Rotary Club of Unley Inc.

DISTRICT 9520 CHARTERED 17TH APRIL 1935

THE UNLEY ROTARIAN

2004 - 2005

Meeting 3440 - Tuesday 7th December 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.	3440		
Date	7 th December 2004		
Venue	Unley Community Sports Club		
Occasion	AGM and Committees		
Guests & Visiting Rotarians			
Apologies	Bob Mullins, Lucien Parent, Helen Richter, Michael Tait		
Make Ups	Bob Mills Thrift Shop 8/12 Natalie Bowen, Joan Reed District 6 meeting Ron Schubert District 6 Meeting. Gary Tonkin Thrift Shop.		
Attendance	74%		
Sick List	Don Emmett		
Returning Rotarians	Kevin Rogers, Chandra Sluggett, Ichiro Tanaka		
Departing Rotarians	None		
Birthdays	Kaylene Kranz 8 th December		

From President Ron

- Unfortunately Melissa Mathie has a family engagement tonight and is unable to speak this evening. She will be rescheduled for early next year before she departs. A backup speaker also passed on his apologies late this afternoon so unfortunately we do not have a speaker for this evening.
- Members are reminded of the Annual Christmas Carols at the Rotunda in the Unley Memorial Gardens on Sunday 12 December will commence at 7:30pm. All members are asked to encourage as many friends, acquaintances and family members to attend as possible. The Community Service may need a bit of help on the night, so if you are available please let Laurie know.
- Members are reminded that the Club's Christmas Dinner will be held at the Kooyonga Golf Club at 7:00 for 7:30pm on Tuesday 14 December. The cost is \$40 per person and a member of the Fellowship Committee will be collecting money from you next week. The Kooyonga Club's dress code rules are quite strict and members and partners should be aware that denim clothing is not allowed. There is now a security gate at the car park entrance and you will need to identify yourselves as being from the Rotary Club of Unley in order to gain entry.
- Our combined Christmas Breakfast meeting with the Eastwood and Hyde Park Clubs will be held here at the Unley Community Sports Club on Wednesday 22 December commencing <u>7.00 for 7:30am</u> sharp. There will be a Board meeting following this breakfast meeting.
- The Centenary Committee of Rotary Districts 9500 and 9520 have invited our Club members and friends to "A Picnic on the Lawns at Government House" on Sunday 27 February from 4.30pm to 7.30pm at a cost of \$5.00 per person. See the notice further in the Bulletin.
- A card was received from Shirley Emmett on the occasion of her birthday and Don and Shirley's best wishes were passed on to the members for a Safe and Happy Christmas.
- We have received an email from Audrey Leong who is Secretary to the Mayor and CEO of the City of Unley. She refers to a discussion she had with president Ron about a meeting to be held at 6.30pm in the Mayor's Parlour on Tuesday 21 December to discuss arrangements for Australia Day. As this meeting won't be on a Club meeting night most members may be available to attend. Would any members who would like to be involved in those discussions and with the Australia Day events please see President Ron.
- There is a Thrift Shop Committee meeting this Saturday morning at Mama Camella's.

On the Spot

Geoff Hill: The Thrift Shop Committee is in the final stage of negotiation for a new lease. We are awaiting the legal ratification of the document .If this occurs by the weekend it is proposed that we start clearing the Thrift shop and put articles in for storage. If this is the case we will be calling on volunteers to help with this process.

Kaylene Kranz: It was with regret that Kaylene informed the Club of the sudden passing of Mark Henschke. Mark was a member of the GSE Team for our District that traveled to Canada last year. Mark worked in Education and was instrumental in attracting many overseas students to study in South Australia. He led a government delegation to India prior to his trip to Canada. Mark's fiancée who was from Texas survived the accident, however her friend who had come to Australia to visit was sadly killed with Mark. Expressions of sympathy have come to Mark's family from all of the countries where people knew him. Kaylene would like it recorded that this Club respected his short but very effective life as our GSE representative. Vale Mark Henschke.

Mavis Martin: The Fundraising Committee has arranged a number of activities for the forthcoming Christmas event. There will be lots activities for the dinner. To participate you will need to bring small change so that you can have many attempts of winning the many prizes of wine etc. Remember lots of dollar coins and lots of 20 cents coins.

Greg Love has received a letter from the community where Bertha lives. She was the young lady who came to us for facial surgery. It has been decided to use monies that they have been given previously to build a volleyball court with the appropriate equipment for the community to use. There are some photos and a copy of the letter sent at the top table for members to read.

Bob Laws: The Major Projects Committee is involved in a number of projects over the next three years. We are running the OSSA program, sponsorship for RYLA, and RYWELL and the 70th birthday celebration in April 2005. There is a meeting of the sub-committee on Saturday for the birthday celebrations, involving Kaylene, Ken, David M, Darrol and their good friends. The meeting will be followed by a bowl of spaghetti and a glass of something red.

Christmas Carols

Unley Memorial Gardens Sunday 12th December 7:30pm Start

Featuring the Australian Girls Choir, the Australian Army Band, MC Xavier Minniecon & Father Christmas

Christmas Dinner Meeting

Kooyonga Golf Club Partners Night Tuesday the 14th December 7pm for 7.30pm

3 Course Meal - \$40 per person Dress: Jacket and Tie, NO DENIM

Annual General Meeting

All positions for election were declared vacant. Only one nomination was received for the position of Secretary for 2005-2006 and Ken Haines was declared elected. Only one nomination was received for the position of Treasurer for 2005-2006 and Alex Jonson was declared elected. As there were more than two nominations for two vacant Board positions for 2005-2007 a secret ballot was required. The nominees were Laurie Madigan, Sheila Evans, Mavis Martin, Peter James and Bob Laws. Laurie Madigan and Bob Laws were elected Directors for 2005-2006. The scrutineers were John Russell and Darrol Foote.

Sergeant's Session

The Sergeant for the night was David Middleton. Adrian Sobels won the Unlucky Squares. Rob Paternoster won the wine.

Rotary Centenary Celebration - Picnic at Government House

The Centenary Committee of Rotary Districts 9500 and 9520 have invited our club members and friends to "A Picnic on the Lawns at Government House" on Sunday 27 February 2005 from 4.30pm to 7.30pm at a cost of \$5.00 per person.

The nationally acclaimed Kensington and Norwood Brass Band and a small selection of multi-cultural groups will present a programme of entertainment.

The Governor of SA, Her Excellency Marjorie Jackson-Nelson will be in attendance.

Moderately priced food (sausage sizzle, steak sandwiches, ice cream, soft drinks, etc) will be available for purchase. Selected Rotary clubs will provide this service. You may, however, bring your own food and drinks if you wish.

Bring your own rug or chairs, shade will be provided.

Parking will be available at the Torrens Parade Ground, free on presentation of your ticket for the picnic. This will be available from 2.00pm so those who wish to attend the Multi-faith Service at St Peters Cathedral at 3.00pm can do so, and then pick up their picnic goods on the way back to Government House. In the event of the Torrens Parade Ground being full, free parking will be available at the Adelaide Oval northern car park.

<u>Tickets will be required as numbers are limited</u>. Entry will only be by pre-paid ticket so please ensure you order your tickets early. The Centenary Committee has requested that our Club's application and payment for tickets be sent to them by 31 December 2004.

Our Next Meetings

Date	Venue	Time	Occasion
14-12-04	Kooyonga Golf Club	7.00 for 7.30pm	Christmas Dinner - Partners Night
22-12-04	U.C.S.C.	7.00 for 7.30am	Combined Christmas Breakfast
04-01-05	U.C.S.C.	6.00 for 6.30pm	Melissa Mathie - Outbound Exchange Student
11-01-05	U.C.S.C	6.00pm for 6.30pm	TBA

Rostered Rotarians

Date	Chairperson	Venue Set-up	Sergeant	Plaque Board	Attendance
14-12-04	Ron Schubert	Stephen Westgarth	Natalie Bowen	Joan Reed	Lindsay England and Rex Martin
22-12-04	Ron Schubert	Joan Reed	Natalie Bowen	David Payne	Lindsay England and Chandra Sluggett
04-01-05	Ron Schubert	TBA	TBA	TBA	TBA

Apologies

To: Lindsay England

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Saturday Thrift Shop Duty

Date	Rotarians
11-12-04	Ken Haines and Darrol Foote
18-12-04	CLOSED
25-12-04	CLOSED

President's Quote for the Week

"A woman has the last word in any argument. Anything a man says after that is the beginning of a new argument."

Remember

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