



VOLUME 18 ISSUE NO 48 MEETING 925 16 JUNE 2015



# **HILL'S HANSARD**

Another enjoyable meeting with a great guest speaker, **Peter Christopher** Director from the *Clipper Ship City* of *Adelaide Ltd* dedicated to preserving the historic clipper 1864 *City of Adelaide* and making it the centrepiece of a seaport village in Port Adelaide. A copy of the presentation shown by Peter is at the web-site <a href="http://friendsofcityofadelaide.org.au/coa/data/uploads/HomePage/CofA%20Presentation%20March2015.pdf">http://friendsofcityofadelaide.org.au/coa/data/uploads/HomePage/CofA%20Presentation%20March2015.pdf</a>.



However, some of the points that I picked up on are:

- The campaign to rescue the ship has taken over 14 years by a small team of dedicated volunteers.
- The clipper is approximately the same length as a Boeing 747, however while the 747 carries up to 500 passengers, the clipper only carried about 300.
- The 14 first class cabins actually had "ensuite" toilets via a direct hole to the ocean. Pity about the 2<sup>nd</sup> class fare payers who had to make use of the less than private, or comfortable, ship's "heads".
- 250,000 Australians can trace their ancestor's immigration to Australia back to this ship.
- Once the good citizens of Sunderland in the UK (where the City of Adelaide was built in 1864) woke up
  that Peter Christopher and his friends had ideas of transporting the hulk to Adelaide, they put in a counter
  proposal and then a law suit in an attempt to keep the remains in the UK. Before they could counter with
  legal action Peter's team spirited the ship out of British jurisdiction in the Netherlands for decontamination
  before the journey to Australia.
- If you have ever watched 'Big Moves' on Fox then none of those could compare with the City of Adelaide's journey from Scotland to Adelaide. Having Prince Philip as sponsor was another factor that helped the process.
- The City of Adelaide, along with Cutty Sark in London are the only 2 remaining clippers from 19<sup>th</sup> Century.





Last Sunday's Rotary Club of Magill Market was a great financial success for the Club.

Thank you for the continued hard work by all involved.

#### **Next Meeting Roster**

Chairperson Ian Coat
Steward 1 John Kennedy
Steward 2 Kirsty Stark
Technical Set Up Chris Gascoine
Greeter Mina Ward

#### **Thought for the Day**

I have noticed even people who claim everything is predestined, and that we can do nothing to change it, look before they cross the road. **Stephen Hawking** 

Hawking was the first to set forth a theory of <u>cosmology</u> explained by a union of the <u>general theory of relativity</u> and <u>quantum mechanics</u>. He is a vigorous supporter of the <u>many-worlds interpretation</u> of quantum mechanics.

Hawking suffers from a rare early-onset, slow-progressing form of motor neuron disease that has gradually paralysed him over the decades. He communicates using a single cheek muscle attached to a <u>speech-generating device</u>. Hawking married twice and has three children.

#### **President's Notes**

#### Saturday 27 June

Rotary Year Changeover will be held at the Sorelle Restaurant. Please let Mina know if you are coming. \$36 payable to Carol now.

#### Wed 30 June

Expressions of Interest close for Short Term Youth Exchange in June. Details in the 9520 Herald.

• Sunday 5 July – District Changeover Belair Country Club.

#### Sunday 12 July

Monthly market at Campbelltown Library carpark.

#### Friday 17 July

Helping RC of Norwood with a sausage sizzle at Bunnings Mile End Shop and sharing the takings. Contact Sue Hector if you can help.

### • Saturday 18 July – 1.30pm

Ladies to help the Zonta Club with assembling birthing kits. Contact Julie Carman for details. Morialta Uniting Church Hall, 26 Chapel Street, Magill.

• Sunday 19 July – Finishing Sunday 19 July RC of Blackwood holding Art and Photography Show and sale at Eden Hills.

#### • Saturday 31 October

Please keep your calendar open for a club Halloween night at the Campbelltown Function Centre.

PRESIDENT
Colin Hill



SECRETARY
lan Carman



## **MEETING TIME**

Tuesday 6.50 for 7.00am **VENUE** 

**Hectorville Sporting Club, Fisher Street, Magill** 

## **EMAIL**

magill@rotaryclub.org.au

## **WEBSITE**

www.magill.rotaryclub.org.au



www.facebook.com/rotarymagill



## **DISTRICT GOVERNOR'S NEWSLETTER**

www.rotarynews.info/district9520



## THE VOICE OF ROTARY

Broadcast On
1197M RPH Adelaide
Tuesday 7.30 – 8.00
or online at
www.rphadelaide.org.au

## **LOCAL MEETINGS FOR MAKEUPS**

### **MONDAYS**

6.30pm Campbelltown Athelstone Football Club 150 George St, Paradise

## **TUESDAYS**

1.00pm	Norwood	Norwood Town Hall	George St, Norwood
6.15pm	St Peter's	<b>Kensington Hotel</b>	23 Regent St, Kensington
6.30pm	<b>Kent Town</b>	The Royal Hotel	2 North Tce, Kent Town

## **WEDNESDAYS**

7.15am	Eastwood	Royal Coash	24 Dequetteville Tce, Kent Town
6.30pm	Burnside	The Feathers Hotel	Glynburn Rd, Burnside
6.30pm	Morialta	The Rezz Hotel	20 Hamilton Tce, Newton

## **THURSDAYS & FRIDAYS**

**No Meetings** 

# THE OBJECT OF ROTARY

The Object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of a worthy enterprise and in particular to encourage and foster:

The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service.

High ethical standards in business and professions: the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations: and the dignifying by every Rotarian of their occupation as an opportunity to serve society. The application of the ideal service by every Rotarian to their personal, business and community life. The advancement of international understanding, goodwill and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional people united in the ideal of service.

# THE FOUR WAY TEST

The Four Way Test of the things we think, say or do:

Is it the truth?
Is it fair to all concerned?
Will it build goodwill and better friendships?
Will it be beneficial to all concerned?

# THE INVOCATION

For good food, good fellowship and the opportunity to serve through Rotary we give thanks.

