Rotary Club of Unley Inc.

DISTRICT 9520 CHARTERED 17TH APRIL 1935

THE UNLEY ROTARIAN

2004 - 2005

Meeting 3428 – Tuesday 14 September 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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Our Last Meeting

Meeting No.	3430		
Date	28 ^h September		
Venue	Unley Community Sports Club		
Occasion	Club Assembly		
Guests & Visiting Rotarians	Noelene Axford, Issa Aslen		
Apologies	Robert Birnie, Don Emmett, John Nowland, Ken Daly, Michael Tait, Kevin Rogers		
	Paul Howard, Geoff Howland, G Love, L Barteletti, M Cooper, I Tanaka, Ian Pearson.		
Make Ups	Robert Birnie Thrift Shop 24//04 Geoff Howland Thrift Shop 28/9/04 Chandra Sluggett		
	Rywell State Committee 9/9/04		
Attendance	61%		
Sick List	Kevin Rogers. is at the Hampstead Hospital ward 1Hampstead Hospital for further rehabilitation treatment soon		
Returning Rotarians	John Russell		
Departing Rotarians			
Birthdays	Mavis Martin 25 th September Pat McNiffe 29th September		

From President Ron

- 1. Reminder that subscriptions are now due, so please see Alex Jonson in the absence of John Russell.
- Goodwood Community Services are having their Annual General Meeting on Thursday the 21st of October 7.30pm 9pm with the guest speaker being the City of Unley's new CEO Mark Withers speaking on his Vision for Unley RSVP by next Tuesday's meeting.
- 3. Details have been received regarding the itineraries for the 2005 Rotary International 96th Annual Convention to be held in Chicago Illinois USA 18th June to 22nd June 2005. There a 2 different itineraries I for the conference dates and the other for the conference and post conference tour. For a copy of these please see Joan Reed as she will make a copy.
- The Rotary Club of Glen Osmond has invited President Ron to the official opening of their Rotunda in the community park in Glen Osmond on the 17th of October.
- 5. Items of interest from the DG's newsletter
 - ?? 792 people have booked accommodation for the conference in Port Lincoln in April 2005 with 67 still on the waiting list for accommodation in Pt Lincoln. There is plenty of accommodation still in Coffin Bay and Tumby Bay. If there are any more members who would like to attend the conference please speak to David Payne or Ken Daly ASAP. The keynote speakers on the list are Mariano Griva, an Agentina Peace Scholar and David Forward of Philadelphia the writer if A Century of Service. Registrations forms will be going out during October.
 - ?? Polio Plus Update: 784 cases were reported in the last 12 months. This included 52 cases, which had been imported into 9 countries that had previously been polio free for several years. These importations highlight the importance of the polio eradication program.

On the Spot

Bob Laws: OSSA are having a fund raising Fashion Parade for the mature persons at Glenelg on October the 31st at Midday. Cost \$ 35 per head for a 3-course meal. Bob encouraged all women and male members who need to get in the good books to attend. Guaranteed to be a good show. See Bob for tickets.

John Russell: John Visited Kevin Rogers is now in the Hampstead Hospital in Ward 1C. He thinks he will be there for about 3 weeks. Kevin would live to have visitors and the visiting hours are 2.30pm – 8.30pm. Go to the rear of the hospital and there is plenty of parking.

Sheila Evans: It was proposed that on the 19th of October the meeting would be held at Eamonn Verekers Glass gallery in Norwood. It is proposed that the Vocational Committee organizing a BBQ and Drinks at the gallery which is at 85-87 Sydenham Road Norwood. It would be an excellent night with Music, Food and Wine. Prospective members and partners are invited. There was an overwhelming support for this event. More details next week.

Geof Hill: All members were congratulated on the enthusiasm that was shown when the Thrift shop roster was circulated. Following last weeks meeting it was suggested to have a Rotarian to start on the early shift and one on the late shift.

Tom Tirrell: The diabetes Walk for a cure is coming up on Sunday the 17th of October. Tom will be walking and as in the past if donations are made through the Tom Tirrell book then the Rotary Club will match the donation \$ for \$. Donations can be made to Tom in the next few weeks. PS from Tom "Bob Mullins you were right"

Joan Reed: It was announced that the RYLA State committee will be calling for nominations in the next few weeks for a candidate to go on the RYLA Gallipoli tour in April next year. Nominations will be accepted from 2003 and 2004 RYLA participants

It was reported t the club that Netta had communicated with Joan during the afternoon and Netta passed on her best wishes to the club She misses everyone very much. Also Joan highlighted how the exchange program spreads further that just the Rotarian members giving an account of the recent following the visit that Joan's mother and brother had with Netta. It is a very rewarding experience.

Joan also encouraged members to hear Mark Withers speak at the forthcoming meeting at the Goodwood Community Service AGM as he has shown support to rotary already and this would be a good opportunity for members to meet with him.

Chandra Sluggett gave a report on RYWELL's commitment for the Rock and Water program over 3 years for young men at risk. It is in partnership with Youth Children Family Services. There is a camp being organized for October to December and the participants of this program will come and talk at our meeting and share with us how it has changed their lives and what they have learnt.

Kaylene Kranz: The Edwardstown Rotary Club has a bus arranged for the Conference next year in Port Lincoln. If any body would like to book on the bus please see Kaylene.

Special Spot

President Ron called Bob Mullins to the microphone to receive a special presentation in honour of the recent Port Power Premiership win. Alex Jonson gave Bob a very fitting Port Power coloured memento. Bob was very gracious in accepting the gift. President Ron had offered Bob a spot for the evening but graciously Bob declined stating that he was "humble in victory".

Sergeant's Session

The Sergeant was Bob Laws. Sheila Evans won the Lucky Square and Don Emmentt won the wine.

Guest Speaker

There was no Guest Speaker as it was Club Assembly

Our Next Meetings

Date	Venue	Time	Occasion
5-10-04	U.C.S.C.	6.00 for 6.30pm	Committees
12-10-04	U.C.S.C	6.00 for 6.30pm	Commissioner Equal Opportunity
19-10-04	85-87 Sydenham Road NORWOOD	6.00 for 6.30pm	Eamonn Vereker Glass Gallery Partners Night
26-10-04	U.C.S.C	6.00 for 6.30pm	Rotarians Chandra, Mavis, Kaylene and Sheila
			Multi Cultural night

Rostered Rotarians

Date	Chairperson	Venue Set-up	Sergeant	Plaque Board	Attendance
5-10-04	Ron Schubert	Anne Wehr	Natalie Bowen	Marvin James	Geoff Howland and Chandra Sluggett
12-10-04	Ron Schubert	Joan Reed	Natalie Bowen	Anne Wehr	Rex Martin and Norm Wallace
19-10-04	Ron Schubert	John Peacham	Ian Pearson	Martin Cooper	Lindsay England and Rex Sheila Evans
26-10-04	Ron Schubert	David Payne	Ian Pearson	Glenys Fergson	Lindsay England and Joan Reed

Apologies

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Thrift Shop Duty

Date	Rotarians
2-10-04	Ken Haines and Pat McNiffe
9-10-04	Mavis Martin (E) Bob Laws
16-10-04	Greg McLeod (E) Helen Richter (L)
23-10-04	Anne Wehr and Glenys Ferguson

Ladies Auxiliary

The next meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary will be held at 11am on Monday 25th of October at the home of Helen Lithgow at 44 Braemar Road Torrens Park

President's PS

Kaylene Kranz was thanked for assisting Martin Cooper by doing the venue set up, as he was unable to.

President's Quote for the Week

A Successful man is one who makes more money than his wife can spend. A successful woman is one who can find such a man.

Remember

From the Board

President Ron:

The Club's By-laws are currently being reviewed and should be available for member's comments by mid November.

An extract was read to members from the District 9520 Club Service News titled The Good News:

"The Rotary Club of Unley has set the example for all of us to follow. They had an Interest Meeting recently and had 29 potential members attend. I attended the meeting and was most impressed with their approach to membership. The meeting was well structured with some excellent speakers who spoke about what it meant to them to be a Rotarian. These potential members are now being followed up and already four have been inducted into the Club. I understand that more new members will be inducted over the next few weeks. Last week I received a copy of Unley's Business Plan. This is a well thought out document that has been developing over the past three ears and provides them with a sound basis for growth. They will now be able to measure their growth and achievements against their objectives.

The Rotary Club of Unley has now bought their web site up to date and is one that all clubs should try to emulate. Congratulations to President Ron and his team. We look forward to other clubs bringing themselves up to this level."

Theo Ruckett Co-ordinator

The District Vocational Directory has had 13 members indicate an interest.

The Board is currently looking at procedures to address Risk Management, Emergency Procedures and these should be available for members to review in a couple of months time.

It was reported that the Membership Committee has a budget of \$4,025 and as of the 30th June 2004 there was an \$11,600 surplus in the Membership Account. The \$3,500 drawn from the Project account will now be available for projects.

The 2004-2005 Business plan will be available on the web site hopefully in the next week.

The Director of the Sergeants is asked to conduct an inventory of the club's property.

Neville Highett is on Leave of Absence and John Nowland has been appointed as the deputy in his absence

Reports

Club Service: Stephen Westgarth

Highlights from the report:

- ?? The Almoner's sub committee is expanding its role to provide care and support to any sick, needy or frail Rotarians or their partners wherever the club can help.
- ?? Lindsay England was congratulated on a job well done on the attendance desk and it was noted how members had responded to the call to do duty in this area.
- ?? Could members be more decisive regarding their choice of meals so that all members can get the meal that they requested.
- ?? Bob Mills has proposed that club records be burnt on to CD's to reduce the amount of documentation that is currently being stored.
- ?? Sheila Evans and the Program team have a program in place until the end of October. If any member has any suggestions regarding speakers please contact Sheila.

For further details of this report please see Ken Haines or Stephen Westgarth for a copy to read.

New Generations: Joan Reed

- ?? National Youth Science Forum: Our candidate Katrina Turci was successful and we have given her support of half of the registration fees.
- ?? Sponsorship was given to the Unley High school Art exhibition for prize money. We have not received a report as yet.
- ?? A Year 11 University Senior College student is receiving support to attend the Australian delegation to the 37th Annual The Hague International Model United Nations forum to be held in The Hague in the Netherlands in January 2005.
- ?? We are sponsoring 3 students from the Mitcham Girls High to attend the Siemans Science Experience in Jan 2005.

Membership: Adrian Sobels

- ?? 7 new members have been inducted since the last report on the 7th of August.
- ?? The committee is looking at the idea of having n information booth at the Unley Shopping Centre on a Thursday night of Saturday morning

Major Projects: Bob Laws

Arrangements are in place to have a successful 70th Celebration Active assistance from many Unley Rotarians will be necessary to ensure a fantastic evening.

Community: Tom Tirrell

A report to be tabled next week.

Thrift Shop: Geoff Hill

Thrift Shop is on target with the budget. Currently have not found any suitable premises to move to. The agents are still looking.

Vocational: No written report International: Darrol Foote

Committee looking onto supporting the East Timor Dental project.

AIDS education in PNG to be considered after receiving information from Neville Highett.