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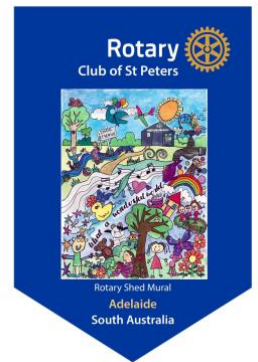
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**Next Club Meeting – Tuesday 21st January
at the Glenunga Croquet Club - 8 Kingsley Avenue, Glenunga**

Program - Come and Try Croquet

**Report of Meeting 3117 held on 14th January 2020
at the Kensington Hotel**

Meeting Opening - Sergeant *Milton Jones* called the meeting to order and *Sue Bardy* gave the Invocation and Loyal Toast.

President's Welcome – President *John George* welcomed Rotarians, especially visiting Rotarian *Jeff Neale*, Rotary Club of Campbelltown, who will be District Governor for the new District 9510 for the Rotary year 2021-2022.

Guest Speakers – Introduced by *Arthur Manser*.

Rotarian *Pam Vaughton* - **Project- Jack's Trees** –
Rotary Club of St Peters

When tragedy strikes the power of human kindness is immense.

When our farm, Jack's Farm, 240 km north of Adelaide was struck by a mini tornado in September 2016, the destruction was devastating.



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Luckily the house sustained only minor damage, but several sheds, main tank, silos, windmill, fences and over one hundred mature trees were decimated. Remnants were blown up to 2 km away. Timber, tin, nails and broken glass everywhere including in the neighbours' wheat crop.



Human kindness from our neighbours and friends and the local CFS... and a supportive Insurance Company meant we could repair and rebuild, albeit on a smaller scale. The main part of the clean-up took eighteen months.



I showed some Rotarians from my Club the photos and somehow the suggestion of a Club Tree Planting Project came up. Hands on. It also, coincidentally, complemented Past RI President Ian Riseley's call for all Rotarians to Plant a Tree in 2018.

The power of this human kindness gave us, as farmers, the energy to order and plant seeds, nurture seedlings and prepare for planting.



We were delighted that about twenty Rotarians and friends gave up a weekend to travel up to the farm and plant 200 trees. Regular watering was a family job. A year later we had a tree revisit weekend. Most trees were thriving. Again, we made time to have fun, food and fine wine. Even a campfire and music.



Twenty-one months after planting, the trees are up over their guards and looking healthy.

For our family they are proud and precious symbols of human kindness and new hope. We could never have done this alone. We will always be grateful for the group effort from our friends from the Rotary Club of St Peters that made this project happen. A lasting legacy for all.

Shirley Manser thanked Pam for her talk.

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Rotarian *Keith Payne* – Report of Club and Community Service Survey –

Hours of Club and Community Service for 3 months – October to December 2019
Participants –15 Rotarians and 4 Partners volunteered their information.

Club Administration	98 hours
Club Committees and Activities	73 hours
District Administration	28 hours
District Training and Seminars	5 hours
TOTAL - CLUB SERVICE	203 hours

ALL PROJECTS (except THE SHED)	137	hours
THE SHED PROJECT	358	hours
Total Hours of Community Service	495	hours (for three months)
At the same rate -	1,980	hours per year

These survey results, together with the hours not recorded, show that St Peters Rotarians and their partners provide an exceptional level of service to local and international communities.

Keith showed an **8 minute video of the AllKids Gala Garden Party** held 3rd November 2019. This video can be viewed or downloaded from the Vimeo website

<https://vimeo.com/380450985>

Club Policy Document - The Club has been in discussion on the updated Club Policy circulated to all members.

Bruce Ballantyne, Public Officer, put forward the following motion:
“Those in favour of the adoption of the Club Policy dated 31/12/2019.”

Proposed: Arthur Manser - Seconded: Phil Smith and carried.

Chris Dawson – Next week’s meeting at the Glenunga Croquet Club –

8 Kingsley Avenue, Glenunga - **Come and Try Croquet**

Meet at 6 pm, play (with coaching) until 8 ish. All Croquet gear provided (crash helmets are not required!)

Pizza meal & **BYO drinks**. Total cost - Players - \$25, Observers - \$15.

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President's Announcements – Bushfires – “The recommendation to the Board be that the Club donates \$10,000 to the RAWCS SA Bushfire Relief Fund”. The Board will vote on this motion by email.

Proposed: Keith Shaw - Seconded: David Birkedale and carried.

Members' Minutes –

Greg Rogers – THEATRE NIGHT - SENIOR MOMENTS 2
Dunstan Playhouse - Saturday 8 February 7.30pm
Tickets \$55 ea. – If you would like to go, please let Greg know asap

David Heilbronn – NYSF – The National Youth Science Forum held in Canberra was affected by the bushfires and had to be cancelled.

Romaine Dawson – reported having attended the Art Show organised by the Rotary Club of Victor Harbor. She also said the club had increased their membership numbers considerably.

Almoner – *Keith Shaw* mentioned *Peter Hewitt* and *John Gallehawk*.

Sergeant – *Milton Jones* had quite a few fines to raise revenue for club administration.

Apologies – John Bested, George Dimitriadis, John Gallehawk, Peter Hewitt.

Birthdays –

1) Members

Carmel O'Reilly 13th Jan
Ann Price 19th Jan
Arthur Manser 14th Jan

2) Partner's Birthdays - Shirley for Arthur Manser 14th Jan, Jim Eccles - Pam Vaughton 15th Jan.

3) Rotary Birthdays - Romaine Dawson 10 yrs 19th Jan.

4) Wedding Anniversaries - Brian and Trena Kretschmer 10th Jan

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Duties Roster

Day	Tuesday	Tuesday	Tuesday
Date	21 Jan 2020	28 Jan 2020	4 Feb 2020
Meeting	3118	3119	3120
Venue	Glenunga Croquet Club	Kensington Hotel	Kensington Hotel
Topic - Guest Speaker	Come and Try Croquet	Openlight Stacey Andary	Club Assembly
Chairperson	Chris Dawson	Arthur Manser	Brian Kretschmer
Vote of Thanks	Romaine Dawson	Harry Powell	Bill Winslow
Miscellaneous	Pizza Night		Induction?
Reception		Angela Williams	Romaine Dawson
Cashier 1	Carmel O'Reilly	Keith Shaw	Harry Powell
Cashier 2	Angela Williams	John Bested	John Seeliger
Steward			
Invocation		Angela Williams	Romaine Dawson
Information type			
Information		Phil Smith	Chris Dawson
Sergeant	No Sergeant		
Special Events			
Day	Saturday	Saturday	Saturday
Date	18 Jan 2019	25 Jan 2019	01 Feb 2019
SHED	Pancake Saturday	Australia Day Long Weekend	Pancake Saturday
Team Leader	Julie Reynolds	Bill Winslow	Romaine Dawson
Counter Sales	Joan Shaw	Arthur Manser	Chris Dawson
Counter Sales	Barbie Birkdale	Shirley Manser	Barb Joy Leave at Mid Day
BBQ	Peter Shaw	George Dimitriadis	Peter Shaw
Coffee	Dave Strange	Greg Rogers	Jen Carey
ASSISTING SMALL HOUSEHOLD	Keith Shaw John Reynolds Angela Williams	Keith Shaw Angela Williams	Keith Shaw Angela Williams
Emergencies			
Pick up Crew	Pauline Yates	Pauline Yates	Pauline Yates
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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.

Club Website and Facebook page - General information about our club can be found on our website at - <https://portal.clubrunner.ca/stpeters> The latest information about club activities and projects can be found on our facebook page at – <https://www.facebook.com/StPetersRotary/>

SHED SALE - The Rotary-on-Linde SHED SALE is the major Community Service activity of the Rotary Club of St Peters. It is held each Saturday from 8:30 am to 12:30 pm (8:00 am to 11:00 am if temperature is 35 degrees or above) in Linde Reserve at Stepney (Bus stop 6, Payneham Road).



A wide range of goods are for sale at bargain prices, including good pre-loved clothing, shoes, books, toys, art, DVDs, LPs, small household electrical, small furniture, sporting equipment, tools and bric-a-brac items.

Club volunteers work in the shed on various days, sorting the articles and preparing them for sale. All the proceeds of the sales are used for Rotary projects both locally and internationally, as determined by the club.

GOODS ARE WANTED - We need donations of saleable goods for our shed sale. We can't take large furniture - small items that can fit in a car are OK. If you have items that you need us to collect - Please phone 08 8411 0277 and leave a message.

VOLUNTEERS ARE ALWAYS NEEDED - If you, or someone you know would like to volunteer to help us prepare goods for sale or work in the shed please let us know.

Club Officers 2019-20 *President*, John George – *President Elect*, Bill Winslow
Secretary, Pam Vaughton – *Past President*, Brian Kretschmer - *Treasurer*, John Reynolds -
Community Service Director, Phil Smith - *Vocational / Youth Services Director*, David Heilbronn -
International Service Director, David Strange – *Fundraising*, Rod Carey - *Membership*, Arthur
Manser. *Sergeant*, Milton Jones - *Fellowship*, Greg Rogers - *Almoner, Apologies & Catering*, Keith
Shaw - *Rotary Foundation*, Romaine Dawson - *Public Officer*, Bruce Ballantyne - *Program*, Shirley
Manser - *Historian*, Dennis Henschke - *Shed Managers*, Rod & Jen Carey & David Heilbronn -
Website & Bulletin, Keith Payne.

The Bulletin - All items for the bulletin should be submitted to the editor electronically by each Wednesday night. *Editor: Keith Payne* gkpaynerotary@gmail.com

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