

Rotary Club of St Peters



PO Box 340, Marden, SA, 5070 Phone: 08 8411 0277
President – Bill Winslow Secretary – Pam Vaughton
Email stpeters@rotaryclub.org.au
Website <https://portal.clubrunner.ca/stpeters>
Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/StPetersRotary/>



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

Tuesday 4th August - Club meeting at the Kensington Hotel – Talk by PDG Keith Shaw.

Tuesday 11th August - Club meeting at the Kensington Hotel - Bob Budreika - Heard on Radio 5AA – Subject - Smooth Retirement and Beyond.

Tuesday 18th August - Lisa and Peter – Helping SA Farmers – **Board Meeting.**

Report of meeting 3142 held on 28th July at the San Giorgio Community Centre.

MEETING OPENING

In opening the meeting President Bill welcomed all those in attendance and made special reference to DG David Jones and his partner Lyn.

INVOCATION

Ellen Griffiths (Kent Town) presented the invocation.

LOYAL TOAST

Bob Brigden (Norwood) proposed a toast to Australia and the Queen.



INTRODUCTION OF DG

President Bill then introduced AG Brian Kretschmer who presented the CV of DG David Jones and asked him to address the meeting.

DG PRESENTATION

DG David indicated that this was the fourth of the 70 presentations to be made during this Rotary year in the new joint District 9510. He then expanded on the RI theme this year 'Rotary Opens Opportunities' by stating the belief that our acts of service, whether big or small, create further opportunities.



David reflected on his pathway to Rotary via other service clubs leading to involvement in a range of Rotaract and Rotary activities. Future opportunities are to be looked at because we are the future.....together we are people of action. We should seek volunteering opportunities in conjunction with local government.

The four main areas for consideration by clubs are:-

1. Increasing our impact - select members carefully, ensure a good fit with the club, meet their expectations, engage them and take care of them. Enhance public image.
2. Expanding our reach - develop different types of clubs e.g. satellite clubs.
3. Enhancing participant engagement - meet the membership challenge by becoming more diverse and flexible.
4. Increasing ability to adapt - plan well ahead, undertake a 5 year review, assess the value to members, take steps to achieve the vision.

The main areas of RI focus now includes 'Supporting the Environment'.

David then addressed the topics of the Rotary Foundation's function, the role of the Leadership Board, the District 9510 profile (85 clubs, 2167 members), and district events e.g.:-

- celebration of 100 years of RDU (operations, not the magazine). Clubs are encouraged to establish a special project;
- District Conference is planned for 16-18th April 2021 at Bendigo, theme 'Moving Forward Together'. Other options being surveyed due to Covid-19 pandemic.





Lyn Jones then spoke on her Partner Project, the focus of which is the mental health of young people. Australian Rotary Health has funded research projects to the value of \$48 million since 1985.

A mental health course has been undertaken by a number of Rotary related people in preparation for their role in promoting the project. Undertaking the Mental Health First Aiders Course is encouraged and helpful resources have been identified. Rotary clubs are encouraged to support ARH.

David closed this session by stating 'We will not let rapid change defeat us'.

VOTE OF THANKS

PDG Keith Shaw thanked David and Lyn, in a sincere, yet light-hearted manner, for their insightful contributions. He also commended the work done in merging the two districts and wished those involved well in their future roles. Keith reflected on the changes in ITs over the past 30 years, and the involvement of humble individuals in generating significant projects.



PRESIDENTS' NOTICES

Kent Town - Ellen Griffiths mentioned the club's Quiz Night, Walk a Mile (virtual), and a Wine project.



Norwood - Euan Miller indicated a return of meetings to the Kensi Hotel on 5th August, the club's 66th anniversary on 19th August, a Rotary information night to gain new members on 16th Sept. (100 on the guest list), a joint meeting with Kent Town and St. Peters on 30th Sept. and a Mental Health First Aiders Course being planned.

St. Peters – Bill Winslow - the return of meetings to the Kensi Hotel on 4th Aug. Members to think about a challenging project for RI's Centenary.

ROTARY INFORMATION SPOT

PDG Arthur Manser referred to the Rotary Foundation as RI's charity branch, stating that it is amongst the top 10 charities in the world, and detailing a number of grants made to projects in District 9520. Variations in ways of making contributions to the Centurion programme were then outlined.



Area Governor Brian Kretschmer was then awarded a Sapphire Pin in recognition of his dedicated contributions.

FINES - were issued comprehensively according to hierarchical position in Rotary.

CLOSURE

President Bill thanked all who joined the meeting especially DG David and Lyn -

- Visiting Rotarians Rotary Club of Kent Town and Norwood
- Visiting Rotarians - David Fenton – RC Campbelltown - District 9510 Secretary
- PDG Mike French and Rotarian Maggie Julian
- Paul Holton – son of Wayne Holton RC of St Peters
- Rotarians' Partners – Joan Shaw, Trenna Kretschmer, Barbara Holton, Sally Brigden

The report of this meeting is by PDG Dennis Henschke with photos by David Birkedale.

Apologies – John Bested, George Dimitriadis, John Dubberley, John George, David Heilbronn, Keith Payne, Ann Price.

President Bill closed the meeting with the theme from
Rotary International President – Holger Knaack
'Rotary Opens Opportunities'

ROTARY - MAKE A DIFFERENCE

- *if YOU want to make positive lasting change*
- *promote peace and work with other leaders*
- *within an ethical framework*
- *Rotary gives you the opportunity to make a difference*

Rotary   Rotary Opens Opportunities

1. Is it the TRUTH?	The Four Way Test
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?	
3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?	
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?	

The Bulletin – Thanks to all the contributors to the bulletin whilst the editor is unable to attend meetings. I apologise for any errors and omissions that may occur from time to time.

All items for the bulletin need to be submitted to the editor electronically by each Wednesday night.

Editor: *Keith Payne* gkpaynerotary@gmail.com

Subscriptions 2020-21 - Subs are due and can be paid in full or six-monthly. The subscription of \$200 can be paid in cash, cheque or by payment into the Rotary Club of St Peters General Account

BSB – 065 129

Account number

00901697

Please indicate your name.

Rosters

Day	Tuesday	Tuesday	Tuesday
Date	4 Aug 2020	11 Aug 2020	18 Aug 2020
Meeting	3143	3144	3145
Venue	Kensington Hotel	Kensington Hotel	Kensington Hotel
Topic - Guest Speaker	Keith Shaw Rotary Past to Present	Bob Budreika Smooth Retirement and Beyond	Lisa and Peter Helping SA Farmers
Chairperson	Bruce Ballantyne	Arthur Manser	Romaine Dawson
Vote of Thanks	Arthur Manser	Chris Dawson	Greg Rogers
Miscellaneous			Board Meeting
Reception	Romaine Dawson	Peter Hewitt	John Dubberley
Cashier 1	Phil Smith	Keith Shaw	Chris Dawson
Cashier 2	John Seeliger	John Dubberley	Angela Williams
Steward	Milton Jones	Carmel O'Reilly	Marlene Balacco
Invocation	Greg Rogers	David Strange	Pauline Yates
Note taker	Greg Rogers	David Strange	Pauline Yates
Sergeant	John Bested	Shirley Manser	Phil Smith
Day	Saturday	Saturday	Saturday
Date	01 Aug 2020	08 Aug 2020	15 Aug 2020
SHED			
Entry Check	Carmel O'Reilly	Angela Williams	Sue Bardy
Counter Sales	Trenna Kretschmer	Shirley Manser	Barbie Birkdale
Counter Sales	Barb Joy (leaving mid-day)	Jorge Munar	Joan Shaw
General Help	Sue Bardy	Rhonda Heilbronn	David Heilbronn
BBQ	Brian Kretschmer	Dave Strange	Peter Shaw
Coffee	George Dimitriadis	David Heilbronn	Angela Williams
GOODS IN	Angela Williams	Arthur Manser	Bill Winslow
EMERGENCIES	Phil Smith John Dubberley	Phil Smith John Dubberley	Phil Smith John Dubberley