



THE ROTARY CLUB OF ELIZABETH INC

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

Rotary International President: Barry Rassin
District Governor 9500: David Egan
AG Group 4: Colin Willington
President Elizabeth Rotary: Elizabeth Adamson

BE THE INSPIRATION

BULLETIN

MEETING 2597 – MONDAY 4 FEBRUARY 2019

Report from meeting held on Tuesday 22 January 2019 at the Playford Civic Centre

Meeting 2596 was our combined meeting with the Rotary Club of Playford

President Elizabeth in her opening of the meeting welcomed members – Anthony James, David Adamson and Delwyn Watts and guests AG Colin Willington and Jess Law, Community Resilience Project Officer, Australian Red Cross.

Apologies: Eryn Halls, Shirley Halls, Gay Smallwood-Smith, Katrina Stroet and Sharka Byrne

Spots

- ✚ P Elizabeth reminded members that the Group 4 Inter-city is to be held on Wednesday 6 March at the Para Hills Community Club, Bridge Road, at 6.30pm for 7.00pm. The speaker is to be Doctor Tim Proudman from Interplast. Please focus on inviting doctors, nurses, dentists etc.

Please check your availability for Australia Day, this Saturday.

The combined meeting with the Elizabeth Playford Lions is to be held on Monday 8 April. Further details to come later.

- ✚ AG Colin reminded members of both clubs that the next Group 4 Intercity will be on 6 March and will cost \$40 per person. He would like to see as many people there as possible. He asked everyone to encourage medical professionals to come along with the hope that some of them will become members. AG Colin will keep the clubs updated.

After dinner our guest speaker for the evening, Jess Law, was introduced by Chairperson Shirley. Jess is a Community Resilience Project Officer with the Australian Red Cross. Jess came to speak about 'Community Resilience in Emergencies'.

The Australian Red Cross provides many services including first aid (physical and psychological), checking on vulnerable people such as during a heatwave and reconnecting people separated by an emergency. An emergency is defined by the Red Cross to be an event outside the community's ability to cope such as heatwave, crime and natural disasters.

Community Resilience is about being as prepared as possible before an emergency occurs. Some important measures include seventy-two hours supply of food of water and having a copy of important document ready at a moment's notice. People rely on electronic devices and need to ensure they are ready for if they don't work.

Jess Law

As a tsunami event in Japan in 2011 showed knowing your neighbours saves lives. Many people were helped to higher ground who would have not made it on their own. Many people get to know their neighbours with street parties which can help.



Sergeant Lyn handed out fines.

President Elizabeth closed the meeting.



DUTIES	4 FEBRUARY	11 FEBRUARY	18 FEBRUARY	25 FEBRUARY
	2597	2598		2599
Dinner	No	Yes		Yes
Chairperson	Committees and Board Meeting	Gay Smallwood-Smith	No Meeting	Delwyn Watts
Cashier	7pm Start	Anthony James		Anthony James
Visitors		David Adamson		Sharka Byrne
Regalia	At the Lions Den	Anthony James		Anthony James
Sergeant		TBC		TBC
Speaker				

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

DIARY DATES:				
2019	DATE	EVENT	VENUE	TIME
WEDNESDAY	27 FEBRUARY	Northern Business Breakfast	Parafield Gardens Community Club	7am to 8:30am
MONDAY	8 APRIL	Joint Meeting with The Lions Club of Elizabeth Playford		



Who is celebrating in February?

BIRTHDAYS: - None

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY: None

INDUCTION ANNIVERSARIES: Anthony James 15th

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

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Meet at the Grenville Community Hub, Playford Boulevard, Elizabeth
2nd and 4th Monday of the Month 6:15 p.m. for 6:45 p.m. start

If not attending please send apology to Eryn Halls – Club Secretary

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to assist with catering for meal numbers