THE ROTARY CLUB OF ELIZABETH INC

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

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BULLETIN

MEETING 2602 – MONDAY 25 MARCH 2019

Report from meeting held on Tuesday 18 March 2019 at the Grenville Community Connections Hub

Meeting 2601 was our joint meeting with the Rotary Club of Playford hosted by the Rotary Club of Playford.

President Elizabeth in her opening of the meeting welcomed members – Delwyn Watts, Anthony James, David Adamson and Sharka Byrne and guest Andrea Hughes.

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

Chairperson Sandra called for spots.

BE THE INSPIRATION

- P Elizabeth informed members that David, Anthony and she attended the Group 4 Intercity Meeting on Wednesday 6 March with a great guest speaker Dr Tim Proudman, the Bhutan Interplast Team Leader.
- David reminded members that the next Northern Business Breakfast will be at the Playford Bowling Club on Wednesday 27 March at 7am. Bookings close at 4pm on Friday 22 March.



Andrea Hughes

After dinner Chairperson Sandra introduced our guest speaker for the night, Andrea Hughes. Andrea was one of the GSE (Group Study team) from Brazil who visited SA clubs for 6 weeks in 2008. She now lives in Adelaide with her husband, Quentin, and her daughter.

Andrea was born in southern Brazil and moved around as a child. She started learning English at seven years old by teaching herself and learning from the children whose first language was English. She is now fluent in Portuguese, English and French.

In 2008 Andrea was one of five people selected out of six hundred applicants from Brazil for the GSE between Rotary Districts 9500 and 4440. The group was in Australia for six weeks in April and May 2008. Whilst in Australia they stayed with the Rotary Clubs of Prospect, North Adelaide, Salisbury and Adelaide City and visited country Rotary clubs including Roxby Downs, Peterborough, Two Wells and Tanunda.

Back in Brazil Andrea represented Rotary and the GSE speaking in seven states about her experiences in Australia and developed free workshops to show a bit of Australia to Brazilians.

Andrea moved to Australia and volunteered in various schools until her qualifications were formally recognised. She started working at Norwood Morialta High School in 2014.

In 2013 Andrea opened the Brazilian Ethnic School of South Australia with the unconditional support of her husband and daughter. There are now forty-five students.

Sergeant Lyn handed out fines.

P Robin closed Playford's meeting.

President Elizabeth closed the meeting.



Andrea Hughes speaking about her experiences to members of both clubs

DUTIES	25 MARCH	1 APRIL	8 APRIL	15 APRIL
	2602	2603	2604	
Dinner	Yes	No	Yes	No Meeting
Chairperson	David Adamson	Committees and	Gay Smallwood-	
		Board Meeting	Smith	
Cashier	Anthony James	7pm Start	Anthony James	
Visitors	Sharka Byrne		Eryn Halls	
Regalia	Anthony James	At the Lions Den	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 MARCH	Northern Business	Playford Bowling	7am to 8:30am
		Breakfast	Club	
MONDAY	8 APRIL	Joint Meeting with		
		The Lions Club of		
		Elizabeth Playford		
		and the Rotary		
		Club of Playford		
TUESDAY	23 APRIL	Panetarium Visit	Uni of SA	7pm to 8pm
			Mawson Lakes	
			Campus	



Who is celebrating in March?

BIRTHDAYS: - David Adamson 7th Eryn Halls 8th Brian Alford 9th Bessie Dickins 28th

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY: Gay Smallwood-Smith and Peter Smith 7th

INDUCTION ANNIVERSARIES: None

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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