

Brewer's Banter

Rotary
Club



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Welcome & Apologies

An apology was received from Don Welcome to Sebastian, Peter and Ben

- Please provide feed back on the recruitment ideas via the online poll. This is your club and you must be involved in making these very important decisions. Please visit this link: www.magillrotary.org.au/memberrecruitment-poll
- Next market will raise funds for Mental Health via Australian Rotary Health. The Christmas Market will raise funds for our annual Operation Flinders support program.
- A couple of possible shirt designs are in the previous Bulletin 1161 for you to consider and provide feedback. Let's make this happen.
- Rotary Learning Seminar 27/28 November to be held at Charles Campbell College. Cost is \$90 per person and the club will pay. A great chance to improve your knowledge of Rotary and prepare for leadership roles.

Guest Speaker: Sebastian Cole – NMHS The Long Row

We welcomed Sebastian (Seb), his father Peter and his coach & teacher Ben. Seb then told us about his involvement in the school's rowing competition.

Norwood High School (as it was back then) introduced competitive rowing in 1982 for boys only, with girls joining the competition from 1988. When Norwood Morialta High School (NMHS) was formed in 1993 the sport has continued while having its ups and downs. Around 5 years ago there were 52 participants and now there are 90. It is anticipated when Year 7s are allowed to join this will climb to 120. NMHS usually buy their equipment second hand from the bigger schools that have traditionally dominated the sport.

In March this year NMHS achieved their highest ever position in rowing coming fourth at the annual "Head of the River" 2,000M race, which is like the grand final of school rowing. This was an extraordinary achievement and significantly better than any previous result and is down to the hard work of the rowing group from teachers/coaches through to participants. The winners of the SA competition this year went on to be the national champions, so NMHS are up there with the big guys.

It was a superb discussion today exploring ways to encourage more membership. As we all know, many avenues have been tried, but we will need to continue trying for the club to survive. Some of the great ideas raised:

Seb would like to go on to compete in the Olympics after school. This is his final year and he wants to give back to the school for allowing him to pursue his dream to date and inspire his team mates to take the



next step. To do that he came up with the idea of "The Long Row" taking the 8 person boat down the Murray from Blanchetown to Mannum.

Initially he thought this would be fairly simple and would raise money for new boats or equipment, but the logistics of holding a 3 day event with accommodation, food and support have proved financially and technically challenging. It has now grown to encompass not only the senior team, but two other school teams as well.

To assist, they have secured a houseboat for the event costing \$2,000. Some other accommodation and facilities have also been secured. However, Seb hopes to raise \$10,000 to cover costs and have enough left over to buy something reasonable for the school – hopefully a new boat.

The 3 day event will be held from 6-8 December this year following their visit to Renmark for a Regatta. It will be done in 3 stages: Blanchetown to Swan Reach 28km, Swan Reach to Walkers Flat 43km, and Walkers Flat to Mannum 55km.

It was a fantastic story of the under dogs snapping at the heels of the big dogs and very inspirational. The ethos of Seb's idea matches closely with ours at Rotary wanting to give back and make it possible for others to pursue their dreams. In that light, the Club Board will consider how we will be supporting this worthy initiative and we will announce that very soon.





OPERATION FLINDERS FOUNDATION – *One step at a time*

Our club, along with several other service clubs in the Campbelltown area, is very proud to continue supporting the Operation Flinders Foundation. Mark Thompson represented our club at the council chambers where students from the most recent course were recognised for their great achievements by Jill Whittaker, Mayor of Campbelltown, other Campbelltown City Council (SA) councillors and staff, and representatives from Adelaide East Education Centre and local Service Clubs.

Operation Flinders Foundation is a South Australian based charitable organisation that runs a world leading wilderness adventure program for young offenders and young people at risk.

Proceeds from our December Market will go to sponsoring a young person on this program.

Rotary: Supporting the local community, making a difference, changing lives. **PEOPLE OF ACTION.**





CALPERUM WEEKEND

Last weekend members of our club and Rotary Adelaide headed to Calperum Station where Rotary have a long established environmental program. The main focus of the weekend was to monitor soil moisture and salinity, as well as water table depth and salinity across the floodplain (including beneath Lake Meretti). Calperum is part of the Riverland Biosphere Reserve: a 9,000 square kilometre wilderness area north of the River Murray near Renmark. A great time was had by all. A big thank you to Ian and Suzette for organising the weekend and also to Chris, Susan, Colin, Simon and Nina for waving the flag for our club.

Rotary: Protecting the Environment.









Editor's Note: Obviously Graham wasn't manning the BBO. Just look at those BENT sausages!!!!!

MELBOURNE CUP RESULTS

1 st : Verry Elleegant	: Verry Elleegant Robyn Holcroft	
2 nd : Incentivise	Greg Schuetze	\$12.00
3 rd : Spanish Mission	Susan Gascoine	\$5.00
Bringing up the rear:	Ocean Billy Chris Gascoine	\$2.00

As the State Parliament is debating over a Code of Conduct and the Prime Minister seems to be in all sorts of hot water at the moment in Glasgow, how do you think our politians stack up against the Rotary 4 Way Test?

Oh dear! It seems the majority of the club don't think our politians pass the 4 Way Test at all. Our PM seems to be lacking in the "Is it the TRUTH" and "Will it build GOODWILL and better FRIENDSHIPS" area at present.

(Perhaps all members of Parliament both State and Federal should be given a copy of the 4 Way Test.)

Quiz Question



Which of the Adelaide streets had the first electric lighting in 1895?

Answer: Rundle Street



Rundle Street circa 1895



Upcoming Events

Sunday 14 November RCMS MONTHLY MARKET – Campbelltown Memorial Oval – 8.30am -2.00pm

Sunday 14 November BLAZING HOT AFTERNOON fund raiser for ALLKIDS

Burnside Ballroom – 2pm to 5pm. \$25.00 per head

Cnr Greenhill & Portrush Roads, Tusmore, WWW.trybooking.com/BUCDE

Saturday 20 November ROTARY INTERNATIONAL DISTRICT 9510 ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Regal Park Motor Inn, 44 Barton Tce East, North Adelaide at 10.00am

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

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

Sunday 28 November POLICE HISTORICAL MUSEUM – Social Event – 2.00pm

Thebarton Police Barracks, Gaol Road, Adelaide.

\$10.00per head. Afternoon Tea: \$5.00 Numbers to Robyn please ASAP.

Sunday 12 December END POLIO NOW FUNDRAISER MOVIE — "THE DUKE"

Wallis Mitcham Cinema at 2.00pm. Tickets \$20.00 per head. Contact PDG Bob Copper on 0418 802 986 if you wish to attend.

Saturday 19 December CHRISTMAS AT THE BREWER'S - Social Event

Details to be advised

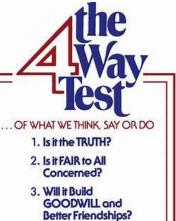
Wednesday 26 January AUSTRALIA DAY BBQ - Nightingale Park - 5.00pm - Social Event

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

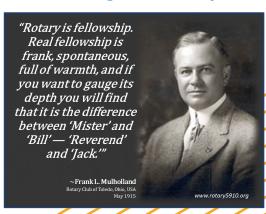
JACKPOT \$10.00



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to All Concerned?

Thought for the Day







Next Meeting: 7:00 am, 09 November 2021

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

Guest Speaker - Aoihb Geenshields - RYLA EXPERIENCE

Meetings for Makeups: Check with them before attending

• 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	Éastwood	Royal Coach	24 Dequetteville Tce, Kent Town (1 st and 3 rd Wednesday then 2nd and 4th Wednesdays Bocelli Cafe Hutt St.)	0416 367 289	
• 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 23 Regent St, Kensington	0412 305 660	
• 6:30pm	Burnside	Kensi Hotel	2 nd and 4 th Wednesdays 23 Regent St, Kensington	0481 373 266	
• 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 Kadrna 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