

THE PERILS OF PAULINE

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MOTHER'S DAY MARKET 11 MAY

PRESIDENT'S REPORT



This coming Sunday we will celebrate Mother's Day. It is a day we thank and appreciate the work and sacrifices mother's make to our lives.

This day of celebration was begun by an American activist, Anna Jarvis on the 10th May, 1908.

In addition to conducting a memorial service in Philadelphia to honour all mothers, Jarvis sent 500 white carnations to her late mother's church in West Virginia, a flower that would come to be a symbol of Mother's Day in the USA.

The celebration rapidly caught on, and President Woodrow Wilson officially designated the second Sunday of May as Mother's Day on May 9, 1914.

Interestingly in the later part of her life Anna Jarvis tried to stop Mother's Day as she felt the commercialisation of it detracted from its intended meaning.

However, it is an Australian who is credited with having started the tradition of giving gifts on Mother's Day: Janet Heyden, a resident of Leichhardt Sydney, started a campaign in 1924 to collect gifts for lonely, aged mothers.

Here in Australia the official flower is the chrysanthe**mum**s – a flower that just happens to end in mum. How appropriate is that?

I wish all Mum's a **Happy Mother's Day** and extend to you all an invitation to visit our Mother's Day market at the Campbelltown Memorial Oval from 9am-2.00pm. It's a great place for breakfast.

FOR THE DIARY

Please note the change in our meeting times.

MAY Meetings

6th & 13th

First two Tuesdays of the month
7.00am
Heccies

31 Fisher St, Magill

Third Tuesday of the month **20th**

6pm for 6.30

Tower Hotel, 621, Magill Rd, Magill

Next Club Meeting 1287

7am, 13th May 2025 Club Contact: Lindsay Davis 0415 453 101

Guest Speakers:

NIH Students on their trip to Malta







MEETING 1286

As our scheduled guest speakers had to make a last-minute cancellation, we used the time to discuss topics relating to the club. All in all, it was a very productive meeting, and members appreciated the time to have an open and frank discussion.



CLUB BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

Happy Birthday, Melissa. Have a great day.

HAPPY WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES TO







Nina and Simon

Alison and Allan

Market Roster - May 2025

	1st Shift 7am - 11am	2nd Shift 11am - 3pm
Welcome/Raffle Table	Pauline / Suzette	Suzette
Safety Check List	Colin	
Stall Allocation	Alison	
Social Media/Club Promotion	Greg	Simon
Assisting with Donuts		Simon
Cook Donuts	Alison	Godfrey
Orders	lan	Suzette / Alison
Cook Sausages & Onions	Greg	Mark
Cook B & E Sandwiches/Fritters	Simon	Greg
Server 1	Siony (9am to 11am)	Possible Mari
Server 2	Carol (9.30am to 11.30am)	Alison
Server 3		
Float (Help where required)	Alison	lan
Collect Stallholders Money		lan

Aprons and Towels: Alison

No drinks or nibbles after the market this month due to Mother's Day







Fascinating Trivia

As something a bit different, to plug some gaps, and with inspiration from President Pauline with her "Did you know?" segments, we tried some meaningless trivia items at the meeting:

Salvador Dalí designed the logo for the Chupa Chups lollipop brand.

The Caesar salad was invented in 1924.

The average person blinks 14 to 17 times per minute.

90 percent of the world's population lives in the Northern Hemisphere.

Central Park in New York City is larger than the entire country of Monaco.

The average golf ball has 336 dimples.

Over sixty percent of the world's lakes are located in Canada.

Somewhere between 50% and 80% of earth's living organisms are in the ocean.

Australia is wider than the moon.

Venus is the only planet to spin clockwise.

Allodoxaphobia is the fear of other people's opinions.

Human teeth are the only part of the body that cannot heal themselves.

Competitive art used to be an Olympic sport.

The specks on strawberries are single seeds called achenes.

Google Images was created after Jennifer Lopez wore the green dress at the 2000 Grammys.

Lemons float in water, but limes sink.

The Eiffel Tower was originally made for Barcelona.

It would take 19 minutes to fall to the centre of the Earth.

The real name for a hashtag is an octothorpe.

"The Terminator" script was sold for \$1.

A fear of long words is called Hippopotomonstrosesquippedaliophobia.

The quickest commercial flight in the world is in Scotland.

Penicillin was first called "mould juice."

The first commercial passenger flight lasted only 23 minutes.

No number before 1,000 contains the letter A.

There were active volcanoes on the moon when dinosaurs were alive.

Sudan has more pyramids than any country in the world.

The human circulatory system is more than 60,000 miles long.

The Pope can't be an organ donor.

Tug of war was in the Olympics from 1900 to 1920.

It's impossible to hum while holding your nose.

Africa is the only continent in all four hemispheres.

All mammals get goosebumps.

Japan has one vending machine for every 40 people.

McDonald's once made bubblegum-flavored broccoli.

Finland has more saunas than cars.

The longest time someone has spent holding their breath underwater is 24 minutes and 37 seconds.

Frida Kahlo painted 55 self-portraits.

Avocados are actually fruits, not vegetables.

The shortest war in history, the Anglo-Zanzibar war, lasted 38 minutes.

It's illegal to own only one guinea pig in Switzerland.

Only four countries in the world have national anthems with no lyrics.

The letter "Q" doesn't appear in any American state's name.







PRESIDENT'S - "DID YOU KNOW?"

In the recent election 250,000 lead pencils were used around the country for voting.

This equates to one pencil every 72 people.

In the 2022 election a total of 4.5 million pencils were used due to Covid.









AFADU FUND RAISING LUNCH AND RCMS INTERNATIONAL PROJECT

On Wednesday 7th May Alice organised a BBQ lunch at the Lutheran Homes Retirement Village at Hope Valley to raise funds for AFADU (Aid for Africa Down Under). AFADU is an Australian non-profit, non-government charitable organisation focused on providing aid and relief to Lirhanzo Children's Village (LCV), local schools and the Chikombedzi Mission Hospital in Mwenzi, Zimbabwe.

Our club is supporting the village by raising funds to build teacher accommodation so three more teachers can be employed at the local school. We joined Alice to sell flowers and bricks and raised \$205.00 for our project. Alice and Godfrey (a Director of AFADU and the RCMS International Director) raised close on \$1000.00 for the Lirhanzo Children's Village.



Suzette Coat

A great result and everyone got to taste Alice's culinary skill.











You are Invited! 🏂

District Conference 2025 – Multi-District Impact Summit 2025

When: 16-18 May 2025

Where: Morphettville Racecourse, Morphettville, SA

Join fellow Rotarians from Districts 9800 (Central Victoria) and 9510 (South Australia, Broken Hill, Sunraysia, and Alice Springs) for an inspiring and impactful summit focused on driving meaningful change in our communities.

Program Highlights:

Keynote Speakers
Club Project Showcase

Networking Opportunities

Interactive Breakout Sessions Duck Racing Fundraiser Gala Dinner

Cocktail Party Foundation

Breakfast

End Polio Walk

"Why Should I Attend?"

- Engage with influential speakers and community leaders.
- Discover innovative projects and strategies to showcase Rotary's impact.
- Expand your network and collaborate with fellow Rotarians.

Together, we can make a greater difference! Don't miss this opportunity to **CONNECT, SHARE**, and **LEARN**.

Register Now: www.rotaryimpactsummit.org

Be part of SUMMIT 2025!





You are invited to join the Rotary Club of Morialta.

The Rotary Club of Morialta is delighted to host Mr Stephen Pallaras KC who was the Director of Public Prosecutions in South Australia from 2005-2012 at which time he prosecuted some of the state's most vicious and desperate criminals.

Prior to this Stephen had a distinguished career as a Barrister at the Victorian Bar 1975-1984 and from 1984-1994 was appointed as the Senior Crown Counsel (Hong Kong) and Team Leader in Extradition.



On his return to Australia from Hong Kong he was appointed as the Prosecutor and Acting Director of Public Prosecutions for W.A. from 1994-2002 and from 2002-2005 practiced as Barrister at the W.A. and Hong Kong Bars.

Following his time as DPP in S.A. Stephen expanded his experience through a wide variety of positions:

- · Adjunct Professor of Law, University of South Australia
- Judge of the High Court and Court of Appeal, Solomon Islands
- Consultant to Secretariat of the Pacific Community Regional Rights Resource Team and the United Nations Development Programme on Human Rights and Domestic Violence
- Lecturer in Law (Terrorism & Corruption) Zhongnan University Wuhan, China and Beijing University, Beijing.
- · Vice President of International Association of Prosecutors (IAP)
- Member of Executive Committee of International Association of Anti-Corruption Authorities (IAACA)

TOPIC: Domestic Violence - A brief look at the stats and suggestions for reform.

Venue: Paradise Hotel

Date: Wednesday 14th May 2025

<u>Time</u>: 6.00 pm for 6.30 pm start

Meals: Available from \$20.00 dietary conditions catered for

Drinks: Available at the Bar



Bookings required via Humanitix https://events.humanitix.com/domestic-violence-a-brief-look-at-the-stats-and-suggestions-for-reform

or to Rosemary Padmanabhan (e-mail Rosemarypad66@gmail.com or SMS 0426 507075)



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ANZAC DAY 2025







The Gums Memorial Reserve & Magill RSL Sub-Branch













RCMS lend a hand at the Gunfire Breakfast







PS. The five new memorial seats at The Gums were a hit.



FELLOWSHIP NIGHT WITH ROTARY CLUB OF MORIALTA

It was great to join with the Rotary Club of Morialta for a Fellowship Night on Wednesday 23rd April at the Freshly Pho Vietnamese Restaurant in Newton. This is what regionalisation is about. Joining with other clubs, getting to know each other and collaborating to make an IMPACT.









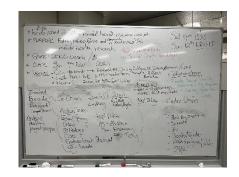
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GROUP 3 PRESIDENTS AND PRESIDENT ELECT MEETING





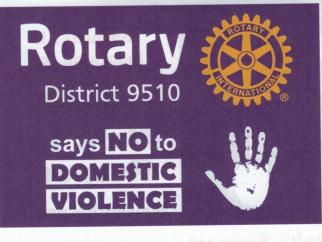
Brain storming at its best



Working out the nuts and bolts for the walk for Mental Health Research.







our state committee is launching the

2025 Walk for Respect

WalkForRespect.au

SAVE THE DATE

Saturday 11 October 2025

9am Muster Victoria Square
 10am Walk Commences
 10.30 arrive Elder Park - Special Guest Speakers

Did you know that 1 in 4 women and 1 in 8 men have experienced violence from an intimate partner or family member. This is people like us! This is us!

When we walk alongside each other, we walk peacefully in solidarity:-

- · to support the survivors amongst us
- to say Thank You to the workers and volunteers who respond to the trauma that violence causes
- to say No to Domestic Violence and Yes to Respectful Relationships

The visual impact of Rotary members, particularly men, and others from our partner DV organisations joining us, walking as one, is a powerful way we can show we care.

In 2025, we will ask walkers to bring a gift or make a donation of money towards goods that help survivors establish their new homes. With an estimated 1,000+ walkers, this practical response could be huge.

We also strive to build education within our younger generations to stamp out generational learned behaviour passed down from parents to their children.

Won't you join in please.

\$\$\$\$ Help us keep the Walk going into the future \$\$\$\$\$

We thank clubs who donated to the Walk in 2023 and 2024.

These Club donations, combined with an establishment grant from District 9510, plus corporate sponsorships has helped our committee cover costs.

The walk itself is quite a simple concept, however, there are many expenses that combined, add up to a considerable sum. There are unavoidable promotional costs; production of quality banners and signs; hire of pro-quality sound systems; Council permits; First Aid fees; Band fees; Seating + more

Moving forward, we want to have a Rotary Walk For Respect Day on the South Australian calendar annually and we can expect it to cost around \$25,000 p.a. to keep this going.

With the financial help of each club - with an average annual donation of \$500 per club - we can secure the future of the Walk, plus the new initiatives we are launching. For example, we would like to use the event to support creative pop-up projects on the day. This could be something from your Club.

Should excess funds be collected, the Committee will initially hold funds in reserve to underwrite the future of the Walk. However, at a later stage, accumulated funds can be put towards other DV initiatives.

We are happy to talk to you about your ideas. But thank you for your consideration of this investment.

See you on Saturday 11th October 2025 in Victoria Square

Jeff Cluse

Chair@WalkForRespect.au

0417 573 696

Chair - Rotary Says No to Domestic Violence Committee

Member - Rotary Club of Regency Park

THANKS

I would like to thank Graham, Robyn, Mark and Colin for cleaning the five memorial seats and commemorative plaque at The Gums on the 24th April in readiness for the dawn service on Anzac Day.





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UPCOMING EVENTS

Friday 09 MAY MAGILL RSL SCHNITZEL NIGHT – 5.30PM

8 Lorne Avenue, Magill

Dinner will be served from 5.30pm and the "Ode" will now be conducted at

7.00PM during the winter months.

Saturday 10 MAY MARKET SET UP – 2PM (Members Only)

Campbelltown Memorial Oval

Sunday 11 MAY ROTARY MONTHLY MARKET 9.00AM – 2.00PM

Campbelltown Memorial Oval

Tuesday 13 MAY CLUB MEETING 1287 7.00AM

Heccies Sporting Club, Fisher St, Magill, 5072

Wednesday 14 MAY RC of MORIALTA MEETING 6pm for 6.30pm start

Paradise Hotel

Guest speaker: Stephen Pallaras KC Topic: Domestic Violence

Tuesday 20 MAY CLUB MEETING 1288 6.00pm for 6.30pm start

Tower Hotel, Magill

BOARD MEETING after meeting

Tuesday 03 JUN CLUB MEETING 1289 7.00AM

Heccies Sporting Club, Fisher St, Magill, 5072

Tuesday 10JUN CLUB MEETING 1290 7.00AM

Heccies Sporting Club, Fisher St, Magill, 5072

Tuesday 17JUN CLUB MEETING 1290 & CHANGEOVER 6.00pm for 6.30pm start

Tower Hotel, Magill









GROUP 3 CLUBS

Monday

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

Coromandel Valley: 0431 012 142 – 6.30pm - 1st & 3rd Mon: St John's Anglican Parish Hall

Tuesday

Magill Sunrise: 0415 453 101 - 7.00am - 1st, 2nd Hectorville Sporting Club, Magill

NEW!!! 6.30pm 3rd Tue: Tower Hotel, Magill

St Peters: 0493 281 503 - 6.15pm Kensi Hotel, 23 Regent St, Kensington

Blackwood: 0477 788 660 - 6.30pm - 1st & 3rd Tue: Blackwood RSL

Edwardstown: 0437 760 420 - 6.15pm - 1st & 3rd Tue: The Maid of Auckland Hotel **Unley:** 0431 618 359 - 6.00pm - Living Choice, Fullarton

Wednesdays

Eastwood: 0416 367 289 - 7.00am – 1st & 3rd Wed: Royal Coach, 24 Dequetteville Tce, Kent Town

Norwood: 0412 305 660 - 6.30pm - 1st, 3rd & 5th Wed: Kensi Hotel, 23 Regent St, Kensington

Hyde Park: 0417 855 182 - 6.15pm - 2nd & 4th Wed: The Goody Hotel, Goodwood

Burnside: 0401 627 339 - 6:30pm - 2nd, 4th & 5th Wed: Kensi Hotel, 23 Regent St, Kensington

Mitcham:0437 112 907 – 6.45pmThe Edinburgh Hotel, MitchamMorialta:0497 159 737 - 6.30pmTower Hotel, Magill Rd Magill

Times stated are when the **GONG** is rung.

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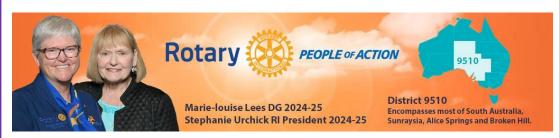
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In the spirit of reconciliation, the Rotary Club of Magill Sunrise acknowledges the Traditional Owners of the land where we serve the community, the Kaurna people of Tandanya, and we pay our respects to their Elders past and present.



