



Be a gift to the world

Venue: Hewett Centre, 28 Kingfisher Dr, Hewett Tuesday 6:45pm for 7PM**Web Site:** <http://gawlerlightrotary.org/>**President:** Jacqui Slater**District Governor:** Doug Layng**Secretary:** Steve Redden**RI President:** K.R. Ravindran

Last Meeting

Meeting number **969** of our club was opened by **President Jacqui S** who **Welcomed all including guests**

- Rob E apology for next meeting- Rory will do Voc Director
- Rhonda apology for next week. Bron to do minutes
- Community Services committee will receive email about some tasks

Club Admin:

- Next BBQ in October
- Shed a mess and needs tidying
- Anyone wishing to stay after meeting for fellowship – Leon has said he is willing to keep bar open

Youth Services: Martin W

- Inward bound student arriving 7th August
- Thankyou card from RYLA student

International: Dick M

- Dave C DIK has burning permit for Saturday ; -) helpers welcome

Members' News:

- Jacquie: hubbie, Mark excited as daughter has romance with suitable hunk called Mark.
- Ian best kangaroo steak at Woolshed.

Sgt Fines: Malcolm Will

- Bron complaining about an accountant
- Stephen A having week
- Rhonda who is attendance officer
- Marilyn C no running sheet
- Dave G Dick M Steve R ICT experts!!!
- Dave P car washed
- Matt S forgot knife and fork
- Martin W dodgy switch

Cross fines:

- Roger F anyone who didn't stand for fines
- Dave G new member of bung fritz society

Guest Speaker: Steve Redden

- Steve McL, Liam Redden and Steve Redden went to Bali Sanuar; Bontihing
- Met with members of Bali Sanur Rotary Club
- Picked up and driven to the village
- Had sticky rice on arrival
- Road condition into Bontihing improved but still not good
- 300-450 kids
- Started with traditional Balinese dancing which was impressive
- Students participated in games such as tunnel ball, greasy pole etc
- Members of Rotary Club organised kids. Approx 350 kids had dental treatment in adjoining area while games and dancing continued.
- Backpacks presented containing uniform, shoes and stationery for the school year. Photos taken for sponsors.
- Everyone received packed lunch
- Met with village head, organised paperwork needed for grants, discussed possibility of micro-loans.
- Temples, monkeys, ghost motel seen along the way.
- Beautiful country, excellent food
- Slides shown

President's closing reminders: Jacqui S

- Reminder person rostered to chair please print running sheet from website
- Reminder apologies to Marilyn

Meeting Closed: 8:28 PM

Coming events for your 2015-16 diary

Event Champion

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The Four-Way Test

"Of the things we think, say or do:

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?"

Attendance report from Marilyn Curtis
members present Partners
Apologies Guests
Makeup
Excused Members
Honorary Members

76%

Nigeria sees no wild polio cases for one year

Today marks one year since Nigeria last reported a polio case caused by wild poliovirus, putting the country on the brink of eradicating the paralyzing disease.

The last case was reported on 24 July 2014 in the northern state of Kano. If no cases are reported in the coming weeks, the World Health Organization is expected to remove Nigeria from the list of countries where polio is endemic, leaving just two: Afghanistan and Pakistan. Nigeria is the last polio-endemic country in Africa. The continent is poised to reach its own first full year without any illness from the virus on 11 August.

"Every Rotarian in the world should be proud of this achievement," says Rotary International President K.R. Ravindran. "We made history. We have set Africa on course for a polio-free future. But we have not yet reached our goal of a polio-free world. Raising funds and awareness and advocating with your government are more crucial than ever." Progress in Nigeria has come from many measures, including strong domestic and international financing, the commitment of thousands of health workers, and new strategies that reached children who had not been immunized earlier because of a lack of security in the northern states.

"Rotary's commitment has been the number one reason for the recent success in Nigeria," says Dr. Tunji Funsho, chair of Rotary's Nigeria PolioPlus Committee. "We have infected political leaders with this commitment. The government has demonstrated this with political support and financial and human resources. And that went down the line from the federal level, to the state, to the local governments." Nigeria has increased its domestic funding for polio eradication almost every year since 2012 and has allocated \$80 million for the effort this year.

Funsho also applauds religious leaders who championed the vaccination efforts to families in their communities.

Despite the historic gains in Nigeria, health experts are cautious about declaring victory. Funsho says the Global Polio Eradication Initiative partners must strengthen routine immunization especially in hard-to-reach areas, in addition to boosting sensitive surveillance to prevent resurgence of the disease. If no new cases are reported in the next two years, Nigeria, along with the entire Africa region, will be certified polio-free.

"The virus can be introduced from anywhere where it is still endemic, particularly now in Afghanistan and Pakistan, into areas that haven't had polio in years," Funsho says. "It is important we keep the immunity level in Nigeria to at least 90 percent."

For instance, Syria experienced a sudden outbreak of the disease when 35 cases were reported in December 2013. None had been reported there since 1999. "Immunizations become imperative for history not to repeat itself in Nigeria," says Funsho.

In June, Rotary announced \$19 million in grants for continued polio eradication activities in Africa, including almost \$10 million for Nigeria.

Since 1985, when Rotary launched PolioPlus, the program that supports the organization's polio eradication efforts, its worldwide monetary contributions to the cause have exceeded \$1.4 billion.

"We've come a long way and have never been so close to eradicating polio in Nigeria and around the world, but it's not a time to fully celebrate," says Funsho. "We have some grueling years ahead of us before WHO can certify Nigeria and Africa polio-free."

Contribute to End Polio Now

Help Rotary advocate for a polio-free world

Watch RI President K.R. Ravindran's message to Rotary members

Read a blog post from International PolioPlus Committee Chair Michael McGovern

By Ryan Hyland

Heads and Tails won by: Malcolm

	Meeting # 970 4th August 2015	Meeting # 971 11th August 2015	Meeting # 972 18th August 2015	Meeting # 973 25th August 2015
Meeting type	<i>Normal</i>	<i>Normal</i>	<i>Normal</i>	<i>Normal</i>
Start Time	<i>6:45PM for 7:PM</i>	<i>6:45PM for 7:PM</i>	<i>6:45PM for 7:PM</i>	<i>6:45PM for 7:PM</i>
Chairperson	Julian Musker	Bronwyn Anderson	Carol Valentine	David Cockshell
Cashier	David Weatherley	Stephen Arthur	Ian Curtis	David Weatherley
Invocation	Matthew Sanders	Rob Eley	Roger Freeman	Rory Malone
Loyal Toast	David Giles	David Perry	David Weatherley	Dick Milner
Toast to Australia	Rob Eley	Roger Freeman	Rory Malone	Stephen Arthur
Vote of Thanks	Marilyn Curtis	Ian Curtis	David Giles	David Perry
Fellowship	Ian Curtis	Julian Musker	Bronwyn Anderson	Carol Valentine
Setup & Pickup	Greg Morris	Malcolm Will	Martin Monument	Martin Winkworth
Bulletin Scribe	Bronwyn Anderson	Rhonda Carr	Rhonda Carr	Rhonda Carr
Guest Speaker				
Topic	Club Planning Meeting	Club Admin & Community services Directors plan brief	Membership & Vocational services Directors plan briefs	

All apologies contact Marilyn mcurt52@gmail.com

With the change of venue there have been changes to the need and times of notification.

It would be appreciated if non attendance can be notified by 10AM Monday.

If you do not intend to eat a meal, a notification is also required.

If you are on leave of absence from last Rotary year, please notify me.

It would be appreciated if notifications are sent to the club website rather than verbals

Rotary Club of Gawler Light Inc

LIST OF MEMBERS 2015/2016

 PP = PAST PRESIDENT PHF = PAUL HARRIS FELLOW S = SAPPHIRE F = FRIEND OF ROTARY
 C = CHARTER MEMBER H = HON MEMBER PDG = PAST DISTRICT GOVERNOR

Name (partner)			Classification	Committee
1		Bronwyn Anderson	Financial Planning	Treasurer—Community Service
2	C,PP,PHF	Stephen Arthur (Teresa)	Taxation Advice	Community Service
3	PHF	Rhonda Carr (Bernard)	Education Primary	Vocational
4		Ian Chase (Mary-Ann)	Computer Repair	Bulletin—Club Admin
5	PP PHF	David Cockshell (Michelle)	Petroleum Geophysics	International
6		David Perry (Ann)	Electronic Equipment Manufacturing	Membership Director
7	PP	Rob Eley (Sandy)	Defence Forces RAAF	Vocational Director
8	C PHF	Roger Freeman (Bev)	Agricultural Machinery Manufacturing	Club Admin Director
9	PP	David Giles (Susan)	Property Development	International
10		Martin Winkworth (Diane)	Carpentry	Youth Services Director
11	PP	Peter Harper (Sandra)	Avionics Engineering	Web—Youth Services
12		Marilyn Curtis		Attendance—Club Admin
13		Rory Malone (Robynne)	News Agencies	Vocational
14	PP	Steven McLachlan (Julie)	Painting & Decorating	Community Service Director
15	C PP PHF PDG S *2	Dick Milner (Les) +SAS	Dentistry	International Director
16	PP	Martin Monument (Louise)	Avionics	Community Service
17	PHF PP	Greg Morris (Sue)	Aircraft Maintenance Management	IPP—Community Service
18		Lynne Podolak	Logistics Coordination	Secretary—Community Service
19		Steve Redden (Jenni)	Stock & Station Agencies	Community Service
20		Julian Musker (Paula)		Youth Services
21	PHF	Malcolm Will	Contract Management	Sergeant-Club Admin
22	S PHF C	Matthew Sanders (Jane)	Grain & Fodder - Retail	Community Service
23		Jacqui Slater (Mark)	Marketing	President
24		Joan Tingey (Cliff)	Bus & Coach Services	Membership
25	PHF	Richard Tucker (Julie)	Marine Services Ships Master	Community Service
26		Carol Valentine (Keith)	Fancy Dress Hire	Membership
27		Ian Curtis		International
28		David Weatherley (Lindsay)	Human Resources	Youth Services
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31				
1	F	Katherine Huckstepp (Chris)		
2	F	Cosi and Maria Costa		
3	F	Graham Hiney		
4	F	Jane Lester		
1	H PHF	Ivor McLatchie (Jill)		
2	H PDG	Trevor Graske (Maxine)		
3	H	Nick Champion		

Mission Statement

The Rotary Club of Gawler Light aims to Provide enjoyment and foster fellowship
 between Rotarians and others through projects to improve our local and International community.