

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 16 January at the Shed
Program – Behind the Badge – Professor Adrian Esterman**

Future Events

<u>Meeting #</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Venue</u>	<u>Speaker/Program</u>	<u>Information</u>
3301	16/1/24	The Shed	Adrian Esterman	Meal orders to be circulated a week before
3302	23/1/24	Kensington Hotel	TBA	

Report of Meeting 3300 held on Saturday 9 December at On Statenborough

President Jim Owler welcomed all.

Jim organised a wonderful event for our Club.

Guests included Jim's son: Lindsay Owler and his wife Catherine Follett

Elizabeth Gagliardi – Area 8 Governor and Eddie
Margie Maloney President of the RC of Burnside
Susie Llewelyn RC of Epping and Stephen

Leigh Mills and Lucy Spinkston
Julia & Kevin Verran
Barbara Joy and Arthur Terrell



During the evening the induction of new member Leigh Mills took place.

We welcome Leigh and Lucy to our Club and note Leigh has offered to volunteer to work on the Club BBQ for the local Council Citizenship Ceremony on Australia Day.



A delicious meal was served by attentive and efficient staff.

A lovely surprise was an entertainer who provided music and enticed couples to "trip the light fantastic."



The Club wishes to thank Jim for organising such a pleasant Christmas party.

Opening of the Shelter – Linde Reserve – 9 December 2023



In some ways the weather was perfect for the opening of the shelter – all umbrellas and raincoats as we huddled under the new shelter as it rained and rained.

President Jim Owler opened proceedings thanking the Club members, the Builders – Traegermont Constructions and The Hon. James Stevens (whose office granted us half the funds via the Federal Government) for the splendid result that is our new all-weather shelter.

This is our gift to the Community.

James Stevens spoke of the excellent ways in which service Clubs contribute to the community.

He pronounced the shelter officially open.



Meanwhile it rained and rained and rained.

But we were dry thanks to the shelter and treated to some tasty delights baked by Betty Owler and Wendy Gaborit.



All agreed the shelter is a wonderful asset for the community in the park and for Rotary Shed visitors.

Please note we are open every Saturday for Shed Sales and BBQ with coffee. Come and try the new shelter!

Still it rained and rained.

Inside the Shed much work was undertaken by Broom and Mop.

The Shed roof repairs are being rescheduled due to the forecast!

We take a two week break (one either side of Christmas). Please check our Website or Facebook Page for details.

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2024	SAVE THE DATE
26 January 2024	Australia Day BBQ St Peters Street St Peters Australia Day Duck Race, RC of Morialta - Thorndon Park
6 February 2024	Joint Meeting with RC of Goolwa – 2 night visit to the South Coast
6 March 2024	International Women's Day Breakfast, Arkaba Hotel
15-17 March 2024	District Conference, Loxton

Members Minutes

Pam Vaughton – Greetings from Amy and Dave Strange

Pam read a lovely Christmas greeting card from Cairns telling of the family's news. It was good to see Dave's mother Monica at the Shelter opening yesterday. Dave's trailer is with Pam should members need to use it.

Australia Day Barbecue – St Peters Street – Friday 26 January

Volunteers Ann, Brian, Wendy, Leigh, Angela, Barb and Pam have offered. Thank you. Details to follow.



We wish our readers a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Please note there will be a Bulletin published on 9 January with details of the meal available at the Shed Meeting on 16 January. We will need numbers for catering purposes. Meanwhile Bulletin content is welcome.

Pam Vaughton
Editor

Jack's Farm Tree Update – Pam Vaughton



Members will know this project began in 2017 when seeds were planted to replace trees lost in a Tornado at Jack's farm in the mid north.

Over 200 hundred trees were planted by the Club in May 2018.

Most years Rotarians have journeyed up to perform tree maintenance.

Several Rotarians and friends went in November this year.

I am so proud to present pics showing growth progress. Taller than me!
There are about 130 trees looking healthy.

This project was made possible from the work of Rotarians and friends.

Sadly our farmer passed away recently.
However his son will take on the care of the land and is proud of the "plantation".

We are all welcome to continue our visits.



Our thanks to all the Rotarians who have taken the time and effort to help with the establishment of the trees. So proud.



Apologies

Keith and Joan Shaw

Meeting Roster

Date	19-Dec	16-Jan	23-Jan
Meeting Number		3301	3302
Meeting		The Shed	Kensington Hotel
Venue Topic / Guest Speaker		Shed Meeting	TBA
Chairperson		David Heilbronn	
Vote of Thanks		Paul Holton	
Special	Xmas Break	Behind the Badge: Adrian Esterman	Board Meeting (26th = Australia Day)
Reception			Peter Hewitt
Cashier 1		Keith Shaw	Kuol Baak
Cashier 2		Dennis Henschke	Mary Anne Hannay
Steward			John Dubberley
Invocation			Peter Hewitt
Bulletin		Pam Vaughton	Pam Vaughton
Information Spot			
Sergeant		Greg Rogers	Phil Smith
Well being Support			
Information		Meal Orders a Week in Advance	

Shed Roster

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

	Saturday	Saturday	Saturday
	16-Dec-23	23-Dec-23	30-Dec-23
	LAST TRADING DAY 2023	SHED CLOSED	SHED CLOSED
TEAM LEADER	Brian Kretschmer (Signs)		
FRONT COUNTER			
Counter Sales 1	Trenna Kretschmer	SHED RE-OPENS	SHED RE-OPENS
Counter Sales 2	Greg Rogers	SATURDAY	SATURDAY
	Adrian Esterman	6-Jan-24	6-Jan-24
GENERAL HELP	Brian Kretschmer Bill Winslow		
CAFÉ			
BBQ	Peter Shaw		
COFFEE	Lisa Shaw / Emily Wendy Gaborit		
STUDENT ASSISTANT	Wendy Gaborit	Angela Williams	
GOODS IN Counter When Needed	Brian Kretschmer Bill Winslow		
SMALL HOUSEHOLD	Keith Shaw		
EMERGENCIES	Phil Smith or Wendy Gaborit	Phil Smith or Wendy Gaborit	Phil Smith or Wendy Gaborit
PICK UP CREW 1	Pauline Yates	Pauline Yates	Pauline Yates
PICK UP CREW 2	Marlene Balacco	Marlene Balacco	Marlene Balacco