



Our Last Meeting

Venue	Public Schools Club
Event	Public Assembly
Chairman	Stephen Westgarth
Apologies	Wendy Andrews, Lindsay England, Sheila Evans, Geoff Hill, Nathan White
Guests	Nino Malvetti, Vera Holt
Returning Rotarians	Colin Schirmer, Chandra Sluggett
Almoner	Sheila Evans is in Windsor Hospital, NSW Anne Newall is home from hospital A son of Pam Trimmer died last week
Attendance	20 members and 2 guests

Rotary Club of Unley Inc.

District 9520 - Chartered 17 April 1935

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Meetings: Tuesdays at 6.00 for 6.30pm

Venue: Public Schools Club
207 East Terrace
Adelaide

President Stephen's Announcements

Catering Arrangements at the Public Schools Club: The Public Schools Club has written to me advising that they have decided to a) standardize the arrangements they have with all the 'Guest Groups' that use the club and b) increase their meal prices to reflect cost increases and the fact that they now have to pay GST. According to the PSC correspondence the cost of a two-course meal is likely to rise to as much as \$25, so we should expect at least a \$2 rise in our meal cost. With our own additions to the meal cost that would bring the weekly cost for Unley Rotarians to \$22.

In addition, the PSC is considering charging us for storage of our meeting paraphernalia, \$60 to change made to their standard table layouts and \$60 to reinstate the layout and \$30 per hour or part thereof for use of rooms if meals are not served.

In other changes, the PSC plans to convert the Carrington Room behind the main bar into a lounge for the exclusive use of PSC members and wines from the Wine Room off the main bar will be available for sale to non-PSC members.

There is supposed to be a meeting between the PSC Committee and representatives of their 'Guest Groups' this coming Friday to discussed the proposed changes, a meeting I plan to attend. I'll report the outcome of that meeting to our next meeting.

D9520 Conference – Warrnambool – March 2014: As announced in my District Conference report, D9520 delegates will convene in Warrnambool from 20th to 23rd March 2014 for this District's annual Conference. DGE Wendy Gaborit informed Rotarians in attendance at the Barossa Conference that they would be guaranteed a "Whale of a time in Warrnambool", with plenty to see and do and something to please everyone.



The committee in conjunction with Flagstaff Hill Tourism have organized a number of half day tours including the Maritime Museum, Great Ocean Road - 12 Apostles, or for the more active canoe or kayak the Hopkins River, fish for trout in the Merri River, go horse riding, play golf or take the board walk through the dunes and along the coast line. There's great shopping, art galleries, restaurants and cafes and if you feel like some pampering a number of spas; all that on top of some inspirational/ motivational speakers, including time for fellowship and fun.

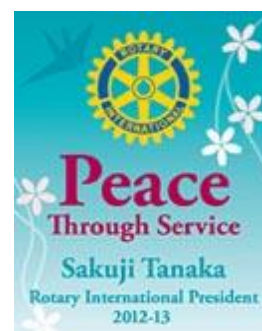
Name the Whale – a competition has been launched to name the 2014 Conference mascot – and as much as it might seem popular – Wendy will not win it. Entries should be directed to the Conference Secretary Bob England via email: bobmarge@bigpond.com entries close 30

September 2013. Prize to be advised. *D9520 Conference 2014 Registrar: d9520.conference@gmail.com Web: www.rotary9520.org.au*

The Otago Youth Adventure Trust and Rotary Club of Milton Tramping Club Inc.: Places are now available on the many trips planned for the 2014 season and organised by the Otago Youth Adventure Trust and Rotary Club of



President Stephen



Milton Tramping Club. All trips are run by unpaid volunteers. Leadership is "low key", and most of the trips are "independent" walks, as distinct from the "up market" commercially guided tramps.

They have now completed their 27th season, and in that time almost 17,000 people, of all ages and nationalities have participated and shared in the fun of the low cost adventures.

All our bookings and payments will be made "on line" on the web site at www.otagorotarytrusttramps.org.nz

Trips planned for 2014 are:

- Cycle the Otago Central Rail Trail (x2)
- Milford Track (x4)
- Tuatapere Hump Ridge Track (x1)
- Kepler Track (x1)
- Routeburn/Greenstone Track (x3)
- Borland Lodge (x1)
- Catlins – Tautuku Camp (x1)
- Aspiring – Tititea Lodge (x3)
- Rakiura Track (Stewart Island) (x4)
- Routeburn/Milford Combined (x1)
- Alps2Ocean Cycle Trail (Mt Cook to Omarama) (x3)

On all trips the organisers' bus picks you up and returns you to Dunedin (or other places, if on the bus route). Food and accommodation is provided while on the trip. They are a legal tramping club, not a commercial operator, and are required (by law) to run their trips on a "cost recovery" basis only. Consequently the unpaid volunteer leaders and organisers can offer a low-priced adventure. However, you do need to become a member of our Tramping Club (\$50), in the season of your trip, and they do suggest a voluntary donation, so they can return some funds to the two very worthwhile Charitable Trusts that are the parent bodies of the Club.

Induction of Nino Malvetti

President Stephen called the meeting to order. Sponsor Jerry Casburn provided a brief background of Nino who was born in Liege Belgium. His initial adult education was as a Technical Carpenter and Cabinetmaker. He worked in the "Waffle" business from the age of 12 and has now made it his career.

Nino migrated to Adelaide in 2003 and started "Waffle King" a business now resident in Sturt Road, Marion. The business was set up while Nino, as a full time student, was gaining a Diploma in Garden Design a course which took two years.

Today "Waffle King" is a well-established business and Nino is working hard to turn it into a franchise nationally and then worldwide.

President Stephen then conducted the induction ceremony. Nino's classification has been designated as *Family Restaurants*. He has been assigned to the Vocational and Youth Committee and Stephen Baker will mentor. Members warmly welcomed Nino into the club.



Nino, Stephen and Jerry.....welcome Nino!

Public Assembly - presentation by Directors

Heather Kilsby – Treasurer

Heather provided a copy of the accounts with a bank balance of \$103,000 at 30 April 2013. Thrift Shop receipts are higher than last year. The big uplift was in fundraising (mainly Detmold and Bunnings BBQs) with over \$10,000 already raised and this had contributed to a surplus of \$12,000 to date. Kennedy & Co was conducting a comprehensive audit without charge to the club and has been assisting with new ATO requirements....the ATO is cracking down on Not-for-profit organizations receiving unwarranted tax breaks.

Heather criticized the lack of documentation that often accompanied payments request and urged directors to comply.



Heather with her Treasury advisers

Alex Jonson – International

Committee Members: Alex Jonson (Chair), Bob Mills (Deputy Chair), Colin Schirmer, Ken Daly, Reno Elms & Jim Newall
Alex provided the following project information:

1. TRF (The Rotary Foundation) Matching Grants:

- a. The Rotary Foundation Annual Program – Donation of \$1000
- b. Sustainable Farming Project - Matching Grant to clear 229 acres of land belonging to 126 families in India was successful, with the club contributing \$3,395 together with a contribution of \$3,375 from the District Designated Fund. The project was completed and the financial reports were finalised in April.

2. DIK (Donation in Kind) – Donation of \$500.00.

3. Timor Lesté Shipping Container – Purchased school supplies for the Australian project SPEND it WELL in partnership with Her Excellency Kirsty Sword Gusmao (the wife of the Prime Minister and Ambassador for Education in Timor Lesté) at a cost of \$761.00. Due to the generous donations from the metropolitan Office Works the realistic value of the goods is in the vicinity of



The team preparing themselves for DIK

\$8,000.00 - \$9,000.00, On behalf of the Committee I would like to personally thank Chandra, Jim, Ken and both Ashu & Celina from Adelaide University Rotaract Club who volunteered in the cleaning and stacking of goods for the container on Saturday. They both worked hard and did an excellent job.

The Shipping Container loading and shipping will be co-ordinated by the Rotary Clubs of Berri and Waikerie on the 18th & 19th of May.

4. Shelter Boxes Australia: Donation of \$2000 funding for 2 shelter boxes. The 2 boxes we donated last year were delivered to two Pakistan families in need due to severe torrential monsoon flooding.
5. OSSAA (Overseas Specialist Surgical Association of Australia): Donation and annual subscription of \$1,100.
6. New Prospective Projects:
 - a. 2H Cambodian Project – Donated \$500 towards Jerry's 2H project to supplement the District Simplified Gant arranged by Jerry.
 - b. \$2000 was donated towards Beyond Business Programme.
7. Sponsored Projects: Funds Donated by Mr. & Mrs Wasley:

A Matching Grant to provide a blood gas analyser, cardiac defibrillator and six intensive care unit beds to Padaviya Hospital in Sri Lanka was successful, with Mr. & Mrs. Wasley contributing \$8,924 together with a contribution of \$4,900 from the District Designated Fund.



Alex on song...nice flesh coloured tie

Briony Casburn – Community Service

Committee: Briony Casburn (Chair), David Middleton, David Payne, Anne Wehr and John Russell.

Community Service has made a number of donations to a variety of local organisations, specifically:

1. Make a Wish \$500
2. Country Fire Service \$500
3. Sophia (Refugee Education at Cabra College) \$250, plus the donation of a sewing machine and interlocker.
4. Caring Choir \$500
5. OSCAR (After school care, equipment for disabled) \$500

An approach has been made to the Caring Choir offering an opportunity to sing at the next "Carols at the Rotunda"

The club also assisted the Salvation Army with support for their Christmas tree at the Unley Shopping Centre; plans are in place to provide similar support this year. [Reno Elms thanked the Committee for its support.]

Help will also be given during the Red Shield Appeal and we will, as a club, match donations via the club.

David Middleton managed the Carols at the Rotunda at Christmas, a great event and planning is under way for this year's event.

The club supported the Unley Concert for local senior citizens, providing a pick up and return car service, food for the concert and general assistance. The club was applauded for its efforts and we have been asked to perform a similar service in November, more details later.

Our desire is provide more hands on service from the club and the opportunity to help "Meals on Wheels" at Christmas is being explored.

We have also maintained a link with local Rotaract clubs and some of the Adelaide Uni club helped Alex and the team at Donations in Kind.

Greg McLeod – Fundraising and Fellowship

While the revenue raised from BBQs at Detmold and Bunnings had been excellent, there is a need for more members to volunteer for these events....volunteer freely and often!

Entertainment Books net \$13 to the club for each book – stocks are plentiful.....buy more and buy often!

Members enjoyed the visit to the Waffle King and we can look forward to the forthcoming Art Exhibition.



Briony with plenty to smile about



Greg – an immaculate fundraiser

Motion

Jerry Casburn moved and Alex Jonson seconded 'That the meeting recommends to the Board that the Rotary Club of Unley no longer hold the Sergeant's fine session, and that monies raised through a levy on the dinner and squares revenue be devoted to achieving Centurion status for the club'. Debate ensued. A majority (12 to 6 with 3 abstentions) agreed to ceasing the Sergeant's fine session for a trial period of six months. Members agreed without dissension (19 ayes) that monies raised at meetings should be used to achieve Centurion status for the club.

Spots

Stephen Westgarth advised that Vaishnavi Landge is looking for a place to rent; many Rotarians will remember meeting Vishnavi at the Snake Charmer. The people she is staying with are expecting visitors in June (initially were expected in July) and have asked Vaishnavi to vacate the room by June. She studies at UniSA's City West Campus and is looking for a room to rent, even temporarily, but within walking distance to public transport. Please let Chandra or Stephen know if you can help.

Jerry Casburn asked for further assistance for the Detmold BBQ on 17 May – the early shift 5-7.30am comprising Greg McLeod, Stephen Baker, Stephen Westgarth & Jerry Casburn, and late shift 6-8pm comprising Joan Reed, Wendy Andrews, Jerry Casburn & Briony Casburn are fine but he would like further assistance for the luncheon team 11am-2pm comprising Alex Jonson, Mavis Martin, Richard Taylor, Ken Daly and Jerry Casburn; Ken Haines volunteered. Any further volunteers would be welcome.

Reno Elms spoke about the 3Ds [Door knocking, Donating and Desk knocking of businesses] of the Red Shield Appeal in which Unley Rotarians are urged to participate. There is a need for more door knockers particularly with Reno being given a part of Mitcham Council area to manage. Students at Scotch College have been engaged. Reno expressed appreciation for the generosity of people in his area and for our Rotary Club which matches members' donations.

Joan Reed declared that she would stand at the door and hand out *Community Links* for distribution by members in the local area.

Stephen Baker again advised that the POOTY ceremony in the Mall scheduled 12 for 12.30pm next Tuesday had moved from Gawler Place to near DJs and thanked members for pre-paying for the dinner.

Sergeant Ken Haines with considerable dexterity selected Heather Kilsby as the winner of the infernal squares. He wielded his fining sword to good effect...Heather was proud!

President Stephen confirmed that our club had won the annual quiz - 16 to 13 out of 25 questions - with Aireborough Club. He announced that there would be 15 minutes devoted to Thrift Shop Occupational Health and Safety (mainly Fire Drill) after this meeting for those who had been unable to attend the previous briefing.

He then closed the meeting at 7.58 pm.

Rotary News

Litter-buster keeps her city clean

By Susie Ma - The Rotarian -- May 2013

Wendy Marcus calls herself a bag lady: On her frequent walks around her neighborhood, she is never without a plastic bag, which she fills with everything from plastic wrappers to bottle caps to paper clips.

"Litter has always bugged me. Maybe I take after Lady Bird Johnson," she says, referring to the conservationist (and wife of U.S. President Lyndon B. Johnson) who, like Marcus, was a Texas native.

When the Rotary Club of Providence celebrated its centennial in 2011, Marcus and other members of the club's environmental committee persuaded 100 Rotarians to join a campaign to reduce litter. In the now-annual month-long event, culminating on Earth Day, 22 April, Rotarians recruit friends and family members to pick up trash – in their neighborhood, at their children's soccer games, wherever they can – for 100 minutes each.

Like Lady Bird Johnson, Marcus also believes in beautification through planting. In 2012, she planted trees in Providence – her club donated eight London plane trees to the city, and high school students helped plant them in a park across from city hall – and in India – where from January to March of that year, she led a Group Study Exchange. When the Rotary Club of Jalandhar Central donated fruit trees to local farmers, Marcus and her team were on hand to help plant them as a living reminder of their visit.



Wendy Marcus

Diary Dates

Year	Month	Day	Date	Activity Details	Venue
2013	May	Tues	21	Police Officer of the Year	12.30pm Rundle Mall; 7.00pm Glenelg Golf Club
	Jun	Sun to Wed	23-26	RI Convention	Lisbon, Portugal

Bunnings Mile End Barbeque Dates

ALL the Bunnings Mile End Barbeque dates are the **last Monday** of the month from 8am to 5pm. **NEXT 27 May Morning shift 8.30am – 12.30pm Afternoon shift 12.30 – 5pm**

Our Upcoming Meetings

Date	Venue	Time	Occasion	Chairman & Scribe	Set up & Plaque Board	Sergeant	Attendance Desk
21/05/13	Rundle Mall (at the silver balls near DJs) Glenelg Golf Club	12 for 12.30pm 7 for 7.30	SA Police Officer of the Year Award Public Presentation POOTY dinner	D Middleton Scribe S Baker	R Mills	N/A	C Schirmer A Wehr
28/05/13	Public Schools Club	6 for 6.30pm	d'Arcy Lunn: "End Polio Now" Joint Meeting with RC Prospect	TBA	J Newall	R Mullins	A Wehr W Andrews
04/06/13	Public Schools Club	6 for 6.30pm	TBA	TBA	D Payne	R Mullins	W Andrews S Baker
11/06/13	Public Schools Club	6 for 6.30pm	International Night David Rusk: "RAWCS Nepal Dalit Women's Upliftment Centre Orphanage School Project"; Partners Event	Alex Jonson	A Reed	R Mullins	S Baker B Casburn

Apologies To: Wendy Andrews by **e-mail** to unley.attendance@rotaryclub.org.au or in an emergency on 8377 7830

Meeting Chair Enquiries To: Nathan White 0424 608 699 or email to unley.vocational@rotaryclub.org.au

Venue Set-up/Bar Enquiries To: Bulletin Editor - Stephen Baker on 8379 7105

Attendance Desk Enquiries To: Wendy Andrews by **e-mail** to unley.attendance@rotaryclub.org.au or in an emergency on 8377 7830

The Voice of Rotary

Broadcast on 1197 AM RPH Adelaide each Tuesday 7.30-8.00 am

From each Wednesday the broadcast program can be heard on-line at www.rphadelaide.org.au
Information available from Rotarian Chris Hughes (Burnside); Tel: (08) 8379 4633; Mob: 0418 835 977 and John Cox (Nth Adelaide); Email: emandcee@bigpond.com



May 2013 Program

21/5/13	Joanna Giles (Helping Others Grow Foundation)	Greening Nepal with Rotaract – Part 2
28/5/13	Rtn Jock Thornton (Burnside)	Rotary in the Long Term

Saturday Thrift Shop Roster

May - June 2013

Week No.	Dates	Early Shift: 10am to 12.30pm	Late Shift: 12.30pm to 3.00pm
4	25/05/13	Wendy Andrews (for Bob Laws) & Pam Trimmer	Sheila Evans & Ken Haines
5		Bob Mullins & Reno Elms	Joan Reed & David Pisoni
1	01/06/13	David Middleton & Jerry Casburn	Bob Laws & Stephen Westgarth
2	08/06/13	Greg McLeod & Stephen Baker	Wendy Andrews & Mavis Martin
3	15/06/13	Glenys Ferguson & Joan Reed	Neesha Nandasena & Nathan White

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

Lindsay England: 8445 8552; (M) 0408 857 775; e-mail: lengland@senet.com.au

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Lipstick

According to a news report, a certain private Catholic school was recently faced with a unique problem. A number of 12-year-old girls were beginning to use lipstick and would put it on in the bathroom.

That was fine provided it was of a natural or neutral skin tone, but after they put on their lipstick, they would press their lips to the mirror leaving dozens of little lip prints. Every night the maintenance man would remove them; and the next day the girls would put them back.

Finally, the principal, Sister Jeanne, decided that something had to be done. She called all the girls to the bathroom and met them there with the maintenance man. She explained that all these lip prints were causing a major problem for the custodian, who had to clean the mirrors every night (you can just imagine the yawns from the little princesses).

To demonstrate how difficult it had been to clean the mirrors, Sister Mary asked the maintenance man to show the girls how much effort was required. He took out a long-handled squeegee, dipped it in the toilet, and cleaned the mirror with it.

Since then, there have been no lip prints on the mirror.

There are teachers..... And then there are educators!

Forgetables

Paddy says to Mick, "Christmas is on Friday this year". Mick said, "Let's hope it's not the 13th then."

Since the snow came all the wife has done is look through the window. If it gets any worse, I'll have to let her in.

Just a Reminder to those who stole Electrical Goods in Last Year's Riots....Your One Year Manufacturer's Warranty Runs Out Soon.

A boy asks his granny, 'Have you seen my pills, they were labelled LSD?' Granny replies, 'Stuff the pills, have you seen the dragons in the kitchen?!'

Little Billy asks his dad for a telly in his room. Dad reluctantly agrees.

Next day Billy comes downstairs and asks, 'Dad, what's love juice?'

Dad looks horrified and tells Billy all about sex.

Billy just sat there with his mouth open in amazement.

Dad asks, 'So what were you watching?'

Billy says, 'Wimbledon.'

A woman standing nude in front of a mirror says to her husband: 'I look horrible, I feel fat and ugly, pay me a compliment.' He replies, 'Your eyesight is perfect.'

