

Rotary Club of Unley Inc.

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THE UNLEY ROTARIAN

2007 – 2008

Meeting 3590 – Tuesday 4 December 2007

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.	3590
Date	4 th December 07
Venue	The Orphanage, Millswood
Chairperson	Mark Zada
Guests Speaker	"International Airlines Aircrew Pilot Training" Tony Harding
Guests and Visiting Rotarians	Rohan Singh, Jim Bourke prospective member
Apologies	Sheila Evans. Geoff Howland, Mavis Martin, Bob Mullins.
Make Ups	Geoff Howland DIK Salisbury
Attendance	80%
Birthdays	David Middleton 4 th Dec.
Induction Anniversaries	Ron Schubert

President's Announcements

1. This is the last meeting at this venue for this year. Next week we have the Xmas dinner at Kooyonga followed by the Christmas Breakfast the following week.
2. There is a Board meeting this Thursday at Mavis Martin's.
3. The AGM will be on the 15th January. Please see note below.
4. Christmas Breakfast meeting is on the 19th of Dec at the Naval and Military club with Hyde Park and Eastwood.
5. President David presented PP Stephen a copy of the bulletins from his year as President. Instead of the normal Bound copy it has been put on a disc.

Spots

John Peacham: At 4.30 pm on Sunday the container was closed with all the packed goods to be shipped off. Thank you to Jim Newell and Geoff Howland. There were also members from the Prospect Club

Reno Elms: The Christmas Carols are nearly here. This year teams have been formed to help with the Carols on the night and during the day setting up etc. All members will be getting a note to inform them what team they will be on.

Ron Schubert: On the 11th of December it is the Club's Christmas Dinner, which will be held at the Kooyonga Golf Club at 7 for 7.30pm. Cost is \$46 per head for a three-course meal. This is a partners night and all are welcome. Dress code is jacket and ties for men and No Denim. Could members try and pay in advance. There is a list being circulated tonight for numbers. Also, please bring a gift for a teenage boy to the dinner and have it unwrapped.

Joan Reed: There is a need for the new years rosters to be submitted for the bulletin editor and the web master. Could this be done ASAP and also could member who give reports or announcements please provide the Bulletin Editor with a word copy?

Sergeants Session

Geoff Dunn was our Sergeant tonight and he conducted a quiz. There were members fined for not obeying the rules and yelling out answers when not asked, and rightly so. The lucky square was won by Lindsay England, and the wine was won by John Russell, again.

Guest Speaker

Mark Zada introduced our guest speaker Tony Hardy. Tony is a member of the Eastwood club and is married with two daughters. He also has a cattle property at Delamere, which he enjoys. Tony started his aviation career in 1958 in Wagga Wagga and following his graduation he went to Canberra in the 9th squadron. He was involved in a tour of duty in Vietnam. Following this he did 21 years of training at the RAAF base, from there he worked with Cathay Pacific for 18 years as a flight engineer. He retired in 1985 and has since taken on training of overseas pilots at Parafield. Tony gave us a very comprehensive talk on the way a pilot is trained and all the various exercises they have to go through. There are various levels of pilots and it is an exhaustive and costly exercise.

AGM 15 January 2008

The retiring Directors are Sheila Evans and Martin Cooper (each of whom is filling the remainder of other people's two year terms [Jerry Casburn's and John Peacham's respectively] and both could be elected for further two-year terms in their own right) and our Secretary and Treasurer. The IPP (i.e. Stephen) will be replaced by President David, and Jerry automatically becomes the President as the Board elected him to that position last December. Neville Highett is in line to be appointed President Elect for next year, but the person to become the Vice President for the next year has yet to be identified (by the Nominating Committee). Mavis and Reno will continue as directors for a further year to complete their two-year terms, unless the by-laws are changed in the meantime.

Diary Dates

Tue 11 th Dec	Christmas Dinner at Kooyonga Golf Club
Sun 16 th Dec	Carols at the Rotunda
Wed 5 th Mar	International Night
Wed 19 th Mar	Bowls Challenge vs RC Mitcham
Tue 13 th May	SA Police Officer of the Year Presentation (in Rundle Mall) and SA Police Officer of the Year Dinner
Tue 3rd Jun	Paul Harris Fellows Recognition Dinner
15-18 June 2008	Rotary International Convention Sat

Our Next Meetings

Date	Venue	Time	Occasion
11/12/07	The Orphanage	6.00pm for 6.30pm	Christmas Dinner Kooyonga Golf Club
19/12/07	TBA	TBA	Naval & Military Club

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

Rostered Rotarians

Date	Venue Set-up	Chairperson	Sergeant	Plaque Board	Attendance Desk
11/12/07	Bob Mullins	Pres David	Greg McLeod	Lindsay England	Bob Mullins and Anne Wehr
19/12/07	NA	NA	Greg McLeod	John Russell	Geoff Howland and Jerry Casburn

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. 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.

JOKE OF THE WEEK

Have you ever been guilty of looking at others your own age and thinking, "Surely I can't look that old?" Well... You'll love this tale from a woman!

I was sitting in the waiting room for my first appointment with a new dentist. I noticed his DDS diploma, which bore his full name. Suddenly, I remembered a tall, handsome, dark-haired boy with the same name had been in my high school class some 40-odd years ago. Could he be the same guy that I had a secret crush on, way back then? Upon seeing him, however, I quickly discarded any such thought.

This balding, grey-haired man with the deeply lined face was way too old to have been my classmate. After he examined my teeth, I asked him if he had attended Morgan Park High School.

"Yes. Yes, I did. I'm a mustang," he gleamed with pride.

"When did you graduate?" I asked.

He answered, "In 1959. Why do you ask?"

"You were in my class!" I exclaimed.

He looked at me closely. Then, that ugly, old, wrinkled, bald, fat, grey, decrepit son-of-a-bitch asked, "What did you teach?"

Thank You Alex!

Saturday Thrift Shop Roster

	EARLY SHIFT	LATE SHIFT
8-12-07	Bob Laws and Kevin Rogers	Mavis Martin and Ken Haines

Remember our Rotary
theme for the year

ROTARY SHARES
