

THE NORWOOD ROTARIAN

Meeting 3060

18th August 2015

2015 – 2016

Rotary Club of Norwood Inc.

District 9520
R.I. Charter, 30th June, 1954



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MEETINGS: The club meets every Tuesday at 1:00 p.m.

This Week's Meeting

This week

We will be enjoying fellowship at The Manto Cafe
1.00pm

Our Last Meeting

Meeting No.	3059
Date	11th August 2015
Venue	Manto Cafe
Meeting Details	-
Gabby's Raffle	-
Chairperson	President Euan
Visiting Rotarians	Iris Doddin [Broken Hill South]
Guests	
Birthdays	-
Anniversaries	

Welcome

Acting President Graham welcomed members Sel Harley, Chris Godfrey and visiting Rotarian Iris Doddin [Broken Hill South]

Apologies: President Euan [ill] and Peter Anderson.

Announcements:

President Euan

- National Science Youth Forum; three applications have been received from Pembroke students of which one has been successful i.e. Samuel Drown.
- Bunnings barbecue 29/08/2015. Have sufficient volunteers.
- Finalizing detail of the Dance Club extravaganza. Mark is hopeful of 280 attendees.

Meeting Closure

Acting President Graham closed the meeting at 2.00pm

The quote for the week:

Choose to make a difference instead of choosing to be indifferent today.

Anon.

Extracts from "The Herald"

Rotary Young Professionals Forum



On Saturday 8th August 2015, District Membership Chair Mark Huddleston led the first District 9520 Young Professionals Forum.

Sixty students, professionals, Rotarians and non-Rotarians alike gathered at Flinders University to discuss the ways in which Rotary does and doesn't appeal to under 40's in both District 9520 and around Australia.

Participants of the forum were split into three categories:

- Rotarians over 40
- Rotarians under 40
- Non-Rotarian alumni

Key topics of the forum included:

- Aspects of Rotary which attract alumni and young professionals
- Major challenges Rotary needs to overcome
- Club and District Social media
- Deterrents to young professionals
- Factors which keep alumni and young professionals involved in Rotary clubs

The forum revealed a lot about where Rotary stays consistently appealing across generations and where clubs could re-calibrate, re-engineer and re-position themselves to ensure a bright future for both Rotary and the communities we support. Alan Oertel Editor RC Strathalbyn Bulletin.

Steve Hayter facilitated the under 40 group of people who looked specifically at reasons that attracted this group to Rotary, what is keeping them engaged, and what could be done to attract more members to this group.

All who attended this stimulating experience at Flinders University will continue to share the positive messages that emerged. The aim is to encourage changes in the way we operate and behave that will stimulate membership growth and make the involvement for us all more rewarding as well as more effective in achieving our common goal of Service above Self.

We all have the ability to adapt to what is a changing world, however we need to be convinced there is something in the discomfort of change to make it worthwhile for us, and to compensate for the effort we expend to achieve the change. Organisations which flourish recognise that time only moves forward.

People who wanted to be seen at The Young Professionals Forum are DG Dick Wilson, DG Doug Layng D9500, Wendy Gaborit, Mark Huddleston, Steve Hayter, Kim Harvey and David Gambel with the camera.



Opportunity for service in Youth Exchange.

District 9520 Youth Exchange Committee urgently requires a Group 1 Coordinator

Rotary Clubs in Group 1 do have students engaged in the Youth Exchange Program, and the present coordinator is unable to continue the management service.

Group 1 Rotary Clubs of Broken Hill, Broken Hill South, Irymple, Merbein, Mildura, Mildura Deakin, Red Cliffs, Robinvale-Euston, South Mildura, and Wentworth need assistance to manage the Youth Exchange program.

Rotary Youth Exchange Australia provides an opportunity of a lifetime for young Australians between 15 and 17 to study abroad. Anyone interested in this challenging and rewarding role please contact; Gayl Sparnon. Chair Rotary District 9520 Youth Exchange Committee gsparnon@yahoo.com.au
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National Youth Science Forum.

Each year very capable science students in senior classes at our schools are encouraged by Rotarians and their teachers to apply for a place at the Australian National University Science Forum. This Forum provides valuable exposure to contemporary science and technology ideas presented by forerunners in these fields.

This year some 43 students were interviewed by a team of 18 teachers, and scientists, some of whom are Rotarians, to select 18 students.

This is an exhaustive and competitive selection process for highly desired places at the Forum. The photo shows former NYSF students Lauren and Emily-Grace with Rotarians Gordon and Robert, who interviewed the group of aspirants along the front.

Rotary provides the administration expertise for this very important project which has significant life changing and career implications for some of our future leaders in science, technology and engineering. Past successful students assist in the interview process, and the current group of past students is shown below.

The next stage for the selected students is to attend an Orientation Day at Waite Institute to which parents, teachers and sponsoring Rotarians are invited.



Our Upcoming Meetings

Meeting No.	3060	3061
Date	18/08/2015	25/08/2015
Greeter/G.R.	D Hagger	D Hagger
Registration	S Harley	S Harley
Hall Set-up	Manto Café	Kensi Hotel
Table Waiters	-	-
Chairperson	President Euan	President Euan
Speaker(s)	-	-
Topic	TBA	District Governor visit

Upcoming Birthdays and Anniversaries

Birthdays

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Anniversaries

- Grant Spence 23/8

What's On

25/08/2015 – District Governor [Dick Wilson] visit & 61st club birthday at Kensi Hotel 12.45pm for 1.00pm
Price \$20.00.

14/10/2015 – Intercity clubs evening meeting.

Bunning's Barbeques

2015 Mile End – 18/9, 20/11

2015 Kent Town – 29/8, 20/9, 31/10, 6/12

Eastside BEC and Rotary Business Breakfast

9th September and 11th November

ABSENTEE TABLE

NAME	ABSENT FROM	RETURNING	COMMENTS
Peter Poulton	15/06/2015	15/09/2015	Holiday
Glenda & Rodger Hedley	07/06/2015	Spring	Travel to WA
Paul Wade	20/08/2015	09/09/2015	Myanmar
Bob Brigden	04/09/2015	24/10/2015	Holidays
Chris Godfrey	01/09/2015	08/09/2015	Conference

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CLUB ADMINISTRATION

Rotoract Club Of Sturt Liaison	Graeme Perrin
Bunnings BBQ	Peter Poulton
Registration Assistant Treasurer	Sel Harley
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Bulletin	Chris Godfrey
Program	Euan Miller
Webmaster	Rodger Hedley
Archives/Historian	Sel Harley

NORWOOD ROTARY CLUB HONORARY MEMBERS

Robert Bria, Brian Essery, Bob Scrymgour, Stephen Marshall, Mark Marston

MEMBERS SERVING ON DISTRICT COMMITTEES

PP Peter Poulton	Coordinator, Youth Services
PDG Euan Miller	The Rotary Foundation Scholarships
PP Bob Brigden	International Cricketing Fellowship
PP Glenda Hedley	International Travel and Hosting fellowship

PAUL HARRIS FELLOWSHIPS

CURRENT MEMBERS PHF

Bob Brigden, Pat Brown, Sel Harley, Glenda Hedley, Rodger Hedley, Roger Lang, Euan Miller, Graham Perrin, Grant Spence, Chris Godfrey, Michael Fox, Peter Poulton

HONORARY MEMBERS PHF

Brian Essery, Bob Scrymgour, Mark Marston

NON-CURRENT & DECEASED PAST MEMBERS PHF

Peter Callander, Bob Ferrier (d), Nan Ford, Stephen Fraser, Cate De Gioia, Maurie DeGioia, Richard De Gioia, Janet Hoopman, Marney Harley, Ian Johnston, Jan Johnston, Margaret King, Ronald Michelmore, Jill Miller, Michael Partington, Claire Perrin, Nigel Saunders, Colin Schirmer, Barry Shearer, Judy Spence, Luke van der Jeugd (d), Martin Wright, Barbara Saunders, Robyn Baker, Nicolle Holmes