

Rotary Club of Unley Inc.

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2007 – 2008

Meeting 3583– Tuesday 16th October 07

The Club meets every Tuesday
at The Old Orphanage Function Centre
181 Goodwood Road
Millswood (enter of Mitchell St)
at 6.30pm. Fellowship at 6.00pm

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Our Last Meeting

Meeting No.	3583
Date	16 th October 07
Venue	Waite Institute Urrbrae followed by Dinner at the Cremorne
Chairperson	President David
Guests Speaker	Michael From the Genomics Centre
Guests and Visiting Rotarians	Jenny Casburn, Ray Cooper, Angie Cooper, Rohan Singh
Apologies	Lindsay England, Bob Mullins, Anne Wehr, Sheila Evans, Mark Zada, Anne Zada, Stephen Westgarth, Reno Elms.
Make Ups	Bob Mullins, Anne Wehr, Thrift Shop, Sheila Evans Rotary Conference.
Attendance	62%
Sick List	Nil

President's Announcements

1. Every one had a great time at the conference with some exceptional speakers.
2. Have received an Invitation from Rotary Club of Glen Osmond to hear guest speaker Chris Pyne speak on the issues of Ageing. Meeting on Monday 22nd October at the Jackson's, 373 Glen Osmond Road, Glen Osmond.
3. Board Meeting next week.
4. The date for Donations in Kind should be the 10th of November.
5. NEXT WEEK OUR MEETINGS WILL BE AT THE ORPHANAGE FUNCTION CENTRE at 181 Goodwood Road, Millswood (Corner of Goodwood Road and Mitchell Street). Same time: 6.00PM for 6.30PM. \$21 per head; PLEASE TRY AND BRING CORRECT MONEY.
6. Trivia night on Friday night at the Public schools club. Numbers are low so please encourage more family and friends to attend.

Spots

Janet Singh: Rotary Plum Puddings, Whisky Cakes and a new treat ... Shortbread Biscuits! I am responsible for coordinating the purchase of puddings, cakes and biscuits this year. If you would like to purchase any of these goodies for yourself, as gifts, or to sell in your workplace, I would be most grateful if you could please advise me of the quantity required, at our Club meeting on 5 November (an order form will be distributed at the meeting). Your assistance regarding this matter will ensure adequate supplies are purchased. Thank you.

Jerry Casburn reminded members of the Trivia night scheduled for the 19th October at the Public Schools Club. Members are asked to organise a table and he is hoping for 100/ 150 people. The emphasis is on fellowship, not fundraising. The cost is \$10 per head. Advise Ron Schubert on numbers.

Martin Cooper: Meeting: Tuesday 23 October 2007, Venue: **The Old Orphanage Function Centre**, Menu: Champagne Chicken, Trifle. If you have Special Dietary Needs, please call Margaret 0417 876 660 to arrange your meal by Monday 22 October.

Our Guest Speaker: Michael on Genomics Plants.

Chairperson President David introduced Michael who is an engineer at the Waite Institute Genomics Plant centre.

This department employs 120 scientists and has 36 PHD students and is the leader in its field. They have a high school program that involves more than 4,000 students involved in campus activities. Funding for the projects and research is through Government funding and through farmers funding. They have just been refunded for another 5 years. Michael took us for a tour through the laboratories.

The ACPFG is working to improve the resistance of wheat and barley to hostile environmental conditions, using functional genomics technologies. Scientists at the ACPFG are focusing on stresses that impact agriculture in Australia, including drought, salinity, high or low temperatures and mineral deficiencies or toxicities. These stresses, known as abiotic stresses, are a major cause of cereal crop yield and quality loss throughout the world. Website address is www.acpfg.com.au for more information.

Diary Dates

Fri 19 th Oct	Trivia Night at the Public Schools Club More details later
Mon 22 nd Oct	Rotary Club of Glen Osmond: Speaker Chris Pyne MP
Sat 10 th Nov	DIK Working Bee, Salisbury
Sun 16 th Dec	Carols at the Rotunda
Tue 11 th Dec	Christmas Dinner at Kooyonga Golf Club

Our Next Meetings

Date	Venue	Time	Occasion
23/10/07	The Orphanage	6.00pm for 6.30pm	Reports from our clubs supported students RYLA and NYSF
30/10/07	The Orphanage	6.00pm for 6.30pm	TBA

Rostered Rotarians

Date	Venue Set-up	Chairperson	Sergeant	Plaque Board	Attendance Desk
23-10-07	John Peacham	TBA	Greg McLeod	Chandra Sluggett	Mark Zada & Mavis Martin
30-10-07	Ken Haines	TBA	Greg McLeod	Joan Reed	Alex Jonson and Bob Laws
6-11-07	Mark Zada	TBA	Greg McLeod	Glenys Ferguson	Sheila Evans & John Russell

To Rotarians who are unable to attend as rostered, please arrange a swap or contact:

Sergeant-At-Arms: Greg McLeod: (W) 8223 3999; (M) 0417 811 838; e-mail: gmcLeod@lam.com.au

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Attendance Desk: Glenys Ferguson (H) 8379 8821

Members are urged to diarise when they are required to serve and then they will be unlikely to overlook their rostered service duty.

For those members rostered on Venue Set-up and Plaque Board, the relevant paraphernalia can be found in the cupboard in the vestibule of the rear conference room at East Terrace. Greg McLeod and Glenys Ferguson have keys to the cupboard. Please remember to gather up all items at the end of the meeting and return them to the cupboard.

Apologies To: *Glenys Ferguson* on 8379 8821 OR *Anne Wehr* on 8357 0486

Ladies Auxiliary

Date: 22nd Oct **Location:** Home of Shirley Emmett 11am

Thrift Shop Roster

Date	Early Shift	Late Shift
19-10-07	Kevin Rogers, Joan Reed and Glenyss Laws	Bob Laws and Ken Haines

Remember our Rotary
theme for the year

ROTARY SHARES