



Magill Sunrise
Rotary
Club



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Welcome & Apologies

Welcome back from sunny Queensland, Simon. This morning we also welcomed guests Past ADG Don Will, PP Mark Martin and ex workmate of Lindsay's, Rod Kennedy. Apologies were received from Chris, John, and Graham.

Simon's Soliloquy

Guest Speaker: Greg Champion

Thanks to Lindsay, we were exceptionally lucky to have radio & music legend Greg Champion join us for our meeting – and as we found out he is also something of a comedy legend too! Greg grew up just near Heccies on Barons Street and he noted that in his youth the suburb changed from Hectorville to Tranmere North, to Tranmere, and finally Magill as it is today. He quipped that they were exhausted having to move suburb so many times.

As many of us knew, Greg is well known for his role on the long running ABC radio show "Coodabeen Champions", which has been running 41 years, with his involvement for 39 years. It's a very colourful sport-related show that lampoons many sports clubs and their supporters, particularly the AFL. Greg reeled off several examples from over the years that were very witty and amusing, building upon the stereotypes around each team and their supporters.

He's had two big breaks in his music career that he shared with us. The first was in 1985 when he penned the song "I Made a Hundred In The Backyard At Mum's" which he said was picked up in particular by the other long running ABC radio program headed by Ian "Macca" McNamara who never stopped playing it.

The other break was in 1995 when Channel 7 chose a little song of his called "That's The Thing About Football" and ran for a few years as the introduction to their AFL broadcasts. There is probably no person in a footy state of Australia that doesn't know that familiar tune, which he's even sung live at the AFL Grand Final. And then, like magic, he was right there singing it to us.

Greg has had a long association with Rotary clubs in Victoria volunteering his services in several ways. Now that he's living back in Adelaide, we'll certainly try to ensure that tradition continues, and Greg will certainly always be welcome at our club.





Our September Rotary Market

The weather for our market last Sunday was anything but pleasant. In fact, it was freezing, so a big thank you to those who braved the elements and attended. Each month the club donates the profits to a worthwhile charity or cause and this month is no exception. This month **\$500.00** will go to the **Rotary Action Group Against Slavery**.

Modern slavery includes forced labour, sexual exploitation, domestic servitude and forced criminal activities. Rotary Action Group Against Slavery is actively working to combat the scourge of slavery and the Rotary Club of Magill Sunrise is only too happy to lend a hand to help them. Our markets are just not a local community event, but an event helping to make the world a better place for all: **Rotary: People of Action.**



Ice Breaker



This morning's Ice Breaker question gave members the opportunity to consider whether the western world was more at risk of terrorists attacks now that all the troops had been pulled out of Afghanistan and the Taliban were now in control. Did this put us in a vulnerable position?

It seemed most thought we were now somewhat safer.

Quiz Question

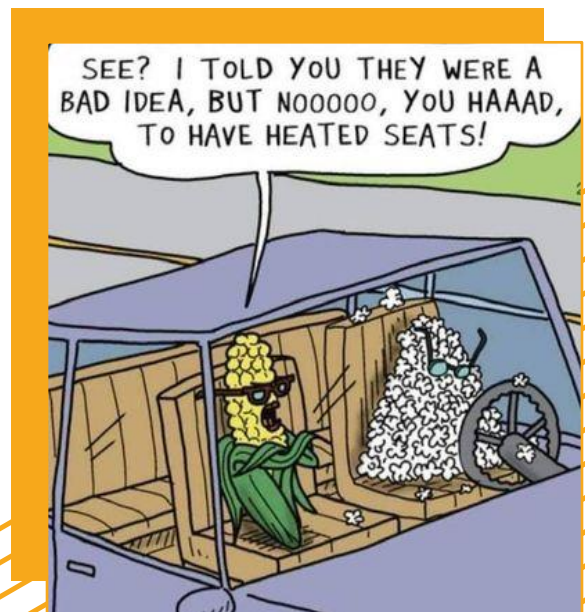


Which country is Australia's fourth major Trading partner?

Answer: South Korea

JACKPOT

As no one took out the prize money this week we have a jackpot of **\$15.00**





Upcoming Events

Saturday 18th September: Social Event in Paradise

An **Italian** themed dinner to be held in the club rooms of the **Thorndon Park Estate Retirement Village 3, Belperio Court, Paradise** at **5.30pm**. **Please bring your own drinks.**

Please make sure you have advised Robyn or Graham if you are attending, and please pay \$15.00 per head into the club account referenced "**Social Dinner**" or pay Ian direct.

Sunday 10th October: Walk for Mental Health

The Rotary Clubs of Eastwood and Regency Park together with the District 9510 Australian Rotary Health Committee invite you to join them on a walk to support positive mental health. Funds raised will support Australian Rotary Health research.

Where: Start and Finish Beaumont Road, Adelaide, near corner of East & South Terrace

How Long: 5 kms, 3kms or stroll for 2km

Time: 8:30am (full walk) and 9:00am & 9:30am (shorter walks)

Cost: \$25.00

Questions: Call Don on 0414 645 402

Free sausage sizzle or vegetarian pattie for all participants – including our dogs. Coffee van on site for purchases.

Get tickets: <https://www.trybooking.com/events/landing?embed&eid=788648>

Do you want to  then join us to

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Thought for the Day

"A Rotary club gives us an opportunity that no social, political, or specialized business club can do. It is strong on the human side; it stands for the individual, unfetters him, appeals to his originality, brings out his latent powers, and puts him at his best by extending him the full measure of his confidence and appealing to the best that is in him — 'service not self.'"

~Glenn C. Mead
1912-13 RI President

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Newsflash!

The Rezz Hotel has reopened and is awaiting your patronage!



Next Meeting: 7:00 am, 21 September 2021



Heccies - 31 Fisher Street, Magill
Club Contact: 0415 453 101 (Lindsay Davis)

Guest Speaker: Kat Milner – Online Security: Scams & Spams

Meetings for Makeups: Check with them before attending

Mondays

• 6.30pm Campbelltown San Giorgio Club Henry St, Payneham 0407 724 699

Tuesdays

• 6.15pm St Peter's "Peripatetic" Check before Attending 0428 246 352

• 6.30pm Kent Town Lord Melbourne Hotel 63 Melbourne Street, Nth Adelaide 0433 387 082

Wednesdays

• 7.15am Eastwood Royal Coach 24 Dequetteville Tce, Kent Town (1st and 3rd Wednesday then 2nd and 4th Wednesdays Bocelli Cafe Hutt St.) 0416 367 289

• 1.00pm Norwood Manto Café Parade, Norwood 2nd and 4th Wednesdays

• 6.30pm Norwood Kensi Hotel 1st, 3rd and 5th Wednesdays 22 Regent St 23 Regent St, Kensington 0412 305 660

• 6:30pm Burnside The Maylands Hotel 67 Phillis St, Maylands 0401 627 339

• 6.30pm Morialta Tower Hotel Cnr St Bernards & Magill Rds, Magill 0497 159 737



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Simon Brewer



SERVE TO CHANGE LIVES

Secretary



Colin Hill

In the spirit of reconciliation, the Rotary Club of Magill Sunrise acknowledges that we meet on the traditional country of the Kaurna people of the Adelaide Plains. We recognise and respect their cultural heritage, beliefs and relationship with the land and pay our respects to their elders past and present