



Magill Sunrise  
**Rotary**  
Club



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## Welcome & Apologies

Apologies from Don, John and Chris  
A warm welcome to our guest visitor and prospective member: Peter Macaulay.

### **Brewer's Banter**

- **Welcome to everyone and Happy New Year!**
- Welcomed our guest visitor and prospective member Peter Macaulay. Peter and his partner Rick operated the Athelstone Post Office for eight years until retiring recently. They have been Rotarians in the past and are keen to pick up again now that they have more time. Thanks for coming Peter and we look forward to seeing you and Rick again very soon!
- As per my email message, we will keep trying to meet as normally as possible but will closely monitor the Covid developments to see what happens. We will adjust as required.
- As we all know, the January market was cancelled, but February is planned to go ahead on Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> at this stage. Quite good stall bookings to date. We will raise funds once again for Operation Flinders.
- We are trying to get Jeff Neale's CX5 for Polio Plus at our March market. We will dedicate returns from that market to the Polio Plus campaign along with the lottery ticket sales
- Campbelltown Rotary have decided not to progress with a Swap Meet at Thorndon Park for now for several reasons, but will most likely pick up on the idea again
- Board Meeting: scheduled for Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> January subject to meeting space availability

**Subject: Club Assembly:** Planning for AGM, Positions for 22/23 Club Year, Covid Response  
Planning for AGM & 22/23 Club Year Positions

We had a great discussion about next year's positions and what might change. What we know is this:

- **Lindsay Davis is our President Elect for 22/23**
- For the club to continue and prosper, we need a President Elect for 23/24 who should ideally be appointed at the AGM. Please think about nominating yourself.
- Rotary does tend to encourage rotation of club positions to bring new ideas and new approaches to clubs. We tend to remain fairly static, but one example of a positions that may change is that Lindsay's role he does so well in the youth area may now need to be handed over
- The main message is that if you feel you'd like to change your current role then now is the time! Lindsay intends to speak to everyone in the near future to find out who's interested in roles, so please think about it ASAP
- **It was agreed that the AGM will be our second meeting in February (Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup>)**



## Covid Response

There were several points to note and discuss about the current Covid uncertainty. On Monday 10<sup>th</sup> January the Premier indicated that he believed Covid infections would decrease after this month as the large surge had been brought on by factors such as Christmas and New Year celebrations, plus more people moving around for the holidays.

I think we now all know someone who has had the disease and, naturally, we are worried. The disease seems indiscriminate, but older people and those with underlying conditions are more vulnerable, so that would not go well for us.

We noted that the District has implemented a vaccination policy and is being very cautious about the situation. Some other notes were:

- We should consider a club policy of registering our vaccination status. In this way we could advertise for our events, such as the Market, that we are taking safety seriously, thus encouraging more patrons to attend
- The question was raised whether we could/should also extend this to stallholders. That was seen as potentially difficult as we already have bookings for Feb-Apr markets. However, it was suggested that we could ask on the application form if stallholders are vaccinated as we just don't know the status.
- We questioned whether vetting patrons at the Market was viable. We agreed that market patrons are very good with check ins, mask wearing and sanitisation, so going that extra length may be difficult to do and intrusive at this stage
- It was agreed that all members would send their vaccination proof to Secretary Colin who would establish a register to ensure we maintain full and provable vaccination within the club. This allows us to advertise our approach to safety, which we can promote to market patrons.
- At this stage we will move ahead with meetings and events, but will have a watching brief on the Covid situation and may cancel events or meetings if the risk is too high

Lindsay also reminded us about the forthcoming District Conference in April to be held in the Barossa Valley. There are several excellent guest speakers lined up already and the conference is shaping up to be one that can't be missed. This year RC of Campbelltown are the hosts.

Overall a really great discussion all round. The beauty of being such a small club is that we can have conversations like this together and make great decisions. As we're all part of the discussion we all know what's going on and can contribute. Long may that reign!

## ROTARY MASKS



Rotary masks are available from Colin at \$5.00 each.



## Upcoming Events

Wednesday 12 January

### **BOARD MEETING**

Café Va Bene, cnr of Gorge & LNE Rds at 7.15pm.

Sunday 13 February

### **RCMS Monthly Market**

Campbelltown Memorial Oval, 8.30am-2pm

Friday 1 April - Sunday 3 April

### **9510 DISTRICT CONFERENCE-**

Tanunda, Barossa Valley.

<https://rotary9510.org/sitepage/conference-2022>

See Lindsay if you wish to attend.

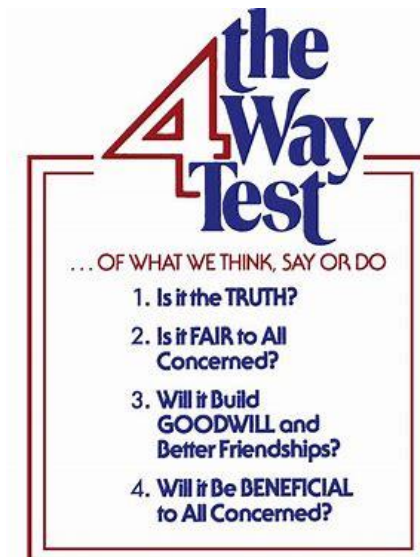
## IN MEMORIUM

This week I learnt of the passing of **Betty Dew** and **Barbara Peddar**.

**Betty Dew** passed away on the 22<sup>nd</sup> December and was the mother in law of Leonie and grandmother of David, both of whom are our current breakfast cooks. Betty was 95 years old.

**Barbara Peddar** passed away on the 6<sup>th</sup> January and was our first breakfast cook when we moved to the Magill Guide Hall in 1998. She stayed with us through to the next move to the Hectorville Sporting Club. Barbara was 77 years old.

On behalf of the club may I extend our condolences to their families





**Deputy Prime Minister Barnaby Joyce has rebuffed the suggestion that Australia's international reputation is being harmed by the detention of Novak Djokovic. What are your thoughts on this matter?**

This was an interesting discussion and raised a few issues.

Mark wondered just how many fronts can you fight a war on, now we have cheated of China, France and now Serbia.

Most agreed the whole debacle was an embarrassment to the government. Possibly not because they revoked Djokovic's visa, but because it put the spotlight back on the refugees that have been locked away for up to nine years. It was felt that the subject of the refugees would really hit the news again.

Some agreed that Novak should not have been granted a visa as he is unvaccinated and rules shouldn't be broken because of wealth or celebrity status.

Getting back to the original question it was felt that Australia's international reputation hasn't suffered a great deal.



### Quiz Question

**What event led to the 1908 Olympics to be relocated from Rome to London?**

**Answer:** The games were moved to London for financial reasons following the violent eruption of Mt Vesuvius in 1906, claiming over 100 lives.



*Mt Vesuvius 1906*

*Dad jokes*



**I lost my job at the bank on the first day. A woman asked me to check her balance, so I pushed her over.**





**Next Meeting: 7:00 am, 18 January 2022**  
**Heccies - 31 Fisher Street, Magill**  
**Club Contact: 0415 453 101 (Lindsay Davis)**  
**Guest Speaker: Luci Blackborough – Councillor for Hectorville Ward**

**Meetings for Makeups:** Please check with the club 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  
 • 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 (1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday then 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesdays Bocelli Cafe Hutt St.) 0416 367 289  
 • 1.00pm Norwood Manto Café Parade, Norwood 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesdays  
 • 6.30pm Norwood Kensi Hotel 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Wednesdays 0412 305 660  
 • 6:30pm Burnside Kensi Hotel 23 Regent St, Kensington 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesdays 0481 373 266  
 • 6.30pm Morialta Tower Hotel 23 Regent St, Kensington Cnr St Bernards & Magill Rd, Magill 0497 159 737

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**President**



**Simon Brewer**



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**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.*