

# Rotary Club of St Peters



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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.

Next Club Meeting is on Tuesday 10 June at the Kensington Hotel  
Program – Club Assembly

## Future Events

| Meeting # | Date    | Venue               | Speaker/Program | Information                     |
|-----------|---------|---------------------|-----------------|---------------------------------|
| 3370      | 10/6/25 | Kensington Hotel    | Club Assembly   | Calling all members to attend.  |
| 3371      | 17/6/25 | Kensington Hotel    | Say no to DV    | Joint meeting with RC Blackwood |
|           | 24/6/25 | Kensington Hotel    | No Meeting      |                                 |
| 3372      | 29/6/25 | Mt Osmond Golf Club | Changeover      | Club Celebration                |

## Report of Meeting 3369 held at the Kensington Hotel

**Phil Smith** called the meeting to order and **Julia Verran** gave the Invocation and Toast.

Jim introduced **President Wendy**. Wendy welcomed **Rod Carey**. Also **Guest Speaker PDG Peter Schaefer** from the **RC of Mt Barker**. Wendy welcomed visitors **Constance McIntosh** ARH Scholar, **Gina Tenny** and **Mark Polkinghorne**.



It was with sadness Wendy informed the Club of the passing of long term Rotarian **Wayne Holton**.

The Holton family membership in this Club spans three generations. Our sincere condolences to Barbara, Paul and family.

## President's Announcements

### Volunteers lunch at the Shed Friday 27 June

Please let Wendy know of your attendance.

### Multi-District Conference – 27-29 March 2026 at Horsham Accommodation

Please see Wendy to reserve a room.

We have a number of interested attendees already.

### RC of Lightsview Changeover and 2<sup>nd</sup> Birthday

Sat 28 June. Please see Wendy or Pam for details.

### Club Assembly next week 10 June

All members are urged to attend as future Club Plans will be discussed.

**Mark Polkinghorne** will be welcomed into our Club as a new member.



Rotary Club St Peters

**ROTARY CLUB OF ST PETERS**

**CHANGEOVER 2025-26**

*A Celebration*

Join us as we celebrate a year of service to community and acknowledge the dedication, leadership and commitment of those who make up the family of the Rotary Club of St Peters

SUNDAY 29 JUNE 2025 12:00 NOON

[Book Here](#)

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## Guest Speaker: PDG Peter Schaefer The Rotary Foundation

### About Peter:

Born in SA, lived and educated in the Adelaide Hills until joining the Royal Australian Navy for a career in aviation electronics and weapons which spanned 25 years. Had many unique opportunities that only life in the military can deliver.

His Rotary experience commenced in Nhulunbuy in the East Arnhem in early 2003, transferring to the Alice Springs Club in 2004. Whilst there he filled many directorship roles including President and was a Board member of the Henley on Todd.

He later went on to become the 2017/18 District Governor of D9500 (now D9510).

He has held many District roles and has also represented the District for a three-year term as the District's Council on Legislation representative.

His new District Role is a three-year term as the District Foundation Chair.

Peter is a staunch supporter of the Rotary Foundation and is a PHF recipient, a PHS member, a Centurion, and he and his wife are Bequest benefactors.

He looks forward to the role of District TRF stalwart.

## The Rotary Foundation

### “Financial structure

The Rotary Foundation is organized as a public charity operated exclusively for charitable purposes and governed by a [Board of Trustees](#).

The operations of Rotary International, a member organization, are overseen by its [Board of Directors](#).

The headquarters of Rotary International and The Rotary Foundation are in Evanston, Illinois, USA. We have associate foundations in Australia, Brazil, Canada, Germany, India, Japan, Korea, and the United Kingdom.” From the website

Peter gave us an extensive overview of the Foundation. Of note is the rating from Charity Navigator.



## The Rotary Foundation (RF)

Peter explained the Grants process.

After three years funds are returned to the Districts to help fund service projects.

This is seen as being a unique and very valuable component of the RF.

### Donations

Rotarians can become benefactors through a bequest in a will.

We also heard about the EREY system. (Every Rotarian Every Year)

Many members of our Club are Centurions donating \$100 each year to the RF.

Peter encourages every member to become a Centurion. Donations are tax deductible.

Our Club also donates at least \$100 per member per year to the RF as shown below..

## Rotary St Peters



### CLUB FUNDRAISING ANALYSIS

INTERIM RESULTS FOR JULY THROUGH MAY (2024-25)

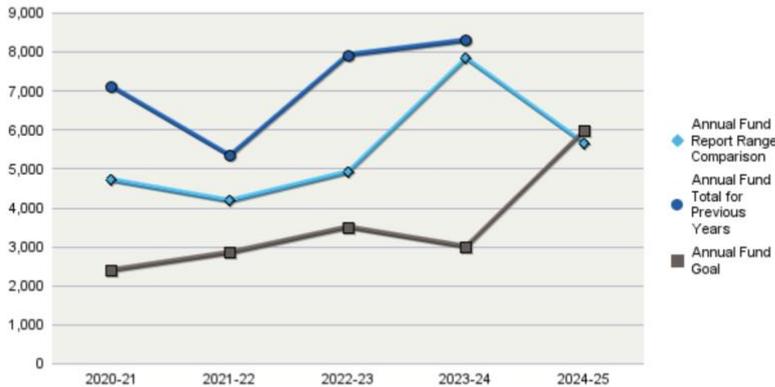
#### District 9510

##### Annual Fund Goal

|         |         |
|---------|---------|
| 2024-25 | \$5,967 |
| 2023-24 | \$3,000 |
| 2022-23 | \$3,500 |
| 2021-22 | \$2,850 |
| 2020-21 | \$2,397 |

##### Annual Fund Contributions

|         |         |
|---------|---------|
| 2024-25 | \$5,654 |
| 2023-24 | \$8,296 |
| 2022-23 | \$7,920 |
| 2021-22 | \$5,338 |
| 2020-21 | \$7,103 |



Annual Fund Report Range Comparison is the Annual Fund giving from 1 July to 31 May for current and previous years

The prior four-year average in Annual Fund giving from July through 31 May is \$5,408. This figure can be used to compare Annual Fund giving for the current Rotary year.

\*Total Contributions include Annual Fund, PolioPlus, approved Foundation Grants, Other Giving, and Endowment contributions for the reporting period.

For questions and additional club reports please use [MyRotary](#) or call the Rotary Support Center toll free at (+1-866-976-8279) or by email at ([rotarysupportcenter@rotary.org](mailto:rotarysupportcenter@rotary.org)).

Data As of: 31-May-2025

#### St. Peters, S.A. (17702)

##### Total Contributions\*

|         |          |
|---------|----------|
| 2024-25 | \$6,408  |
| 2023-24 | \$14,208 |
| 2022-23 | \$8,513  |
| 2021-22 | \$8,630  |
| 2020-21 | \$7,961  |

##### AF Per Capita Club District

|         |       |       |
|---------|-------|-------|
| 2024-25 | \$162 | \$60  |
| 2023-24 | \$224 | \$90  |
| 2022-23 | \$203 | \$86  |
| 2021-22 | \$148 | \$113 |
| 2020-21 | \$209 | \$141 |

##### Membership

|         |    |
|---------|----|
| 2024-25 | 35 |
| 2023-24 | 37 |
| 2022-23 | 39 |
| 2021-22 | 36 |
| 2020-21 | 34 |

|         | EREY Members | Sustaining Members | PHS Eligible |
|---------|--------------|--------------------|--------------|
| 2024-25 | 7            | 5                  | 1            |
| 2023-24 | 13           | 6                  | 1            |
| 2022-23 | 12           | 3                  | 1            |
| 2021-22 | 19           | 7                  | 2            |
| 2020-21 | 26           | 10                 | 1            |

Note: 'EREY Members' reflect the number of donors who contributed some amount to the Annual Fund during the Rotary Year. 'Sustaining Members' reflect the number of donors who contributed US\$100 or more to the Annual Fund. 'PHS Eligible' reflect the number of donors who contributed US\$1,000 or more to the Annual Fund, Polio Plus or approved Foundation Grant.

ClubFundraisingAnalysis R00079C.2007

## The Rotary Foundation - End Polio Update

**OUR FOUNDATION**

Polio Cases as of 5-27-25  
 Afghanistan - Most recent WPV case 3-9-25  
 Pakistan - Most recent WPV case 5-1-25

|  | As of 5/27/25  | Total | Total | Total |
|--|----------------|-------|-------|-------|
|  | 2025 (2024)    | 2024  | 2023  | 2022  |
| <b>WPV</b><br>(Wild Poliovirus)                          | <b>12</b> (6)  | 99    | 12    | 30    |
| WPV - Afghanistan  | 2              | 25    | 6     | 2     |
| WPV - Pakistan   | 10             | 74    | 6     | 20    |
| WPV - Mozambique   | 0              | 0     | 0     | 8     |
| <b>cVDPV</b><br>(circulating Vaccine Derived Poliovirus) | <b>55</b> (61) | 280   | 528   | 724   |

Rotary Zones 33/34 #RotaryShares #RotaryZones3334 #ElevateRotary

Posted by RRFBC Bernie Riedel, there are always notes to each post. Those notes for this post are as follows:

### Afghanistan

- No WPV1 cases were reported this week. The total number of WPV1 cases in 2025 is two. The total number of WPV1 cases for 2024 remains 25.
- Five WPV1-positive environmental samples were reported this week, collected in April, from Kabul, Kandahar and Hilmand.

### Pakistan

- Two WPV1 cases were reported this week, from Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, with onset of paralysis on 22 April and 1 May. There have been ten cases reported this year and the total number of cases for 2024 remains 74.
- No WPV1-positive environmental samples were reported this week.

## Guest Speaker: PDG Peter Schaefer

Newer members were particularly pleased to hear of the fine work of the RF.

PDG Keith Shaw gave the Vote of Thanks

Photo: Gina Tenny



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**Members Minutes:**

**Shed Report – Phil Smith**

Once again Shed Sales were very pleasing.

Thanks to Dennis Henschke for organising the sale of a splendid painting.

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**Blokes' Kitchen  
Romaine and Chris Dawson**



For the final session of the Blokes' Kitchen for the current season each bloke made a large damper, followed by chicken and camembert in filo pastry.

We then gathered to sit with a coffee and eating a hunk of damper with ratatouille (a traditional accompaniment to damper) which Romaine had prepared the previous evening.

This went down very well, with most helping themselves to seconds.

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## Blokes' Kitchen



This initiative has clearly been successful in meeting its two objectives –

- developing cooking skills and
- allowing blokes to socialise.

Blokes have had 15 sessions of about 2.5hrs from 2023-2025.

**Session 2 is currently in the planning stage.**



Apologies: Chris Dawson, Romaine Dawson, Paul Holton, Dennis Henschke, Keith Payne

Meeting Roster

| Date             | Tue 10-Jun    | Tue 17-Jun                  | Tue 24-Jun | Sunday 29 June         |
|------------------|---------------|-----------------------------|------------|------------------------|
| Meeting Number   | 3370          | 3371                        | No Meeting | 3372                   |
| Venue            | Kensi Hotel   | Kensi Hotel                 |            | Mt Osmond Golf Club    |
| Program          | Club Assembly | Say No to Domestic Violence |            | Changeover Celebration |
| Guest Speaker(s) |               | Martin Rowe                 |            |                        |
| Vote of Thanks   |               | Paul Holton                 |            |                        |
| Special          |               | Group 3 Clubs               |            |                        |
| Chairperson      | Wendy Gaborit | Jim Owler                   |            |                        |
| Sergeant         | Keith Payne   | Greg Rogers                 |            |                        |
| Invocation       | Phil Smith    | Romaine Dawson              |            |                        |
|                  |               |                             |            |                        |
| Board Meetings   |               | Joint Board meeting         |            |                        |
|                  |               |                             |            |                        |
| Steward          | Ann McIntosh  | Chris Dawson                |            |                        |
| Reception        | Phil Smith    | Romaine Dawson              |            |                        |
| Cashier 1        | John Reynolds | Phil Smith                  |            |                        |
| Cashier 2        |               |                             |            |                        |
|                  |               |                             |            |                        |
| Bulletin         | Pam Vaughton  | Pam Vaughton                |            | Keith Payne            |

## Shed Roster

PLEASE NOTE START TIME IS 8.30am and CLOSE DOORS AT 12.30 pm

| DATE                               | Saturday<br>07-Jun-25                                       | Saturday<br>14-Jun-25                                       | Saturday<br>21-Jun-25                                       | Saturday<br>28-Jun-25            |
|------------------------------------|---|---|---|----------------------------------|
|                                    |   |   |   |                                  |
|                                    | <b>King's Bday Long Weekend</b>                             |   |   |                                  |
|                                    | <b>PANCAKE SAT</b>  |   |   |                                  |
| <b>TEAM LEADER</b>                 | Peter Hewitt  | Jim Owler   | Julia Verran  | Milton Jones                     |
| <b>SIGNS</b>                       | David Heilbronn   | Jim Owler   | Julia Verran/<br>David Heilbronn                            | Milton Jones                     |
| <b>FRONT COUNTER</b>               |   |   |   |                                  |
| <b>Counter Sales1</b>              | Margaret Hewitt   | Betty Owler   | Judy Cornish  | Pam Vaughton                     |
| <b>Counter Sales 2</b>             | Trenna Kretschmer<br>Joan Shaw                              | <i>8.30 til 10.30</i><br>Rhonda Heilbronn<br>Alannah        | Barbara Joy<br><i>Until Mid Day</i><br>Rhonda Heilbronn     | Trenna Kretschmer                |
|                                    |   | <i>10.30 til 12.30</i><br>Romaine Dawson<br>Jayne Stevens   |   |                                  |
| <b>GENERAL HELP</b>                | Peter Hewitt  | Jim Owler   | Wendy Gaborit /<br>Julia Verran                             | Milton Jones                     |
|                                    |   |   |   |                                  |
| <b>CAFÉ</b>                        |   |   |   |                                  |
| <b>BBQ</b>                         | Rod Carey   | Peter Shaw  | Rob Cornish   | Tony Camporeale                  |
| <b>COFFEE</b>                      | Adrian Esterman   | Lisa Shaw   | Angela Williams   | Angela Williams                  |
| <b>ASSISTANT</b>                   | Jen Carey   |   |   | Mark Polkinghorne<br>Trainee     |
|                                    |   |   |   |                                  |
| <b>GOODS IN CounterWhen Needed</b> | Peter Hewitt  | Jim Owler   | Wendy Gaborit /<br>Julia Verran                             | Milton Jones                     |
|                                    |   |   |   |                                  |
| <b>EMERGENCIES</b>                 | Julia Verran or<br>Wendy Gaborit                            | Julia Verran or<br>Wendy Gaborit                            | Phil Smith  | Julia Verran or<br>Wendy Gaborit |
|                                    |   |   |   |                                  |
| <b>SMALL HOUSEHOLD</b>             | Keith Shaw<br>Angela Williams<br>(Assist on Café As needed) | Keith Shaw<br>Angela Williams<br>(Assist on Café As needed) | Keith Shaw<br>Angela Williams<br>(Assist on Café As needed) | Keith Shaw                       |
|                                    |   |   |   |                                  |
| <b>PICK UP INFO</b>                | Pauline Yates   | Pauline Yates   | Pauline Yates   | Pauline Yates                    |