



THE ROTARY CLUB OF ELIZABETH INC

District 9500 - Charter granted 23 Nov 1966
PO Box 233, Elizabeth SA 5112

ROTARY:
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DIFFERENCE

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BULLETIN

MEETING 2535 - MONDAY 31 JULY 2017

Report from meeting held on Monday 24 July 2017 at the Grenville Community Connections Hub

President Alan in his initial opening of the meeting as the 2017/2018 President, welcomed members – Anthony James, Jim Buckoke, Delwyn Watts, Viv Valladares, Raelene Trickett, Gay Smallwood-Smith, Lesley Trevilyan, Shirley Halls, Jackie Webb, David Adamson, Sharka Byrne and guests Robin Trevilyan from the Rotary Club of Playford, and Allan Sparre and Kol Kajanto from the Playford Men's Shed.

Apologies: Elizabeth Adamson and Margaret Green.

Sergeant Lesley gave the toast to the Queen, the people of Australia, and the invocation.

Chairperson Viv called for spots.

- ✚ P Alan reminded members that we have a Bunnings barbecue tomorrow, Tuesday 25th July. We need help for the afternoon shift. Lesley volunteered for the afternoon shift.

The Bunnings barbecue on Sunday 23rd July for "Cows for Cambodia" was a success.

The Rotary Club of Playford has invited our members to their meeting on Tuesday 8th August 2017 at the Grenville Hub. The meeting is scheduled for 6:30pm for a 6:45pm start. Their Guest Speakers, Joy and Dennis Jarman will talk about the Playford Community Fund. Please let P Alan know if you wish to attend for catering purposes.

- ✚ PP Jim reminded members that the next Northern Business Breakfast is this Wednesday, 26th July 2017, and any members that can come would be gratefully appreciated.
- ✚ Gay thanked the Bulletin Editors for their great bulletins over the years; she mentioned the last three bulletin editors by name – Elizabeth Adamson, Jackie Webb, and Anthony James
- ✚ Delwyn informed members that she will be going to visit the Umoja Orphanage in Kenya in September. This is her second trip and the eighth group of volunteers to go over. She was previously part of the second group of volunteers.



Allan Sparre

After dinner Chairperson Viv introduced our guest speakers Allan Sparre and Kol Kajanto from the Playford Men's Shed. Allan has been volunteering in the local area for thirty years with nine years being with the State Emergency Service. He is currently interim president of the Men's Shed until the AGM in August and has been vice-president for a year. He is volunteering for the Men's Shed, home assistance and the rural program teaching broad band to seniors.

Kol Kajanto has been the secretary of the Men's Shed and a Playford Volunteer for the last 3 years. He served in the RAAF for 22 years and was security guard for 20 years after his air force service.

The Australian Men's Shed Association was formed in 2007 and now has over 1000 sheds nationwide. The AMSA is recognised as one of Australia's largest male based community development organisations. The Playford Men's Shed was opened in 2014 with the Playford Council representative, Michael Evans, being the president of the South Australian branch of the AMSA.

Men are able to access information on men's services in the Playford area, participate in the activities in the shed, or simply sit and chat with other members whilst having a cup of tea or coffee. They hold a barbecue every Friday for members that is also a fundraiser. Once a month the men go on an outing usually to another men's shed in South Australia of which there are currently seventy nine.

There are four areas of work in the shed; metal work, wood work, gardening, and model trains. Volunteers ensure that everyone is in the correct procedures and safe use of equipment. All members go through an induction and must be signed off as competent on equipment. Members may work on their own projects as well as working on the Shed's projects.

Some of the Shed's completed projects are bike racks for the Stretton Centre, mounting doors that had been painted by artists in the Playford area and then displayed in the Playford Civic Centre, and planter boxes and chicken coop for a local primary school.

The Men's Shed is looking to recruit more members from diverse backgrounds and cultures. They are seeking to make themselves more known amongst the public and other community groups.

Sergeant Lesley awarded fines. The raffle was drawn by PP Jim being won by Delwyn and Lesley.

President Alan then closed Meeting 2534 and thanked everyone for attending.



PP Jim



Secretary Delwyn and Chairperson Viv

DUTIES	31 JULY	7 AUGUST	14 AUGUST	21 AUGUST
	2535	2536	2537	2538
Chairperson	Raelene Trickett	Alan Murphy	Jim Buckoke	Alan Murphy
Cashier	Anthony James	Anthony James	Anthony James	Anthony James
Visitors	Elizabeth Adamson	Viv Valladares	David Adamson	Shirley Halls
Regalia	Anthony James	None	Anthony James	Anthony James
Sergeant	Lesley Trevilyan	Lesley Trevilyan	Lesley Trevilyan	Lesley Trevilyan
Speaker	Rosemary Stehbens – Australian Kabuki Society	Committee Meetings Rotarian Michael Bendyk – Membership Strategies	??	District Governor Peter Schaefer's Visit

N.B. If you are unable to attend please arrange a replacement for your duties. Thankyou.

DIARY DATES:				
2017	DATE	EVENT	VENUE	TIME
MONDAY	21 AUGUST	DG Visit	Grenville Hub	6:15pm for 6:45pm
WEDNESDAY	23 AUGUST	Northern Business Breakfast	Grand Central - Elizabeth	7:00am to 8:30am
TUESDAY	29 AUGUST	BBQ	Bunnings	8:00am to 6:00pm
TBC	TBC	Fire Station Visit	Salisbury Fire Station	TBC



Who is celebrating in July?

BIRTHDAYS: - Jim Buckoke 15th Andrew Halls 21st Gay Smallwood-Smith 30th

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY: None

INDUCTION ANNIVERSARIES: Reg Driver 1st Lesley Trevilyan 20th
Elizabeth and David Adamson 22nd Raelene Trickett 24th

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**Meet at the Grenville Community Hub, Playford Boulevard, Elizabeth
6:15 p.m. for 6:45 p.m. start**

If not attending please send apology to Delwyn Watts – Club Secretary

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to assist with catering for meal numbers