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District Conference Dinner



**LIGHT UP
ROTARY**

Conference Dinner

Where

Ballarat and District Trotting Club
703 Bell Street, Redan

When

Saturday 18 April
7.00pm - 11.00pm

Theme

Light up Rotary and Ballarat

Dress

After 5 - light and bright colors

Dancing

Toe tappers wear your favorite
dancing shoes

New Semi Annual Invoices

Beginning January 1st 2015, Clubs will receive a one-page invoice that clearly states the amount owed for subscription fees (only those collected by Rotary), membership dues, and outstanding balances. Club officers will no longer need to recalculate bills, make adjustments, or fill out the eight-part semiannual report (SAR).

The new invoices will be posted online and distributed in hard copy (to those Clubs who have requested hard copy) in the week beginning January 26th 2015.

Rotary Club of Blackwood – Community Forum

Iain Evans Talks About His Life in Politics



The Rotary Club of Blackwood is hosting a dinner meeting to give people the opportunity to quiz Iain Evans, recently retired member for Davenport, about his 20+ years in politics.

It is open to everyone in the community.

Venue: The Belair Country Club, Upper Sturt Road, Belair

When: Tuesday, February 17th 2015 – 6:30pm for 7:00pm

Cost: \$25 (two course dinner plus coffee/tea)

Bookings are essential
Contact Rotarian Jeff Hunter
jphunter16@bigpond.com
 Mobile 0433 149 977

Nominations for District Governor in 2017 - 2018

Clubs are invited to suggest nominations for the position of District Governor in 2017 – 2018. Specific information has previously been sent to all Club Presidents and Secretaries.

Club suggestions must be received by the District Secretary by Sunday, February 15th 2015.

International Women's Day

Celebrating



International Women's Day

An initiative of Women in Rotary—SA Chapter.

Proceeds to Days For Girls



Women in Rotary



Boost start your day in the company of those who inspire, lead and influence. Join us for breakfast, take the opportunity to network and be inspired by one woman's journey to tell the story of others who have served.

Dr Sharon Mascall-Dare 'Women of Courage: New Perspectives on the Anzac Centenary'.

Tickets \$40pp **Book at:**

<http://e.mybookingmanager.com/2015 International Womens>

Day breakfast

Wednesday 4 March 2015

7:00 for 7:15 am Breakfast

concludes 9:00am

National Wine Centre - Exhibition Hall



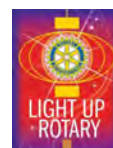
Dr Sharon Mascall-Dare

A BBC documentary producer, has won a number of awards for her journalistic work on social justice issues, & the significance of ANZAC, both here and in the USA.

National Wine Centre of Australia



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Expanding An Innovative & Flexible Rotary Club Pilot

Rotary International is expanding an Innovative and Flexible Club Pilot scheme, which will run from July 1st 2015 until June 30th 2017.

Rotary



Clubs that are selected to take part in the Pilot will be able to temporarily change the standard RI Constitution and Club Byelaws to try:

- Different meeting locations and designs
- Innovative Club leadership structures
- Creative membership requirements
- To shift the focus from meeting attendance to member engagement

Eligible Clubs must:

- Have chartered before June 30th 2010
- Be in good financial standing
- Have a minimum of 20 members
- Demonstrate that $\frac{2}{3}$ Club members have voted to participate in the Pilot
- Not be participating in the 2011 -17 Membership Pilots

Participating Clubs need to:

- Appoint a Club Pilot Coordinator
- Submit specific reports twice yearly
- Maintain current records on My Rotary and Rotary Club Central

Clubs are now invited to take part in this Pilot Scheme. Between 60-70 Clubs will be selected from Australia and New Zealand. **The deadline for submitting applications is March 31st 2015.**

For more information:

Eligibility & Guide lines – Click [here](#)

Application Forms – Click [here](#)

Barry Klose - OAM

Barry Klose from the Rotary Club of Onkaparinga was awarded a Medal of the Order of Australia (OAM) in the recent Australia Day Awards.



Barry was a Charter member in 1978; President in 1988-1989; District Conference Treasurer in 2009 and has been Club Treasurer since 2003. Barry is a Paul Harris Fellow (Sapphire).

Barry and his family have a long and proud history of involvement in the Adelaide Hills, particularly in the Lobethal community. They run a group of Foodland stores in Lobethal, Woodside, Balhannah and Littlehampton.

Congratulations Barry!

Rotary Club of Burnside – Film Night



The Second Best Exotic Marigold Hotel

Please join us for our film night to be held at the Regal Cinema, 275 Kensington Road Kensington Park on **March 7th** commencing with drinks and nibbles at 6pm.

Funds raised will go towards our Shelter box project and End Polio Now. The cost will be \$20 per ticket, which includes a glass of wine and nibbles.

For further information and tickets, please contact Jean Walker – 0407 972 934

District Diary Dates

An important District Date:

Attention all Incoming Club Presidents

Presidents Elect Training Seminar

March 7th & 8th 2015

McCormick Centre, Renmark

Other Dates for your Diary:

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| • District Leaders' Training | Sunday, February 8 th 2015 | Flinders University |
| • District Assembly | Sunday, March 29 th 2015 | Unity College, Murray Bridge |
| • Specialist Training (City) | Sunday, May 3 rd 2015 | St Francis of Assisi School,
Newton |
| • Specialist Training (Country) | Sunday, May 31 st 2015 | Broken Hill |
| • District Conference | April 16-19 th 2015 | Ballarat |
| • District Changeover | Sunday, July 5 th 2015 | Belair Country Club |

Vocational Training Team – Home Hosts Wanted



HOME HOSTS WANTED

VOCATIONAL TRAINING TEAM (VTT) Participants from TIMOR LESTE

PLEASE - Respond by 28th February 2015

PROJECT: D9520 and D9550 (& RC Dili, Timor Leste) are participating in a 3 stage Vocational Training Team (VTT) project. This VTT project will focus on English as Additional Language teacher training needs. **Stage 1:** Team leader plus 10 teachers from various secondary schools & from SOLS 24/7 (vocational education), in Timor Leste, will be visiting us from **15th April to 24th May 2015**, to participate in a English as Additional Language teacher training program. **Stages 2 & 3:** Five teachers from here, split into 2 groups, will visit Timor Leste for 2 weeks, in July and in Sep/Oct school holidays. One group will deliver teacher training workshops to as many English language teachers as possible. The second group will be undertaking a comparative study of the English as Additional Language teacher training needs, to help develop a suitable teacher training program.

DATES for HOSTING: **15th April to 24th May 2015 - (excluding 16th to 19th of April). Approximately 5 weeks.** (We plan to home host in Ballarat, for 16th to 19th April. The teachers will participate in the District Conference, visit local schools & connect with local organisations involved in East Timor education projects.

NUMBER of HOSTS: **11 Clubs/hosts - in the Adelaide area.** The visitors will be encouraged to use public transport, where it is convenient. To improve English proficiency, we will place only one teacher per host family at any one time. Clubs can request to host more than one teacher if it wishes.

COSTS to the CLUB: Approximate cost, would be about **\$1,000** for meals, transport, activities outings etc, to host one teacher for the 5 weeks. Similar to GSE. (Further details will be provided to the host Club representatives, at a group meeting for host Clubs.)

TRAINING DATES and PROGRAM:

Dates	Program - activities
Wednesday 15 th April 2015	Arrive in Adelaide from Timor Leste
Thursday 16 th to Sunday 19 th April 2015	Ballarat, Vic – visit schools, meet with organisations doing education projects in East Timor, District Conference etc
Tuesday 21 st - Friday 24 th April 2015 (inclusive)	Orientation & English Conversation Classes - 5-6 hours per day, during the day. Location TBA. (Monday 20 th – R&R)
Mon 27 th April - Fri 15 th May 2015 (3 weeks, inclusive, week days, normal school hours)	School Teacher Training program. Address: The Adelaide Secondary School of English, 253 Torrens Road, West Croydon. Teachers can use a school bus or public transport to and from the school and the CBD, if this is convenient for the host.
Monday 18 th to Friday 22 nd May 2015	Vocational visits to various schools & education institutions in Adelaide
Sunday 24 th May 2015	Depart Adelaide and return to Dili, Timor Leste

ENQUIRIES AND APPLICATIONS TO: Please inform Euan Miller euanm@internode.on.net by 28 February 2015, if you can assist us with home hosting a teacher. For more information ph8379 8515 or mob 0401 124 387.

Thank you, kindly for your assistance.

Chandra Sluggett, VTT Chair, D9520 (82971563 / 0422922301 chandsluggett@tpg.com.au)

Rotary's 110th Birthday



This month we will be holding a District event to celebrate Rotary's 110th Birthday

- **Date:** Sunday, February 22nd 2015
- **Venue:** **Pinky Flat** (War Memorial Drive, near the Adelaide Oval) and the new Torrens footbridge. Parking is available on War Memorial Drive.
- **Time:** 6:00pm to 8:30pm

Updated Program:



- Rotary picnic event in a picturesque park
- Entertainment – music, jugglers, face painters
- Food provided by Rotary Clubs
- Promotion of the 'End Polio Now' campaign e.g. sale of balloons, pins, T-shirts
- At twilight, watch an address by the State Governor, a Rotary balloon release and 'Light Up Rotary' video outside the Adelaide Oval
- Led by bagpipers, Rotarians will walk onto the Torrens footbridge carrying electric candles and international flags, forming a display to 'Light Up Rotary' in the early darkness
- The Rotary video will be re-played and the Adelaide Oval will be lit up in Rotary colours

We need your help:

- By attending a family picnic event in Rotary attire, listening to the Bands
- Inviting your non-Rotarian friends to join you in a beautiful park, overlooking the Torrens
- Take part in a twilight 'Light Up Rotary' walk on the footbridge
- Distribute Rotary information to the general public
- Consider how your Club could advertise this event in your local community and encourage people to attend
- This will be a great opportunity to promote Rotary and our Clubs

For further information, please contact:

Indications of your attendance should be sent by February 7th to:

- **AG Bob Cooper** rg.cooper@bigpond.com or
- **President Brian Huffen** bphuffen@gmail.com



Ballarat District Conference – April 16th - 19th 2015



Registration Information:

- Full Standard Registration paid by February 28th 2015 \$245 per person
- Full Late Registration paid after February 28th 2015 \$260 per person

What Full Conference Registration includes:

- Welcome Reception Thursday, April 16th
- Plenary Sessions Friday 17th, Saturday 18th, Sunday 19th April
- Morning Teas Friday 17th, Saturday 18th, Sunday 19th April
- Box Lunches Friday 17th and Saturday 18th April
- Conference Dinner Saturday, 18th April

Completed Registration Forms must be forwarded to the Conference Registrar:

Mrs. Melda Hammond,
8 Hall Crescent, Burton SA 5110
Phone: (08) 8280 6314 (with 101 messaging)
or Email to: hammond.melda@hotmail.com

District Conference – Rotary Showcase



The District Conference in Ballarat is less than 90 days away!

A spectacular area has been set-aside at the Conference for the Rotary Showcase.

- This is a wonderful opportunity for Clubs to show everyone what they have done or are doing
- And remember there is no charge for your exhibit space

So please give some thought to your displays and let us know how much space you require

For more information, contact:

Graham Beckett, Showcase Convener, on 0416 261 325 or gbeckett@bigpond.com

District 9520 Conference Ballarat, Thursday 16th – Sunday 19th April 2015

Adelaide Bushfires – SOS For Volunteers

Both the CFS Foundation and the Department of Community Services, along with the Local Recovery Coordinator, Karlene Maywald, need your help.



They are at the Stirling Angas Hall at the Wayville Showgrounds on Monday through to Saturday from 8 am to 6 pm, until the 9th of February.

Help is needed to sort out the mountain of goods donated for the victims of the Sampson Flat bush fires. They are desperately short of volunteers to help.

The volunteer person cooordinating the effort is Rachael on 0416 812 205. Any help would be appreciated. If you can help, please give Rachael a call.

Does Rotary Have a Role in Preventing Terrorism?

In our heightened security environment with, amongst other things, new laws focusing on potential and returning recruits associated with overseas Jihadist campaigns, and in the light of the Sydney Lindt Cafe Siege and the Charlie Hebdo attack, we should ask ourselves, can we do anything to help prevent terrorism, and **does Rotary have a role in preventing terrorism?**



Sandy Morey is an Inspector with the South Australia Police. In his current role as Operations Inspector for the Strategy, Policy and Programs Section, Sandy oversees a number of portfolios including youth programs, crime prevention and multiculturalism; a component of this work involves overseeing development of ideas and engagement with the community to prevent extremist behaviour.

Sandy holds a Master of Arts in Terrorism, Safety and Security, a Bachelor of Social Science in Community Development and a Bachelor of Education, and has lived and

worked in Cambodia and Japan. Sandy is a member of the Rotary Club of Hyde Park and a past RYLarian and GSE participant. He is also a Rotary Peace Scholar.

Sandy is offering himself as a speaker to Rotary clubs in either District 9500 or District 9520 (he was supported by District 9500 as a RYLA and GSE participant, and District 9520 as a Peace Scholar). Sandy can be contacted by email at sandy.morey@police.sa.gov.au

RYLA Positions – Can You Help?

An Offer to Members and Clubs who love to support RYLA

The District RYLA Committee is currently looking for some enthusiastic supporters of the RYLA Program, who might be interested in playing a pivotal role in the development and or running of the 2015 program, which is currently planned for September 25th to October 2nd 2015. There are a couple of options:

1. If your Club would like to take on sponsorship of this year's seminar, all you need are some enthusiastic members. There is no requirement for the sponsor Club to make any financial outlay on the seminar – all we need is your enthusiasm and talent. The key roles to be filled are;
 - a. Administrator – Responsible for the overall planning, organisation and delivery of the program, working in close contact with the Lead Director and the Committee. Key skills are Leadership, Management, Communication and Integrity. Above all else, you need to love working with young people and be passionate about helping them develop new skills. If you would like to talk to a recent Administrator, ask AG Penni Hamilton Smith how much fun she had (Contact details in Directory)
 - b. Live in Parents – As the name implies, you will live “on site” for the duration of the seminar, providing support, mentoring and guidance particularly to the attendees, but also to the leaders. Again, you wouldn't even think of doing it unless you loved working with young people. Key skills are a sympathetic ear and coaching, teamwork and communication skills. Once again, DG Jerry and Briony, Peter Brooke-Smith and Peter Poulton will all be very happy to tell you about their experience in this role.
 - c. There are one or two other roles that require good administrative skills and some PC and Internet skills. Committee members will handle these roles unless the sponsor club prefers to nominate others.
2. If no sponsor Club comes forward, then we will be very happy to hear from keen supporters of the program who will be happy to fill those roles, with support from the District RYLA Committee

The most important attributes for successfully undertaking these roles are enthusiasm and a commitment to the younger generation. If you have those, then why not give us a call and at least explore the possibilities. You may think you don't have the time, but we're sure we can find a way if you are really keen.

**For further information please either call or email
Peter Poulton**

Email: poultonpj@internode.on.net
Mobile: 0439 805 640

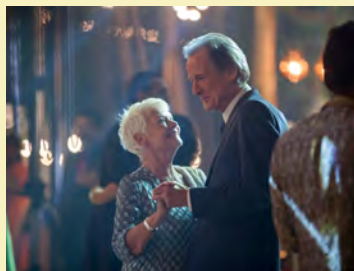


The Rotary Foundation Film Night

THE SECOND BEST EXOTIC MARIGOLD HOTEL

The Rotary Foundation is holding a Film Night to raise funds for END POLIO NOW

The film is **The Second Best Exotic Marigold Hotel**



Date: Thursday, February 26th 2015

Venue: Piccadilly Cinema, O'Connell Street, North Adelaide

Film Start: 7:15pm

Cost: \$20 per Ticket supporting



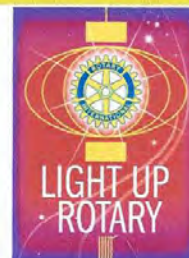
Set in India this movie is a sequel to the previous movie of similar title and has all the same actors with a few new actors arriving as guests at the hotel.

Paste this link to see the trailer <http://youtu.be/GrlkaGUUtK8>

Bookings can be made by clicking on the following link:

<http://e.mybookingmanager.com/http://mybookingmanager.com2BestExoticMarigoldHotel>



Rotary Club of Somerton Park – Quiz Night**ROTARY CLUB OF SOMERTON PARK INC.****Rotary****???? QUIZ NIGHT ????**

**FRIDAY 13TH FEBRUARY 2015
SOMERTON BOWLING CLUB
145 King George Avenue
SOMERTON PARK**

7pm for 7.30pm Start

QUIZ MASTER – REBECCA BIRD

PRIZE FOR WINNING TABLE

**Banquet at Lychie for 10 people
Holdfast Promenade Glenelg**

Tables of 10

\$12 per person

RSVP – Friday 6th February 2015

Linda Sweeney 0411 645 273

Supporting: School of St Judes Tanzania

Hutt Street Homeless Centre

The Voice of Rotary

Broadcast on 1197AM RPH Adelaide each Tuesday 7:30-8:00 pm
From each Wednesday the broadcast program can be heard on-line at
<http://www.rphadelaide.org.au>

February 2015

February 3rd

Past President Bill Goodes (Prospect Sunrise)
'Group 5 Dinner/Club 20th Birthday'

February 10th

Assistant Governor Bob Cooper (Burnside)
'Rotary's 110th Birthday – See you at the Bridge'

February 17th

A.N. Other (Golden Grove)
'Club Film Night – March 7th'

Contact: Chris Hughes (h) 8379 4633 (e) emandcee@bigpond.com



District Conference 2015 – Coach Driver Required



The District Conference Committee is seeking the services of a suitably qualified person to drive a 40-seater coach from Adelaide to Ballarat on Thursday, April 16th 2015 and returning on Sunday, April 19th 2015.

If you are interested in this position, or know someone who could be – please contact DG Jerry Casburn on 08 8295 8227 or jerry@thecasburns.com.au

We are one ... Ballarat ... April 2015

Where's Jerry?

DG Jerry's diary this week is:

- Monday 2nd – Rotary Race Day Meeting
- Tuesday 3rd – Conference Planning Meeting
Evening – Rotary Club of Unley Meeting
- Thursday 5th – Holdfast Bay Film Night
- Friday 6th – Rotary Club of Berri – Berri and Mallee Vocational Awards
- Saturday 7th – Youth Exchange Committee – Returning Youth Exchange Students De-briefing
- Sunday 8th – Vocational Team Training at Flinders University

