

THE UNLEY ROTARIAN

Meeting 3734 – 12th October 2010

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MEETINGS: The Club meets every Tuesday at "Tiffins on the Park",
176 Greenhill Road Parkside (Cnr George Street) at 6.30pm.
Fellowship at 6.00pm

Our Last Meeting

Meeting No.	3734
Date	12 th October 2010
Venue	Tiffins on the Park
Occasion	Dr Andrew Saies Winning the Sydney to Hobart Yacht race
Sergeant	Bob Mullins
Apologies	Alex Jonson, Chandra Sluggett, David Middleton, Janet Singh, John Russell, Mavis Martin, John Peacham, Heather Kilsby, Nathan White and Colin Schirmer.
Guests	Stephanie de Longueville - Rotaract of Germany, Margaret Payne, Catherine Reed & Jenn Casburn
Returning Rotarians	Geoff Hill and Neville Highett
Visiting Rotarians	Peter Poulton - Rotary Club of Kent Town
Anniversaries and Birthdays	Vince Michielin 1 st October
Make Ups	Chandra Sluggett, David Middleton, Janet Singh, John Russell, and Mavis Martin
Attendance	75%

President's Announcements

1. Thank you to Stephen Westgarth for doing the bulletin in my absence last week it was really appreciated.
2. PP Jerry Casburn will give a more formal account of the Conference that 5 members attended but I would just like to say I thought it was one of the better conferences that I have attended. The speakers were excellent and the value for money was very good. The next conference is in Mildura in 2012 in April and it would be very good to think about getting members to attend.



President Joan

Spots

Bob Laws: Help is need in the shop on a Saturday to assist with pricing and sorting. If any member is available please drop in and offer your assistance

Jerry Casburn advised the club that their outstanding Sausage Sizzle skills were being requested at an Unley Council event at Heyward Park on Saturday 30th October. More info to follow later Jerry also thanked members for the money box contributions which are now close to \$100.

Sheila Evans: roster is being prepared for the Sausage Sizzle at Government house, and we need all members on deck. There will be a meeting next week following our normal meeting.

Guest Speaker - Dr Andrew Saies: "Winning the Sydney-Hobart"

Chairman for the evening Jerry Casburn introduced our guest speaker Dr Andrew Saies who was born and educated in Adelaide and graduated from Adelaide University medical school in 1980 undertaking his internship at the RAH and developing an early interest in surgery. He was accepted into surgical training in 1982, completed the primary in 1983 and having enjoyed all of the surgical specialities made a decision to pursue a career in Orthopaedic surgery. Andrew finished Orthopaedic training and passed the Fellowship in 1988. He undertook a subspecialty fellowship in Hand Upper Limb and Microsurgery at Duke University in North Carolina.

Returning to Adelaide Andrew commenced practice in Hand and Upper Limb Surgery at the recently opened Sportsmed.SA Clinic under the mentorship of Dr. Michael Hayes. In 2010 Sportsmed.SA Hospital was ranked the number one private hospital in Australia by a national MediBank Private patient survey.



Andrew Saies and crew of 'Two True'

The Hospital is accredited by the AOA for Orthopaedic training. Currently Andrew is Chairman of the Board at SMSA and current Chair of the SA Health Statewide Orthopaedic Clinical Network Committee.

Andrew is an avid sailor and winning the 2009 Rolex Sydney Hobart yacht race was a stand-out lifetime achievement and memorable highlight; the race has a history which began just after the Second World War and is now recognised as an International event.

He is the past Chairman of the Scotch College Council of Governors, current President of the Cruising Yacht Club of SA, both voluntary roles and is an active supporter of arts, sporting and political organizations. Andrew started sailing at 13, raced in the Sydney Hobart five times, two as crew and three in his own boat. Forty years on he won the race.

In a smaller boat, to race requires a great boat, a great crew and a good strategy. On a personal level it requires endurance, survival, a competitive nature and excellent sailing skills.

Over the 628 nautical mile race the first and last few miles are critical as proved the case with Andrew's win.

In the life of the race there have only been three South Australian winners. In most cases this requires more than 3000 miles of sailing, Adelaide to Sydney, Sydney to Hobart and Hobart back to Adelaide.

Andrew's boat "Two True" is a 40' First 40 designed by Bruce Farr and won handicap honours in the 2009 race. The handicap rules are set by a body in the UK and are a complex equation which Andrew boiled down to a simple twice the length means twice as fast.

The race was made extra exciting by a series of protests where Andrew's boat was falsely accused of hitting another and breaching a third boat's rights in the process. Andrew's wife's camera skills saved that day, when, at the hearing in Hobart, photographs clearly showed that he was not involved in the collision and that the third boat had breached the rules.

Andrew's presentation was exciting with many photographs of the race, Andrew's crew and the boat. Members asked many questions and were in danger of keeping him here until the next race. Andrew was thanked in the traditional way.



'Two True' on the final legs of the race



Andrew Saies & Chairman Jerry Casburn

Rotary News

New lottery e-mail scam

Rotary International News - 15 October 2010

There are several e-mail scams that target Rotarians. Please be aware of the following scams:

- An e-mail scam regarding a promotional prize awarded by a fake department at The Rotary Foundation has emerged. The sender, who claims to be the manager of a **Promotions/Prize department**, informs recipients that they won a lottery promotion, with a lump sum payout of US\$1 million. The e-mail gives out a reference number of LP/26510037/10. The sender uses the name **Jerry J. Blake**.
- A scam regarding employment opportunities at Rotary International has emerged on Craigslist. **Please be aware:** any and all job listings asking to contact a "**HR Manager Charles Baldwin**" are fraudulent and are NOT related to RI career opportunities. Please look out for the scammer's Yahoo messenger ID: **charlesbaldwin2008**, as well as, any e-mail coming from the address of **hr@eaglescomputers.com**. The e-mail scam reads: *Hello, The entire board and members of The Rotary Foundation wishes to inform you that your resume has been received and we find you qualified for the job. An interview will be conducted online and that would be the final process regarding this job. This is a work-from-home job offer from Rotary International NB: You are requested to download and set up a Yahoo Instant Messenger Account (<http://www.messenger.yahoo.com>) and add the online HR Manager Mr Charles Baldwin on his yahoo i.d charlesbaldwin2008. The duties and functions will be explained briefly by Mr Charles Baldwin. Salary: \$20/Hour Benefit Apply Fulltime/Parttime Positions are Open. Regards, John Kenny RI President Rotary International*
- NOTE: All legitimate Rotary International jobs on Craigslist are re-directed to <http://careers.rotary.org>
- An e-mail from "UFAAIDS" requesting personal information in exchange for a job position as a "U.S. UFAAIDS-Rotary District 8080-Donations Co-ordinator."
- A request via e-mail for a \$5 donation to list your Interact club on a Web site. This Web site is not affiliated or in any way associated to Rotary International.

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RI President Ray Klinginsmith declares president-nominee

Rotary International News – 6 October 2010

RI President Ray Klinginsmith officially declared Sakuji Tanaka the Rotary International president-nominee on 1 October. There were no challenging candidates.

The Nominating Committee for President of Rotary International in 2012-13 selected Tanaka, a member of the Rotary Club of Yashio, Saitama, Japan, in August. He will be formally elected at the 2011 RI Convention in New Orleans, Louisiana, USA.

Sakuji Tanaka, a member of the Rotary Club of Yashio, Saitama, Japan, is the selection of the Nominating Committee for President of Rotary International in 2012-13. Tanaka will become the president-nominee on 1 October if there are no challenging candidates.

Tanaka said he would like to see Rotary "continue its vital work as the force to improve our communities."

To do this work, Rotary needs active, involved clubs, he added. "We are fortunate to have our revised RI Strategic Plan to help build strong clubs that are vibrant, action-oriented, and relevant in the changing world."



RI President Nominee Sakuji Tanaka

For 32 years, Tanaka was president of Tanaka Company Ltd., a wholesale firm that went public in 1995 and later merged with other leading wholesalers in Japan. Currently, he serves as vice president of the Yashio City Chamber of Commerce and adviser to Arata Co. Ltd., an animal feed and pet food wholesaler. He also chaired the National Household Papers Distribution Association of Japan for eight years. Tanaka studied business at Nihon Management Daigakuin and Tokyo Management Daigakuin.

A past trustee of The Rotary Foundation, Tanaka chaired the 2009 Birmingham Convention Committee. His other service to Rotary includes RI director, regional Rotary Foundation coordinator, district governor, and member of the Polio Eradication Advocacy Task Force, the Permanent Fund Committee for Japan, and the Future Vision Committee.

Tanaka established an endowed Rotary Peace Fellowship, and he and his wife, Kyoko, are Paul Harris Fellows, Benefactors of the Permanent Fund, and Major Donors.

He is a recipient of RI's Service Above Self Award and The Rotary Foundation's Distinguished Service Award.

Tanaka said that eradicating polio will "fulfill the promise we made to children in the world" and that "there is no doubt in my mind that the day of this success will be realized in the near future."

Tanaka and Kyoko have three children and five grandchildren.

The 2010 nominating committee members are John F. Germ, USA (chair); Monty J. Audenart, Canada; Keith Barnard-Jones, England; Peter Bundgaard, Denmark; Frank C. Collins Jr., USA; Rudolf Hörndler, Germany; Jackson San-Lien Hsieh, Taiwan; Umberto Laffi, Italy; Ashok M. Mahajan, India; Gerald A. Meigs, USA; Paul A. Netzel, USA; Samuel A. Okudzeto, Ghana; Kazuhiko Ozawa, Japan; Noraseth Pathmanand, Thailand; Themistocles A.C. Pinho, Brazil; Barry Rassin, Bahamas; and Barry E. Thompson, Australia.

Diary Dates

Month	Day	Date	Activity Details	Venue	Enquiries
October	Tuesday	26/10/10	Tour of Warrawong and meal	Warrawong Sanctuary	David Mackrell
	Saturday	30/10/10	BBQ Sausage Sizzle	Heywood Park	Jerry Casburn
November	Sunday	7/11/10	BBQ Fundraiser	Government House	Sheila Evans
	Tuesday	30-11-10	Petanque in the Park	TBA	David Mackrell
December	Tuesday	7-12-10	Christmas Dinner Meeting	Rydges Parkside	David Mackrell
	Sunday	12-12-10	Christmas Carols	Unley Memorial Gardens	David Middleton
	Wednesday	22-12-10	Christmas breakfast Meeting	TBA	

Our Upcoming Meetings

Date	Venue	Time	Occasion	Chairman & Scribe	Venue Set-up/Plaque Board	Sergeant	Attendance Desk
October Theme: Vocational Service							
19/10/10	Tiffins on the Park	6 for 6.30pm	Michelle Hollis - 2009 Police Officer of the Year	S Baker	D Mackrell	B Mullins	J Peacham & N Bowen
26/10/10	Warrawong Sanctuary	6 for 6.30pm	Visit Warrawong Sanctuary and Dinner – Partners and Friends	D Mackrell	W Andrews	NA	N Bowen & S Westgarth
2/11/10	Tiffins on the Park	6 for 6.30pm	Dean Griffiths - Australian Army Band	R Elms	G McLeod	TBA	S Westgarth & M Martin
9/11/10	Tiffins on the Park	6 for 6.30pm	Jackie Mc George - Macular Degeneration	S Evans	C Sluggett	TBA	M Martin & J Russell

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Venue Set-up/Plaque Board Enquiries To: Bulletin Editor

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Members rostered on Venue Set-up and Plaque Board should see Tiffins on the Park staff to gain access to the club's meeting paraphernalia. Please remember to gather up all items at the end of the meeting and return them to the storeroom.

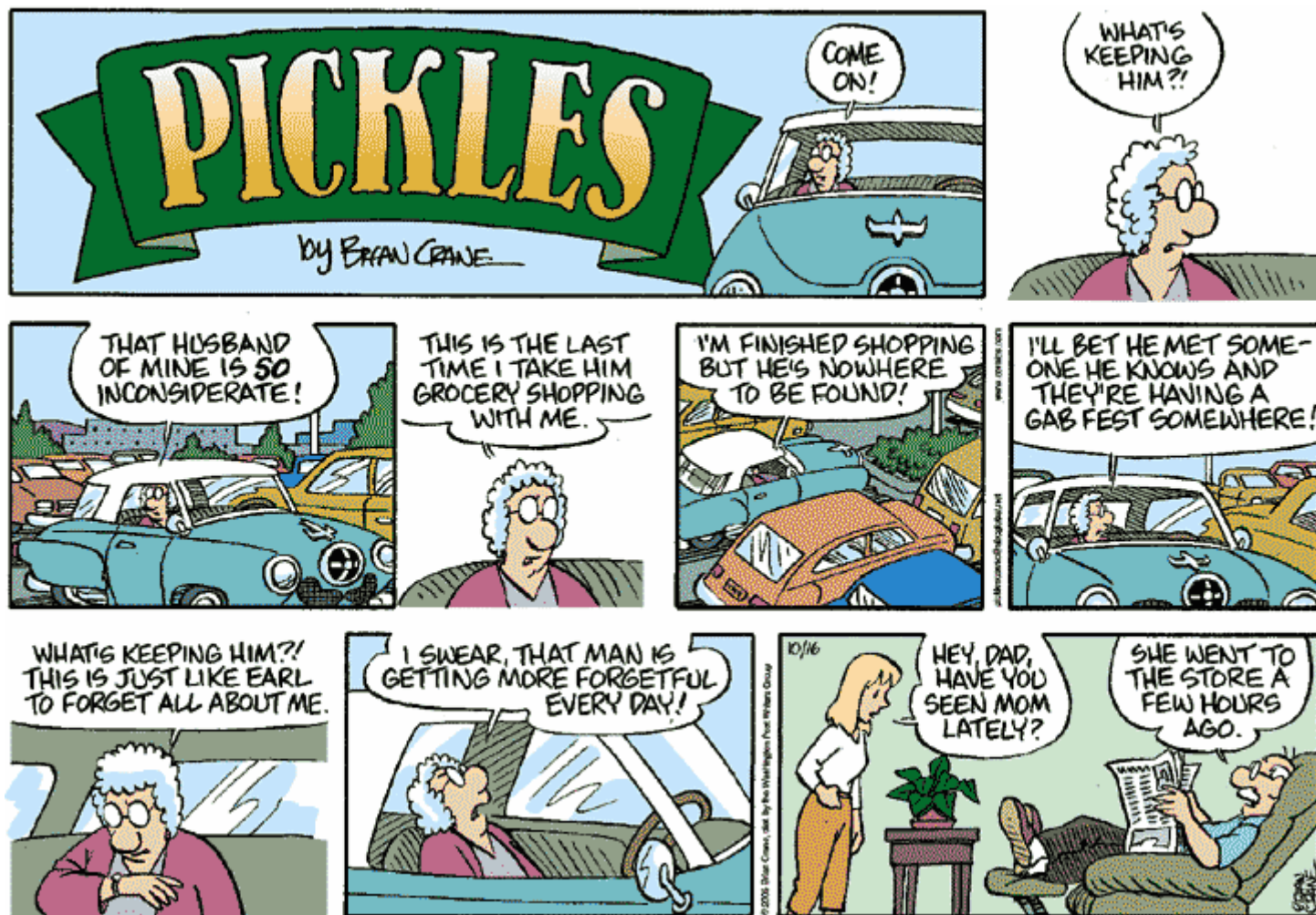
Saturday Thrift Shop Roster: October 2010

Week No.	Dates	Early Shift: 10am to 12.30pm	Late Shift: 12.30pm to 3.00pm
3	16/10/10	Glenys Ferguson & Neesha Nandasena	Joan Reed & Bob Laws
4	23/10/10	John Peacham & Chandra Sluggett	David Mackrell & Sheila Evans
5	30/10/10	Reno Elms & Bob Mullins	Natalie Bowen & Joan Reed
1	06/11/10	Lindsay England & David Middleton	Mavis Martin & Stephen Westgarth
2	13/11/10	Stephen Baker & Greg McLeod	Janet Plumb & Wendy Andrews

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

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Coroner's Report

Three dead bodies turn up at the mortuary, all with very big smiles on their faces.

The coroner calls the police to tell them what has happened.

The Coroner tells the Inspector: 'First body: An Italian, 60, died of heart failure while with his mistress. Hence the enormous smile.'

'Second body: Scotsman, 25, won a thousand pounds on the Lottery, spent it all on whiskey, died of alcohol poisoning, hence the smile.'

The Inspector asked, 'What of the third body?'

'Ah,' says the coroner, 'This is the most unusual one. Danny O'Neil, Irish, 30, struck by lightning.'

'Why is he smiling then?' inquires the Inspector.

'He thought he was having his picture taken'.

Remember our Rotary theme for the year:

BUILDING COMMUNITIES

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