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The Rotary Club of Mobilong meets every Wednesday at the RSL, Ross Rd, MB East at 6.00pm for a 6.30 pm start.



*Snr Const David Brown with Pres Sally Willoughby last week*

## LAST WEEK

### “Snr Const David Brown - Scam Awareness”

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[www.murraybridgerotary.org.au](http://www.murraybridgerotary.org.au)

**STRATHALBYN**

[www.rotarynews.info/club3776](http://www.rotarynews.info/club3776)

**MT BARKER**

[www.rotarynews.info/club3766](http://www.rotarynews.info/club3766)

Rotary Zone 8  
Districts of Australia,  
New Zealand & South Pacific Islands  
are combining to  
**RAISE AWARENESS AND  
ADVOCATE AGAINST  
DOMESTIC & FAMILY VIOLENCE**

*Be the Change*

Join us in our Campaign Against Domestic Violence and Family Abuse

Together we say  
**NO** to **DOMESTIC & FAMILY VIOLENCE**  
and  
**YES** to **RESPECTFUL RELATIONSHIPS**

Want to be involved then check out our Host Support Kit

**STOP the VIOLENCE  
END the SILENCE**  
Rotary  
Districts of Australia



<https://facebook.com/mobilongrotary>

Wednesday evening, we listened to a thought provoking talk by Snr Constable David Brown about ‘Scam Awareness and Protection’. It was alarming to know that in 2022 Australians lost \$3.1 billion to scams and fraud.

David had important tips for us to follow to avoid being caught out, such as safeguarding our identity, not engaging in any unsolicited phone calls or emails, checking websites (as they can be fake) and requests from the ATO & the banks and the like, which can also be fake. If you suspect you are a victim of on-line fraud, report it immediately on [www.cyber.gov.au/report](http://www.cyber.gov.au/report) or contact your local police station or visit [www.police.sa.gov.au](http://www.police.sa.gov.au)

I am happy to say that District Governor, Craig Dowling has taken on board our International project “Vision of Islands – saving eyesight in the Pacific nations” and he will include our article in his monthly Newsletter in September, with an appeal to all clubs in our district to donate funds.

On Tuesday evening 29 August Murray Bridge Rotary Club is hosting a film evening at the Cameo Cinema (movie & a meal for \$25 pp). The film is called ‘Champions’ and is about intellectually disabled people in sport. Please phone Lyn Sickerdick on 0437 519 320 if you wish to attend.

Don’t forget next weekend on Sunday 27 August we have the unveiling of the donut caravan with morning tea between 10.00 am & 12 noon. Please let Sharon know if you are coming.

And this coming Wednesday we look forward to hearing our guest speakers Max and Jacqui Merckenschlager talking on the ‘Revegetation of our Caloote block’.

We have a Board meeting to follow.

I look forward to seeing you on Wednesday evening.

Until then  
Cheers  
Sally

# AUGUST IS MEMBERSHIP & NEW CLUB DEVELOPMENT MONTH

## PROGRAM

<u>Date</u>	<u>Speaker / Activity / Topic</u>	<u>Venue</u>
Aug 23rd	Jacqui & Max Merckenschlager "Revegetation of our Caloote block"	<i>Board Meeting</i> RSL
30th	"Have your Say"	RSL
Sept 6th	Lhionara (Tammi) Baker "My medical assistance dog"	RSL
13th	TBA	

## CATERING COMMITMENTS



Aug 24th (Thur)	Ram Sale @ MB Showgrounds	10.00am - 1.30pm
Sept 3rd (Sun)	Cars & Coffee @ The Wharf Precinct	7.15am - 10.00am
16/17th (Sat/Sun)	Pedal Prix	
Oct 1st (Sun)	Cars & Coffee @ The Wharf Precinct	7.15am - 10.00am
7th (Sat)	Autofest Show n Shine BBQ @ Sturt Reserve	8.00am - 1.30pm
21st (Sat)	Variety Children's Charity Breakfast @ Community Club	5.30am - 9.30am
22nd (Sun)	60th Wedding Anniversary Lunch (G&M Edwards) @ Wanderers Cricket Club	
Nov 5th (Sun)	Cars & Coffee @ The Wharf Precinct	7.15am - 10.00am
24th (Fri)	Violence Against Women & Children @ Sturt Reserve	9.30am - 1.30pm

### AUGUST BIRTHDAY 'S



1st	Jill Reddin
9th	Marg England
13th	Sharon Pratt
26th	Joy Burgess



### AUGUST ANNIVERSARY'S

2nd	Scott & Val Sickerdick
14th	Jill & Jack Reddin
28th	Bob & Marg England

### PAST PRESIDENTS

1980 - 82	†	Harry Stephen
1982 - 83	†	Malcolm Clarke
1983 - 84	†	Fred Wilson
1984 - 85	†	Laurie Cutting
1985 - 86	†	Richard Bowyer
1986 - 87	†	Vernon Graetz
1987 - 88	†	Maurice Wilhelm
1988 - 89	†	Warren Burgess
1989 - 90		Hanley Pullar
1990 - 91		Bob England
1991 - 92		Bob Spratt
1992 - 93	†	Ian Geue
1993 - 94	†	Colin Kuchel
1994 - 95		Trevor Herbert
1995 - 96		John Parsons
1996 - 97		Claude Minge
1997 - 98		Fred Toogood
1998 - 99		Aub Kretschmer
1999 - 00		Barry Stacey
2000 - 01		Perrin Kuchel
2001 - 02	†	Shirley Wilhelm
2002 - 03		Ken Carter
2003 - 04	†	Maureen Meers
2004 - 05		Simon Gliessert
2005 - 06		Brian Rainey
2006 - 07		Wendy Gaborit
2007 - 08		Dale Manson
2008 - 09		Jill Newman
2009 - 10		John Meers
2010 - 11		Warren Pratt
2011 - 12		Lorraine Hurrell
2012 - 13		Cecily Graetz
2013 - 14		Pam Luke
2014 - 15		Daniel Hart
2015 - 16		Bronwyn Heard
2016 - 17		Paul Willoughby
2017 - 18		Adrian Pergallini
2018 - 19		Adrian Pergallini
2019 - 20		Elizabeth Minge
2020 - 21		Bronwyn Heard
2021 - 22		Bronwyn Heard
2022 - 23		Bob England

## NEW DONUT VAN UNVEILING

This Sunday (27th) between 10.00am & 12.00pm, we are having a morning tea (supplied) at the home of Adrian & Helen as an unveiling of the donut van.

Please let Sharon know if you plan to attend - if you haven't already done so

Please note, Adrian has another commitment in the afternoon that day, so it will be short, sharp & shiny!

**NOTE - We are having media photo's taken, so those who have a new Rotary shirt, can you please wear it**

**Please BYO chairs**



## CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

We now have books printed and are looking for each member to sell 2 books before the end of November please **\$2.00 per ticket**

**1st prize** - St John CR2 Defib  
(donated by David Heard)

**2nd prize** - \$300 Drakes Gift Card

**3rd prize** - \$200 Drakes Gift Card

**4th prize** - \$100 Drakes Gift Card

Please see Simon Podger for your book/s



# WELCOME

Aug 23rd	AnnMarie Kuchel
30th	Perrin Kuchel
Sep 6th	Warren Pratt
13th	Simon Gliessert
20th	Jill Reddin
27th	Max March
Oct 4th	John Meers
11th	Bronwyn Heard
18th	Claude Minge
25th	Liz Minge

Please swap with someone if you are unable to attend your allocated night

## OLD CAR BATTERIES WANTED

As an ongoing fundraiser, the RC of Berri are looking to take old car / truck / tractor batteries off your hands.

If you have some lying around that you are willing to give away, please contact Peter Jarvis on 0419 812 615 for more information



## A.G.M. & 2024 - 2025 BOARD

The AGM will be held on Wednesday Dec 6th 2023

Please consider becoming a Director in PE Sadie's presidential year.

All positions will be declared vacant



## VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We are in need of about 5 volunteer's on Saturday August 26th between 3.45 pm - 8.00pm at the TB Motor Sport Park Roll Racing event to work on the gates scanning people's ticket's as they enter

We receive \$500 if we do this

Please see Pres Sally if you can assist

## FOR SALE

Tyson Pratt is selling the below.

Contact myself or checkout FB Marketplace for more info



2014 KTM 300 EXC

6,509 km / 176 hours

Motor recently rebuilt & has only done 4hrs after rebuild.

Selling due to upgrading

\$8,000 neg

## WELL DONE HEARD FAMILY

Taken from Inner Soul Rehabilitation FB Page

Family Friendly is one of our many strong values we carry here at Inner Soul. We love seeing family members all enjoying training and working on their own personal goals.

We have Xavier (son, grandson, great grandson), Laura (mum), Llyod (Dad), Joan (Aunty), Bronwyn (Grandmother), David (Great Grandfather) all from one family who are training here at Inner Soul.

Xavier is our youngest client at the age of 8 and his Great Grandfather who is nearly 91 years old being our oldest member.

Their fitness goals are definitely different unless David is prepared to get back out on the football field but we can accommodate their needs.

Remember your age is only a number, it should not define you or limit you from working towards your goals, it does not matter how big or small it may be.

Exercise is not hard and can be great fun.

This is what we do design programs for everyone who walks or rolls through our doors, it becomes a part of your daily routine and not a chore.

We support everyone in our facility every time you train to help work towards these goals.

If you have been thinking starting on a little health and fitness journey but a little unsure give us a call and we can talk you through how we can get you started.

Call Donna - 0411353117



# VERNON TOAST

Last week, Pres Sally proposed a toast to our Vietnam Vets.



## CONGRATULATIONS ANDREW HEARD *Submitted by Bronwyn*

Andrew has recently travelled to Winnipeg Canada to compete at the World Police and Fire games. This is the 5th games Andrew has attended where Police and Fire service personnel from around the world come together to compete against each other in over 70 different sports. There were around 8,000 people who attended the games this time which is held every 2 years.

Andrew decided to nominate himself to compete in the Masters category which is the second highest category with only the High Master to go.

The competition was held over 3 days with one practice day to familiarise himself with the range then, on the first day of competition he had to shoot 60 shots over 300 metres and then on the second day he had to shoot 15 shots at 400 metres, 500 metres and then 600 metres. Andrew received Gold medals for both events.

On day 1 he received the second highest score on the day seeing him out score 3 of the High Masters shooters. Andrew also joined 3 American shooters to be part of a team and with their combined scores seeing them take out the Silver medal.

The shooting is judged on ability and there are no age or gender categories whereas many sports have different categories depending on your age.

There is a 90+ year old retired Police officer from the UK who competes in the swimming and sweeps the pool winning all his events in his age group.

Another SA fire-fighter who competed was former Olympic swimmer Phil Rogers who won 7 Gold medals in his events

In 2 years time the games will be held in Birmingham Alabama and then Perth in 4 years time .



*Team Presentation*



*Andrew's medal tally*



*Andrew receiving one of his Gold medals*



*Phil Rogers - Swimming after Day 1*

# FRIENDS OF ROTARY PROGRAM

Please email me your logo / business card if you would like to be added to our page

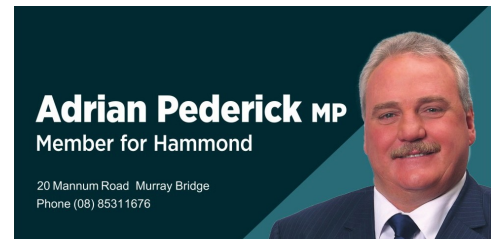
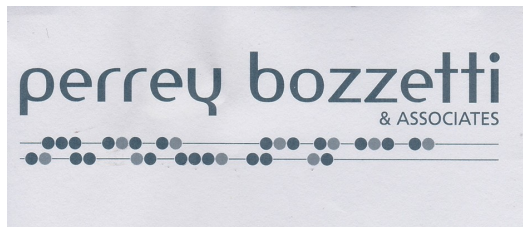
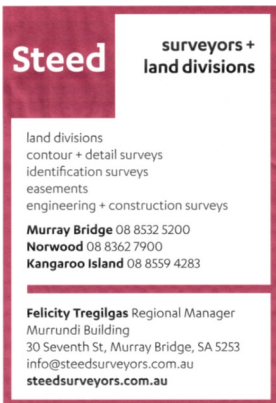


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## PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS

BOWYER †	Richard
BURGESS	Joy
BURGESS †	Warren
CARTER	Ken
CUTTING †	Laurie
CUTTING	Coral
ENGLAND	Bob
GABORIT	Wendy
GLIESSERT	Simon
GRAETZ	Cecily
GRAETZ †	Vernon
GEUE †	Ian
HALLANDAL	Graham
HEARD	Bronwyn
HURRELL	Lorraine
KUCHEL	Perrin
KRETSCHMER	Aub
LUKE	Pam
LODEWIKUS	Rennis
MANSON	Dale
MARCH	Max
MEERS	John
MEERS †	Maureen
MENZIES	Hugh
MINGE	Claude
MINGE	Elizabeth
PARSONS	John
PERGALLINI	Adrian
PODGER	Sadie
PODGER	Simon
PRATT	Warren
PRATT	Sharon
PULLER	Hanley
RAINEY	Brian
RAINEY	Rosaria
REDDIN	Jillian
SICKERDICK	Scott
SICKERDICK	Valerie
STACEY	Barry
STEPHEN †	Harry
TOOGOOD	Fred
TOOGOOD	Barbara
WYBROW	Brian
WILDEN †	Bary
WILHELM †	Maurice
WILHELM †	Shirley
WILLOUGHBY	Paul
WILSON	Fred
YELLAND	Warren
ZADOW †	Ken

### 4 AVENUES OF SERVICE

ENGLAND	Bob
GABORIT	Wendy
HALLANDAL	Graham
PARSONS	John
STEPHEN †	Harry

### SAPPHIRE PINS

BURGESS	Joy
ENGLAND	Bob
GABORIT	Wendy (+4)
GRAETZ †	Vernon
HEARD	Bronwyn
HURRELL	Lorraine (+5)
MARCH	Max
MEERS	John
PRATT	Sharon
STEPHEN †	Harry
WILHELM †	Maurice

### RUBY PINS

GABORIT	Wendy (+1)
HURRELL	Lorraine

### CRYSTAL

RAINEY	Brian & Rosaria
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### COMMUNITY

THOMPSON	Dr Robert
WELLS	Ken
NICHOLSON	Cynthia

## THE OBJECT OF ROTARY

The object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster:

- \*\* **FIRST.** The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service
- \*\* **SECOND.** High ethical standards in business and professions; the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations; and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society.
- \*\* **THIRD.** The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business and community life
- \*\* **FOURTH.** The advancement of international understanding, goodwill and peace through a world of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service

## INVOCATION

For Good Food, Good Fellowship & the Opportunity of Service Through Rotary :

Option 1 We thank you Lord      Option 2 We give Thanks

## FRIENDS OF ROTARY

Adrian Pederick MP JP	Aussie Apricots
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Riverland Water	Steed Surveyors + Land Division
Terminix	Thomas Foods International
Tony Pasin - MP for Barker	Wally's Bottleyard

*Please support our Friends of Rotary as they have supported us*

## NEIGHBOURING ROTARY CLUBS

- Tailem Bend - Monday's @ Riverside Hotel. 6.00 for 6.30pm
- Mt Barker - Monday's @ Mt Barker Golf Club. 6.15 for 6.45pm
- Murray Bridge - Tuesday's @ MB Golf Club. 5.45 for 6.15pm
- Strathalbyn - Tuesday's @ Victoria Hotel. 6.30 for 7.00pm
- Blakiston - Wednesday's @ Auchendarroch, Mt Barker. 6.30 for 6.45pm

**the 4 way test**

of the things we think, say, and do:

<p>is it the <b>truth?</b></p> <p>will it build <b>goodwill</b> &amp; better friendships?</p>	<p>is it <b>fair</b> to all concerned?</p> <p>will it be <b>beneficial</b> to all concerned?</p>
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