the members of his new Board and presented them with lapel badges.

Our Next Meetings

Date	Venue	Time	Occasion
13/07/04	U.C.S.C.	6.00 for 6.30pm	Kaylene Kranz – Rotary Refugee Project
20/07/04	U.C.S.C.	6.00 for 6.30pm	Club Assembly
27/07/04	U.C.S.C.	6.00 for 6.30pm	Information Night for Prospective Members
03/08/04	U.C.S.C.	6.00 for 6.30pm	Committees

Rostered Rotarians

Date	Chairperson	Venue Set-up	Sergeant	Plaque Board	Attendance	Apologies
13/07/04	TBA	Geoff Howland	TBA	Natalie Bowen	Lindsay	Lindsay
20/07/04	Ron Schubert	Lucien Parent	TBA	Ken Daly	England	England
27/07/04	TBA	Joan Reed	TBA	Geoff Dunn	•	B : 8152 1193
03/08/04	Ron Schubert	Ken Haines	TBA	Sheila Evans	•	H : 8381 3584

Thrift Shop Duty

Date	Rotarians
10/07/04	Lindsay England & Sheila Evans
17/07/04	Greg Love & Kaylene Kranz
24/07/04	Greg McLeod & Bob Laws
31/07/04	Dean & Maeve Swinden
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Ladies Auxiliary

The next meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary will be held at 11am on Monday 26th July at the home of Margaret Payne at 14 Trevelyan Street, Wayville.

Notice from Pres. Ron

There will be no "Busy Bee" at the house in Vinrace Street, Adelaide this coming Saturday. Pres. Ron will discuss the reasons at our next meeting.

A Board meeting will be held after the meeting on Tuesday 13 July.

From the District 9520 DG's June 2004 Newsletter

Nominations for District Governor 2006-07

Applications for the position of District Governor D9520 for the 2006-07 rotary Year are now being sought from Rotarians who meet the following minimum requirements.

- Must be a member in good standing of a club in District 9520
- Must have full qualifications for such membership
- Be a member of a functioning club in good standing that has no outstanding indebtedness to RI or to the District
- Have served as President for a full term
- Demonstrate willingness, commitment and ability, physically and otherwise to fulfil the duties and responsibilities of the office of governor
- Demonstrate knowledge of the qualifications, duties and responsibilities of governor as prescribed in the RI Bylaws
- At the time of taking office the member must have completed seven years of membership in one or more clubs

Clubs are invited to submit a written resolution adopted at a regular meeting of the Club naming the suggested candidate and certified by the Club Secretary. Written suggestions close with the District Governor at 6.00pm on Wednesday 28 July 2004.

The nominated Rotarian is to apply to the District Governor for the required application form and other details pertaining to the position. The required Application Form and other details must be lodged no later than 6.00pm on Friday 30 July 2004 with the District Governor. Applicants, together with partners, will be required to attend an interview in Adelaide at a time to be advised on Sunday 8 August 2004.

Rotary Fellowships

In the past the Rotary Fellowships program was one of Rotary's best-kept secrets. However, in recent years these Fellowships have received greater publicity, on both the national and international scene.

There are around 85 approved Recreational and vocational Fellowships with over 30,000 members in total. In nearly all cases members need to pay a small subscription fee to offset costs involved in the running of the Fellowship. Payment of this subscription gives the Rotarian member the opportunity to be informed and to participate in the Fellowship.

Some of the more popular Fellowships are the Flying Rotarians, the International Travel and Hosting, Recreational Vehicles, Cricket, Population and Development, Computing, Home Exchange and so on. It is interesting to note that the Motorcycling fellowship commenced here in D9520 by members of the rotary Club of Loxton.

There are several Rotarians within this District who are members of the International Travel and Hosting Fellowship. Our members receive a listing of all other fellow members around the Rotary World and can make contact with them and in doing so politely ask if they would like to host our members for 2-3 days or thereabouts. Likewise, our members may be asked to host. This hosting not only saves on accommodations costs, but you get to meet and enjoy the company of fellow Rotarians and learn more about the area in which you are staying.

For about US\$50 pa you can be a member of the Home Exchange Fellowship – a wonderful way to spend a lengthy home stay in another country while your counterparts enjoy themselves in yours. Those who have done this give glowing reports. Another very active group here in this district is the Fellowship of Cricketing Rotarians.