



KIRSTY'S KRONICLE

Thanks for the warm welcome back on Tuesday morning after returning from my trip overseas this week. It was great to be back at Rotary and also to see so many other returned travellers. The added bonus was getting up for a meeting after the sun rose, rather than in the dark - as was the case before I left for O/S!

Our guest speaker this week was **Merridy Baylis** from **Donate Life SA**, who gave us a fascinating insight into the procedures and processes around **organ donation**.



From a personal perspective, **I am a registered organ donor**, but had not realised until now that there are very few situations in which my death would actually lead to a suitable donation situation. In most cases, a person is only able to donate organs if they are declared brain dead in an intensive care unit in a hospital.

It was also interesting to learn that even though I have registered my organ donation decision, my **next of kin will still need to give consent for my organs to be donated** in the event of my death. For this reason, it is important that all of us have this discussion with our family and friends. In 91% of situations where the donor has registered their intent, the family agrees to the decision, whereas the average consent in Australia is only 62%.

This Week's Challenge

This week's challenge is to discuss organ donation with your family and friends, and register your decision online at <u>http://www.donatelife.gov.au</u> - **all you need is your Medicare card!**

We also have some upcoming events. Please contact the relevant person if you would like to attend.

- Morialta Community Quiz Night Friday 4th November, 7 for 7:30pm at the Campbelltown Function Centre. The evening will support the Eastern Adelaide Domestic Violence Service. Ian Coat is organising our Magill Sunrise table.
- DIK Working Bee Saturday 12th November 9:30am 3:30pm. Please register at the link below or let Graham Holcroft know.

https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/donations-in-kind-working-bee-registration-27564733861

- ICE HELP! Forum. 24th November. Let your family and friends know! http://www.trybooking.com/myhw
- JAZZ at the JADE Fundraiser, organised by Kent Town Rotary Sunday 20th November 2pm to 6pm at The JADE 142 Flinders St Adelaide. Entry \$20 at the door. Book online: <u>https://www.trybooking.com/NMCY</u>

Welcomer	Bronwyn Hyder
Steward #1	Carol McKenzie (Permanent)
Steward #2	Bronwyn Hyder (Permanent)
Chair	Greg Schuetze
IT	Ian Coat (Permanent)

NEXT MEETING – TUESDAY 1 NOVEMBER

PRESIDENT

Kirsty Stark



SECRETARY

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MEETING TIME Tuesday 6.50 for 7.00am

VENUE Hectorville Sporting Club, Fisher Street, Magill

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LOCAL MEETINGS FOR MAKEUPS

MONDAYS				
6.30pm	Campbelltown	Athelstone Football Club	150 George St, Paradise	
TUESDAYS				
6.15pm	St Peter's	Kensi Hotel	23 Regent St, Kensington	
6.30pm	Kent Town	The Kent Town Hotel	76 Rundle Street, Kent Town	
WEDNESDAYS				
7.15am	Eastwood	Royal Coach	24 Dequetteville Tce, Kent Town	
1.00pm	Norwood	Manto Café	Parade, Norwood	
6.30pm	Norwood	Kensi Hotel	23 Regent St, Kensington	
6.30pm	Burnside	The Maylands Hotel	67 Phillis St, Maylands	
6.30pm	Morialta	The Rezz Hotel	20 Hamilton Tce, Newton	

THURSDAYS & FRIDAYS

No Meetings

Norwood Rotary 2nd and 4th Wednesdays at Manto Café 1st, 3rd and 5th Wednesdays at Kensi Hotel

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.

