



# THE ROTARY CLUB OF ELIZABETH INC

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

ROTARY:  
MAKING A  
DIFFERENCE

Rotary International President: Ian HS Riseley  
District Governor 9500: Peter Schaefer  
AG Group 4: Rick Henke  
President Elizabeth Rotary: Alan Murphy

## BULLETIN

MEETING 2539 - MONDAY 28 AUGUST 2017

### Report from meeting held on Monday 21 August 2017 at the Grenville Community Connections Hub

President Alan in his opening of the meeting welcomed members – Anthony James, Jim Buckoke, Delwyn Watts, Lesley Trevilyan, Shirley Halls, Jackie Webb, Gay Smallwood-Smith, Viv Valladares, David Adamson, Elizabeth Adamson, Margaret Green, Raelene Trickett and Sharka Byrne, and guests Dean Trickett, Jill Murphy, AG Rick Henke of the Rotary Club of Salisbury, Mayor Glenn Docherty of the City of Playford and DG Peter Schaefer.

Apologies: None

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

Chairperson P Alan called for spots.

- ✚ P Alan indicated that our next Bunnings barbecue is on Tuesday 29th August. He has sent around the roster. We also have the final Holden's barbecue coming up on Saturday 16th September from 3pm to 8:30pm. The roster is out so please let P Alan know as soon as possible if you are able to assist. We really need more support for this event as we have only six people so far.

Raelene has done a fantastic job in preparing the club's Annual Report. Although we are still missing a couple of small elements Raelene has managed to produce a printed report that we are able to present to the District Governor Peter Schaefer. Once she has added the final couple of pieces to the report we will distribute it to members. P Alan took the opportunity to thank all members who contributed to the report and mentioned his understanding that writing reports can be an arduous task.

The flyer for the combined Rotary District Conference (9500/9520) has been sent out. It is being held at the Barossa Arts and Convention Centre from Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2018 to Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> March 2018, the cost is \$290 per Rotarian or spouse (early bird) or \$325 after February 14<sup>th</sup> 2018.

The show Annie is being held at the Shedley Theatre, we have made a tentative booking for ten people in row K (more leg room) on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> October. We're planning on doing something similar to last time (canapes in the park).

The trailer raffle will soon be upon us and we've been advised of our position in the Elizabeth City Shopping Centre. It looks like we'll have four weeks near Woolworths and four weeks in Oxenham Mall. The trailer is being ordered from RV Trailers and the tickets from Little Para Printers.

P Alan will send out the invitation soon for the pre Trailer Raffle get together. Please start considering your availability for selling tickets, and consider recruiting some friends by selling the idea of it being a couple of hours of light entertainment.

On the 30<sup>th</sup> August the Elizabeth South School is opening their new adventure playground and we've been invited to attend; so far the people attending are: Alan, Delwyn, Jackie and Reg Driver.

Delwyn and P Alan will be attending the Membership Conference at Flinders University next weekend; they will prepare a brief afterwards and present it to the club.

- AG Rick Henke informed members that the speaker for next week's Group 4 Meeting is Jack Buckskin talking about "Understanding Kaurna Lands". He is one of the few fluent speakers of the Kaurna language and he runs a Kaurna dance group.
- Sharka passed around a petition that she will present to parliament seeking accommodation for people who are homeless, asking members to sign.



After dinner Chairperson P Alan introduced our District Governor Peter Schaefer to give us his presentation.

*DG Elects go to San Diego for two weeks to learn about being a District Governor and to gain knowledge to pass on to the "minions". A couple of new things to come out of Chicago are a possible seventh focus on the environment (needs to go through the process), and Rotary International would like quantification of money donated, volunteer hours, etcetera recorded on My Rotary. As part of the possible new focus we have been asked to plant a tree per Rotarian.*

*The End Polio campaign seems to be getting to its end goal; Polio may be eradicated this year or next and will make headline news. \$1.5 billion dollars will be needed over the subsequent three years to ensure it doesn't return.*

*A focus in Australia is on Trachoma which Australia is the only first world nation to a rate above 1 percent. It is prevalent in arid regions and indigenous communities.*

*The Purple Truck mobile dialysis unit operates in the outback delivering services to remote communities. This service allows people to catch up with family and their communities instead of staying in Alice Springs. The truck stays in place for a few weeks at a time. Rotary Clubs around Australia and some Rotary clubs of South Korea support the service.*

Sergeant Lesley awarded fines. The raffle was drawn by DG Peter Schaefer being won by PP Jim and AG Rick Henke.

President Alan then closed Meeting 2538 and thanked everyone for attending.



DG Peter Schaefer and Mayor Glenn Docherty with members of the club

DUTIES	28 AUGUST	4 SEPTEMBER	11 SEPTEMBER	18 SEPTEMBER
	2539	2540	2541	2542
Chairperson	Intercity Group 4	Alan Murphy	Viv Valladares	Gay Smallwood-Smith
Cashier	Meeting	Anthony James	Anthony James	Anthony James
Visitors	The Old Spot Hotel	Raelene Trickett	Jackie Webb	Elizabeth Adamson
Regalia	Main North Road	None	Anthony James	Anthony James
Sergeant	6:30pm for 7pm	Lesley Trevilyan	Lesley Trevilyan	Lesley Trevilyan
Speaker	<b>Jack Buckskin – Understanding Kaurna Lands</b>	<b>Committee Meetings</b>	<b>Fire Station?</b>	<b>PDG Doug Layng – Mini Projects Board Meeting</b>

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

DIARY DATES:				
2017	DATE	EVENT	VENUE	TIME
MONDAY	28 AUGUST	Group 4 Intercity Meeting	The Old Spot Hotel	6:30pm for 7:00pm
TUESDAY	29 AUGUST	BBQ	Bunnings	8:00am to 6:00pm
MONDAY	30 OCTOBER	Museum Visit	Port Adelaide Aviation Museum	6:00pm
WEDNESDAY	27 SEPTEMBER	Northern Business Breakfast	Parafield Gardens Community Centre	7:00am to 8:30am
TBC	TBC	Fire Station Visit	Salisbury Fire Station	TBC



## Who is celebrating in August?

**BIRTHDAYS:** - Dean Trickett and Pandiyan Thevar 7<sup>th</sup> Margaret Green 17<sup>th</sup>  
Delwyn Watts 19<sup>th</sup>

**WEDDING ANNIVERSARY:** Elizabeth and David Adamson 7<sup>th</sup>

**INDUCTION ANNIVERSARIES:** Alan Murphy 3<sup>rd</sup> Karina Jamieson 15<sup>th</sup> Viv Valladares 27<sup>th</sup>

**CONTACT DETAILS:- RC of Elizabeth  
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<http://www.elizabeth.rotaryaust.org/>

<http://www.facebook.com/RotaryClubofElizabeth?ref=hl>

**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**