



## Important Dates

Fri 2 to Sat 3 Dec	Riverbank Christmas Display setup
Sat 3 Dec	Christmas Display Lighting
Tue 6 Dec	AGM
Fri 9 Dec	Lyndoch Christmas Street Party clean-up
Sat 10 Dec	Gawler Light Christmas Party
Tues 13 Dec	Kersbrook Primary School BBQ
Sat 17 Dec	Woolworths BBQ
Sat 17 Dec	Gawler Christmas Carols
Sun 18 Dec	Springwood BBQ
February	Fringe Festival, Gawler
TBA	Backyard cleanup

## Minutes of Rotary Meeting #1034, 22nd Nov 2016

**Chair:** Steve McLachlan

### **Welcome and Opening Remarks (Pres David W)**

- Will be an apology next week
- AGM to be held on 6th Dec
- Attended Membership Summit with Bron
- Our turn to hold Group 9 meeting. Date TBA.
- 3rd Dec—Mayor to switch on Christmas Display lights
- Went to meeting with council re Fringe in Feb to do catering on 18th, 19th and 20th Feb, 2017.

### **Rotary Information (Joan T)**

- DIK trying to send 40ft container to Kurdistan to help set up a school—stationery, furniture, toys, games and some medical equipment

### **Community Services (Greg M & Steve McL)**

- Clean up at Lyndoch reminder (Fri 9 Dec)
- Air league volunteers helping with Christmas Display
- BBQ cancelled Springwood
- Community Service cleanup of backyard. Date to be organised
- Seedlings Pinery Fires trees need planting request. Volunteers needed
- Kersbrook Primary School BBQ 13th Dec

### **Vocational Services (Dave P)**

- Hospitality Gawler & District College speaker next week
- Opportunity to visit hospital school at G&DC

### Club Administration (Roger F)

- Working bee at shed. Good cleanup
- Another working bee this Friday night, tidy up, need trailer
- Christmas Display lighting - need help to finish putting up. Numbers needed for nibbles.

### President Elect (Carol V)

- Christmas party emails sent out. This is NOT a meeting, it is a PARTY. We need over 40 people to secure big room. Sat 10th Dec at Gawler Arms

### Members Corner

- Daryl needs a carpenter to put up a memorial board. Need a group of volunteers and this will be fundraising opportunity
- Rob E - Council want to build new memorial at Clonlea Park. Rob is community rep on the committee
- Joan & Ian C's container being held on dock in Cambodia. Being delayed by redtape and technology issues.
- Tonga container delayed by storm damage at docks

### Fines (Sgt Rhonda C)

- Stephen A asked "Who is the (current) Sgt?"
- Dick M for the return of his lost hat
- Glass left at Dave P's house
- Dave P suggesting that Dick M sit with the DG because no-one else had done so
- Martin W called Julie Jacque
- Matthew S Forgot his record sheet last week and had to ring the cashier afterwards
- Joan said that no matter who wins the cricket she considers that she has won
- Roger F suggesting that we do dumping at DIK



### Exchange Student - Julie of Finland

- In agriculture, spilt wine all over herself
- Baby chickens hatched
- Paddle boarding in Port Elliot
- Had a conversation with two strangers
- Has been sent some Finnish food and has brought candy for people to try

## Guest Speaker: Ed King and Rotary Foundation

- DG in 2010/11
- November is Foundation month and next year will be the Centenary
- On verge of ending polio
- Scholarships for international studies – Peace makers
- Group Study Exchange
- Funding for projects – health, anti-hunger and education projects large and small
- Doing good in the world
- Not for profit corporation supported entirely by voluntary contributions
- Started June 1917 with \$26.50, difficulties due to World War 1



- Renamed 1928 to “The Rotary Foundation”, difficulties due to The Great Depression
- Rating 4 Charity Navigator
- Highly rated also by Association of Funding Professionals
- Supported by Bill & Melinda Gates
- Global network and reach wider than UN
- Community needs met
- Stewardship paramount
- Long term sustainability and measurable benefits to community pre-requisite
- Less than 9% on admin and fundraising
- Aim to increase collaboration with other organisations



Past DG Doug Layng presented a Membership Achievement Award to the Rotary Club of Gawler Light for achieving the highest membership retention over the past 3 years.



## It's Party time

**Rotary Club of Gawler Light  
CHRISTMAS PARTY.**

**Saturday 10th. December 2016**

**7pm. - Midnight**

**Gawler Arms Hotel (Upstairs)**

**Fun, Entertainment, Games, Music, Surprises.**

(Please bring a small, wrapped gift costing no more than \$5.00 for our Christmas left & right game.)

**Visit from Father Christmas.**

Please invite your family & friends to join in the fun

**Tickets \$35 each**

**available from 22nd November**

**Includes 2 course meal (buffet main),  
after dinner treats, tea & coffee,  
& of course all the fun**

**DRESS: As Christmassy as possible.**

Ticket info:  
Carol Valentine  
0417830753



PO Box 1577, Gawler SA 5118

Meeting: Tuesday 6.45pm for 7pm

Venue: Hewett Centre, 28 Kingfisher Dve, Hewett.

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Meeting Duties	Meeting #1035 29th Nov 2016	Meeting #1036 6th Dec 2016	Meeting #1037 13th Dec 2016
Meeting Type	Partners Welcome	Partners Welcome	Partners Welcome
Start Time	6:45 for 7PM	6:45 for 7PM	6:45 for 7PM
Chairperson	Marilyn Curtis	Rory Malone	Lynne Podolak
Cashier	Ian Curtis	Stephen Arthur	Bronwyn Anderson
Invocation	Matthew Sanders	Marilyn Curtis	Rory Malone
Loyal Toast	Steve McLachlan	Matthew Sanders	Marilyn Curtis
Toast to Australia	Peter Harper	Steve McLachlan	Matthew Sanders
Vote of Thanks	Martin Monument	Peter Harper	Steve McLachlan
Fellowship	Darryl Matthews	Martin Monument	Peter Harper
Setup & Pack up	Roger Freeman	Darryl Matthews	Martin Monument
Bulletin Scribe	Rhonda Carr	Rhonda Carr	Rhonda Carr
Guest Speaker	Scott Hore Hospitality at Gawler & District College	AGM	

## 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.*

### 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](mailto: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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