THE ROTARY CLUB OF ELIZABETH INC



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

> District Governor 9500: Peter Schaefer AG Group 4: Rick Henke

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BULLETIN

MEETING 2551 - MONDAY 27 NOVEMBER 2017

Report from meeting held on Monday 20 November 2017 at the Grenville Community Connections Hub

President Alan in his opening of the meeting welcomed members – Anthony James, Delwyn Watts, Gay Smallwood-Smith, David Adamson, Elizabeth Adamson, Jackie Webb, Shirley Halls, Sharka Byrne, Margaret Green, Jim Buckoke, Raelene Trickett, Theo Nitz, and guests Craig Smith, Farrell Purwadi, a NYSF student from Playford International College, Sue Elderfield, a teacher from Playford International College and Ben Rowe from Street-Light.

Apologies: Viv Valladares, Lesley Trevilyan and Peter Greig

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

Chairperson Jim called for spots.

- P Alan reminded members that our next Bunnings barbecue is on 28 November.
 - Our AGM is to be held on 4 December. Please remember your nominations and don't forget to get their acknowledgement.
- PP Jim reminded members that the next Northern Business Breakfast this Wednesday 22 November.
- Gay gave a huge thank you for helping her at the Trailer Raffle.
- Elizabeth informed members that we have received a letter thanking us for our Shelter Box donation.

Thankyou your Shelter Box has been delivered to a family in need.

Tragically, the war in Syria is entering its sixth year. The relentless aerial bombardments mean that even schools and hospitals, which were once safe havens, are now military targets.

Families are left with no choice but to flee in hope of finding safety. Many are seeking shelter on the border of neighbouring countries but they are ill equipped to face the unforgiving conditions that fluctuate between roasting summers and freezing winters.

Despite the challenges of such a complex crisis, I'm pleased to be able to tell you that your ShelterBox aid, in the name of "The Rotary Club of Elizabeth Inc" has been given to families in desperate need on the Syrian/Turkish border.

Ben Rowe, of Street-Light, spoke of his vision to support the youth in Elizabeth through contact at Elizabeth City Centre. Many youth are disconnected from society and the program aims to build relationships with youth in the community and to empower them. Seven-Eight volunteers meet by the Shopping Centre entrance near Reading Cinemas on a Thursday night. They discover the youth's potential after gaining their trust and have network with many programs for youth available in the community.



Ben Rowe



After dinner Chairperson Jim introduced our second guest speaker, Farrell Purwadi, a Year 11 student from Playford International College whom the club is sponsoring half the cost of attending NYSF (National Youth Science Forum). Farrell moved to Adelaide after moving from Cairns.

Farrell will be attending the Physics and Chemistry sessions of NYSF and is glad to be a part of the community. He is the first student from his school to be sponsored to go to NYSF and he hopes to be a role model for other students at the school. Farrell has been working part time and fundraising to help cover the cost.

The NYSF in Canberra is being hosted by the Australian National University for 2 weeks. Farrell is looking forward to participating in NYSF with students from around Australia who have a similar attitude to him.

Farrell Purwadi

Farrell is currently studying Physics, Chemistry, Mathematical Methods, English Literature, and Physical Education and hopes to get accepting into an Environmental Science degree at the University of South Australia in preparation for a career in Meteorology.

Farrell finished by thanking the club for sponsoring him.

Sergeant Jim handed out fines. The raffle was drawn by Theo and Sue Elderfield and won by Elizabeth and Jackie.

President Alan then closed Meeting 2550 and thanked everyone for attending.

DUTIES	27 NOVEMBER	4 DECEMBER	11 DECEMBER	18 DECEMBER
	2551	2552	2553	2554
Chairperson	Elizabeth Adamson	Alan Murphy	Children's	Members'
Cashier	Anthony James	Anthony James	Christmas	Christmas
Visitors	Raelene Trickett	David Adamson	Party	Party
Regalia	Anthony James	None		
Sergeant	Lesley Trevilyan	Lesley Trevilyan		
Speaker	RYPEN and	AGM,		
	RYLA students	Committees		

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

DIARY DATES:						
2017	DATE	EVENT	VENUE	TIME		
MONDAY	27 NOVEMBER	Meeting	St Patrick's	6:30pm for 6:45pm		
			Technical College			
TUESDAY	28 NOVEMBER	Barbecue	Bunnings	8:00am to 6pm		
SATURDAY	2 DECEMBER	Playford Carols				
MONDAY	4 DECEMBER	Annual General	Grenville	6:45pm		
		Meeting	Community Hub			
TUESDAY	5 DECEMBER	Anglicare		4:00pm to 8:00pm		
		Community Event				
FRIDAY	8 DECEMBER	Pud Market	Prince George	4:30pm to 8:30pm		
			Plaza			
MONDAY	11 DECEMBER	Children's				
		Christmas Party				
WEDNESDAY	13 DECEMBER	Northern Business	Parafield Gardens	7:00am to 8:30am		
		Breakfast	Community Club			
MONDAY	18 DECEMBER	Member's				
		Christmas Party				
SUNDAY	17 DECEMBER	Barbecue	Bunnings	8:00am to 6:00pm		
TUESDAY	26 DECEMBER	Barbecue	Bunnings	8:00am to 6:00pm		
MONDAY	29 JANUARY	Foodbank	Foodbank	TBC		
TBC	TBC	Fire Station Visit	Salisbury Fire	TBC		
			Station			



Who is celebrating in November?

BIRTHDAYS: - Dorothy Joel 3rd, Jackie Webb 17th and Robin Trevilyan 20th

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY: None

INDUCTION ANNIVERSARIES: Delwyn Watts 16th

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

<u>If not attending please send apology to Delwyn Watts – Club Secretary</u> <u>Mobile – 0412 814 394 or Email – delwynwatts46@gmail.com</u>

to assist with catering for meal numbers