



Important Dates

June 17	Woolworths BBQ (see Greg Morris for details)
June 20	Guest Speaker : Bron Anderson - Super Fun & Games
June 23	Rotaract Club of Salisbury Changeover Celebration
June 26	Rotary Club of Gawler Changeover Dinner at Sandy Creek
June 27	Guest Speaker : Julie Wallin: Farewell Exchange
July 1	Changeover Dinner at Nixon's Restaurant (RSVP to Carol ASAP)
July 4	NO MEETING Due to Changeover Dinner on July 1
TBA	Rotary Shed Working Bees (see Richard Tucker)

Chair: Steve Redden

Opening Remarks: President David Weatherley

- Dead Man's Pass – slab being put in ready for table and seats to be installed by us
- Options for future venue. Stay here catering one meal no choice fixed number
- Leon at Gawler Motel with current arrangements eg meal, storage and no additional cost
- Gawler Arms meal downstairs and use of small upstairs room
- Board would like to trial Gawler Motel for 3 months which would give opportunity to engage all members in consultation and decision making. Able to put up banners etc.
- Motel function room would be available at no extra cost for occasional larger functions
- Patsy Johnson presenting banner to Julie on behalf of Gawler Rotary Club



Exchange Student: Julie Wallin

- Tree planting with Rotaract – planted about 400 trees
- Cooking and game night with friends
- Adelaide zoo and pancake kitchen saw panda for first time
- Met with friends and went to grandparents' house

Club Admin: Richard Tucker

- Shed Saturday to decrease BBQ and catering stuff needs sorting
- May organise working bee to do shelf racking

President: David Weatherley | **Secretary:** Steve Redden | **District Governor:** John Pohl | **RI President:** John F. Germ

PO Box 1577, Gawler SA 5118

Meeting: Tuesday 6.45pm for 7pm

Venue: Hewett Centre, 28 Kingfisher Drive, Hewett.

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Treasurer: Stephen Arthur

- Cheque from Gawler club for Caravan and Camping show—\$512.76

Member's Corner

- Steve R daughter doing nursing and will have 8week placement in Mildura. Homestay organised through Rotary members in Mildura

Attendance:

- Heaps % unknown

Competition

- Won by Guest Speaker Amy Tucker

Guest Speaker: Amy Tucker & Mike Hemphill of Barossa Birds

- Moved from city and chose area near Rosedale
- Bought 15 acres
- Had degree in Ag Science and worked in mining and he had masters in psych and similar
- Moved from city for tree change but realised that lifestyle hadn't changed
- Researched possibilities and decided to try chickens in mobile pens
- Designed and implemented bespoke chicken farming system
- Started small with trial batches and then expanded to supplying local chefs then Farmers' Markets
- Minimised capital purchases
- Needed to ensure able to innovate and change
- Important to be ethical farmers but price was a barrier
- Designed and implemented quail breeding
- Advised by chef customer that quality quail not available locally
- Key challenges scale
- Young twins to care for
- Time
- Cash flow, small scale a disadvantage to achieve price negotiation
- Packaging and labelling –truth in labelling key but competitors using terms differently. Getting the brand right.
- Sourcing expertise
- Pricing
- Sought advice

- Delegated
- Scaling down the farming enterprise
- Developed value added products
- New brand
- Continuing to adapt and overcome to push forward and improve
- Goats are chemical free weed control
- Now small scale farming creating a new wholesale food business and brand
- Experimenting with different breeds
- Anything sold in supermarket must be food tested
- Sausages will soon be available in Gawler Foodland
- Difficult to source quails so had to breed own stock



Vote of Thanks: Rory Malone

Closing Remarks: David Weatherley

- Last meeting at Hewett Centre tonight
- Next meeting at Gawler Bypass Motel

Meeting Closed: 8:16pm

COMEDY CORNER



"Wake up. The cat's got your teeth."

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Meeting Duties	June 20, 2017	June 27, 2017	July 4, 2017	July 11, 2017
Meeting Type	Partners Welcome	Partners Welcome		Partners Welcome
Start Time	6.45pm for 7pm	6.45pm for 7pm		6.45pm for 7pm
Chairperson	Joan Tingey	David Perry		David Giles
Cashier	Bronwyn Anderson	Ian Curtis		Stephen Arthur
Invocation	Steve Redden	Joan Tingey	NO MEETING DUE TO CHANGEOVER DINNER ON JULY 1	David Perry
Loyal Toast	Steve McLachlan	Steve Redden		Joan Tingey
Toast to Australia	Greg Morris	Steve McLachlan		Steve Redden
Vote of Thanks	Lynne Podolak	Greg Morris	See Carol Valentine for details	Steve McLachlan
Fellowship	Rory Malone	Lynne Podolak		David Weatherley
Setup & Pack up	Marilyn Curtis	Rory Malone		Lynne Podolak
Bulletin Scribe	Rhonda Carr	Rhonda Carr		Rhonda Carr
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Rotary Club of Gawler Light

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.

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?



All apologies contact **Matthew Sanders** matthew@sandersfodder.com.au or 08 8522 4450

Non-attendance must be notified by **10AM Monday**.

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

If you are intending on being away for a lengthy period of time, please notify Bulletin Editor so you are removed from the roster duties.

It would be appreciated if notifications are done via email rather than verbal.

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