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**Venue:** Hewett Centre, 28 Kingfisher Dr, Hewett Tuesday 6:45pm for 7PM

**Web Site:** <http://gawlerlightr Rotary.org/>

**President:** Jacqui Slater  
**District Governor:** Doug Layng

**Secretary:** Steve Redden  
**RI President:** K.R. Ravindran



**Last Meeting**

Meeting number 994 of our club was opened by **President Jacqui S who Welcomed all including guests**

- Last week 100% attendance due to makeups

**Exchange student: Jeremy**

- School and friends
- Wed BBQ
- Fri Fringe movie with friends
- Pancakes
- Adelaide museum

**Community: Steve McL**

- 11 members at Springwood BBQ. Leftovers to Blaize Aid \$1000. Leftover drinks will be sold at Elizabeth high reunion
- Blaize aid meal. 16th March roster passed around
- Farmers market Saturday morning
- Passing around roster for Eliz High reunion. 27th Feb (could be good earner.) Lyn coordinating.
- 16th March Cleanup Australia

**Membership: David P:**

- Rotary Round Table next Sunday

**Fines: Malcolm**

- Ian C rostering Matt optimism
- Roger F admitted he has never worked
- Steve McL expecting people to buy water
- Jacqui chain of office and photo missing
- Joan T pulling door that says push
- People whose cricket team didn't win
- Jacqui shout at bar during dry Feb
- Malcolm poor directions for Lyn – taking her to Malalla instead of Roseworthy
- Malcolm not reading coin

**Members' News:**

- Richard T Festival Pt Adelaide tall ships Endeavour and One and All
- Joan son getting next Jan
- Peter H Foodland Community dollars key tag to raise money for GHF

**Makeups and Visits:**

- Rob E and Steve McL RYLA training
- Rob and Greg first meeting Xmas Carols

**Guest Speaker: Wendy talking about Blaize Aid**

- Started 2009 in Victoria after Black Saturday fires. Farmer needed to replace fences urgently to secure sheep then others in the area were also assisted
- 2009 there were 2300 volunteers
- Many volunteers have own challenges
- No red tape to join all volunteers
- No government funding so freedom to make own decisions is maintained
- Donations from organisations, businesses and individuals
- ABC invaluable
- Landline story
- Using recycle as much as possible
- Blaize aid running every year assisting after fires and also after flood
- Tools equipment and setting up base camp a big organisational task.
- Camps for 3-8 months
- Toyota Landcruiser Club tow trailers to location
- Volunteers in teams; some only on weekends and others during week
- Landowners often provide lunch and morning tea and work alongside volunteers
- Listening and moral support given as well as fencing etc.

**Coming events for your 2015-16 diary**

**Event Champion**

27th February	Elizabeth High School Reunion	Lynne Podolak
6th March	Clean-Up Australia Day	Matt Saunders
17th—20th March	District Conference	Lynne Layng
20th March	Relay for Life	
End March	Bird Boxes Deadmans Pass	Richard Tucker
16th April	BBQ Woollies	Steve McL / Community
25th June	BBQ Woollies	Steve McL / Community

**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 David W**  
**members present Partners**  
**Apologies Guests**  
**Makeup**  
**Excused Members**  
**Honorary Members**

**83.5%**

- Local community helps with catering
- 2014 started drought relief assistance in Queensland

**President's closing reminders: Jacquie S**

- Round Table
- Conference in March

**Meeting Closed 8:27pm****From President K.R. Ravindran February 2016**

In life, sometimes the experiences that matter the most are the briefest. They pass in the blink of an eye: a few days, a few hours, a few moments. They are the experiences that illuminate the landscape of our memory, shining brightly even years later. They are the moments in which we see, suddenly, something we had not seen; we understand something we had not understood; we forge a connection we had not expected.

For me, this has been a Rotary year like no other. I have been around the world, traversing countries and continents. I have been to places I had never seen before, and I have returned to familiar places and seen them, as for the first time, through the lens of Rotary.

When you travel for Rotary, you travel with a different sense of perspective and a different sense of purpose. There is an awareness of being part of something larger than yourself. When you board a plane or a train, or leave your home in the dark hours of early morning, you may be leaving for lands unknown – but at your destination, there will be no strangers. There will be Rotarians, waiting and welcoming. There will be work to do, something to learn, and perhaps something to teach.

There will be connections to forge, friendships to build, and memories to carry for a lifetime.

This year, I have been the traveler, and I have been welcomed by Rotarians around the world. A few months from now, from 28 May to 1 June, I invite you to step into my experience: allow me to welcome you to Seoul for our 107th International Convention.

The Koreans have a saying: 사람이 나면 서울로 보내라. In English we would say, "When a person is born, send them to Seoul." For Seoul is a city of opportunities: a wonderful destination with rich traditions, modern conveniences, and a culture unlike any other. But I ask you to join me in Seoul not only for all of this, but also for the experiences you will have there with your fellow Rotarians.

For a brief moment in time, you will experience Rotary as I have experienced it: in all its diversity, all its warmth, and all its potential. You will be greeted as an old friend by people you have never met; you will share your thoughts, even without a shared language. You will learn with wonder of what Rotary has achieved, and leave inspired to achieve even more.

Before this Rotary year comes to its close, I ask you to do what I have done: to leave your homes, to board your flights, to travel toward the unknown with an open heart and an open mind, confident that Rotary will welcome you. Join me, and your fellow Rotarians, as we Connect with Korea – Touch the World.

**Heads and Tails won by: Roger F**

	Meeting # 995 23rd February 2016	Meeting # 996 1st March 2016	Meeting # 997 8th March 2016	Meeting # 998 15th March 2016
<b>Meeting type</b>	<i>Normal</i>	<i>Normal</i>	<i>Normal</i>	<i>Normal</i>
<b>Start Time</b>	<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>
<b>Chairperson</b>	David Perry	David Weatherley	Dick Milner	Greg Morris
<b>Cashier</b>	David Weatherley	Ian Curtis	Stephen Arthur	David Weatherley
<b>Invocation</b>	Steven McLachlan	Daryl Matthews	Julian Musker	Invocation
<b>Loyal Toast</b>	Dick Milner	Greg Morris	Ian Chase	Joan Tingey
<b>Toast to Australia</b>	Roger Freeman	Rory Malone	Steve Redden	Steven McLachlan
<b>Vote of Thanks</b>	David Weatherley	Dick Milner	Greg Morris	Malcolm Will
<b>Fellowship</b>	David Giles	David Perry	David Weatherley	Dick Milner
<b>Setup &amp; Pickup</b>	Peter Harper	Richard Tucker	Rob Eley	Roger Freeman
<b>Bulletin Scribe</b>	Rhonda Carr	Rhonda Carr	Rhonda Carr	Rhonda Carr
<b>Guest Speaker</b>	<b>Victor Lamin</b>	<b>Club Assembly/ AGM</b>	<b>Jeff Cluse</b>	<b>Nick Pullman</b>
<b>Topic</b>	<b>Sierra Leone Project</b>		<b>Calperum</b>	<b>living wills etc.</b>

All apologies contact Marilyn [mcurt52@gmail.com](mailto:mcurt52@gmail.com) or 0449820035  
 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	PP C	David Perry (Ann)	Electronic Equipment Manufacturing	Membership Director
7	PP	Rob Eley (Sandy)	Defence Forces RAAF	
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 Director
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	Community Service
19	PHFx2	Steve Redden (Jenni)	Stock & Station Agencies	Secretary—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	PHF	Jacqui Slater (Mark)	Marketing	President
24	PHF	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
29		Daryl Matthews (Sandy Dayman)		
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1	F	Gwen McCaffrey (Joe)		
2	F	Cosi and Maria Costa		
3	F	Graham Hiney		
4	F	Jane Lester (David)		
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.