# Rotary Club of Unley Inc.

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THE UNITEY ROTARIAN

2007 - 2008

Meeting 3608 - Tuesday 22nd April 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.	3608		
Date	22nd April 2008		
Venue	The Orphanage		
Chairperson	John Peacham		
Guests Speaker	Sarah Hills - "Australian Workplace Agreements: Where are they now?"		
Guests and Visiting Rotarians	Stephen Baker, Judy McAdam ADG		
Apologies	Sheila Evans, Natalie Bowen		
Make Ups	Will need to recode next week		
Attendance	78%		
Sick List	Sheila Evans		
Birthdays	Rex Martin		
Anniversaries	Lindsay and Linda England,		
Returning Rotarians	Ron Schubert, David Payne, Kevin Rogers		

#### President's Announcements

- There will be Board meeting at Stephen Westgarth's this Thursday night, Board members only.
- A message from Martin to remind members of the letterbox drop on the 25<sup>th</sup> of May. See notice further in the bulletin.
- As Announced David open a General Meeting to discuss the By Laws and Constitution.

Motion: "That the Rotary Club of Unley adopt the Constitution as at 22-4-08."

Moved: Bob Laws: Seconded: Stephen Westgarth; CARRIED

Motion: "That the Rotary Club of Unley Inc. adopt the Bylaws as at 22-4-08."

Moved: Bob Laws; Seconded: Stephen Westgarth; CARRIED

General Meeting Closed

## Spots

Bob Laws: The Thrift Shop roster still has vacancies please help fill the voids. Also there are now some weekday positions available if anyone can help. ALSO PLEASE NOTE: Midweek volunteers for the following slots are needed for June:

Monday 23rd of June morning shift (10am to 1pm)

Monday 23rd of June afternoon shift (1pm to 3.30pm)

Wednesday 25th of June afternoon shift **Bob Mills:** Tuesday the 13<sup>th</sup> of May is the Police Officer of the year. 12.30 in Rundle Mall followed by a dinner at the Public Schools Club 7pm for 7.30 pm \$30 per head with a pre dinner drink on arrival. There will be a booking sheet next week and payment prior would be appreciated.

Stephen Westgarth: A reminder for all members regarding subscriptions due. If making a payment by a bank transfer please give Stephen a copy of your receipt so he knows what has been paid.

Reno Elms: 4th of May is the Senior Citizens concert and volunteer drivers are required. Also afternoon tea needs to be provided and assistance has been asked for during the afternoon teatime. Please check your diaries and rush to Reno to volunteer. Also Volunteers are sought for the Red Shield appeal. Unfortunately even though this classes with the membership letterboxing please try and give some time.

Jerry Casburn: The entertainment books are selling well. We have sold over 60 at this stage.

#### From the Membership Team: Leaflet drop, Treasure Hunt and Pizza Party

When Sunday 25 May Time 2:30 pm onwards Where Unley area

Cost \$5 for pizza dinner, BYO drinks

What is required:

RCU Members and partners to deliver membership flyers into Unley resident's letterboxes. Distribution areas are based on maps used for the Red Shield Appeal and will not be too onerous to undertake. If you find it hard to make time for exercise, this is a great opportunity for fresh air and fellowship!

For those who like a challenge, a treasure hunt will be incorporated into the flyer distribution

And to continue along the fellowship theme, from around 5:00 pm enjoy yummy homemade pizzas, to fill the void that the exercise created!

A list will be circulated at the next meeting to ascertain numbers of those interested in participating in these activities. Your fellowship and support would be greatly appreciated.

# Sergeant's Session

Tonight's Sergeant was Greg McLeod. The lucky square was won by Greg McLeod and Geoff Howland won the wine.

## Our Guest Speaker: Sara Hills

# "Australian Workplace Agreements: Where are they now?"

John Peacham introduced our guest speaker, Sarah Hills. Sarah has seven years experience in law, both as a practising lawyer and in a corporate capacity. She has a sound understanding of employment law generally and of its practical application in the wine industry having joined the Association in July 2005. This together with her background in property, commercial and local government law arms Sarah with legal expertise across a range of areas of value to the wine industry. Sarah also has experience in providing training, undertaking and dealing with compliance/audit issues and providing legal yet practical advice to relevant stakeholders.

#### Areas of expertise:

Attendance at the South Australian Industrial Relations Commission with regards to unfair dismissals and State industrial matters affecting members employment practices; Consulting with and / or alerting members about proposed legislation, policy & compliance issues that may affect their wine business operations; Assistance to members with 'live' work place issues: payroll application, occupational health safety and welfare (OHSW), termination, policy development, letters of engagement, co-ordination, preparation and delivery of regional seminars on topical and current issues affecting wine businesses in the areas of employment and OHSW. Visiting regional areas to provide support and assistance to wine industry members in the areas of employment and OHSW; Providing verbal (by telephone and 'face to face') and written advice in relation to interpretation of industrial awards, legislation and agreements relevant to the wine industry.

Sarah gave a very good over view on the changes to the Workplace agreements which are still in place but have changed its format.

# **Ladies Auxiliary**

April 28th at 12 noon; Lunch on the Parade at 47 The Parade, NORWOOD

# **Diary Dates**

Tue 13<sup>th</sup> May SA Police Officer of the Year Presentation (in Rundle Mall) and SA Police Officer of the Year Dinner Partners Night

Tue 3<sup>rd</sup> June Paul Harris Fellows Recognition Dinner Partners Night

15-18 June Rotary International Convention 16<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup> Oct District Conference in Mt Gambier

### Our Next Meetings

Date	Venue	Time	Occasion
29/04/08	The Orphanage	6pm for 6.30pm	Linda Marr - "State Library of SA Photographics"
06/05/08	160 'Connell Street North Adelaide	6pm for 6.30 pm	Senator Alan Ferguson "The State of out State"
13/5/08	Public Schools Club	7pm for 7.30pm	Police Officer of the Year Partner's night

#### Rotarians Roster

Date	Venue Set-up	Chairperson	Sergeant	Plaque Board	Attendance Desk
30/4/08	Joan Reed	TBA	Greg McLeod	Geoff Hill	Lindsay England and Geoff Howland
6/5/08	N/A	N/A	Greg McLeod	John Peacham	Mavis Martin and Bob Mills
13/5/08	Bob Mullins	President David		Colin Schirmer	Glenys Ferguson and John Peacham

### 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.

#### THOUGHT OF THE WEEK

Slow down for three minutes to read this. It is so worth it.

Touching words from the mouth of babes. What does Love mean?

A group of professional people posed this question to a group of 4 to 8 year-olds, "What does love mean?" The answers they got were broader and deeper than anyone could have imagined. See what you think:

When my grandmother got arthritis, she couldn't bend over and paint her toenails anymore. So my grandfather does it for her all the time, even when his hands got arthritis too. That's love." Rebecca- age 8

When someone loves you, the way they say your name is different. You just know that your name is safe in their mouth. Billy - age 4.

Love is when a girl puts on perfume and a boy puts on shaving cologne and they go out and smell each other. Karl - age 5.

Love is when you go out to eat and give somebody most of your French fries without making them give you any of theirs. Chrissy – 6.

Love is what makes you smile when you're tired. Terri - age 4

Love is when Mommy makes coffee for Daddy and she takes a sip before giving it to him, to make sure the taste is OK.. Danny 7.

Love is when you kiss all the time. Then when you get tired of kissing, you still want to be together and you talk more. My Mommy and Daddy are like that. They look gross when they kiss. Emily – age 8

Love is what's in the room with you at Christmas if you stop opening presents and listen. Bobby - age 7 (Wow!)

If you want to learn to love better, you should start with a friend who you hate, Nikka - age 6 (we need a few million more Nikka's on this planet).

Love is when you tell a guy you like his shirt, then he wears it everyday. Noelle - age 7

Love is like a little old woman and a little old man who are still friends even after they know each other so well. Tommy - age 6

During my piano recital, I was on a stage and I was scared. I looked at all the people watching me and saw my daddy waving and smiling. He was the only one doing that. I wasn't scared anymore. Cindy - age 8

My mommy loves me more than anybody You don't see anyone else kissing me to sleep at night. Clare - age 6

Love is when Mommy gives Daddy the best piece of chicken. Elaine - age 5

Love is when Mommy sees Daddy smelly and sweaty and still says he is handsomer than Robert Redford. Chris -

Love is when your puppy licks your face even after you left him alone all day. Mary Ann - age 4

I know my older sister loves me because she gives me all her old clothes and has to go out and buy new ones. Lauren - age 4

When you love somebody, your eyelashes go up and down and little stars come out of you. (what an image) - Karen 7

Love is when Mommy sees Daddy on the toilet and she doesn't think it's gross. Mark - age 6

You really shouldn't say 'I love you' unless you mean it. But if you mean it, you should say it a lot. People forget. Jessica - age 8

And the final one -- Author and lecturer Leo Buscaglia once talked about a contest he was asked to judge. The purpose of the contest was to find the most caring child. The winner was a four-year-old child whose next-door neighbour was an elderly gentleman who had recently lost his wife.

Upon seeing the man cry, the little boy went into the old gentleman's yard, climbed onto his lap, and just sat there.

When his Mother asked what he had said to the neighbour, the little boy said, "Nothing, I just helped him cry"......

Just for you Alex

# Thrift Shop Roster

	EARLY SHIFT	LATE SHIFT
26/04/08	Joan Reed, Ron Schubert, Colin Schirmer	Ken Haines
03/05/08	Kevin Rogers and Joan Reed	Ken Haines and Mavis Martin
10/05/08	Kevin Rogers and John Peacham	Ken Haines and Stephen Westgarth
17/05/08	Kevin Rogers and Lindsay England	Ken Haines

Remember our Rotary theme for the year

**ROTARY SHARES**