

Rotary Club of Unley Inc.

DISTRICT 9520
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THE UNLEY ROTARIAN

2007 – 2008

Meeting 3602 – Wednesday 11th March 2008

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.	3602
Date	11 th March 2008
Venue	The Orphanage
Chairperson	Mark Zada
Guests Speaker	Peter Rohde's "Future Direction of the Port Adelaide Football Club"
Guests and Visiting Rotarians	Jenny Casburn, Stephen Baker
Apologies	Chandra Sluggett, Sheila Evans
Make Ups	Bob Mills Thrift Shop 7 th March
Attendance	87%
Sick List	Nil
Birthdays	Janet Singh on the 27 th Feb, Reno Elms 16 th March
Induction Anniversaries	Lindsay England 25 th Feb 03. Greg McLeod 28 th Feb 84, John Russell 13 th Mar 90
Anniversaries	Stephen Westgarth - Wedding 1 st March 1975
Returning Rotarians	Geoff Howland, Welcome Back
Departing Rotarians	Geoff Hill

President's Announcements

1. Congratulations on achieving 100%. Drinks were courtesy of David this evening.
2. For information, the DG elect for 2010-2011 is Malcolm Lindquist.
3. President David has heard from Geoff Dunn. He and Nadia have found a home near Geelong and are settling in very well.

Spot Reminders

Reno Elms: The Salvation Army are having the Grand Opening of the Re development and an invitation is extended to our Rotary Members if they would like to attend please see Reno.

Stephen Westgarth: Thank you to members who have paid their subs. If members are choosing to do the direct transfer in to the bank account please ensure you get a copy of the payment so that Stephen can tell what has been paid for.

Mavis Martin: Applications from RYPEN close at the end of this month. We have received no applications for RYLA but we may get a student through the District.

Ron Schubert: On the 1st of April our club is having a inter club meeting with Somerton Park. This will be at the International Motel on Anzac Highway. The Topic is "The spoken word is more powerful than the written". We are looking for debaters to take on the challenge. Cost is \$22 per head.

Bob Mullins: Next weeks meeting is the annual bowls night with the Rotary Club of Mitcham. They are hosting the night and the dinner is in the form of a BBQ at \$17 per head. The AFA Bowling Club is behind the Shell service station on Belair Road at Mitcham.

Bob Laws: Thrift Shop roster still has vacancies please help fill the voids. Also there are now some weekday positions available if anyone can help.

Jerry Casburn: The order for the Entertainment books has gone in so could all members please look at putting their orders in ASAP. There is an incentive of vouchers worth \$160 for all books paid prior to the end of March. The club will make quite a good amount from the sale of these books.

Sergeants Session

The Sergeant for tis evening was John Peacham who extracted many fines from members. Tonight the wine was won by David Payne and Joan Reed won the lucky square.

Guest Speaker: Peter Rohde - "Future Direction of the Port Adelaide Football Club"

Our guest speaker was introduced, rather aptly, by Mark Zada, one of our members who has a soft spot for Port Adelaide.

Peter Rohde is responsible for Football Operations. He joined Port Adelaide in 2005 after three years at the Western Bulldogs. Peter is responsible for all things football working closely with the coaching staff, planning, running and facilitating match committee and review meetings. Peter has vast experience at senior level playing 46 games for Carlton between, 1985-1987 and 54 games for Melbourne from 1988 - 1991. He was Senior Coach at the Western Bulldogs from 2002 - 2004 after coaching at Norwood where he won the SANFL Premiership in 1997.

Peter went on to explain about the running of the football club and also about the finances required to run a team like Port Adelaide. It takes 53 people on tour for interstate games which just alone is very expensive. He also explained the salary capping system. Today the club hosted Andrew Demetriou who came and spoke with the club and it's members.

Ladies Auxiliary

31st March at Muriel Wallace's. Bring your own lunch

Next Week's Menu

BBQ at the AFA Bowling Club, Belair Road, Mitcham, behind the Shell Service Station

Diary Dates

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 Partners Night
Tue 3 rd June	Paul Harris Fellows Recognition Dinner
15-18 June	Rotary International Convention
16 th – 19 th Oct	District Conference in Mt Gambier

Our Next Meetings

Date	Venue	Time	Occasion
19/03/08	Bowls Night	TBA	Inter Club Bowls Night Mitcham vs. Unley
25/03/08	The Orphanage	6.00pm for 6.30pm	Tanya Powell "Mind Your Manners"
01/04/08	International Motel Anzac Highway	6.00pm for 6.30pm	Debate with Somerton Club "The spoken Word is more powerful than the written"
08/04/08	The Orphanage	6.00pm for 6.30pm	Claudine Butterworth "Alzheimer's Disease"

Rotarians Roster

Date	Venue Set-up	Chairperson	Sergeant	Plaque Board	Attendance Desk
19/3/08	N/A	President David	N/A	Anne Wehr	John Peacham and Geoff Hill
25/3/08	David Payne	Joan Reed	Greg McLeod	Mavis Martin	Jerry Casburn and Anne Wehr
1/4/08	Bob Mullins	TBA	Greg McLeod	John Peacham	Alex Jonson and Martin Cooper
8-4-08	Reno Elms	Jerry Casburn	Greg McLeod	Mark Zada	Anne Zada and Bob Laws

Please arrive on time for your delegated duties

*******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

Venue Set-up or Plaque Board: Greg McLeod: (W) 8223 3999; (M) 0417 811 838; e-mail: gmcleod@lam.com.au

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.

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

JOKE OF THE WEEK

A man and his wife were spending the day at the zoo. She was wearing a loose fitting, pink dress, sleeveless with straps. He was wearing his usual jeans and T-shirt. As they walked through the ape exhibit, they passed in front of a large, silverback gorilla.

Noticing the wife, the gorilla went crazy. He jumped on the bars, and holding on with one hand and two feet he grunted and pounded his chest with his free hand. He was obviously excited at the pretty lady in the pink dress.

The husband, noticing the excitement, thought this was funny. He suggested that his wife tease the poor fellow some more by puckering her lips and wiggling her bottom. She played along and the gorilla got even more excited, making noises that would wake the dead.

Then the husband suggested that she let one of her straps fall to show a little more skin. She did... And the gorilla was about to tear the bars down.

Now show your thighs and sort of fan your dress at him,' he said. This drove the gorilla absolutely crazy, and he started doing flips.

Then the husband grabbed his wife, ripped open the door to the cage, flung her in with the gorilla and slammed the cage door shut. 'Now. Tell HIM you have a headache.'

Thanks Mavis, a good one

Thrift Shop Roster

EARLY SHIFT		LATE SHIFT
15/03/08	Kevin Rogers and Stephen Westgarth	Joan Reed and Ron Schubert
22/03/08	Closed Easter Saturday	
29/03/08	Kevin Rogers	Rohan Singh

Remember our Rotary
theme for the year

ROTARY SHARES