

# Rotary Club of Port Pirie Inc

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## BULLETIN

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Port Pirie



Port Pirie

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District 3790**

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District 3790**



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**Rotary Foundation** - PDG John Rowe

**International Service**- Rtn Peter Arnold

**Vocational / Youth / Membership** – Rtn Roger Crouch

The Club normally meets every Thursday at the Virtus Soccer Club 9 Parks Street Port Pirie  
5:45pm for 6:15pm start

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### April - Maternal & Child Health

**Area of Focus: Maternal and Child Health Month.** This month also includes the Birthday of Paul Harris on the 19th of April.

- Address the issue of Mal nutrition's in Children and Pregnant Women
- Develop a Hygiene Education program for school going children
- Conduct Awareness Seminars
- Provide Low-income, Underinsured women with the knowledge, skills and opportunities to improve their diet, physical activity, and other life habits to prevent, delay, or control chronic diseases
- Promote School Health
- Promote the adoption of physical activity in early child care centres, schools and work sites

# Meeting 3175

## *Club Assembly*

### **President's Notice Board**

Firstly thanks to all the members who helped in any way on the weekend, Dieter, Graham, Peter Arnold, Philip, Lyn, Peter Stanley and our newest member Greg who helped with the stage and breakfast, welcome to Rotary Greg

Last weekend Past President's Allan and Barry, President Elect Pam and myself with our partners and Exchange Student Luukas attended the 9500 Conference at Hahndorf. It was a really good Conference at a fantastic venue The Adelaide Hills Convention Centre, beautiful food and wine and interesting speakers, with the likes of DR Brendon Nelson, Paul Thomas, who is a Past Rotary President and former Mayor of Kadina, Kay Cottee, who you will remember as the first woman to sail solo around the world, Tony Pilkington, Rotarian and now retired radio personality and Jen Williams, an Organisational Psychologist and sister of Port Adelaide Premiership Coach Mark Williams,

These are just some of the speakers that you can probably relate to but there were some I had never heard of that really gave Rotary a shakeup with a no holds barred approach on why Rotary is struggling to attract new members, how to treat new and existing members and how Rotary needs to address the way we promote or more importantly don't promote ourselves in the community.

An interesting point that was mentioned at the end of the conference is that none of the guest speakers charged a fee for their time.

This is third Conference I've attended and fully recommend them especially when next years will be in Whyalla.

Probably the only disappointing thing apart from the weather was that from the upper spencer gulf we were the only club not to get a mention at the awards ceremony. Pt Lincoln, Whyalla and Pt Augusta all received various awards, but I suppose if we don't apply for an award then we have no chance in receiving one.

Although we didn't receive an award, I would like to congratulate all members of The Rotary Club of Port Pirie for I did receive a Certificate of Appreciation from Australian Rotary Health, for having donated the equivalent of \$1000 per member, over a period of time.

During the weekend Angie and I were surprised when two female Rotarians from different clubs in Adelaide approached us to ask if they would be able to host Luukas for a few days which he is keen to do if it can be arranged. It seemed that these members are keen on the Exchange Programme and were trying to get a feel for what might be involved. I've contacted Ian Howlett who is District Coordinator and he is following this up.

We caught up with Lenard Sciancalapore who is President of the Rotaract Club of Adelaide University and has family ties here in Pirie but has never been here. He is a

great ambassador and is on a mission to climb the Rotary tree not only nationally but also internationally, so I've invited him to come up for a few days and speak at our meeting when it suits.

I also spoke with John Nelson Opio from Uganda who is a Rotarian studying at the Joanna Briggs Institute and has a story to tell and may also come here to one of our meetings.

I had a phone call from Bruce James on Tuesday with an update on Joyce after her recent fall. She is now in rehab at Calvary Hospital, her hip has been repaired and her broken ribs are healing slowly as you can imagine but she is in good spirits. Bruce sounded a bit tired with all the running around visiting and so on but said he is doing ok.

He also mentioned that Brian Condon gave him a call after reading in the Bulletin of Joyce's fall. That's what the Bulletin is all about, informing members who can't attend meetings. Thanks Roger.

Thanks to Vice President Graham for organising the new Polo Shirts and Caps which are now available.

Just a heads up that our meeting on the 18<sup>th</sup> April will be at the Yacht Club.

## **Committee Meeting Minutes**

### **CLUB SERVICES COMMITTEE**

April 4, 2019, at Virtus

Present: Director P. Menadue, C. Keane, A. Paterson, G Hudson

Apologies: G. Mayfield, P. Stanley, P. Richens, S. Lynch

#### **Equipment**

Security Light at Shed requires attention. Warren has begun action on this

Gutter on South Side of Shed also needs some attention. Stephen has begun action on this

#### **9500 District Conference.**

Next District Conference will be in Whyalla 3-5 April 2020. Discussion on Speakers at this year's conference, all very good. Would encourage members to consider attending next year's Conference.

**ACTION:** Ascertain interest and Block book some accommodation in Whyalla at Westlands Hotel ( Conference Dinner will be held there)There are no proposed motions requiring the club to discuss. President Sebastian will be the club's representative

## **Police Checks & clearances**

ACTION: Secretary to Check process for new members. Police check process needs to be included as part of admittance process

## **Club Strategic Plan**

PP Barry Mudge has been leaning a small group in creating the draft document that will go out to club members

## **Club Picnic**

The date for the club picnic was deferred by the Board due to the number of other commitments in April. New date 19<sup>th</sup> May at Woodward Park Port Pirie 12 noon

## **Rotating Dinner**

Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> June at the Travelway. ACTION: Pam to book

Thanks to Roger Crouch is now compiling the Bulletin.

## **Family of Rotary**

Discussion held on how some of past members and past member's wives were going.

## **25<sup>th</sup> April ANZAC day – No Rotary meeting**

Board accepted our recommendation that no meeting be held on the 25<sup>th</sup> April

Board Minutes were discussed

Meeting closed 7.25pm. Next meeting at 2nd May at Virtus Soccer Club

## **4/4/19 Vocational Membership Meeting**

Present : R Crouch, C Rimmer, S Mezzino, D Camporeale, B Mudge

Other Committee Members., J Holyman, B Condon R Tolson, L Porter, ,

Previous committee and board minutes distributed.

## **Science and Engineering Challenge**

Roger Crouch has contacted GPA Engineering and the Upper York Peninsular

Rotary Club and is trying to arrange the GPA sponsorship to be transferred.

## **Quiz Night.**

It was decided to change the quiz night from the 8th to the 15th June as the 8th is a long weekend.

Roger to change the booking at RPPYC,

The quiz night to be an Entertainment Quiz

Dannielle to develop the questions and poster for advertising.

## **National Youth Science Forum**

Communication received in regard to the next National Youth Science Forum

It was decided not to participate as the cost was \$3500 per student.

## **RYPEN**

Three Interact members are attending.

## **MEMBERSHIP**

Friends of Rotary.

Discussion on setting up Friends of Rotary for the Rotary Club of Port Pirie.

Roger to document the discussion points and circulate to committee members for comment before it is seen by the board and Rotary members.

## **5th Thursday Meetings**

2 venues were discussed that could be visited, St Marks Campus and the Uni Hub.

Roger to follow up.

Meeting Closed.

## **Police Checks Documents**

Members are asked to check expiry dates of clearances and renew as appropriate. Copies to be kept by Child Protection Officer (Barb) and Secretary. Please give a copy to the secretary.

## **Rotary Information**

### **Shirts and Caps**

Last week when giving out Shirts . Someone took a Medium Shirt It should have taken a XXL If you haven't tried , You have the wrong one. Please Return on Thursday.

### **Driver Reviver Roster**

Want to meet some new people, the roster for the Driver Reviver is looking for a person or persons to complete the following shifts ( There is already one person listed just looking for a second).

Friday 19th April 6am-9am

Saturday 20th April 6am-9am

Saturday 20th April 9am-Noon

Saturday 9pm-Midnight

Sunday 21st April 6am-9am

Sunday 21st April 9am-Noon

Sunday 21st Noon -3pm

Sunday 21st 3pm-6pm

Monday 22nd April 6-9am

What does a shift entail? Going out to Warnertown and serving tea/coffee to travellers from the Combined Services Club Caravan.

Please let Pam know if you are able to assist 0419821525



# D9500 Learning & Development 2019-20



For All Rotarians and Rotaractors  
From DGE Jane Owens & the L & D Team



As we celebrate the 2018-19 Rotary Year, we also begin preparation for 2019-20 with more

## Learning & Development Opportunities in May...

All Rotarians and Rotaractors are very warmly invited to join Club Presidents Elect, Secretaries, Treasurers, all Club Directors as well as District Leaders at

**DISTRICT ASSEMBLY Adelaide May 4 10am-5pm Registration: <https://e.mybookingmanager.com/DAA>**

At the District Assembly, there will be Interactive discussion and workshops on:

- Ideas for Club Leaders
- The Rotary Foundation, OUR Charity
- Important Information about Protection of Children & Vulnerable People
- Update on Insurance & Risk Assessment
- DISTRICT GRANTS SEMINAR (for Club eligibility to apply for a District Grant, one person from the Club must attend this Seminar)
- Learn about, and vote on, the DISTRICT BUDGET!
- Choice of 3 of 10 Interactive Breakout Sessions (How to Use RI Learning Center, Rotary Club Central and Club Runner, Learning from Rotaract and Rotaractors, Leading Change and MORE)

A combination of Leading Rotary Now & District Assembly will be offered in Alice Springs & Whyalla:

**Leading Rotary Now & District Assembly Alice Springs May 18 9am-5pm Registration: <https://e.mybookingmanager.com/LDAS>**

**Leading Rotary Now & District Assembly Whyalla May 25 11am-4pm May 26 9am-noon Registration: <https://e.mybookingmanager.com/LDW>**

Join us to help Rotary Connect the World!

**REGISTER NOW!**



# General Information

Please advise PP Greg Mayfield if you know of possible guest speakers.

## Meeting Attendance Meeting 3174

Members	Apologies	Attendance	Silent	Percentage
39	11	24	4	65

## Rotary Club of Port Pirie for Meeting Roster

Please notify apologies and guests by Wednesday lunchtime.

This is the deadline so that Graham can advise the caterer.

Contact Graham Nichols on 0429 292595 (If texting ensure you add your name)

<b>Meeting No</b>	3176	3177	
<b>Date</b>	11/4/17	18/4/17	25/4/19
<b>Venue</b>	Virtus Park Street	Royal Port Pirie Yacht Club	No Meeting Anzac Day
<b>Chairman</b>	B Camporeale	D Camporeale	
<b>Door Duties</b>	P Stanley	R Tolson	
<b>Fellowship</b>	S Lynch G Mayfield	I Meissner P Menadue	
<b>Prize Donor</b>	P Arnold	K Baak	
<b>Sergeant</b>	I Meissner	N Ferme	
<b>Equipment &amp; Competition</b>	T Werfel K Baak	B Acker G Brock	
<b>Program</b>	Claire Magliulo: Red Cross	Geoff Kirby: My Time in Antarctica	
<b>Exchange Student Dinner</b>	L Joyce	C Keane	Currently Hosted @ Peter & Dianne Arnolds

### Information and Links for Meeting Duties

#### [Chairman's Duties](#)

#### [Door Duties](#)

**Fellowship Officers:** The first person to take the microphone around and ask the first question. The second person rostered should sit with the guest speaker.

#### [Sergeants Guide](#)

**Equipment Officer :** Please be in attendance by 5.45pm. Officer listed first to run the competition

# Events Planning

**Please advise the editor of dates for events, other than the normal meeting to allow coordination of events.**

<b>Event e.g.</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Venue</b>	<b>Information</b>
Masters Games	Saturday 13th April	Beach	BBQ/Drinks 10 am to 5 pm
Pirie Community Markets	Sunday 14th April	Flinders View Park Ellen Street	BBQ 8:30 to noon
BBQ at Pt Germein - Uniting Country Foster Care program	Tuesday 16th April	Pt Germein	BBQ at Port Germein Tue 16th April, Uniting Country - Foster Care program. 40 - 50 people 11.30 for 12pm lunch.
Driver Reviver	Easter		
Trots Night	Friday 3rd May	Port Pirie Trotting Track	Details to follow
Rotary Club Picnic	Sunday 19th May	Woodward Park	12:00 Noon
Rotating Dinner	Saturday 1st June	Travelway.	
Entertainment Quiz	Saturday 15th June	Yacht Club	
Vocational training to improve rain fed agricultural productivity in Morocco	Monday Sept 9th, 2019 to Friday Oct 4th		Week 1 Orientation, Waite, GRDC, Breeders (Adelaide) (Weekend- Tourist visits, Rotary Club of Adelaide)  Week 2 SA Mid North, Hart Field Day, Loxton, Mildura, Vic Mallee (Weekend Adelaide)  Week 3 Upper North and YP including Paskeville Field Days (Hosted by Rotary Club of Port Pirie)  Week 4 Adelaide to pursue individual training requirements
Rotary District Conference	3-5 April 2020	Whyalla	

## **Future Meeting Speakers - Subject to Change.**

April 18 - Geoff Kirby: My Time in Antarctica

April 25 - No meeting as a mark of respect for Anzac Day.

May 9 - Roger Nottage: John Pirie Secondary School

May 16 - Bishop Greg O'Kelly: Catholic Church

August 22 - Neville Thomson: Harness Racing