



## TIME TRAVEL WITH THOMMO

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### 'THE LIFE AND TIMES OF JOHN STUART: STUART CRAFTED TIMBERS

#### WELCOME AND APOLOGIES:

Welcome to one of our Market Stallholders, **John Stuart** (Stuart Crafted Timbers <https://vimeo.com/504287782> ) and welcome once again to prospective member **Don**.



John Stuart and Mark

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## SIMON'S ICE BREAKER

**What would you like to see included in the Federal Budget if you were Treasurer?**

Strangely, self-interest was missing from many suggestions with improvements to Health, Education and Roads being prominent

## SIMON'S QUIZ: WHAT IS THE ORIGIN OF THE WORD BUDGET?

Well, many guessed that any word ending with the letters 'et' has its origins in France, but that's where it stopped. Simon then informed us that the word comes from the word '**Bouge**', a leather pouch, and 'Budget' means a small leather pouch. That may explain why Treasurers like to keep tight purse strings.



## ANOTHER SUCCESSFUL MARKET ON MOTHERS' DAY

Club Treasurer reported a successful day when it came to takings for the Club. Not sure about the stall holders, some were busy and other not. Well done to all those who pitched in and including Prospective Member, Don, who did his bit cleaning up.

## JOHN STUART: STUART CRAFTED TIMBERS

What an interesting life our guest speaker has had. John was born in 1937 and then experienced a disruptive childhood. John's dad was a carpenter at Islington Railway Works and worked on the Nullarbor, making and repairing bridges during WWII. John and family lived at Christies Beach, when Beach Road never had a shop. He left school at age 12 and became a fibrous plaster, eventually recreating many of the old ceiling decorations of historic buildings. His skills were passed on to the next generation when he worked for TAFE. John is a great believer in learning skills that make you fit for purpose and job focused. Lung problems from plaster meant that John had to leave TAFE in 1999 after collapsing at work. To fill the void, at age 63, he embraced working with timber (he had already built his first boat at age 16). John never buys timber but manages to use repurposed (he says crounge) the more sought after such as woods such as walnut and Aussie hardwoods from which he makes beautiful pieces such as grandfather clocks, walking canes and pens. His products are for sale at our monthly market. Time is money is a saying that John has not embraced as he does not seek a fair compensation for the hours of love that goes into his work. Well done John and good luck for the future.

Now, had John given us a heads up we could have shown this beautiful video at the meeting that shows him at work in his workshop <https://vimeo.com/504287782>.

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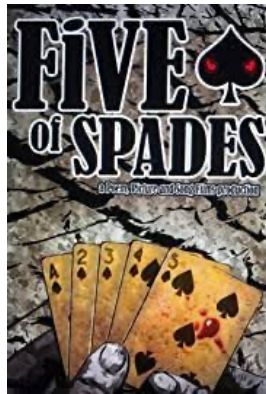
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## THE MOVE TO HECCIES

It looks like we need to liaise with Council before we move, so watch this space. I am in the process of touching base with Council CEO Paul Di Iulio, but that's easier said than done.

## LUCKY CARD \$50: CONGRATS ROBYN

Roby was holding the Five of Spades when it was drawn, or was it Clubs? \$50 in the kitty. Well done Robyn.



## PRESIDENT'S THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

"One popular theory on the origins of the Rings of Saturn is that they are composed entirely of lost airline luggage"

Mark Russell, American political satirist and comedian

## PRESIDENT'S AND OTHER NOTICES

See move to Heccies above.

**NEXT MEETING: 18<sup>TH</sup> MAY, STILL AT CMO.**

**GUEST SPEAKER:** TBA

**MARK THOMPSON:** President Rotary Club of Magill Sunrise

**PRESIDENT**  
Mark Thompson

**SECRETARY**  
Colin Hill

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### **MEETING TIME**

Tuesdays 6.45 AM for 7.00am  
**The First Three** Tuesdays of the Month

### **VENUE DURING REFURBISHMENT OF HECTORVILLE COMM CLUB**

Campbelltown Memorial Oval, Darley Road, Paradise, **last meeting 4 May then back to Hectorville**

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### MEETINGS FOR MAKEUPS: CHECK WITH THEM B4 ATTENDING

#### MONDAYS

6.30pm    Campbelltown    San Giorgio Club    Henry St, Payneham

#### TUESDAYS

6.15pm    St Peter's    'Peripatetic'    Check before Attending  
6.30pm    Kent Town    Lord Melbourne Hotel    63 Melbourne Street, Nth Adelaide

#### WEDNESDAYS

7.15am    Eastwood    Royal Coach    24 Dequetteville Tce, Kent Town (1st and 3rd Wednesday then 2nd and 4th Wednesdays Bocelli Cafe Hutt St.)

**1.00pm    Norwood    Manto Café    Parade, Norwood 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesdays at Manto Café 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Wednesdays at Kensi Hotel 22 Regent St**

**6.30pm    Norwood    Kensi Hotel    23 Regent St, Kensington**  
6.30pm    Burnside    The Maylands Hotel    67 Phillis St, Maylands  
6.30pm    Morialta    Tower Hotel    Cnr St Bernards & Magill Rds, Magill

#### 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.

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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 OPTIONAL INVOCATION

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



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