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A Rotary District 9500 weekly publication

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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



All items for The Rotary Horizons to be sent to the District Secretary by 12.00 noon Thursdays either by email <u>secretary17-18@rotary9500.org</u> (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, - November 2017

# All of November - Rotary Foundation month

11 November – Christmas party for the District Leadership Team.

By end of November - Has your club organised it's AGM including nomination of the President Elect and Club management teams – LRN's will commence early in 2018.

23 December 2017 – Last day for any motions to be considered at the District AGM.

21 January 2018 - Closing date for District awards - see pages 66-68 of the Vade Mecum

#### From my desk.

Hello Readers.

I sadly inform you of the passing of PDG Colin Thorn (RC of Largs Bay and Barossa Districts).

He passed away last Wednesday 1st November.

At this time his wife Joy and Family wish to grieve privately.

It is expected that his Death Notice will be in Monday's edition of the Advertiser, and although not confirmed, His funeral may be on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> November, in the Barossa Valley.

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So, we're now into November and I have only a handful of DG Club visits remaining.

The District has certainly been busy throughout the past months. District representatives and Team Leaders have been Guest Speakers at many club meetings, The Membership team has conducted an informative and inspiring seminar, we've had some of our members attend the Future Leaders event in Darwin, some Rotaractors attend the National Rotaract Conference in Sydney and just last weekend, the AG's and the G-train engaged in a facilitated Strategic Planning workshop.

Our focus for November is the Rotary Foundation. Arch Klumph started the Foundation just over 100 years ago to enable Rotarians "to do good in the World". It's through the Foundation that much of the global works of Rotary are funded and that is why we at District level encourage Clubs and individuals to support the Foundation,

through the Centurion program, annual pledges by Clubs, personal donations or endowments, bequests and benefactors and as a Society member.

Several Clubs have presented cheques to me, during my official visit, to forward onto the Foundation. These monies have been for the Foundation's general fund and sometimes for the Fund's End Polio program, "PolioPlus". As an object for November, I encourage Clubs to support the Foundation by making a donation.

Keep well and 'til next time.

PeterS

Rotary: Making a Difference



The 2018 District Conference is an event combined with our friends to the South East of our district – D9520. DG Bob and I have called it "Joining Rotary – a conference with a difference". This is not just because the two districts are coming together, but because we see the conference as an opportunity for you to bring someone that you feel would make a great Rotarian but needs a "bit more" to bring them over the line to actually joining your Club. DG Peter Schaefer

The Barossa Conference will be 'Making A Difference' for all attendees....

- Inspirational Speakers just for a start
- Showcase of Rotary Club Projects & Programs Displays
- Be part of the 'Hands On Projects' and these valuable projects
- ... So be part of the Difference and join us in March 2018

Book now and save with the Early Bird Registration



#### **WELCOME TO D9500 NEW MEMBERS.**

## Has your club inducted a new member this month - October

If so – please send a picture of them being inducted, their name and BREIF overview of them

District Membership Team Leader Sue Fuller on 0419831226 - sue.full 47@hotmail.com for further information.

Polio Movie Night November is Foundation month - plan ahead

If you are in the Gawler area – see next page for details of Gawler Lights MOVIE NIGHT



# **END POLIO NOW**

# JOINT DISTRICT FUNDRAISER MOVIE EVENT



View Trailer here: <a href="https://youtu.be/JFDGjNdRqTk">https://youtu.be/JFDGjNdRqTk</a>

Piccadilly Cinema, O'Connell Street, North Adelaide Wednesday November 8, 2017
7.15pm sharp start.
\$20.00 per person

JOIN US IN OUR FIGHT TO END POLIO
For every dollar we raise, the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation will give us \$2.00

# **CLICK HERE TO BOOK NOW**

Take advantage of one of the many restaurants along O'Connell Street and book to have an early dinner with your friends before the screening.





Contact 9500 Doug Layng 0418-882-144

Contact 9520 Jerry Casburn 0407-646-396

# Polio Movie Night – Gawler area November is Foundation month - plan ahead

The Rotary Club of Gawler Light will be holding a Movie Night in aid of Polio Plus at the Gawler Cinemas on Wednesday November the 8<sup>th</sup>.

The Movie is Murder on the Orient Express which is the exclusive screening for Rotary International prior to its release.

Tickets will be \$15.00 available through www.trybooking.com/SJPI or contact Steve McLachlan 0419 036 869 avagess@iprimus.com.au

# ... Conference Showcase ...



# To Convenors of Club Projects, Committees and Rotary Programs

The combined Rotary Conference, to be held in the Barossa Arts and Convention Centre in 2018, will feature a Rotary Showcase where Clubs, District and Rotary affiliated programs can display and issue materials to publicise and promote their activities.

You are invited to apply for the allocation of Display Spaces at the Conference.

The Conference commences at 1pm on Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> March with Registration open from 9.30am. The conference concludes at 1pm on Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> March.

The Convenor of the Rotary Showcase is PP Les Dennis (RC Regency Park) lesdennis@bigpond.com 0408813966 Because this is a combined Conference highlighting Coming Together, it is likely that there will be a heavy demand for available spaces. Convenors and key personnel are urged to contact Les to reserve a spot in the display area asap.

For those activities which are duplicated across D9500 and D9520 such as RYLA, ROMAC, Shelterbox, the convenors and Chairs are requested to have a joint display area.

To reserve your spot and obtain further details,

contact Les now. Malcolm Lindquist. Conference Chair

**Port Adelaide Golf Day** 

Join Port Adelaide in their annual GOLF DAY Friday 24<sup>th</sup> November 2017 Hole in 1 Chance to win a new Holden Register here - now



## Craniofacial Australia – seeking Guest Speaker spots.

Please find attached info to let you know, Bronny Chant is available to visit and present to your Rotary Clubs as Guest Speaker by booking either by calling her direct or contact her by email.

Bronny would love to share about the work of Craniofacial Australia and the 2017 South Australian of the Year Professor David David's team of Skilled Surgeons who work to restore faces!

Rotary have been a pivotal part over the last 43 years in the work ROMAC as a part of your medical giving from the local clubs and to hear of some of the work could be of great interest to your members.

Just seeing some of the before and after pictures is worth more than a thousand words.

I look forward to hearing from you if you would like an update on the work of Craniofacial Australia sometime.

Contact Bronny Chant - 0415 980 518

Corporate & Community Relations Australian Cranio-Maxillo Facial Foundation

226 Melbourne Street NORTH ADELAIDE SA 5006 <u>www.craniofacial.com.au</u>

Link to Movie Event

Link to Bronny Chant Bio





## **Gawler Light – A Night for Shelterbox.**

Join Rotary Club of Gawler Light in a fundraiser for Shelterbox.

Saturday February 10- 2018 at Curdnatta Park – Sandy Creek Dinner, Dancing and Auction



#### **Assistant Governors – Strategic Planning day.**

The District Assistant Governors with DG Peter Schaefer, DGE David Egan, DGN Jane Owens, IPDG John Pohl and District Secretary Jeff Cluse spent Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> developing the new District Strategic Plan for this District. We were well led by Sandy and Rob Eley (Gawler Light) – Very interesting day with much achieved.





# And the best event at the Adelaide University for 2017 is ..... Adelaide University Rotaract Club.

The **Rotaract Club of Adelaide University** is proud to announce that at the recent Presidents dinner hosted by the Adelaide University Union, the Adelaide University Rotaract Club won the prize for the best event held this year in the University.

We are extremely happy and grateful that something we have worked so hard on has not only allowed us to raise \$1500 for our chosen charities but we have been awarded a prize of \$500!

Cultural Night will be back in 2018.!! Watch this space!!

Nibir Chowdhury. Vice President. Rotaract Club of Adelaide University.



**Looking good DGE David and Chris Egan** 



Well done Adelaide University Rotaract club – great job.

#### **Rotary Club of Mawson Lakes**

Mawson Lakes rotary and the Liberian Australian Service Foundation invite you to take part in an evening of good food, music and entertainment.

We are raising funds to send medical equipment to a small hospital in Foya Town Liberia, West Africa.

The event will celebrate both Australian and African cultures and will demonstrate how our northern suburbs African residents are engaging with both our community and their countries of origin.

The Australia meets Africa event will be held on Friday December 1 2017 at 7:00p.m. start, at the Denison Centre Mawson Lakes.

Please read the <u>Africa meets Australia</u> brochure for more information or go to <u>Liberia Project</u> for more information about the project.

The link to the event <a href="http://rotarymawsonlakes.org.au/event/29101/africa-meets-australia-come-party-for-a-good-cause">http://rotarymawsonlakes.org.au/event/29101/africa-meets-australia-come-party-for-a-good-cause</a>

The link to project information <a href="http://rotarymawsonlakes.org.au/latest-news-item/26111/delivering-medical-equipment-to-foya-liberia/?type">http://rotarymawsonlakes.org.au/latest-news-item/26111/delivering-medical-equipment-to-foya-liberia/?type</a> fr=642

Margaret Farr Secretary Mawson Lakes Rotary 0407714505



## **Christmas Cakes and Puddings**

The Rotary Club of Seaford are selling Puddings and Cakes supporting The Rotary Foundation

Carton discounts are available for clubs.

For more information, visit www.seafordrotary.org.au/cakes

All orders to be finalised and paid for by November 17th. Delivery in the first week of December.

All enquiries to Ian Renshaw on 0414 396 103

#### On This Day - 4 November

<u>1979</u> <u>Iran Hostage Crisis - The 444-day crisis began when a group of students took over the American Embassy in Tehran and took 52 Americans hostages</u>

**2008** Barack Obama is elected - The first African-American to be elected President of the United States, Obama is the 44th person to occupy the Oval Office.

Births On This Day – 1916 Walter Cronkite American journalist

**Deaths On This Day** – <u>1995</u> Yitzhak Rabin - Israeli politician, 5th Prime Minister of Israel, Nobel Prize laureate 1995 Assassination of Yitzhak Rabin

He was the Prime Minister of Israel when he was killed in Tel Aviv by Yigal Amir, an Israel who opposed the role that Rabin played in the Oslo Peace Accords. The Accords were a collection of agreements between Israel and the Palestine Liberation Organization that set up the process of Palestinian self-determination and created the Palestinian Authority.

#### **RC ALICE SPRINGS – MELBOURNE CUP SWEEP**

The Rotary Club of Alice Springs is once again conducting their annual Melbourne Cup Sweep. This event has been carried out for over 50 years, and the net proceeds go to their Education Fund. This fund sponsors the John Hawkins Memorial Scholarship which is worth \$18,000 over 3 years. This scholarship assists people from Alice Springs to achieve a Tertiary education.

There are 24 tickets drawn, matched to the 24 horses in the Melbourne Cup. The sweep offers \$7000 first prize, \$2000 for second and \$1000 for first place, with all of the other horse drawers receiving \$50 each. Tickets are \$2 each or \$18 for a book of 10 tickets. Call Dominic Miller on 0418 897 767 if you wish to support this event. We can arrange direct deposit

# RC Largs Bay told to pack up and leave shopping centre.

AFTER eight years of running barbecues in the Port Mall complex, Largs Bay Rotary Club has been told to pack up its tongs and go home - putting its charity work at risk.

But not all is lost – the community is rallying behind them.

Read the following attachment – extract from Messenger Newspaper dated 1<sup>st</sup> November.



for Link

Go for it Largs Bay – we (Rotarians) support you

or even credit card. Interstate enquiries welcome.

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

District Secretary 9500 Jeff Cluse

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