

Rotary Club of Unley Inc.

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THE UNLEY ROTARIAN

2004 - 2005

Meeting 3425 – Tuesday 24 August 2004

C E L E B R A T E 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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New Generation Committee (Meets First Tuesday)

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Club Service Sub-committees

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Norm Wallace - Chair
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John Russell

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Natalie Bowen - Chair
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Michael Tait

Our Last Meeting

Meeting No.	3425
Date	24th August 2004
Venue	U.C.S.C
Occasion	Induction of New Members
Guests & Visiting Rotarians	Peter Ochota Assistant District Governor, John Peacham, Stephen Langford, Laurie Madigan, Marvin James, Martin Cooper, Jill Reynolds, Anne Wehr
Apologies	Kevin Rogers, Don Emmett, Lindsay England, Bob Mills, Wayne Ross.
Make Ups	Jim Newall Thrift Shop 17-8-04, David Payne Thrift Shop 11-8-04
Attendance	72%
Sick List	Kevin Rogers in the Royal Adelaide Hospital Ward R8
Returning Rotarians	
Departing Rotarians	
Birthdays	Ian Pearson 30 th August

President Ron's Announcements

- District Governor Euan Miller has established a new format of DG visits this year. Instead of visiting each club he will visit the various groups. In our case it will be group 6, which consists of Eastwood, Stirling, Glen Osmond, Hyde Park, St Mary's Brownhill Creek, Mitcham and Unley. This meeting will be held on Wednesday the 1st of September instead of our normal meeting on the 31st of August. The details are as follows

Where:	Colonial Function Centre Glen Osmond Road Glen Osmond
When:	Wednesday 1 st September 2004
Time:	6.30 for 7pm
Price:	\$28 per head
Who's invited:	You and your partner / wife / friend
Payment and numbers to:	Ken Haines tonight if possible.
- The Unley City Council have invited our club members and their partners to a Civic reception on Wednesday the 22nd September 2004 at 5.30pm till approx 7pm in the Civic Centre Oxford Street Unley to recognise the members of the Unley Community who received Queen's Birthday Honours. Please RSVP to Ken Haines if attending by 14th September.
- A Reminder that subscriptions are now due, so please see John Russell to pay.

On the Spot

Joan Reed the Students at Unley High School are having an Art Exhibition that the New Generations have given funding for assistance with the prizes. It will be held at the school from 25th of August until the 1st of September. The official opening is on Wednesday the 25th at 6pm and members are encouraged to attend.

Joan announced that Claire Weekley the student for Our Lady of the Sacred Heart College Enfield was the runner up in the finals. Both the winner and the runner up got monetary prizes, which cover their travel and accommodation for the finals that will be held in London in May 2005.

Joan also reported that she and President Ron attended a very successful 50th birthday celebration of the Norwood Rotary club on the 21st. Joan was invited as a previous member of the Norwood Rotoract club. A very enjoyable night was had by all.

Stephen Westgarth spoke about the access to the website and highlighted the difficulty members were having. To access the website please use www.forsyte.com.au/rotary.

Dean Swinden spoke about the forthcoming book sale which is to be held on the Saturday 18th and Sunday 19th of September with proceeds going to the East Timor Milk Project. Dean is looking for volunteers to assist on the Friday prior to the sale to transport the books to the Unley Civic Centre and set up. The Ladies Auxiliary has very kindly offered to assist with the book sale and assist in keeping the books in an orderly fashion. Volunteers are being called for to also help on the day and to assist in the packing up at the end of the sale.

Geoff Hill requested members to bring plastic bags in to use in the Thrift Shop. They can be either dropped off at the Thrift Shop or bought to the meetings and given to him to pass on.

Tom Tirrell sought volunteers to assist with a BBQ at the Flinders Medical Centre at the launch of the Yitpi Tukkutya Parrundaiendi (The Dancing Spirits) art exhibition at approx 4-30pm.

Induction of New Members

President Ron with the assistance of the Director Of Membership Adrian Sobels introduced the new members to the club Anne Wehr, John Peacham, Laurie Madigan and Marvin James were inducted it to the Rotary Club of Unley. Their prospective (mentors) will be Anne Wehr (Wayne Ross), John Peacham (Darrol Foote), Laurie Madigan (Greg McLeod) and Marvin James (Bob Mullins). At this time the new members will not be assigned a club but will instead be given two to three weeks to have a look at the various committees before a decision is made. Their committees will be announced in about three weeks time.

Sergeant's Session

The Sergeant for the night was Michael Tait. Greg Love won the Lucky Squares and Bob Mullins won the wine.

Guest Speakers

Unfortunately we did not have an invited guest speaker as expected for this evening, so instead we heard from two members about their involvement with the Club. Both Greg Love and Natalie Bowen gave very good impromptu talks about Rotary and what it means to them.

From The District Governors Newsletter

President Ron highlighted some issues that were raised in the DG's newsletter:

Rotary International has asked the SA Police commissioner Mal Hyde to investigate the recent claims made about Rotary Exchange and students being sexually assaulted while under Rotary care. In District 9520 we take our duty of care responsibilities very seriously and the DG would like this passed on to all communities.

Our Next Meetings

Date	Venue	Time	Occasion
01-09-04	Colonial Function Centre	6.30 for 7pm	District Governor's Inter Club Visit
07-09-04	U.C.S.C.	6.00 for 6.30pm	Committee Meetings
14-09-04	U.C.S.C	6.00for 6.30pm	Jim Donaghy - Respite a True Gift of Time
21-09-04	U.C.S.C.	6.00 for 6.30pm	Power of Attorney Speaker TBA

Rostered Rotarians

Date	Chairperson	Venue Set-up	Sergeant	Plaque Board	Attendance
31-08-04	Ron Schubert	Joan Reed	Ian Pearson	Wayne Ross	Norm Wallace & Geoff Howland
07-09-04	Ron Schubert	Joan Reed	Bob Laws	Ichiro Tanaka	Lindsay England & John Nowland
14-09-04	Sheila Evans	Geoff Howland	Bob Laws	Laurie Madigan	Rex Martin and Geoff Howland
21-09-04	Ron Schubert	Ken Haines	David Middleton	John Peacham	Lindsay England and Joan Reed

Apologies

To: Lindsay England
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Thrift Shop Duty

Date	Rotarians
28-08-04	Ron Schubert and Joan Reed
04-09-04	Darrol Foote and Lindsay England
11-09-04	Kaylene Kranz and Ken Haines
18-00-04	Ron Schubert and Joan Reed

Ladies Auxiliary

The next meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary will be held at 11am on Monday September at the home of Shirley Emmett at 20 Anglesey Ave St Georges.

Could all rosters for Attendance, Thrift Shop and the Ladies Auxiliary be sent through to Joan Reed by 14th September? Thank You.

From Netta-Riina

I have had a few requests to put Netta-Riina Salila's letter in the Newsletter, so here it is.

Her email address is netta_riina@hotmail.com . Editor.

Moikka!

The house is quite, it is early morning and everyone is sleeping. It has been so busy since I came home, so I'm enjoying not listening to anything but the birds outside and my own typing. The sun is already up and has been a long time before I woke, I can't get use to it being light when I go to sleep and it being light again when I wake.

Everything here is like it was when I left, it is almost like waking from a long dream, but the dream was real! I was in Australia for a year, I had real friends and families and wonderful, fantastic, amazing and life changing experiences, that no one here will ever understand. Thank you all for being a part of my dream and for making it real. Even though everything here is the same there is a lot to get use to again, and I think my family will have to get use to the new crazy Aussie girl..;)

I unpacked my suitcase and brought out all the memories I collected during the year. Things that mean everything to me but not a lot to the people here around me. My mum loves my uggboots, so I have to keep an eye on them..;) I tried to introduce vegemite to my family but they didn't really like it.

Yesterday it was a beautiful weather and I went to the beach with my friends (probably not surprise, you know me). I saw most of my friends and we had grate time on the beach, taking tan and just talking.

I find it hard speaking Finnish all the time, but it is coming back slowly, I'm enjoying looking, listening and feeling everything like it was the first time but still so old and familiar. I love the Finnish food especially the bred! Here I'm no longer different, I'm just Netta-Riina that went away for a year.

Now I'm trying to get my driving license so I can drive. On the weekend I'm going with my best friend's summerhouse and there is coming a lot my other friends. We can have a big party (go to the sauna, swim on the lake, eat and have fun).

I love you all very much, please keep in touch, thank you for everything.

Netta-Riina

P.S. I don't have everyone's emails so if someone is not on the list please tell them to email me.