



THE ROTARY CLUB OF ELIZABETH INC

District 9500 - Charter granted 23 Nov 1966
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BULLETIN

MEETING 2544 - MONDAY 9 OCTOBER 2017

Report from meeting held on Monday 25 September 2017 at the Grenville Community Connections Hub

President Alan in his opening of the meeting welcomed members – Anthony James, Jim Buckoke, Lesley Trevilyan, David Adamson, Elizabeth Adamson, Margaret Green, Shirley Halls, Viv Valladares, Raelene Trickett, Jackie Webb, Sharka Byrne, and guests Robin Trevilyan from the Rotary Club of Playford, and Kerry Norris and Dominique Guzdek from Walk with Wings.

Apologies: Delwyn Watts and Gay Smallwood-Smith

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

Chairperson Elizabeth called for spots.

- ✚ P Alan informed members that he was still needing some help for the Bunnings barbecue on 26 September. He mentioned that we were a bit light on the last shift, 2pm – 5pm. P Alan said that he would be able to return at 4pm for the clean-up and so would be able to let someone go at 4pm.

The show Annie is being held at the Shedley Theatre and we have a tentative booking for ten people in row K (for more leg room) on Friday 20 October. We are planning on doing something similar to what we did last time (canapes in the park). Please let Delwyn know.

The tickets for the Trailer Raffle have been printed so if you are able to take a few books and sell them it would be appreciated; if you have a business it might be an opportunity to have some on the front counter.

P Alan will send out an invitation soon for the pre Trailer Raffle get together.

Please start thinking about your availability to help in the selling tickets; perhaps it's time to start recruiting friends by selling the idea of it being a couple of hours of light entertainment.

The Playford Pageant has been confirmed and will occur on the 25th November 2017. If you are interested in participating please let P Alan know. We will have two or three floats in the parade.

The Community Carols will be held on the 2nd December so please mark that day in your diary as we'll need lots of help as P Alan has been informed that there is a significant drawcard.

October is Mental Health Awareness Month so we should probably do something to recognise this important issue. Can someone offer to organise an event for this occasion. P Alan has some information that may give you some guidance.

The Holden Dream Cruise will be held on the 15th October and will be a really early start. We are planning on doing Egg and Bacon Rolls (with optional tomato). We're happy to have more help; especially if you're a Holden enthusiast. P Alan has obtained permission to use St Patrick's barbecue which is a Holden shell done out as a barbecue, really fitting for the event.

- ✚ Jim reminded members about the Northern Business Breakfast on Wednesday 27 September.
- ✚ David informed about twenty two children from Elizabeth South Primary School visiting the Tea Tree Gully Road Safety Centre on Monday 25 September. P Alan collected the students from the school and it was a perfect day for cycle riding. After two hours of vigorous riding the children were still on a high on the way back to the school.



Dominique Guzdek

After dinner Chairperson Elizabeth introduced our guest speaker, Dominique Guzdek who spoke to us about the not for profit organisation "Walk With Wings". Dominique is a qualified counsellor and community service worker and she spoke with passion about her volunteer work supporting the grief and loss of families who sadly lose a child. Walk With Wings is a South Australian charity dedicated to raising awareness and support for the journey that families face with arrival of a premature loved.

Kerry and James Norris wanted to help raise awareness for premature babies, to help find a cure for Sudden Infant Death Syndrome and to stop other babies growing their wings too early, while being able to support grieving parents and children by providing understanding, compassion and hope. As a result of their heartache they decided to establish Walk With Wings in honour of their precious baby boy Harri. Kerry and James aim to offer support and hope to other

parents, to show them they are not alone, because they too lost their little baby.

Walk With Wings provides a range of services. These include Angelcare Sound and Movement Monitor hire (FREE of charge for up to three months), Happy Castings with Wings, Prennie Support Packs, Bereavement Support, and the Walk With Me program.

The Monitor hire is available to parents who have a child born before thirty seven weeks gestation. Training is provided for all monitors, the parents are taught CPR, what to do in an emergency. There is a twenty four hour telephone information line.

Happy Castings with Wings provides castings of feet and hands to capture the tiny size of their hands and feet during the early period where they spend time in hospital. Free castings are also provided from sixteen weeks gestation to eighteen years for any reason of death of a child.

Prennie Support Packs are available after a premature baby has been in Intensive Care for ten consecutive days. Walk With Wings also provides a journal to parents to record important details and recall special moments while in hospital. Assistance can also be provided via fuel vouchers, car parking tickets and food vouchers.

Bereavement Support and the Walk With Me program provide support for grieving parents and children respectively.

Sergeant Lesley handed out fines. The raffle was drawn by Dominique and Kelly Norris being won by Elizabeth and Jim.

President Alan then closed Meeting 2543 and thanked everyone for attending.

DUTIES	9 OCTOBER	16 OCTOBER	23 OCTOBER	30 OCTOBER
	2544	2545	2546	2547
Chairperson	Alan Murphy	Raelene Trickett	Viv Valladares	Jackie Webb
Cashier	Anthony James	Anthony James	Anthony James	Anthony James
Visitors	Viv Valladares	David Adamson	Gay Smallwood-Smith	Jim Buckoke
Regalia	None	Anthony James	Anthony James	Anthony James
Sergeant	Lesley Trevilyan	Lesley Trevilyan	Lesley Trevilyan	Lesley Trevilyan
Speaker	Ly Luan Le – Coming to Australia, Committee Meetings	Glynn Jones - Holdens	Sharka Byrne	Port Adelaide Aviation Museum Visit

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

DIARY DATES:				
2017	DATE	EVENT	VENUE	TIME
SUNDAY	15 OCTOBER	Holden Dream Cruise	Elizabeth Shopping Centre car parks	6:30am
FRIDAY	20 OCTOBER	Annie	Shedley Theatre	8:00pm
TUESDAY	24 OCTOBER	Barbecue	Bunnings	8:00am to 6:00pm
WEDNESDAY	25 OCTOBER	Northern Business Breakfast	Grand Central	7:00am to 8:30am
MONDAY	30 OCTOBER	Museum Visit	Port Adelaide Aviation Museum	6:00pm
SATURDAY	25 NOVEMBER	Playford Pageant		
SATURDAY	2 DECEMBER	Playford Carols		
TBC	TBC	Fire Station Visit	Salisbury Fire Station	TBC



Who is celebrating in October?

BIRTHDAYS: - Shirley Halls 12th Ian Murray 18th Mayor Glenn Docherty 20th
Paula Tose 23rd

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY: None

INDUCTION ANNIVERSARIES: None

CONTACT DETAILS:- RC of Elizabeth

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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