

Rotary Club of Unley Inc.

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2005 - 2006

Meeting 3483 – Tuesday 11th October 2005

**Joint Meeting with Hyde Park Club held at Unley Civic Centre
Mental Health Forum**

Meeting 3484 – Tuesday 18th October 2005

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.	3484
Date	18 th October 2005
Venue	U.C.S.C
Occasion	Board Meeting. Guest Speaker DG Arthur Manser and his wife Shirley
Guests & Visiting Rotarians	Peter Ochota Assistant DG and wife Meredith, Anna & Mark Zada, Helen Hoffmann, Ann Price, Jennifer Casburn, Katherine Howard, Pauline Daly, Jill Hill, Janet Singh, and Sabina Hansen, Exchange Student
Apologies	Michael Tait, Geoff Dunn, Pat McNiffe, Bob Mullins, Robert Birnie, Lucien Parent and Darrol Foote.
Make Ups	Mavis Martin
Attendance	59%
Sick List	All members are well and healthy
Returning Rotarians	Greg Love, Paul Howard & Rex Martin
Departing Rotarians	Greg Love & Neville Highett
Birthdays	14/10 Mayor of Unley, Michael Keenan, 18/10 Michael Bernie, 22/10 Paul Howard & Ken Haines
Anniversaries	10/10/95 Stephen Westgarth inducted, 22/10/02 Natalie Bowen, Joan Reed & M Tait inducted

From President Kaylene

Welcome to all members and guests in attendance especially to DG Arthur Manser and his wife Shirley plus Peter Ochota Ass DG & his wife Meredith for visiting our club.

I notify members of the names of Directors and Officers to retire on the following 30th June 2006, and that that nominations will be received for candidates for election to the Board for the year commencing on the following 1st July 2006.

Nominations for Elected Members of the Board shall be received by the Secretary up to 8.00 p.m. on Tuesday the 22nd of November. The elections will be conducted on the 6th of December during the Annual General meeting.

Nominations for Elected Members of the Board shall be in writing and signed by the proposer. The nomination shall contain the candidate's written consent to nomination and shall state the office to which the nomination relates. A candidate may be nominated for more than one office on the Board. Any member of the Club, other than an honorary member, may be a candidate for election to the Board.

Retiring Directors and Officers:

Secretary	Ken Haines
Treasurer	Alex Jonson
Director	Joan Reed
Director	Neville Highett

Nominations are sought for the positions of

Secretary	for a one-year term
Treasurer	for a one-year term
Directors (two)	for two-year terms

Nominations forms are available from Secretary Ken Haines.

Ron Schubert, outgoing President, was presented with a bound copy of the club's bulletins, a banner for 2004/2005 and a gift to thank Ron for all his efforts during his term as President. Ron's term was a historical year for Rotary with the Unley Club celebrating 70 years and Rotary celebrating its 100th year. Ron worked tirelessly during his term and there was a lot of work in preparing the 70th birthday celebrations at the Hilton. President Kaylene also praised Ron's partner Joan Reed for all her support in assisting Ron.

Spots

Greg Love was to present the Club Service Report tonight but will present at the next meeting.

Stephen Westgarth spoke on behalf of Bob Mullins relating to meeting on 15/11/05 to be held on Popeye on the River Torrens. Seats are limited to first in best dressed. This night will be a family night so please bring partners, children and grand children.

Bob Laws spoke on the need for police checks to be carried out on all members of the club.

Lindsay England: Walk for Cure that Unley Club always supports was held last weekend but did not get much support due to the late notice given. The Club is looking for members to make a donation and whatever funds are raised will match dollar for dollar.

Sergeants Session

Jerry Casburn was the sergeant for the evening. John Russell won the wine and the lucky square went to Bill Spencer.

Guest Speaker - DG Arthur Manser and his wife Shirley

Arthur firstly spoke on how Jerry Casburn, who works at EDS, has arranged 200 volunteers to assist Rotary Clubs with projects such as clean up of Linear Park and Monarto Zoo to name a few. Well done Jerry. Jerry will up date us on more details over the coming weeks on how these projects are going to work.

DG Arthur comes from Berri and the Berri Rotary Club has 21 members. He has been in Rotary for 26 years.

DG Arthur spoke mainly on his appointment as DG and the strict process he had to undertake before he became a DG over a two and a half year period. There are 23 DG's in Australia and 529 DG's world wide.

Earlier this year DG Arthur and his wife Shirley attended a 8 day conference in the USA which incorporated the 100th year of rotary celebrations. At the conference there were 200 trainers, 50 sergeants and 20 past world presidents in attendance to assist the newly elect DG's from all over the world. Each day started at 7.00am where everyone met for breakfast and then started the meetings at 8.40am. Each day you were allocated a different seat and no matter what, you MUST be in attendance at the allocated time.

One DG elect decided half way during the 8 day meeting that he needed a break and would love to play a game of golf instead of attending the meeting. A golf day was arranged for this person but little did he know that later that morning he would be visited by one of the sergeants on the golf course with his suit case and an envelope containing his ticket back home.

Rotary is very serious about these meetings as they are sponsoring the DG's elect costs and if people don't want to commit to the 8 days, then in rotary's eyes those members are not worthy of becoming DG's.

On the anniversary of rotary all members at the conference caught buses and thought they would be attending a gala dinner to celebrate the 100th year. Instead they arrived at the 2nd Harvest Food Bank where they all lined up behind long trestle tables and proceeded to pack over 3,000 food hampers. The group then attended a luncheon where they were served soup and a bread roll.

Rotary International World President Carl Wilhelm, who is very focused on assisting the poor and needy worldwide, arranged all of these activities. President Carl is also very keen on assisting with literacy as without people able to read and write they are unable to secure employment, which leads to poverty in the world. Each DG Elect was to bring five books to the USA with a brief history of their district detailed in the front of the book. 1,800 books were subsequently donated to a local library in the USA.

Shirley Manser also spoke on various projects that she would like our club to consider this year.

- Books for new born babies which would be distributed to hospitals
- Classroom visits by Rotarians to assist with reading programs, twice monthly
- Dictionary project for year threes
- Collection of new books for mobile library and hospitals
- Water management required overseas to alleviate hunger.

DG Arthur also showed us a wheel chair that has been designed to suit all types of disabled people. 4 million people require wheel chairs in the world and this is another project President Carl Wilhelm is looking for our clubs support with. The wheel chairs cost \$110.

Broken Hill District Conference on 6-8th April 2006. There will be lots to do with tours of mines, golf, lawn bowls and plenty of fellowship. On the Friday night a gourmet dinner (BBQ) will be held.

DG Arthur looks forward to seeing as many Unley Club members in attendance. Please see Natalie Bowen to book your accommodation, which is at the Oasis Motor Inn, Broken Hill.

Diary Dates

October – Vocational Service Month.

Fri 21/10/05: Pizza Night for all 2004-2005 New Members to be held at Bob Laws place – 1/366 South Tce, Adelaide (next to the St Andrews Hospital) entrance is via St Johns Lane; food and drink to be provided.

Tue 25/10/05: Guest Speaker: Exchange Student, Sabina to update us on her stay in Australia so far; Verbal call for nominations to the Board.

November - Rotary Foundation Month.

Tue 01/11/05: 3 Members as guest speakers/Committees

Tue 08/11/05: Guest Speaker and call for nominations to the Board.

Tue 15/11/05: Partner's Night. Popeye Dinner Cruise. By pre-payment please

Tue 22/11/05: Guest Speaker TBA. 8.00pm close for nominations to the Board. Board Meeting.

Tue 29/11/05: Club Assembly and Club Service Committee

December- Peace Awareness Month.

Tue 06/12/05: AGM; Committee Meetings

Sun 11/12/05: Christmas Carols at the Rotunda

Tue 13/12/05: Christmas dinner meeting; Partners night; Venue TBA; Combined Board Meeting.

Wed 21/12/05: Joint breakfast meeting with Hyde Park and Eastwood; Venue U.C.S.C. 7.00am for 7.15am start.

Our Next Meetings

Date	Venue	Time	Occasion
25/10/05	U.C.S.C	6.00pm for 6.30pm	Sabina presentation
01/11/05	U.C.S.C.	6.00pm for 6.30pm	3 members to present/ committees
08/11/05	U.C.S.C.	6.00pm for 6.30pm	Guest Speaker & call for nominations to the board
15/11/05	River Torrens Rotunda- Popeye Cruise.	TBA	Family night including children and grand kids. Buses to leave from Unley Club but you must register your name with Bob Mullins for the bus, as limited seats are available.

Rostered Rotarians

Date	Chairperson	Venue Set-up	Sergeant	Plaque Board	Attendance
25/10/05	Kaylene Kranz	G Howland	B Mullins	J Hill	Reno Elms & Sheila Evans
01/11/05	Kaylene Kranz	N Axford	M Martin	J Peacham	Lindsay England & Martin Cooper
08/11/05	Kaylene Kranz	G Love	G Dunn	D Payne	Norm Wallace & John Peacham
15/11/05	Kaylene Kranz	B Mullins/Fellowship	D Foote	N/A	N/A
22/11/05	Kaylene Kranz	TBA	TBA	TBA	TBA

Apologies

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Saturday Thrift Shop Duty

Date	Early Roster	Late Roster
15/10/05	Ken Haines & John Russell	Ken Haines & Kaylene Kranz
22/10/05	Greg Love & Kaylene Kranz	Ron Schubert & Joan Reed
29/10/05	Ken Haines & Anne Wehr	Kaylene Kranz
05/11/05	Lindsay England & Jerry Casburn	TBA
12/11/05	Stephen Westgarth & Noelene Axford	TBA

**Please remember that whilst Jo Blowes is away
at least two Rotarians are required on both
morning and afternoon shifts.**

Remember our Rotary theme for the year:

SERVICE Above Self