



**TO:** District Management Committee, Presidents, and Secretaries  
**FROM:** DG Roy Armstrong  
**Date of Issue:** 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2012

Welcome to this week's issue of the Herald. Hope you are all ***"Having Fun"***.

### **Semi-Annual Report**

This is a reminder to all Rotary clubs that the July 2012 membership portion of the Semi-annual Report (SAR) is due no later than **30 September**. Rotary International bases Rotary club membership starting figures on July SAR data, so it's essential that we receive membership details by the end of September. If your club has not received the July 2012 SAR, you can print a duplicate copy from your **Member Access** account or request one at [data@rotary.org](mailto:data@rotary.org).

To ensure that your club has submitted complete SAR information, please note the following:

- If your club submitted only SAR payment, you still must submit the complete report with your membership count and details.
- If you updated your club membership via **Member Access** or by using local database/club software that participates in OneRotary data integration project: remember to email [data@rotary.org](mailto:data@rotary.org) certifying your club's membership count for July 2012 SAR period. In your email, please state number of members and subscribers to ***The Rotarian*** (in English) or ***Revista Rotaria*** (in Spanish), and include "July 2012 SAR of Rotary Club of [your club name and number]" in the subject line.

If your club already submitted the July 2012 SAR, please disregard this notice.

District Governors and Assistant Governors can verify submission of the membership portion of July 2012 SAR in **Member Access** (after signing in, click View Current Semi-annual Reports (SARs), then click 5-Year Membership History report).

Please note: it is extremely important for clubs to report officers and update their email addresses.

Click [here](#) to find out about SAR packet delivered electronically.

**Need assistance with online reporting?** [Click here](#)

### **Interplast (Submitted by Pamela St. Claire – Flagstaff Rotary)**

I recently flew to Sydney to join 21 other Interplast District Chairs from all over Australia and New Zealand at the first ever Seminar. It was a great experience to meet with them and especially Dr John Oswald, an Anaesthetist who has given his time to be part of 14 Interplast Team visits to remote areas and hear first-hand of the challenges and emotional outcomes for patients and parents. We also heard from several Observers who have travelled with the teams and their stories are heart-warming for the results achieved by so few in such a short time.

Watch out for the amazing event that is being organized to raise funds to send a team next year from South Australia. Keep 5<sup>th</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup> April 2013 clear for an event where you'll not only see an amazing part of Australia, stay on a Sheep Station and enjoy the camaraderie of Rotarians from all over Australia, but be supporting this worthy cause.

To book an Interplast presentation contact Pamela St Claire at [pstclaire@adam.com.au](mailto:pstclaire@adam.com.au).

Sunday, 2 September 2012



## Lunch with RI President Elect Ron D Burton



Chris Michelmore, President Rotary Club of Adelaide invites Rotarians and guests from Districts 9500 and 9520 to join our intercity meeting for Group 1 Adelaide Clubs, at 12 noon on Thursday 29 November in the Members Dining Room Adelaide Oval. **The speaker will be RI President elect, Ron D Burton.**

A large attendance is expected and Rotarians are urged to book early to attend this event.

We are asking each Club to appoint a Club Lunch Coordinator, and ask Rotarians from each Club to complete a Booking Form and return it to their Lunch Coordinator together with payment. **A list of names of those attending from each club should be returned with one total payment (by cheque) by each Club Lunch Coordinator, to Rotary Club of Adelaide, attention Tom Hough, PO Box 732 North Adelaide SA 5006, by Friday 2 November 2012. Alternatively contact Tom Hough (details below) for electronic transfer.**

Tables of 8 are available. The cost of \$40 per head includes a two course lunch, coffee and one drink (excluding champagne and spirits) on arrival. **The first 400 responses received will fill the Adelaide Oval dining room**

Bar service will be available.

**(Rotary Club of Adelaide contact  
Tom Hough 8270 8228 or 0401094749)**



**Lunch with Rotary International  
President Elect Ron D Burton  
Thursday 29 November 2012  
12 noon for 12.30pm (finishing at 2pm)**

Members Dining Room Adelaide Oval (entrance through Northern Gate only)

### BOOKING FORM

Please book me

A table for 8 (@\$40 per head)

Number .....

Cost .....

Individual bookings (@ \$40 per head)

Number .....

Cost .....

Name .....

Address (inc p/code) .....

Contact Phone Number .....

Email .....

I am a member of the Rotary Club of .....

### Payment

Payment and this booking form should be forwarded to your Club Lunch Coordinator, please, **by Wednesday 31 October 2012.**

**An original of this document is attached to this week's Herald.**

## The Otago Youth Adventure Trust/ The Rotary Club of Milton Tramping Trust

The volunteers of The Otago Youth Adventure Trust/Rotary Club of Milton Tramping Club Inc. have now completed 26 successful seasons of organising the trips, with some 16,000 people, mostly Kiwis and Aussies, having participated (many on several trips over the years). We operate as a Tramping Club on public lands and, as such, are required (by law) to run the trips on a "cost recovery" basis only. Participants are predominately middle aged, and have to become members of our Tramping Club (\$50) in the year of their trips, and we do suggest an optional donation, to enable us to return some funds to the two Charitable Trusts that are the parent bodies of our Club. All the trips are lead and organised by unpaid volunteers, who put thousands of voluntary hours into this ongoing project to ensure we are able to run the trips at a moderate cost. We have received much National acclaim for our project.

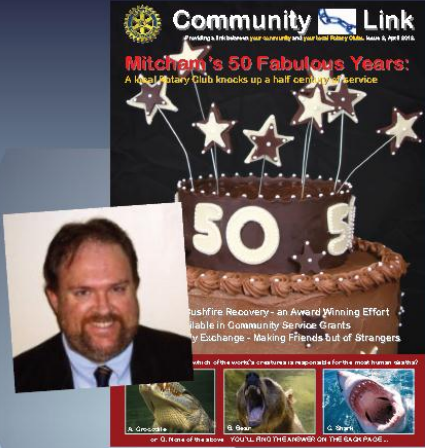
To find out more visit [www.otagorotarytrusttramps.org.nz](http://www.otagorotarytrusttramps.org.nz)

## Changes to Directory Information

|                  |                          |   |                 |              |
|------------------|--------------------------|---|-----------------|--------------|
| Mark Simpson     | Rotary Club of Noarlunga | - | Home telephone: | 08 8381 1331 |
| Rod & Dini Whyte | Rotary Club of Noarlunga | - | Home telephone: | 08 8326 2555 |
|                  |                          |   | Mobile:         | 0408 475 605 |

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**Community Link**  
 Celebrating 50 Fabulous Years:  
 A Rotary Club knits up a half-century of service

**Thursday, September 6th 2012**

**ROTARY GROUP 5 MEETING**

Port Noarlunga Surf Life Saving Club  
 Dinner \$20 per head  
 RSVP Thursday, August 30<sup>th</sup> – Dini Whyte – 8326 2555 or [dini.l.whyte@gmail.com](mailto:dini.l.whyte@gmail.com)

**Mark Huddleston**  
 Our guest speaker will be Assistant Governor Mark Huddleston. Mark's topic will be Community Link, the exciting, new Rotary publication that he has initiated in Group 6. Mark is a very entertaining speaker, and his topic has created widespread interest, so this is a presentation for all Rotarians.

## Group 5 Combined Meeting

The Group 5 clubs are holding their group meeting at the Port Noarlunga Surf Club on Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> September, cost \$20 per head.

The guest speaker will be Assistant Governor Mark Huddleston. Mark's topic will be Community Link, the exciting, new Rotary publication that he has initiated in Group 6. Mark is a very entertaining speaker, and his topic has created widespread interest, so this is a presentation for all Rotarians.

All Rotarians are welcome, please RSVP Dini Whyte – 8326 2555 or [dini.l.whyte@gmail.com](mailto:dini.l.whyte@gmail.com).

Please reply soonest (No later than Tuesday Sept 4<sup>th</sup>) as the deadline was really last Friday.

## The Billboard Trailer is available for use by all D9520 Clubs

So let's use it. The billboard is kindly being housed by Paradise Motors, 738, Lower North East Road, Paradise, 5075. Bookings can be made by contacting Jeff Neale [jeff.neale@paradisemotors.com.au](mailto:jeff.neale@paradisemotors.com.au) or (08 83369968) if he isn't there, leave a message.

The Mobile Billboard is a braked trailer with a tandem axle and mass weight of 1,990 kgs.

**Before you drive off with this trailer in tow, you need to make sure its weight is within your vehicle's braked towing capacity.**

Braked Towing capacity is specified by the vehicle manufacturer and can usually be found in the owner's manual and is the maximum allowable weight that a vehicle can tow. A guide to safety and rules can be found here;

[http://rac.com.au/Motoring/Motoringadvice/Aboutmycar/~media/Files/PDFs/motoring\\_national\\_caravan\\_recreational\\_vehicle\\_towing\\_guide\\_2006.ashx](http://rac.com.au/Motoring/Motoringadvice/Aboutmycar/~media/Files/PDFs/motoring_national_caravan_recreational_vehicle_towing_guide_2006.ashx)

Drivers with towing experience are recommended and care of the asset must be ensured at all times.

There is a \$500 excess on Insurance which covers minor damage to the trailer, skins and electrical damage. A safety check list will be issued when bookings are made.

A 5 pin electrical connection plug is essential (not a 7 point) and the locking key must be used when the trailer is detached from the towing vehicle.



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Spring has Sprung and Golfers Abound (Two Golf Days Being Promoted)



Rotary Club of Morialta

## GOLF FUN DAY



SPONSORED BY:



Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> of November 9:30am  
Geoff Heath Par 3 Golf Course (Campbelltown)  
2 x 9 holes – individual & Teams (4)  
\$20.00 Per Person including BBQ & Drink (Beer or Soft) Profit to IMOG (Safe Motherhood)  
For Registration & further information CONTACT:  
Terry Carson – 0417831283 or 83363766  
**INVITE YOUR FRIENDS!!!**



Trophy & Prizes





## The Rotary Club of Elizabeth Inc

EXTEND A CHALLENGE TO A  
9 HOLE AMBROSE NIGHT GOLF COMPETITION

### THE ROTARY CLUB ELIZABETH GOLFING CHALLENGE CUP



NINE HOLES OF EXCITEMENT WITH  
"GLOW IN THE DARK GOLF BALLS"  
HAVE FUN WITH YOUR FRIENDS.  
**GOLF WITH A TWIST**



PLACE: Geoff Heath Par 3 Golf Course,  
James St, Campbelltown.  
DATE: Monday 29th October 2012  
TIME: 6 pm for 6.30 start  
COST: \$50 pp competitor; \$20 pp non competitor  
Includes a BBQ; Ambrose 9 holes of night golf;  
and a 'GLOW' in the dark ball!

To Register: contact your nearest Rotary Club  
Phone: Raelene 8527 2627 or email raeltr@bigpond.com  
Entries close Friday 19th October



COTA 2012 Every Generation Festival  
Inaugural Night Golf Game  
Social BBQ and a putting competition for non players  
Invite Friends and Family to join your team  
A great night of fellowship!  
Proceeds to Aust Rotary Health Assoc for Mental Health Research



Rotary Club of Glenelg (Official Distributor of the RI Christmas Cakes and Puddings)

## All New Look for 2012 Rotary Sponsored

### Christmas Puddings, Whisky Cakes & Shortbread Biscuits

We thank you for past support, and look forward to working with your Club in 2012 with this exciting new range



#### Traditional Christmas Plum Puddings

This year, the Christmas Puddings are in a Plastic Tub, and wrapped in Gold Foil. and weigh 700 gms.  
Retail Price \$93.00 for a carton of 6 – Club Price \$74.90



#### Rotary Whisky Cakes

These are in a Gold Tin with a Rotary Emblem embossed wraparound sleeve, and weigh 700 gms.  
Retail Price \$93.00 for a carton of 6 – Club Price \$74.90



#### Rotary Shortbread Biscuits

In a Long Gold Tin 500 gms, with a Rotary Logo embossed in the lid, with a printed sleeve but no plastic lid  
Retail Price \$93.00 for a carton of 6 – Club Price \$74.90

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This Rotary fundraising project has operated in Australia for a very long time, it has enabled many Rotary Clubs to raise significant funds and promote your Club and Rotary to the community.

The Plum Puddings, Whisky Cakes and Shortbread Biscuits are premium quality, well presented products, packaged in festive style with Rotary Logo sealed tins for easy sale or giving as presents. They are popular with personal and business buyers making ideal corporate gifts for staff or customers.

The retail price is competitive with similar premium products available in shops.

Delivery is freight free for orders of 16 cartons or more, which can be any carton combination of Plum Puddings, Whisky Cakes and Shortbread Biscuits.

*Please allow up to ten days for delivery. All of these orders will qualify for the \$3000 Bonus Prize*

Orders of 16 Cartons MUST be delivered to a listed address with the information shown below. Orders of LESS than 16 cartons can be collected from our depot on Wednesdays & Saturdays only.

**Bulk Deliveries – Minimum order of 16 (Note 16) cartons in any combination of puddings, cakes & biscuits, can be handled as follows: - Telephoned, e-mailed or mailed to the following:-**

Brian King Tel (08) 8294 4037 Fax (08) 8376 0171 Mob: 0407-792-154

Mail: P.O. Box 1098, Glenelg South S.A. 5045

**Please note that it is essential that we have the following information from you:-**

- **Contact person – 'phone number**
- **Name of person receiving the goods – must be in attendance to receive goods**
- **Delivery address and preferred delivery date**
- **Post Code – 'Phone No. at Delivery Address – Mobile No**

Details of the \$3000 Cash Prize & Order Forms are available for download from our website

<http://www.rotarnet.com.au/glenelg>

Smaller Clubs could consider joining with other Clubs in their area to combine orders to reach the 16 carton minimum

- **Smaller orders (S.A. only) – Minimum of 2 Cartons (any combination), can be obtained from Glenelg Club stock, and can be collected from either :- Brian King or Allan Scott at 7 LYNTON AVE, NORTH BRIGHTON Please telephone, email or mail an order form before collection – Appointment only**
- **COLLECTION DAYS WEDNESDAY & SATURDAY BETWEEN 10:00 AM AND 1:00PM – These are the ONLY days that they will be available**

Yours in Rotary

*That's all for this week.*

*Peace through Service – The Challenge of Change – Have fun.*

**DG Roy Armstrong.**

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