

Rotary
Club



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Welcome & Apologies

Apologies were received from Chris and John.

Brewer's Banter

- We will be holding a two day Christmas
 Market with slightly shorter hours; 9am-1pm
 on weekend 11th and 12th December. To
 help with resources Father Christmas will
 only appear on one of those days. All extra
 hands possible will be greatly appreciated.
 See Greg or Robyn about availability.
- RC of Morialta Quiz Night held last Friday night. Suzette, Ian, Nina & I were fortunate to be on the winning team. A great night raising funds to expand the Athelstone Community Workshop and very well run by RC Morialta.
- We supported a young person from Adelaide East Education Centre, Paradise for Operation Flinders recently. A presentation event will be held in the morning of 22nd October. Mark has volunteered to represent us – thanks Mark!

- Rotary District has advised of new gas bottle labelling standards from September – reminding people not to inhale contents (important safety tip - if you didn't know that already then please try to remember! And also, don't drink paint!)
- Rotary learning seminar 27/28 November to be held at Charles Campbell College. Cost is \$90 per person and the club will pay (to be confirmed). A great chance to improve your knowledge of Rotary and prepare for leadership roles.
- Calperum Station visit last weekend October

 need to get behind the great work started
 by Ian and Suzette in the name of our club.

 Ian advised that this may now be in doubt due to local flooding in the area. He will advise more as known.

Guest Speaker: Ric Dance ROTARY YOUTH DRIVER AWARENESS (RYDA)

Mark introduced Ric to us and outlined his somewhat extraordinary background. Born in the UK, he became a teacher. He has taught in England, USA, Italy, China – and Australia of course! He migrated to Australia in 1984 and his Rotary journey began in 2002 when his son was involved with a Rotary Youth Exchange to Denmark. However, he didn't join Rotary until after retirement in 2018. His connection to local schools made him a perfect person to take on his club's Youth Director position and foster the RYDA program.





RYDA was originally a Rotary program, as the name suggests, but more recently is now run by independent group, Road Safety Education (RSE) who create and distribute the materials and course content. Rotary continues its involvement in financial support and arranging with local schools. RC Morialta has been doing this for many years now.



The program involves a whole day of presentations and demonstrations about road safety to young people usually in Year 10 who are on the cusp of obtaining their driving license. To make an appropriate and lasting impact, a range of people are involved, including the Police, road safety experts and road crash victims who have suffered extreme trauma. Practical demonstrations of speed and braking distances also make a lasting impact.

Ric explained to us the difficulties over the past 18 months with the pandemic restrictions. With long lead times for schools to plan ahead, moving days is basically impossible and some young people have had to miss out and have only had a short 90 minute alternative

presentation, if that. However, they were able to resurrect the program and get some Year 11 students through this year who had missed out last year.

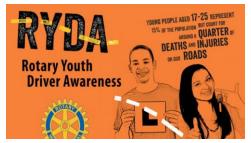
The RYDA days are held at The ARC Campbelltown and involve a huge amount of planning and preparation by Rotary. This is not only in terms of arranging the schools, students and presenters (and the significant financial costs), but other things such as refreshments. The schools and children are not charged for attending and RC Morialta contribute around \$6,000 for each course.

Due to the very large amount of voluntary effort involved, they have reached out to other clubs for extra assistance. Ric thanked Mark & Lindsay in particular for their willing participation from our club.

On a personal note, when thanking Ric, I added that I had personally been able to see much of the RYDA program and had literally seen the "lightbulb moments" in the young people attending the course when I did. It is vital work and probably should be compulsory for all Year 10 students, but



alas many schools don't participate and many miss out. Many lives would be saved if every young person did this course – and maybe even some not-so-young people! I'm very thankful that members of our club put their hands up to help Morialta with this vital program.



Simon B.

Note: We'd also love to have Ric back to tell us more about his remarkable life too!



Our October Rotary Market

What a great market we had last Sunday. The rain held off and it seemed both stall holders and the public had a good time. Thanks to all who gave a hand to make it a success and to our two new helpers Win and Ashleigh who came along and helped in the barbecue tent.

The proceeds of **\$750.00** from this market went to **AllKids**, a not for profit organisation providing education to disadvantaged children in rural Cambodia. The program is focused on the coastal commune of Ream in Sihanouk Province, which aims for as many children as possible achieve high school grade 12.

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Ice Breaker

How do you see the China-Taiwan situation playing out in Australia? China has escalated its military

flyovers in the last few weeks. It has been revealed that the US has had military advisors in Taiwan for the last 12 months. Tony Abbott has visited for some reason and Australia has recently shifted its focus on the relationship with Taiwan. Are we headed for conflict, or do you think China will back down?

It seemed most thought China was just flag waving and sabre rattling and hoped Taiwan would be intimidated into reunification. Mark thought Xi Jinping was skating on thin ice and it was a distraction from China's internal troubles. The general con-census was that there would be no major world conflict fought over Taiwan.

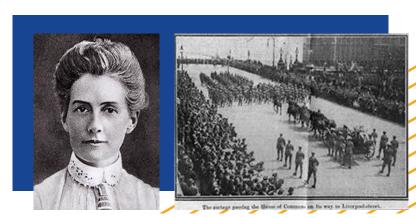
Quiz Question

Executed in Brussels on 12th October 1915,



who was the first female commoner to be given a state funeral in Westminster Abbey?

Answer: Edith Cavell – British Nurse (1865-1915).



Left: Edith Cavell. Right: Edith Cavell's coffin passing the House of Commons, May 14th, 1919



Upcoming Events

Friday 29 - Sunday 31 October - CALPERUM WEEKEND

Due to flooding in the area this weekend maybe cancelled so stay tuned.

Saturday 27 November – ROTARY TWILIGHT SAIL on the "ONE AND ALL"

6:30 pm. Tickets: \$120.00 per person. Phone: 0432 495 603

Saturday 27- Sunday 28 November - ROTARY LEARNING SEMINAR

See Simon if you wish to attend.

Friday 1 — Sunday 3 April 2022 - 9510 DISTRICT CONFERENCE

Tanunda, Barossa Valley

Early Bird Registration is now open

Visit: https://rotary9510.org/sitepage/conference-2022

JACKPOT Another winner! Colin Hill Next week's jackpot is back to \$5.00



Rotary Acronyms and Abbreviations

If there is one thing Rotary is noted for it is acronyms and abbreviations. For those new to the Rotary family here are some of the more common ones.

DG District Governor

ADG Assistant District Governor

RYLA Rotary Youth Leadership Award

RYPEN Rotary Youth Program of Enrichment

RAM Rotarians Against Malaria

ROMAC Rotary Australia World Community Service
ROMAC Rotary Oceanic Medical Aid for Children

RYDA Rotary Youth Driver Awareness

RDU Rotary Down Under

ARH Australian Rotary Health
SWSL Save water, save lives

ROVE Rotary Overseas Vocational Exchange

GSE Group Study Exchange

RYAG Rotary Youth in Agriculture

PHF Paul Harris Fellow

Thought for the Day



A club's realistic goals:

Let's have fun Let's get results

Let's make new friends





• 6.30pm Campbelltown San Giorgio Club

Next Meeting: 7:00 am, 19 October 2021

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

Guest Speaker: Club Assembly

Henry St, Payneham

Meetings for Makeups: Check with them before attending

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

| | | | Hutt St.) |
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| • 1.00pm | Norwood | Manto Café | Parade, Norwood 2 nd and 4 th |
| | | | Wednesdays |
| • 6.30pm | Norwood | Kensi Hotel | 1 st , 3 rd and 5 th Wednesdays |
| | | | 22 Regent St 23 Regent St, Kensington |

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



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