

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.

Coming Events

Club meeting on Tuesday 13th October at the Kensington Hotel
Chris & Ray Moore - Hope Springs Eternal

Report of meeting 3152 held on Tuesday 6th October at the Kensington Hotel.

Opening

Shirley Manser called the meeting to order and *Carmel O'Reilly* gave the invocation and loyal toast. President *Bill Winslow* welcomed all, including guests *Sonia Schepticuk*, *Jim Owler* and *Tony Camporeale*.

Guest Speaker

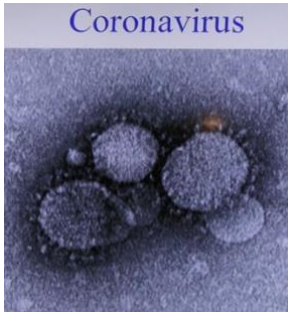
President Bill introduced Tuckweng Kok -

Most of you here will remember our Past member, Past president and past treasurer Tuckweng. He immigrated from Ipoh, Malaysia originally coming here for his University Studies. Tuckweng graduated from Adelaide Uni then continued on to complete his PhD from the Uni. He ran a very progressive Virology lab at the IMVS for many years developing and introducing some rapid tests for viruses which, at the time, were unprecedented. When PCR technology was finally developed to a point to make these tests available for diagnostic testing, his lab was at the forefront in development.

Many staff who worked in his lab at the IMVS, including myself and Sonia, cut their teeth on novel molecular techniques under Tuckweng's direction. I have a job to this day because of my molecular testing skills in which my first experience was in Tuckweng's lab. Tuckweng is now working for an acclaimed scientific journal reviewing papers for publication. Incidentally, Tuckweng authored numerous publications through his work at the IMVS.

FYI, Tuckweng and his wife Monica are the parents of two successful children, his daughter is a physiotherapist working in Victoria and his son has just left his senior role with Apple in China and now resides near Silicon Valley in the USA.

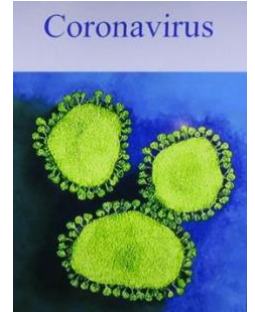
Tuckweng spoke about the history of SARS (Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome). The SARS coronavirus (SARS-CoV) virus was identified in 2003. SARS-CoV is thought to be an animal virus from an as-yet-uncertain animal reservoir, perhaps bats, that spread to other animals and first infected humans in the Guangdong province of southern China in 2002.



Coronavirus

To give some idea of the dimensions of the virus, he said if it was enlarged 120 times it would be the size of a superfine wool fibre.

The original SARS virus caused a high mortality rate in humans but did not spread readily.

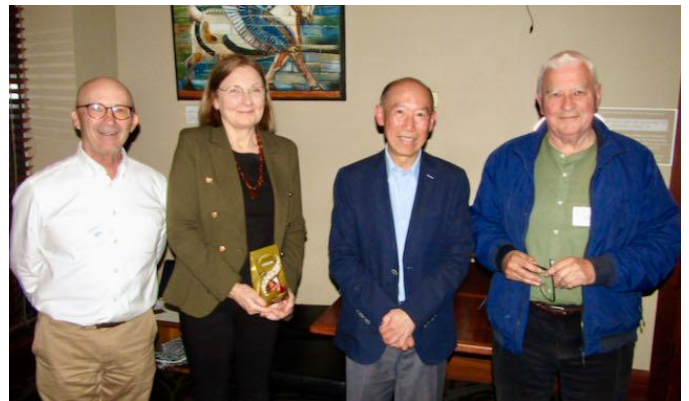


Coronavirus

Tuckweng contrasted this with the Covid-19 virus which first appeared in November 2019 in Wuhan, China, is highly infectious and has spread rapidly, mostly through air travel, although 50% of the people infected don't show any symptoms. Fortunately, Australia, being an island, has not been impacted as much as most other countries.

He said that although a lot of research is being undertaken, a vaccine that has passed the tests for safety and effectiveness would be unlikely to be available for at least a year.

Meanwhile, the best precautions to take are good hygiene (washing hands), social distancing and wearing a mask where contact with the virus is likely.



A vote of thanks was given by John Gallehawk.

President Bill's Announcements

Upcoming Events

- Rotary Foundation night and dinner is on for the 4th November at the San Georgio community centre.

Remember that this is a Wednesday night and in place of our Tuesday meeting that week.

Cost \$40 per head. Arthur Manser is doing the preparation and it should be a wonderful evening.



Save The Date Fundraising Dinner

Wednesday 4th November
San Georgio Centre
11 Henry St, Payneham

Partners Night

Come along and support
The Rotary Foundation

Details to follow

- On 31st October at the Regal Theatre is a Polio Plus fundraising event featuring the movie “I am Woman.” It’s \$15 per head and those attending are invited to go to dinner at Madam Woo’s Chinese restaurant on Norwood Parade.
- Speaking of 31st October, a Saturday, we’re having “Halloween Day at the Rotary Shed” from 9-11am. You need to dress-up like scary. There will be monster sausages and spooky muffins along with some fun and games. It’s free entry and you will be able to park your broom!



Members Minutes

Pam Vaughton – Hands Across the Border

Rotary Club of St Peters - Rotary Club of Brighton North Victoria

Thursday 1 October

The idea of extending the hand of friendship to Victorian folk was first raised by Rotarian Angela Williams. After Board Discussion, and following the donation of \$500 towards masks, I contacted the RC of Brighton North.

My cousin PP Sue Jones is Community Director this year and was able to set up a spot for three of our members to join in their Zoom Meeting as guests and to give a short presentation about our Club. This was warmly received as was our participation in the raffle.

We also heard a wonderful presentation:

Adventures in Architecture - Helping Those Who Need It Most

Professor Ken McBryde,
Adjunct Professor of Architecture, The University of Sydney

Our thanks to all members of the RC of Brighton, especially President Peter Killey and PP Sue Jones. Please keep in touch.



The Rotary Foundation has negotiated for Rotarians, their families, and friends to exclusively see the movie I AM WOMAN on the BIG screen. This will be your only opportunity to see the film at the cinema.

This fabulous movie will be showing at The Regal Theatre 275 Kensington Rd, Kensington Park SA 5068 on Saturday, 31st October 2020 at 5.00 pm. The early timeslot gives ample opportunity to go out to dinner following the movie.

This is a fundraising event for the End Polio Now Campaign, but will also be a great opportunity to get together.

Profits from ticket sales will go to your Rotary Club's End Polio Rotary Foundation Contributions.

Tickets can be obtained by contacting D9510 Foundation Committee Chair Marie-louise Lees by email: FoundationChair@Rotary9510.org or by Phone 0408 134 363

This will be an absolutely fabulous get together and it would be great if you showed your presence there. When Rotarians come together for a cause greater than themselves – to bring hope to others – good things happen.

Our Club is planning Dinner at a local restaurant after this movie.

Pam Vaughton

Polio Plus Movie Night

The Regal Theatre
275 Kensington Rd, Kensington Park
Date: Saturday, 31st October 2020
Time: 5.00 pm

Tickets: \$15.00
Enjoy a night of great fellowship and raise funds for Polio.

For tickets:
Contact Marie-louise Lees
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Official Trailer Stan. ORIGINALS
I AM WOMAN

I AM WOMAN is the story of Helen Reddy, who in 1966 landed in New York with her three-year-old daughter, a suitcase and \$230 in her pocket. Within weeks she was broke, she was one of the biggest superstars of her time, and an icon of the 1970s feminist movement, who wrote a song which galvanised a generation of women to fight for change

Exclusive to Rotary - this will be the only chance to see this film on the BIG Screen

The Rotary Foundation

END POLIO NOW

Romaine Dawson – Youth committee – One and All trip

Alysia was sponsored by our Youth Committee, jointly with Holdfast Bay RC, for a 5 day voyage between Adelaide and Port Lincoln.

She was farewelled by David Strange and welcomed back by Romaine and Chris Dawson (who, while waiting, took the time to have a tour of The City of Adelaide clipper ship which is also moored at Dock 2)



According to Dave, Alysia was very nervous when boarding, but she came back full of enthusiasm and confidence. Seasick, of course – but so were all the others. Alysia also won a special prize for being the most cooperative crew member.

She was met by her mother who was surprised she had missed Alysia so much, and there were hugs and tears all round. We expect Alysia will visit the Club in the future to tell us of her trip.

Anniversaries

1) Members Birthdays	Marlene Balacco	03-Oct,	David Heilbronn	06-Oct,
John George	09-Oct,	Rod Carey	10-Oct	
2) Partner’s Birthdays	(David Strange)	Amy	07-Oct,	(John Dubberley) Helen 09-
Oct				
3) Rotary Birthdays	Peter Hewitt	31	03-Oct,	Keith Shaw
David Birkedale	16	12-Oct		53 11-Oct,

Apologies –

David Strange, John Bested, Bruce Ballantyne, George Dimitriadis, John George, David Heilbronn, Peter Hewitt. John Reynolds.

‘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



The Four Way Test

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

Rotary Club of St Peters - Weekly Bulletin – 20201006 – 6th October 2020

The Bulletin – 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.

Meeting Rosters

Day	Tuesday	Tuesday	Tuesday
Date	13 Oct 2020	20 Oct 2020	27 Oct 2020
Meeting	3153	3154	3155
Venue	KENSINGTON HOTEL	KENSINGTON HOTEL	KENSINGTON HOTEL
Topic - Guest Speaker	Chris & Ray Moore Hope Springs Eternal	Tanya Liddell Dementia Excellence Facilitator Elder Care	Nancy Midwifery in PNG Judi Brown
Chairperson	Angela Williams	John Seeliger	Phil Smith
Vote of Thanks	Carmel O'Reilly	Pauline Yates	Sue Bardy
Miscellaneous		Board Meeting	
Reception	Romaine Dawson	Marlene Balacco	John Gallehawk
Cashier 1	Bruce Ballantyne	Keith Shaw	John Dubberley
Cashier 2	Chris Dawson	John Dubberley	Sue Bardy
Steward	David Strange	Greg Rogers	Milton Jones
Invocation	Romaine Dawson	Sue Bardy	John Gallehawk
Sergeant	Greg Rogers	John Bested	

Shed Rosters

Day	Saturday	Saturday	Saturday
	10-Oct	17-Oct	24-Oct
COVID MARSHAL	Sue Bardy	Barb Joy til noon	Sue Bardy
		David H after noon	Dennis Henschke
INSIDE SHED			Sue before 9 & after 11
Team Leader	Romaine Dawson	Rhonda Heilbronn	Julie Reynolds
Counter Sales	Sonia Schepetiuk	Bill Winslow	Joan Shaw
General Assistance	Sue Bardy Barbie Birkdale	Milton Jones	John Dubberley
CAFÉ			
BBQ	Peter Shaw	Dave Strange	George Dimitriadis
Coffee	Angela Williams	Jen Carey	Angela Williams
GOODS IN	Chris Dawson	Rod Carey	John Reynolds
ASSISTING SMALL HOUSEHOLD	AS PER OUR	COVID 19 PLAN	MUST BE
Emergencies			
Pick up Crew	Pauline Yates	Pauline Yates	Pauline Yates

WINE ORDER FORM

The Rotary Club of Kent Town is a modern club. It is driven by enthusiastic professionals from a range of backgrounds, who come together through their passion for giving back to their community. We have a strong social conscience and believe in making the world a better place through taking action to create lasting change.

The club is offering cases of two local wines for sale from the beautiful Adelaide Hills. By purchasing this wine, you will be supporting your local and international communities through enabling Rotary Club of Kent Town projects. Some of the proceeds will support club administration.

CUSTOMER DETAILS

Name		Phone	
Address			
Email			
Rotary member's name			

ORDER INFORMATION

Vintage & varietal	Price per case	Quantity of cases	Subtotal
2020 Sauvignon Blanc	\$150		\$
2014 Cabernet/Merlot/Malbec/Shiraz	\$170		\$
Mixed case (6 white + 6 red)	\$160		\$
TOTAL			\$

PAYMENT DETAILS

Please make payment in advance to:

Rotary Club of Kent Town

Bsb: 105-032

Acc: 055 534 440

Include your name as a reference

Return the completed form to: treasurerrckt@gmail.com

Wine will be available in September. Please arrange pick up or delivery with a Rotary Club of Kent Town member.