

# THE NORWOOD ROTARIAN

Meeting 3087

9th March 2016

2015 – 2016

Rotary Club of Norwood Inc.

District 9520

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MEETINGS:

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

## This Week's Meeting

This week  
We are meeting at  
The Manto Cafe  
1.00 pm  
09/03/2016

## Our Last Meeting

Meeting No.	3086
Date	2 <sup>nd</sup> March 2016
Venue	Kensi Hotel
Meeting Details	Guest Speaker – Aimee Brownbill
Gabby's Raffle	Sel Harley
Chairperson	President Euan
Visiting Rotarians	-
Guests	Aimee Brownbill [Guest Speaker], Jill Miller, Jill Poulton, Janelle Fox, Marney Harley, Michael Gillam
Birthdays	-
Anniversaries	Peter Anderson 3/3

## Welcome

President Euan welcomed members and in particular guests; Jill Miller, Jill Poulton, Janelle Fox, Marney Harley, Peter Bodimeade [prospective member], guest speaker Aimee Brownbill and visitor Michael Gillam.

## Announcements

President Euan

- Need a volunteer to coordinate the Employee Excellence Awards
- The briefing to schools re Rotary projects relating to students will be held 10/03/2016

Peter Poulton

- The super Saturday barbeque at Mile End in February raised a profit of \$1904
- Need volunteers to host inbound youth exchange during the months of July and August.

Ian Stanford

- Teaching English to Timorese teachers
- Interested in organizing a project to purchase second hand mobile phones which will be used to record English language to assist in teaching the language.

Di Clements

- Wishes to recreate the project relating to Entertainment books. Details to be advised.

## Induction Ceremony

President Euan conducted the Ceremony to induct Peter Bodimeade as a member of Rotary and our club.



Welcome Peter!

### **Guest speaker – Aimee Brownhill**

President Euan introduced Aimee, her topic relating to her internship in Fiji with the World Health Organization on the impact of sugar in Third World diets and smoking.

She acknowledged our club for the support, particularly the financial support. She was born and lived in Adelaide. Studied at the University of Adelaide completing a double degree. Currently a PhD candidate in public health undertaking research on sweetened beverages. Whilst her interests in public health vary across a range of issues she is particularly interested in nutrition, tobacco, mental health.

Her main goal is to work for the World Health Organization working in Third World countries e.g. Fiji.

President Euan thanked her for her talk and presented a Bennett's Pottery jar in appreciation.



**Happy Dollars - From members**

### **Meeting Closure**

President Euan closed the meeting at 8.15 pm.

*“Don't be afraid of rejection, it's part of life.”*

### **Selection of District Governor Nominee Designate**

Following a recent meeting of the Nominating Committee for District Governor, Past Assistant Governor - Kim Harvey, from the Rotary Club of Holdfast Bay was selected as District 9520 Governor Nominee Designate.

In accordance with Article 11 of the Constitution & By Laws of District 9520, Kim will be confirmed as District Governor for 2018 - 2019 unless any challenges are received by the District Governor, Dick Wilson by 5pm on Sunday, March 13th 2016.

## Extracts from The Herald



This week I want to start with two quite different views of Fiji. In the first instance you can see the enormous damage caused by the passage of a Cyclone Winston across Fiji in the photo, and it is not difficult to imagine the real need of people living in these villages. Details of the response to this disaster, sponsored by the Rotary Club of Deloraine in District 9830, are included for you to make a donation to the appeal through RAWCS.

### **RAWCS has established a mechanism to receive donations, Project 46 Fiji Disaster Relief:**

Manager DG John Dare (H) 03 6363-2407 (M) 0410-557-598 Email: [jdare@andrewdare.com.au](mailto:jdare@andrewdare.com.au)

The website for all donations is:

<https://donations.rawcs.com.au/Default.aspx?ProjectID=928&ReturnTo=4>

All donations are tax deductible. As this is a Disaster Relief Project, RAWCS will not charge the usual 3% for donations from individuals and corporations. ALL funds will therefore be used to provide aid. John Dare is the Project Manager and he is establishing an inter- District management team to ensure that funds donated are expended to achieve the maximum benefit for the people to whom they are directed.

The second part of my Fiji story is also set after Cyclone Winston.

A few years ago Rotary clubs from Australia sponsored the building of homes in Fiji for those in need.

Passage of the cyclone included locations with these Australian built homes, based upon the design invention of Australian Rotarian Peter Drysdale. These sturdy houses escaped the worst ravages of Cyclone Winton with only cosmetic damage, and provided safe refuge for people seeking shelter inside.

### **When it's built by Rotarians they last!**

Peter Drysdale said these houses can be built in 5 days, for \$13,000 each.

The design feature that makes these houses so strong is the extensive use of steel strapping from the foundation stumps right through to the roof, with all of the fittings located with extensive use of screws. It is hoped that re-building efforts in Fiji will reflect the efficacy of this construction innovation. Editor Sam Cozens.



## Our Upcoming Meetings

Meeting No.	3087	3088	3089
Date	09/03/2016	16/03/2016	
Greeter/G.R.	-	S Harley	
Registration	-	D Hagger	
Venue	Manto Café	Kensi Hotel	
Table Waiters	-	-	
Chairperson	President Euan	President Euan	
Speaker(s)	-	Jeremy Scott	
Topic	-	Cycling 52,000 km	

### Upcoming Birthdays and Anniversaries

Birthdays
Brian Esser 13/3, Euan Miller 14/3
Anniversaries
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What's On
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Bunning's Barbeques
- Mile End – 22/4, 20/5, 22/7, 16/9, 21/10, 18/11, 9/12
- Kent Town – 4/6

Eastside BEC and Rotary Business Breakfast
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NAME	ABSENT FROM	RETURNING	COMMENTS
Bob Brigden	16/03/2016	13/04/2016	Business

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS and COMMITTEES 2015-2016

President Euan Miller

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### CLUB ADMINISTRATION

Rotoract Club Of Sturt Liaison	Graeme Perrin
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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
Rodger Hedley	Joint District Calperum Committee

### 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