

Rotary Club of St Peters



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SERVE TO CHANGE LIVES

Weekly Meetings - The Rotary Club of St Peters meets on Tuesdays at 6:00 PM at the Kensington Hotel, 23 Regent St., Kensington, S.A. 5068. Visitors are welcome.

Coming Events

Next Club Meeting is on Tuesday 14 September at 6:00 pm at the Kensington Hotel.
Program - Una Hobday - Zoom
Good Plant solutions
BOARD MEETING

Report of Meeting 3193 held on Tuesday 7th September 2021 at the Kensington Hotel

Sergeant Arthur Manser called the meeting to order and Carmel O'Reilly gave the invocation and proposed the toasts.

President Keith welcomed all the Rotarians. The meeting was Zoomed as a further trial.

Club Assembly

CLUB SERVICE – Pam Vaughton

- The Club is investigating a menu change with the season
 - Sergeant - A small team with some new faces is providing entertainment and happy dollars
 - The Admin Team meets weekly in person and on Zoom
 - It is suggested The Bulletin also be aimed at new volunteers and potential members
- It should always showcase an aspect of Rotary. More recipients are to be sought
- Social Media – advice is being sought on Facebook posts – Shed pics and Rotary news
 - The Clubrunner tutorial has encouraged members to download and use the app. Ongoing.
 - The Program up to Dec is almost full. Special thanks to Arthur
 - The Fellowship team is asking members for ideas for social events and outings there is a suggestion of a wine Tasting evening (with platters) at the Shed on 2 Nov with volunteers, prospective members and Bulletin recipients invited
- A Free Sausage Bonanza to Showcase the Shed on the first Saturday of Summer is proposed to thank our patrons and volunteers and raise the Club profile in the community
 - A secure letter box in Henry Street is to be purchased and installed

INTERNATIONAL SERVICE MEETING REPORT – CLUB ASSEMBLY -7TH SEPTEMBER 2021

Committee Members - Phil Smith (Chair), John Dubberley (Deputy), Milton Jones, John George, Peter Hewitt, Marlene Balacco. Ann Price.

1. School of St Jude - sponsored student, Hilda Leonard Mabay.

The account for \$1440 for the annual sponsorship of School of St Jude student, Hilda Leonard Mabay, has now been paid by the Treasurer & a receipt received from the school. It was noted by the committee that this sponsorship was made some time ago when the school was still in early growth. Now the school is in a strong financial position. It was suggested to the Board that all projects/sponsorships, when agreed to, should also have a specified period of commitment – maybe 2 or 3 years maximum.

2. All Kids, Cambodia – RAWCS Prep Trabaek Early Learning Centre Project

The application for the Prep Trabaek Early Learning Centre Project to be accepted as a RAWCS project has been approved & donations are being accepted both on the RAWCS site & on the AllKids site.

The project is being supported by Jenny Neale (DG's wife) as her 'DG Partner Project'. This support will provide valuable promotion of the AllKids RAWCS Prep Trabaek Early Learning Centre Project to all the clubs in our District. Rotarians & Clubs will not only be given an opportunity to financially support the project but will also be encouraged to take up the sponsorship of the disadvantaged children being supported & educated by AllKids.

Consideration will be given to making an application for a District Grant for the provision of school furniture & learning materials for AllKids. We will revisit this in March/April 2022 to give adequate time to prepare & submit an application.

3. Books for Lesotho Inc

The shed book team are continuing to source appropriate books for Books for Lesotho. A delivery of suitable books will be made on Wednesday 8th September. An update from David Linn on the current situation in Lesotho will be sought. This follows the passing of Mme Mosa Muso, a key figure in the establishment & ongoing operation of Books for Lesotho.

4. Birthing Kit Foundation of Australia

600 birthing kit components have now been ordered from BKFA & the payment of \$3000 for the kits has been made by the treasurer. The Birthing Kit Assembly will be held on Tuesday 26th October at the Rotary Shed. This will be our regular Club meeting & will be a partners night. Fellowship Chair, Greg Rogers, has been approached in regards to the provision of a meal by the Fellowship Committee on that night. It was noted that we would have to ensure that Covid rules are followed.

5. Donations to International Rotary programs & programs supported by RI

ShelterBox

The committee had been advised of the request for support for ShelterBox which had been received from DG Jeff Neale. This was in regard to the urgent provision of Shelter Boxes to Haiti following the devastating earthquake there. A donation of \$5000 is to be made by our Club. This will include \$1000 already allocated in our budget, \$2000 from the Community Committee budget & \$2000 from the Fundraising account. This additional \$2000 was recommended by Club members to the Board & subsequently approved by the Board.

Good Plant Solutions for Rotary

On the 14th of September, Una Hobday will be our guest speaker via Zoom & address the Club on “ Good Plant Solutions for Rotary”. Una is the Chair for Food Plant Solutions Rotary Action Group and is a PDG and operates out of Tasmania. Following the presentation the committee will discuss if a donation is appropriate.

Milton Jones will investigate these International Rotary programs & programs supported by RI & provide suggestions on which programs we could possibly support.

Phil Smith - Chair, International Service Committee.

Brian Kretschmer

September 2021 Membership and Public Image report for Club Assembly and Board

1. Have over 30 agenda items to work through and committee have decided to meet via zoom in between monthly face to face meetings
2. Polo Shirts
 - a. These are being made and should be available in the next 2 weeks
3. Pens as a memento for Presenters
 - a. These have made and been delivered. At \$3 a pen versus in excess of \$20 for an engraved glass this will represent a saving at least \$700 pa.
4. Informing the community what Rotary and our club does
 - a. We have still over 400 brochures that were developed by Chirs & Romain Dawson and printing costs borne by John George about our club – thanks you Chris, Romain, and John. It has been decided to give some of these out to some of our Shed customers.
 - b. The committee asks the support of all working behind the counter to support this by handing them out as their purchases are handed over.
5. Updating our Shed & Truck signs
 - a. Have all been finalised and now put into the Signarama production programme
6. Local Businesses
 - a. The committee is drafting an introductory letter which will be used to introduce Rotary and our club to local business with an invite to come and see and hear what we do.
 - b. Will also make up a package of the club and of Youth Programme brochures (supplied by the district) for when we develop the strategy to meet and talk to Businesses in the area
7. Partnerships with Council/Politicians etc
 - a. A letter of introduction of our new President to the NPSP Council Mayor is being drafted as per a comment from recent presenter – Aaron Stobie suggested this should be done annually
 - b. Aaron will join the MPI Committee meeting via zoom late September / early October to discuss further options in developing Partnerships
 - c. Also will have Youth Officer Jenah Bambrick and Stuart Pope, Project manager, NPSP council present later in the year
 - d. Also have invited John Gardner MP presenting
8. Getting to know your club and members
 - a. Behind the Badge
 - i. August was membership month and was great to have our President, Dennis Henschke and Phil Smith present their story – we will be doing more during the year but not as frequent. It is important that all members get to know about their fellow members.
 - b. Planning to have presentations on our club history as well as what our committees do
9. Social media
 - a. This is mainly our website and Facebook – will be developing some changes in these areas as well as having pages for our various committees and asking Club Directors to contribute (as well as members!)

David Heilbronn – Fundraising Director

Discussion re Shed Participation

1. The major future issue for Fundraising is the Shed Working Bee Participation (not the Saturday Counter / Café which is comparatively well served by the members)
 - All areas of Shed participation need weekly attention not just once in a while
2. The Shed Working Bee should be expanded to the Saturday so that those that work can participate
3. The President backed a plan to ‘tap certain Rotarians on the shoulder’ to help and he will take part in the overall process

RYLA Awards Dinner

The Rotary Youth Leadership Award is a tremendous experience for any young person who partakes as it challenges, develops, and rewards those involved.

When I participated in 2011, I didn't know what to expect. It was the first time I had engaged with Rotary, and having come from a regional community; it was one of the few times in my youth that I engaged with such a diverse group of young people.

I am sure that this coming RYLA will be no different for those participants involved. I invite you to see this impact by joining me in acknowledging the group of young people who will graduate with this year's Award on 23 September 2021 at the Marche Club, Paradise. The link is <https://www.trybooking.com/BTTGR>.

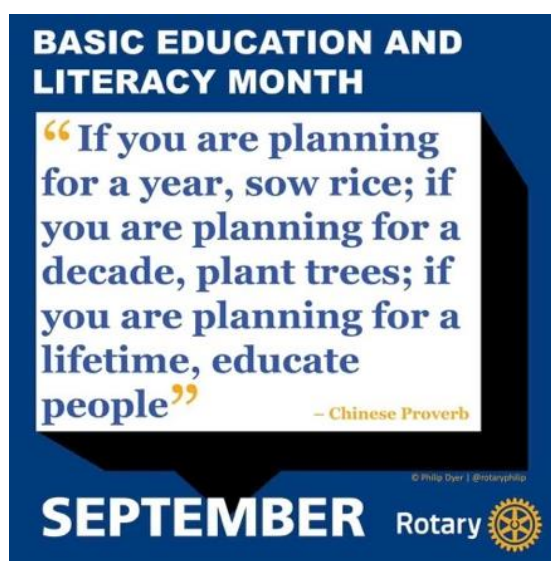
I am sure my experience is not isolated, and these young people - and your club - would benefit from the continuing engagement as they seek to apply their new leadership skills. I am sure I wouldn't have been able to take on some of my leadership roles without the experience of RYLA behind me.

I look forward to seeing many of you on the night.

Thank you

Stephany

Stephany Martin
President
Rotary Club of Campbelltown



Apologies

Bruce Ballantyne, George Dimitriadis, Peter , Wayne Holton, Keith Shaw, Pam Vaughton.

Sergeant's Session

Sergeant Arthur had the fines rolling in.

Anniversaries

Partner's birthdays - Clarice Seeliger 7th September and Jen Carey on 9th September

This Bulletin

Bulletin editor Pam Vaughton was on tour of Northern SA at the time of the meeting so Keith Payne deputised for Pam.

You'll be pleased to know that Pam will be back next week



Keith left the day after the meeting for a road trip to WA. Hence this edition is later than normal for which I apologise. There are a number of omitted reports from the meeting which will be included in later editions.



This bulletin is a 'Gold Plated' version having been produced in the camp kitchen of a Kalgoorlie caravan park.



Whilst in the area I did a bit of prospecting!

Meeting Roster

Day	Tuesday	Tuesday	Tuesday
Date	14-Sep-21	21-Sep-21	28-Sep-21
Meeting	3194	3195	3196
Venue	Kensington Hotel	Kensington Hotel	Kensington Hotel
Topic / Guest Speaker	Una Hobday Good Plant solutions	Emilia Moore RYLA 2021	TBA
Chairperson	Milton Jones	Romaine Dawson	
Vote of Thanks	Phil Smith	Sonia Schepetiuk	
Special	Board Meeting		
Reception	Greg Rogers	John Dubberley	Romaine Dawson
Cashier 1	Ann Price	John Seeliger	Chris Dawson
Cashier 2	Dave Strange	Bill Winslow	Dennis Henschke
Steward	Sonia Schepetiuk	Bruce Ballantyne	Peter Hewitt
Invocation	Greg Rogers	John Dubberley	Romaine Dawson
Bulletin	Pam Vaughton	Pam Vaughton	Pam Vaughton
Information Spot			
Sergeant	John Bested	Arthur Manser	Greg Rogers
Information	18 September ROTARACT Cultural Night		

Shed Roster

**THE TEAM LEADER IS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE TEAM
FOR FOLLOWING THE SHED GUIDELINES AND BANKING THE DAY'S TAKINGS**

THE COVID 19 PLAN MUST ALWAYS BE FOLLOWED

	Saturday	Saturday	Saturday
Date	11-Sep-21	18-Sep-21	25-Sep-21
Special 1			
Special 2			
Covid Marshall 1	Sue Bardy	Chris Dawson	Sue Bardy
Covid Marshall 2			
FRONT COUNTER			
Team Leader - Counter Sales	Tony Comporeale	Jim Owler	Pam Vaughton
Counter Sales 1	Bill Winslow	Betty Owler	Milton Jones
Counter Sales 2		Trenna Kretschmer	Sonia Shepetuik
General Help			Sue Bardy
CAFÉ/BBQ	George Dimitriadis	David Strange	Peter Shaw
Coffee 1	Angela Williams	Brian Kretschmer	Jim Owler
Goods In	Sue Bardy	Milton Jones	Bill Winslow
Assisting Small Household	John Seeliger	John Seeliger	John Seeliger
Emergencies	Phil Smith	Phil Smith	Phil Smith
Pick up Crew 1	Pauline Yates	Pauline Yates	Pauline Yates
Pick up Crew 2	Marlene Balacco	Marlene Balacco	Marlene Balacco

PLEASE NOTE : START TIME IS 7.45 am