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Preamble

Please find attached "The ROTIAC" & its attachments for this week. The following information has been sent to all Rotarians.

[This publication and past district dispatches are available on the District 9500 website at www.rotary9500.org](http://www.rotary9500.org)

All items for The ROTIAC to be sent to the District Secretary by 4.00 pm Thursdays either by email secretary16-17@rotary9500.org (preferred) or post Rotary D9500 PO Box 6669, Adelaide Halifax St PO SA 5000 (AND allow time for delivery)

Diary Dates – Maternal & Child Health, Month – April 2017

Saturday 8 April 2017 – Leading Rotary Now – Alice Springs

Saturday 29 April 2017 – Leading Rotary Now – Adelaide.

Sunday 7 May 2017 – Leading Rotary Now – Pt Augusta – **REVISED Date**

Saturday 20 May 2017 – Membership & Roundtable Summit– St Michael's College

ROMAC report – Please find attached the latest ROMAC News letter with report of the recent dinner.

Download Newsletter here



New Home for Rotary Club of Henley Beach

It is with great pleasure, to announce that the Rotary Club of Henley Beach has secured a "Home" for its weekly Dinner Meetings.

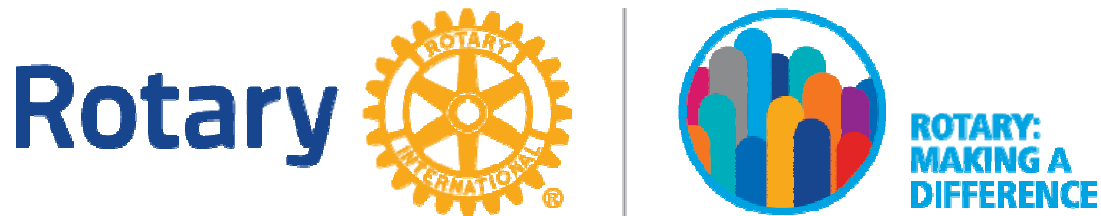
Meetings will be held in the Staff Dining Room of Western Hospital each Wednesday evening, (exemptions noted in the Directory) commencing 6.15 for 6.30., unless otherwise notified in the RCHB Bulletin. All guests are welcome, and notice of attendance would be welcomed by the Secretary no later than Mondays immediately prior to Meetings.

Members and Guests at Meetings will be supplied at moderate (cash) cost a 2 Course Meal (Main and Dessert in Summer, and Soup and Main in Winter) reflected in a rotational set menu that from experience to date is outstanding both from taste and nutrition!

I was personally delighted to attend a few months ago as a representative of Henley Rotary the formal opening of the High Tech and State of the Art Intensive Care Unit at The Hospital.

For this, including all of the allied GP, Specialist and Pharmacy Services, go to

<https://www.westernhospital.com.au> Neil Merkel Secretary, Rotary Club of Henley Beach Inc



DIARY CLAIMER

DISTRICT 9500 LEADING ROTARY NOW 2017-18

Leadership and learning are indispensable to each other... John F. Kennedy

Welcome to the District 9500 learning opportunities to prepare for the 2017-18 Rotary year! Please diarise the appropriate date and register as soon as possible to ensure you and your Club have 'the best year yet' as part of **Rotary Making a Difference**.

DGE Peter Schaefer has already reminded Club Leaders that Presidents Elect **MUST** attend Leading Rotary Now and asks that Secretaries and Treasurers also attend. In fact he would like to meet members of Club Boards as well.

A District Grants Seminar will be part of LEADING ROTARY NOW and one representative of every club is asked to attend this session.

REGISTER NOW!

ADELAIDE

When? Saturday April 29 2017 from 9.30 am to 4.00 pm
Where? St Michael's College, Mitton Avenue, Henley Beach
How to register? <http://e.mybookingmanager.com/LRNADELAIDE>

PORT AUGUSTA

When? Sunday May 7 2017 from 9.30 am to 4.00 pm
Where? Caritas College, Port Augusta
How to register? <http://e.mybookingmanager.com/LRNPORTAUGUSTA>

Calperum Autumn Newsletter

Read the article how incoming world President Ian Riseley is challenging all Rotarians to plant a tree and how you can comply with that challenge at Calperum.

Click here to read Newsletter



Rotary Club of Adelaide Parks on a Roll

The Rotary Club of Adelaide Parks has recently donated a year's supply of toilet paper to The Magdalene Centre in Adelaide.

A year's supply? That's 2500 rolls of toilet paper to assist The Magdalene Centre with their support of, and emergency relief activities for people experiencing poverty. The Centre is focused on assisting these people to regain control of their lives.

The Rotary Club of Adelaide Parks is embarking on an additional activity to extend its assistance to this very worthy cause. The club is joining with "*Who Gives A Crap*", the organisation that assisted with the purchase of the 2500 rolls of paper.

Every box of toilet paper ordered through "*Who Gives A Crap*" in the next 2 months will generate \$10 towards the purchase of toiletries for The Magdalene Centre.

Every household needs to regularly purchase toilet paper! Make your next purchase through "*Who Gives A Crap*" by going to this website:

<http://www.au.whogivesacrap.org?rfsn=536156.01805>

In case all that wasn't enough, "*Who Gives A Crap*" will donate 50% of their profits to help build toilets for those in need. Doubly amazing!

So, please pass on our story, and the website for ordering, to friends and acquaintances through your email, Facebook, twitter etc.

PS. It's super-soft and super-strong, made with 100% recycled paper fibres and without any dyes, chemicals, or scents.

Rotary Club of Salisbury – Rotarian Action Group Against Slavery

Following our successful quiz night last year, the **Rotary Club of Salisbury** is hosting yet another fun quiz night! Funds raised will support **Rotarian Action Group Against Slavery** projects to help free some of the 48 million slaves throughout the world.

The quiz night will be held on **Saturday, 24 June 2017** at the Salisbury Institute. If you have any questions about this event, please contact Teresa on 0403 306 225 or email teresa@ragas.online

Rotary Education News

Please find attached your copy of the District Education News with some important information re

**Leading Rotary Now at 3 Venues 8 April, 29 April and 7 May,
details and booking links in the Newsletter**

DGE Peter Schaefer has already reminded incoming Club Leaders that Presidents Elect **MUST attend** *Leading Rotary Now* and asks that Secretaries, Treasurers and members of Club Boards accompany their President Elect.

Membership Summit 3 will be held on Saturday May 20 from 9.30 am to 3.30 pm at St Michael's College, Mitton Avenue, Henley Beach. This will be interactive and give everyone an opportunity to hear great ideas about what is happening in Clubs.

See further details are in the attached **District Education News, April Edition.**

Click Here to read the District Education News.



Comment of the week:

Married 55 years - Priceless! ..

After being married for 55 years this month, I took a careful look at my wife one day and said, "Fifty-five years ago we had a cheap house, a junk car, slept on a sofa-bed and watched a 10-inch black and white TV. But hey I got to sleep every night with a hot 23-year-old girl.

Now ... I have a \$750,000 home, a \$45,000 car, a nice big bed and a large screen TV, but I'm sleeping with a 77-year-old woman.

So, I said to my wife "it seems to me that you're not holding up your side of things."

My wife is a very reasonable woman. She told me to go out and find a hot 23-year-old girl and she would make sure that I would once again be living in a cheap house, driving a junk car, sleeping on a sofa bed and watching a 10-inch black and white TV.

**Aren't older women great?
They really know how to solve an old guy's problems**

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

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