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Meeting #1028

Date: 11th October 2016

Chair: Darryl

President: Welcome & opening remarks: David W

- Dave & Ann P, Dave & Lindsay W went to Rotary Club of Gawler launch of calendar "Images of Gawler"
- Tomorrow club guide launch
- Village Fair request we will be involved
- Board meeting Thurs this week at Stephen A's
- Any request for club assembly before Xmas?
- Rotary Foundation recognition of person making outstanding contribution to Rotary awarded a Sapphire pin - Lynne P



Directors Reports

Community Service: Greg M:

- \$1,950 from Gawler Show car parking
- More help needed for Woollies BBQ this Saturday (15th Oct)

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International Service:

 Ian C thanks to helpers loading container for Cambodia. Thanks to Joan and David

Vocational Service - Dave P:

 Next meeting at Dave Perry's house bring LPs. Email will go out with details

Club Administration: Roger F

 Friday night working bee at shed to work on Xmas display.

Members Corner:

 Matthew S: Sunday week race meeting at Gawler – meals packages being put together.
 If interested speak to Matt or Jane

Competition: Won by David W

Fines: Sgt Rhonda C

- Greg M drove all the way to Coober Pedy so that his wife could see Sturt Desert Peas but didn't find any.
- Dave W photo in Bunyip
- Jacqui S has enough money and has booked trip to US
- Lynne P new robot vacuum cleaner has lost its memory and is going round and round in circles just like its owner
- Matthew went to Bathurst with son while wife relaxed in Sydney drinking Champagne
- Richard asked for credit tonight because he couldn't find enough money to pay fines
- Anyone wearing a coat and sitting next to the Sgt even though he is not well
- Darryl seen with shopping basket in tow being dragged reluctantly on the way to market by wife
- Roger F short person joke
- Rob forgot his meal ticket and went to get it but was greedy and came back with 2
- Jacqui given air tanks by hubby with word "Spoiled" written on them.
- Dave G, Lynne P, Bron A appeared on South Aussie with Cosi
- Steve McL and anyone else not wearing their name plaque
- Dave P Haircut



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Guest Speaker: John - UK Policeman in SA

- police officer from UK speaking about his experience in Australian policing
- · came from Manchester
- when 16 engineering
- joined army -6months in Iraq, then Nthn Ireland
- now lives in Hewett
- joined police in Manchester 20 weeks training.
 Army experience useful.
- First job murder fight in pub, glass used to smash someone.
- Shoplifting arrest
- Riot van
- Piles story.
- Planned with wife to come to Australia. Wife paramedic. Had 2-month old daughter.
 Colleague said he was going to Perth which led to discussion and useful information.
 Made further enquiries and applied to emigrate. Got accepted by SA police.
- Only knowledge of Adelaide was Adelaide Oval
- Followed by sister in law
- Professionally at first quite tough. Well skilled for the job he was doing in UK.
- Adjusting to change of position, responsibility, paperwork, expectations.
- More respect shown to police officers here
- 4000 police in Australia many fewer than Manchester region or UK
- Philosophy train hard work easy
- Did CIB course 2009 and then working in Port Adelaide

- Search experience
- Detective development program includes interviewing techniques and investigation
- Basics of policing is talking to people –guns are only last resort

Vote of Thanks: Richard T

Closing Remarks: David W

- Board meeting Thursday
- Next meeting partners night let Matt S know if you are going or not
- Friday night working bee at shed to work on Xmas display

Meeting Closed: 8.40pm

Events for your Diary...

Date	Event	Event Champion
3 rd December	Christmas Display	
9 th December	Lyndoch Street Party	Greg M
17 th December	WW BBQ	Peter H
17 th December	Carols	

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Meeting Duties	Meeting #1029 18 th October	Meeting #1030 25 th October 2016	Meeting #1031 1 st November 2016	Meeting #1032 8 th November 2016
Meeting Type Start Time	Partners Welcome 6:45 PM	Partners Welcome 6:45 for 7PM	Partners Welcome 6:45 for 7PM	Partners Welcome 6:45 for 7PM
Chairperson		Martin Monument		Peter Harper
Cashier		Bronwyn Anderson		Ian Curtis
Invocation		Darryl Matthews		Martin Monument
Loyal Toast		Roger Freeman		Darryl Matthews
Toast to Australia		Joan Tingey		Roger Freeman
Vote of Thanks		Steve Redden		Joan Tingey
Fellowship		Helen Park		Rob Eley
Setup & Pack up		Steve McLachlan		Helen Park
Bulletin Scribe		Rhonda Carr		Rhonda Carr
Guest Speaker	Vocational / Fellowship meeting at David P's	Zana Thiele - Gawler Light Literacy Grants for Gawler East Primary	Melbourne Cup Meeting	Details coming soon!

All apologies contact Matthew Sanders matthew@sandersfodder.com.au or 08 85224450
With the change of venue there have been changes to the need and times of notification.
It would be appreciated if nonattendance 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 verbal's

Mission Statement

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