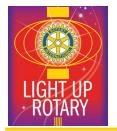
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ROTARY CLUB OF GAWLER LIGHT INC

Formed August 1995, Chartered 10th July 1996 P O Box 1577 Gawler SA 5118



Venue: Hewett Centre, 28 Kingfisher Dr, Hewett Tuesday 6:45pm for 7PM **Web Site:** http://gawlerlightrotary.org/

President: Greg Morris Secretary: Lynne Podolak

District Governor: John Campbell **RI President:** Gary C.K. Huang



Last Meeting

Meeting number 965 of our club was opened by President Greg M who Welcomed all including guests

Board Meeting Thursday

Community: Steve McL

- Need stand in organise some events while Steve away until end Aug
- Swapmeet
- Gawler Show
- Contact Woollies end July
- Scouts Rally
- Reminder Woollies BBQ 4th July roster. Only 2 shifts finishing 2pm to allow people to prepare for Changeover

International: Steve McL

- Newsletter from Sampson Flat passed around
- Leaving for Distribution Day next week
- Ed Smiles moved to RAWCS central account which means 1% admin costs. Looking at options
- Melanie chosen to be guest speaker at conference in France
- Help needed at DIK next Saturday

Youth Services: David W

 Thanks Malcolm and Martin for assistance at NRC last weekend cooking sausages and veg

President elect: Jacquie S

- No meeting next week because of Changeover 4th July
- Following week DG meeting 14th July
- Take own badges and partners' badges to Changeover
- Need help loading car

Treasurer: Bron

- BBO \$93.20
- Members subs due \$210. Payment plans negotiable

Members' News:

Carol V will be apology for next 4 weeks.

Makeups and visits

- Steve McL DG changeover; Doug Layng
- No need to wear tie for DG visit
- RYLA meeting
- Greg M DG changeover

Sgt Fines: Steve McL

- Dave P ABCDEFGHIJK
- Martin W emergency phone call to technical advice hotline
- Greg M last time as president
- Dave G at McDonalds passing wind
- Dick surprise for wife
- Rhonda student made homework into paper plane

Cross fines

- Stephen A didn't sweep floor
- Steve McL squinting

President's closing reminders: Greg M

- Board meeting 2nd July 6:30 7:30 Bronwyn's house
- Changeover 4th July 6:30 for 7pm

Meeting Closed: 8:00 PM

RI Presidential message



2015-16 RI President K.R. "Ravi" Ravindran

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President 2015-16

July 2015

We in Rotary aspire to great deeds. We admire those who gave great gifts to humanity: Abraham Lincoln, who gave the gift of human dignity to the downtrodden; Mother Teresa, who gave the gift of compassion to the forgotten; Mahatma Gandhi, who gave the gift of peaceful change to the oppressed. Their very lives became gifts to the world.

We can be inspired by their example. We can be inspired to ask, how can I, in the life that I live – without neglecting the responsibilities that are so dear to me – how can I, too, become a gift to

Coming events for your 2015-16 diary

Event Champion

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 members present 17 Partners Apologies Guests
Makeup

Excused Members Honorary Members

63%

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the world? As I considered my theme, I thought of the lessons I turning with n have learned through my Hindu faith. I thought especially of the grains of rice. story of Sudama.

Sudama was a poor child and a bosom friend of Krishna, who was born in a royal lineage as an avatar – an incarnation of the divine. As the two boys grow up, they drift apart, and while Krishna becomes a military leader and king of great repute, Sudama remains a humble villager.

The years go by and Sudama's poverty deepens. Finally, he lacks even food to feed his children. His wife reminds him of his childhood friendship with Krishna: Perhaps it is time to go to the mighty ruler for help. Reluctantly, Sudama agrees, but resolves that he will not go empty-handed. He gathers together a few handfuls of rice – all the food his family has left – and wraps them in a piece of cloth as a gift for his friend.

When Sudama enters the palace, he is overwhelmed by the grandeur and by Krishna's gracious welcome. His meager gift, so carefully prepared, seems a humiliating reminder of his poverty. Krishna embraces Sudama, who hides the hand holding the rice behind his back. Krishna asks what he is holding.

Far from being disdainful, Krishna accepts the rice with gratitude and consumes it with joy as the two sit and talk together. Hours pass, during which the pleasures of their rekindled friendship push all thoughts of his desperate plight from Sudama's mind. When evening falls, Sudama sets out for home—and only then realizes that he has neglected his task. He is re-

turning with nothing, and Krishna has eaten his family's last grains of rice.

Sudama steels himself to return to his hungry children. But standing before his gate, as dawn begins to break, he sees that the hut he left yesterday has become a stately home, and waiting to greet him is his own family: well-dressed, and well-fed by the baskets of food that appeared in their kitchen as Krishna ate each grain of Sudama's rice.

Krishna understood what Sudama had brought him: everything he had to give. In return, Krishna gave him everything he needed. It is never the material value of a gift that matters – it is the love that comes with it. Just as Sudama's gift to Krishna became a gift to Sudama, what we give through Rotary becomes a gift to us. And we all have a choice: whether to keep our gifts to ourselves or give them to others, and Be a Gift to the World.

We have only one chance at our lives. And we will have only one chance at this new Rotary year. This is our time. Let us grasp it. Let us Be a Gift to the World.

Heads and Tails won by: Steve McL

	Meeting # 967 14th July 2015	Meeting # 968 21st July 2015	Meeting # 969 28th July 2015	Meeting # 970 4th August 2015
Meeting type	Normal	Normal	Normal	Normal
Start Time	6:45PM for 7:PM	6:45PM for 7:PM	6:45PM for 7:PM	6:45PM for 7:PM
Chairperson	Steven McLachlan	Ian Curtis	Marilyn Curtis	Julian Musker
Cashier	David Weatherley	Stephen Arthur	Bronwyn Anderson	David Weatherley
Invocation	Joan Tingey	Martin Monument	Martin Winkworth	Matthew Sanders
Loyal Toast	Julian Musker	Bronwyn Anderson	David Cockshell	David Giles
Toast to Australia	Malcolm Will	Martin Winkworth	Matthew Sanders	Richard Tucker
Vote of Thanks	Roger Freeman	Rory Malone	Steve Redden	Steven McLachlan
Fellowship	Stephen Arthur	Steve Redden	Steven McLachlan	Ian Curtis
Setup & Packup	David Perry	David Weatherley	Dick Milner	Greg Morris
Bulletin Scribe	Rhonda Carr	Rhonda Carr	Rhonda Carr	Rhonda Carr
Guest Speaker	DG Visit	President Jacquie	Steve Redden	
Topic		Plan for the Year	Educated Smiles Distribution Day brief	Club Planning Meeting

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

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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)		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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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	Н	Nick Champion			