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Preamble

"The Rotary Horizons" & links for this week which has been sent to all Rotarians.

This publication and past dispatches are available on the District 9500 website

at [www.rotary9500.org](http://www.rotary9500.org)

All items for The Rotary Horizons to be sent to the District Secretary by 12.00 noon Thursdays either by email [secretary17-18@rotary9500.org](mailto:secretary17-18@rotary9500.org) (preferred) or post Rotary D9500 PO Box 6669, Adelaide Halifax St PO SA 5000 (AND allow time for delivery)



## **Diary Dates – Rotary Making a Difference, – March 2018**

### **All of March - Water and Sanitation month**

**23 Fri– 25 Sun March – Joint District Conference – Barossa Valley.**

**13 Fri April – Celebration of Rotaract's 50 years.**

**7 Sat – 8 Sun April – Combined District Presidents Elect Training – Adelaide Nazareth College**

**28 Sat April – Leading Rotary Now – Adelaide (St Michaels College)**

**6 Sun May - Leading Rotary Now – Whyalla (Uni SA Campus)**

**26 Sat May - Leading Rotary Now – Alice Springs (Time & Place TBA)**

**8 Sun July – DG's Change Over – Adelaide (Glenelg Golf Club)**

### **From my desk.**

Hello Readers.

**My** life as DG just gets better and better as the weeks roll by. Last week a sailing dream comes true.

This week my second up close encounter with our RI President, Ian Riseley and wife Juliet. Yes, I went to the 'meet and mingle' event organised by the RC of Mobilong (Murray Bridge). I was also fortunate in being invited to an informal dinner later that evening.

The meet and mingle was a great event and all present had the opportunity to meet Ian and Juliet, up close and personal both before and after his address to the group – a full house. It was great to see so many from our district there with some travelling quite a long way.

Ian spoke to us about many things Rotary, The Foundation, Polio and what comes after that, citations, the theme and how and why that came about, the peace conference next weekend, the old GSE and now VTT and Cultural exchanges, the gathering of basic club volunteer hours and dollars stats and why, and some anecdotes of his travels around the world visiting clubs in less visited areas (such as this visit to Murray Bridge). I think all there valued and appreciated the insights of these two remarkable people.

A take home for me was Ian's response when asked "what lies ahead after being President". He responded with, "I'm looking forward to going back to being a "Club Rotarian" and making a difference at that level.

How true. My engagement with Club level activities has been negligible over the past few years and I have missed that. The lead-up and year as DG has been very busy and heaven knows, I have done many more Rotary hours on that journey than I would have at club level, and I have enjoyed it and I've met many wonderful people and learnt so much about our clubs and the difference they make all over, but the club level hands-on and the comradery is missed. In the end, we're all Rotarians and some step forward to undertake a different role for a short period and then we're back to basic rotary work. Ian also said in his address that the good works of Rotary don't come from Chicago (Evanston) they come from grass roots Rotarians and Clubs. That's so accurate.

This weekend I also had the privilege of attending the RC of Maitland's 50<sup>th</sup> Year Anniversary. Well done you guys. That was a wonderful event and I must comment that it was truly a celebration of achievements. Presentations by former inbound and out-bound exchange students was so pertinent to what that program is all about; building and developing youth. Each spoke about how their year in Sao Paulo and in Maitland, effected them in their adult life, from leadership and self-confidence through to the discovery of a life-long vocation and career (and a passion for golf). Also celebrated was the club's long involvement with GSE (sadly no longer a Rotary program) and the difference that it made to their club and also for the exchanges. Further on in the Horizons, you'll see a photo of a giant \$7k cheque being presented to the AFFLIP Foundation, a project that the Club has supported for several years. The Club has also supported the Foundation each year for many years, and I don't recall the accumulative amount contributed over the years but it was significant.

Well done to the organisers. It was a great celebration of the difference a group of rural men and women who don't always have prosperous years in a farming community, have made to lives of so many. I'm confident that you will continue "making a difference" in the decades to come.

I'd just like to let you know that that you will not be hearing from me in the next two editions. The Combined Conference is looming and I anticipate that time will be scarce. Maybe, Secretary Jeff will string some words together for you. Now there's a challenge he didn't know about☺.

Until next time, keep well... and keep Making a Difference...

PeterS

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### **With less than two weeks to go – have you booked?**

**Rotary**

**Combined District 9500 & 9520 Conference**  
23 - 25 March 2018

- First combined District Conference
- Top inspirational Speakers
- Great venue and seating
- Friday night special Banquett
- Get involved - 'Hands On' Projects
- Best Rotary Showcase
- Perfect fellowship break
- Fantastic Conference Dinner and Entertainment - just bring Your Bling, Denim & Sneakers

**Be there and Make A Real Difference**

## Club History - Records

*'We are not makers of history. We are made by history.'* Martin Luther King Jr.

Currently the newly established District 9500 library contains single copies of each of the listed Club Histories and they make fascinating viewing. Clubs are encouraged to consider documenting their individual histories where possible. District History and Records Officer is happy to provide support to clubs who may be interested in undertaking this challenging task.

A number of club Annual Reports are also retained in the District archives but these record are far from complete. It would be appreciated if clubs could each year forward a copy of their Annual Report, where such exists, as hard copy to District History and Records Officer for retention in the library.

Please let me know if your club has documented its history but it is not listed below.

I would also be interested to know which is the oldest club, to retain a charter member on its membership.

There's a challenge.

Club	Chartered	History Recorded	Format
Adelaide	1924	1923-2013	Printed
Prospect	1950	1950-2000	Printed
Port Pirie	1956	1956-2006	Printed
Barossa Valley	1956	1956-2006	Printed
Henley Beach	1963	1963-2002	Printed in five volumes
Elizabeth	1966	1966-2006	Printed
West Torrens	1979	1979-2009	Pictorial compilation on cd
Modbury	1982	1982-2012	Printed and updated annually
Kidman Park	1984	1984-1994	Printed
Adelaide Light	1986	1986-2011	Printed
Maitland	1968	Task in progress	

Keith Rendell

District History and Records Officer

6 March 2018

**To contact Keith – see details in the District Directory Vade Mecum – page 51 and 95**

# RIDE TO CONFERENCE



**Our D9500/9520 Conference at Tanunda is now less than 4 weeks away. Last time I sent a notice it was five months out, so you should be fit by now??**

Adelaide to Tanunda, via Gawler and Lyndoch is about 80km and mainly a flat ride. A nice comfortable ride if you've done some training.

**The ride will start from the car park of the Caledonian Hotel, O'Connell St and Barton Tce, North Adelaide at 6:30am. (Sharp) on Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> March.**

The ride will progress along the bike lane of Churchill Rd then up Churchill Rd North. We will cross over Pt Wakefield Rd to Montague Rd, and proceed up Cross Keys Rd and into the back of Mawson Lakes. Through ML and onto the Shared Path along the back of Parafield Airport. We then cross over Kings Rd and into the back roads of Salisbury Downs, following the rail line. We cross over Salisbury Hwy and then over Waterloo Corner Rd, onto a shared path going under the train line and continue via back streets to cross over Commercial Rd and onto Kettering Rd at the roundabout.

Kettering Rd comes to Goodman Rd, follow this all the way to Elizabeth. Follow Elizabeth Way and left onto Winterslow Rd and then onto Peachy Rd.

This is a pretty good road to ride and goes through Davoren Park to Curtis Rd at Andrews Farm. Left on Curtis Rd will take us out to the Northern Expressway's Stuart O'Grady Bike Track. About 15km on this takes us to Gawler. Follow Two Wells Rd, Ryde St and Overway Bridge Rd to the Gawler Station. Then via Twelfth St into Murray St, Gawler for breakfast and a cuppa at Cibo, 77 Murray St.. Probably there about 9:30am

About 10am, from Murray St, take Calton Rd out to Sandy Creek. Calton Rd is a little steep as it leaves Gawler but soon flattens out and takes you onto the Jack Bobridge rail trail and out to Lyndoch. A quick rest stop if you need it.

Lyndoch to Tanunda, just follow the Rail Trail, It does head away from the main road for a bit and there are two little steep bits on this route. Once in Tanunda, then it's a case of just follow your nose to Conference and or your accommodation.

All of the above detail is shown in case some riders want to join the ride along the way.

Anyone who wants to join the **Ride to Conference** please let me know as soon a possible.

**Russell Green   Regency Park Rotary Club   [rusgreen@bigpond.net.au](mailto:rusgreen@bigpond.net.au)**

**Have your club sponsor your ride and support Australian Rotary Health. <https://rotary.fitness>**



# ROTARY LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE (RLI)

## Register NOW for the Rotary Leadership Institute (RLI) Course at St Michael's College, Henley Beach

### What is RLI (Rotary Leadership Institute)?

CLUBS – **INVEST IN YOUR MEMBERS** – CONSIDER HELPING THEM ATTEND – KNOWING TOO MUCH ABOUT ROTARY HAS NEVER BEEN A DRAWBACK TO CLUB DEVELOPMENT.

*The Rotary Leadership Institute (RLI)* is a fast-paced, two-day course offered for Rotarians and Rotaractors to build on, and share, leadership skills and the understanding of Rotary.

It builds on PETs and LRN events and is ideal for a 'new Rotarian' or even a 'seasoned Rotarian' wanting to gain a broader understanding of Rotary and its programs.

The Course is topical, interactive, and geared towards Rotarians who want to be more knowledgeable and effective leaders and members of their Clubs.

This internationally recognised course is collaborative in approach and provides opportunities to learn more about Rotary, its structure, its programs and the role and function of leaders of clubs and beyond.

#### DETAILS

- Saturday May 19 and Sunday May 20, 2018 @ St Michael's College Henley Beach
- Morning Tea, Lunch & Materials provided
- Cost \$100.00 (Clubs are asked to support Rotarians interested in attending, especially Presidents Elect, aspiring leaders and new Rotarians)

#### DATE AND TIME NOT SUITABLE? WANT TO MAKE A FURTHER ENQUIRY?

- Contact D9500 RLI Registrar PDG Marie Dorrington at [mdorrington@bigpond.net.au](mailto:mdorrington@bigpond.net.au) or 0417863316.
- DGN Jane Owens RLI Coordinator



## RC Salisbury – Quiz Night

The **Rotary Club of Salisbury** is hosting yet another fun quiz night! This one is set to be bigger and better with an 80's Theme night. Funds raised will support a **Rotarian Action Group Against Slavery** project in Cambodia to support a residential school with much needed extensions and refurbishment to sustain their growing demand for educating children.

The quiz night will be held on **Saturday, 12 May 2018** at the Salisbury Institute and we expect over 150 people to participate. We will be advertising this event extensively in social media, the local community and our Rotary network.

[Click Here for further information](#)

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## HEALTH OF THE RIVER FORUM - NOVEMBER 2018

After a short break whilst the program was being revamped, it is pleasing to advise that in **November 2018 this valuable youth project will be hosted again at Calperum in the Riverland.**

The program is designed for Year 10 students with a special interest in the environment, and in the past has energised students to pursue this interest into a career choice.

As it is envisaged that a maximum of 30 students only will be able to participate this year, early registration from Clubs wishing to sponsor a student is encouraged. The anticipated cost per student for the week long forum is only \$500

Best email address to do so is [will4444sa@gmail.com](mailto:will4444sa@gmail.com)

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## Group 2 Dinner – St Michaels





*Proceeds to Rotary Community Projects*

**of the Kapunda**

Sunday 8th April 2018

Golfers and non-Golfers welcome

**Golf**

**\$20/head Non Kapunda Golf Club members**

**\$15/head Kapunda Golf Club members**

- 4 Player Ambrose Comp (Get up a team!!)
- 9.00am Registration and Egg and Bacon Roll breakfast
- 'Shotgun' start 10.00 am
- Test your skill at novelty comps throughout the day.
- BBQ lunch 4 sale.
- Afternoon tea and presentations included at end of play.
- Bar open all day.
- Nine hole layout with 18 different tee blocks.
- Well maintained fairways and manicured greens. ([www.kapundagolf.com.au](http://www.kapundagolf.com.au))

*Kapunda Golf Club members can pre-register at the bar.*

**Non members pre registration and information Email: [dkhodge1@internode.on.net](mailto:dkhodge1@internode.on.net) Ph**

**0422004140 David Hodge, Rotary Club of Kapunda.**



## An Invite from RI President Ian Riseley

**Ian Riseley**     President, 2017-18     [ian.riseley@rotary.org](mailto:ian.riseley@rotary.org)

22 February 2018

Dear fellow Rotarians:

I am pleased to invite you to the Sydney Town Hall on 17 March for the [Presidential Peacebuilding Conference](#) where we will explore economic and community development in relation to peacebuilding on a local, national, and international scale.

Rotary District 9675 has planned an outstanding program featuring Nobel Laureate Muhammad Yunus, noted Australian foreign correspondent Hugh Riminton, Founder and Executive Chairman of the Institute for Economics and Peace Steve Killelea, Vice Chair of the Rotarian Action Group Against Slavery Dave McCleary and UNICEF CEO Tony Stuart. Joining them will be a host of other internationally recognised thought leaders from across the business and philanthropic communities.

We discuss important topics including the cost of conflict, the power of education, facilitating peaceful outcomes, as well as pressing issues such as cyberbullying and modern slavery affecting the harmony of our global community.

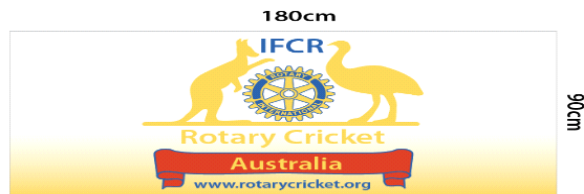
We'll explore the real causes of economic instability, the intersection of sound community development and reconciliation, and opportunities to create peace through collaborative service projects globally and locally. You will leave the conference motivated to expand existing efforts in peacebuilding or initiate new ones.

I look forward to joining you in Sydney as we come together to Make a Difference by discussing challenges and identifying opportunities to address some of the most pressing concerns of modern times.

If you have not already registered, you may do so online <http://rippc2018.com.au/registration>. Consider bringing along a friend, school student or young person to learn and be inspired as we come together to explore how all of us can thoughtfully and practically build peace in our world.

Sincerely,  
Ian Riseley  
President, Rotary International





[WWW.rotarycricket.org](http://www.rotarycricket.org)

# **IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR ROTARIANS WELCOME TO IFCR**

**IFCR Australia** (International Fellowship of Cricket Loving Rotarians) invites Rotarians in Australia to learn about our wonderful Cricketing Fellowship.

All Rotarians in Australia who are interested in cricket, as player, umpire, scorer, reader, watcher or enthusiast, can be a member and participate in the IFCR Australia Fellowship.

Membership of IFCR Australia has grown to well over 200, commencing in 1993 at the RI Convention in Melbourne.

**Our major upcoming event is  
The 10th World Rotary Cricket Festival in Melbourne  
Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> January to Friday 25<sup>th</sup> January 2019.**

Visit [www.rotarycricket.org](http://www.rotarycricket.org) click on [Melbourne](#)

Join Australian IFCR by completing the [Aus Membership Application 2016](#)

**[Click Here for further information](#)**

## Let's Go Sailing on the One and All

Dear Rotarians,

The last two events have been fantastic on our ship and so great the Rotary sponsored students were on board to have a chat about the recent voyage to Port Lincoln.

I know many that have sailed on the twilight sail and day sail wished there was something for "Big Kids like us" or for others in your family, well we have the Kangaroo Island voyage coming up in 5- 8 April. This is not a youth voyage but for adults wanting an adventure to sail on our ship.

We still have places for booking on this voyage, a lot of fun sailing to the great coastline of KI, and on a tall ship like ours.

I have attached all the information to book, but any questions let me know only too happy to help.

Let's Go Sailing!

Regards

Annie Roberts Operations Manager 0432 495 603 [annie@oneandallship.com.au](mailto:annie@oneandallship.com.au)

Friends of One & All Sailing Ship Inc PO Box 3214 Port Adelaide SA 5015 [www.oneandallship.com.au](http://www.oneandallship.com.au)



Click below for further information

KI Information Pack 2018

KI Voyage Booking Pack 2018

One & All Internet Poster

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## Maitland 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary



Maitland celebrated their 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary on Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> March by donating \$7,000 to the Foundation

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### **World President Ian Riseley visit to Murray Bridge**



*See "From my desk" at the front of this presentation from DG Peter.*

Some of the District Rotaractors (Salisbury in this case) with RI President Ian Riseley and DG Peter Schaefer at the Murray Bridge Town Hall Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> March 2018.

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## On This Day – 10- March

### **1876** The first telephone call is made

Alexander Graham Bell transmitted the words “Mr. Watson, come here -- I want to see you” to his assistant, Thomas A. Watson, who was in the next-door room.

### **1952** Fulgencio Batista assumes power in Cuba after a coup

The dictator was overthrown by rebels under the command of Che Guevara in 1959.

### **1959** A revolt erupts in Lhasa, sparking the Tibetan uprising

Fearing the Dalai Lama's abduction by China, 300,000 Tibetans surrounded his palace.

### **2000** The dotcom bubble bursts when the NASDAQ Composite stock market index peaks at 5408.60

The dotcom boom, which started in 1997, accompanied the advent of countless new Internet-based companies. When the speculative bubble burst, many small investors were affected.

**Births On This Day – 1940** Chuck Norris      American actor, martial artist

**Deaths On This Day – 1988** Andy Gibb      English/Australian singer

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A reminder that this publication requires information from you – please send me your information about your club activities.

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