



CREATE HOPE
IN THE WORLD



GAWLER LIGHT
ROTARY CLUB

MEETING 1363 SEPT. 19 2023

Chartered 10 July 1996. District 9510.

President: Darryl Matthews | Secretary: David Cockshell | District Governor: Craig Dowling | RI President: Gordon McInally

Denise Fitzgerald Induction - Sept 26



Members,

Planning to order a meal just prior to Tuesday's upstairs meetings?



Meal # Please confirm & advise number of seats to Susan Clift-Bowden by 10am Mondays,

Seats will be reserved where possible for fellowship around one common long table.

Planning to be an APOLOGY for Tuesday's meetings?



APOLOGY Please advise Susan Clift-Bowden by 10am Mondays:

cliftsusan@gmail.com

UPCOMING GUEST SPEAKERS

October 10

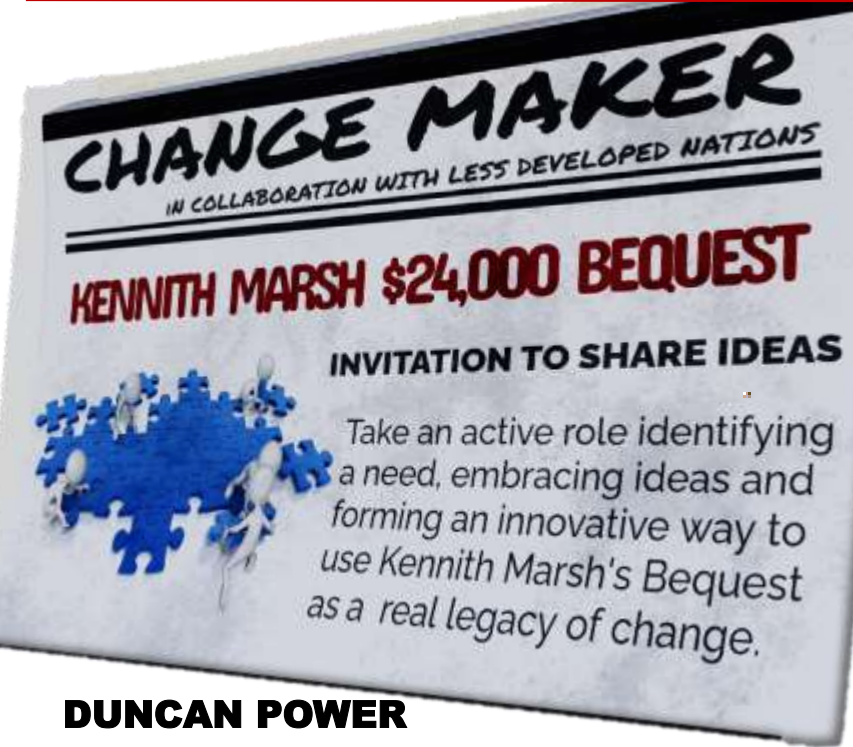
Playford Womens Shed

Raelene Wlochowicz

Creating Empowered Hope



**for isolated, marginalized & disengaged women
in Adelaide's Northern Suburbs**



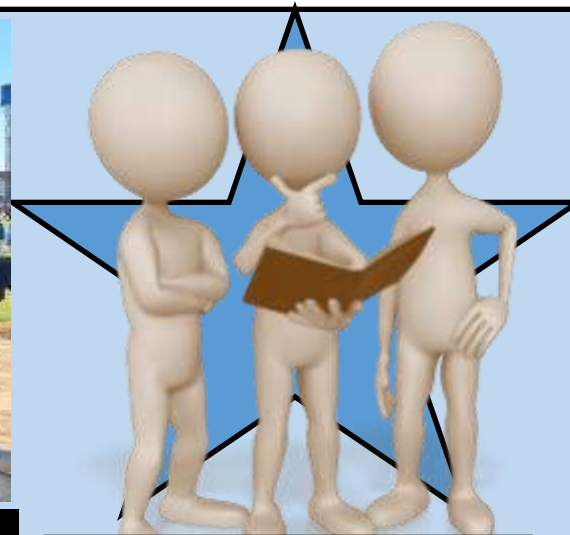
DUNCAN POWER

INTERNATIONAL CEO

Innovation Forum—October 3, 2023



**Taron, Youth Exchange—Date TBC for October
Glimpses of Taiwan & perspectives on Australia**



Andrew Halford TBC

\$24,000 Be An Advocate, Have Your Say!

Challenge issued one month ago:

Members & Friends of Rotary,

A wonderful man, Kenneth Marsh, has made a bequest to the Rotary Club of Gawler Light of around **\$24,000** to be used Internationally. We are one of 20 charitable organizations that he chose to reflect his preference for developing health and education in less developed countries.

Perhaps we can find an innovative project that the club can fund as a real legacy of change?

Perhaps we can use this as a catalyst for a Rotary Community Group, raising profile & financial resources.

As our club's International Director, I offer the challenge for every member to come up with some creative ideas.



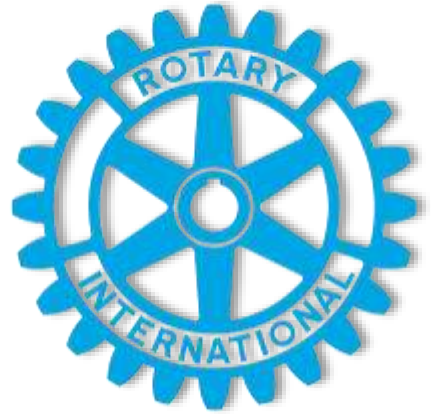
Create Hope, advocate for those overseas needing empowering by sharing your supportive ideas. **PLEASE** send your proposal thoughts to duncan@danaasia.org or by txt 0419 472 802 before 30 Sept. We can then share those creative ideas at a Club Innovation Forum & come up with a preferred project to take forward.

As a starting point, here are a few ideas:

Developing further the capacity in Cambodia of projects we have already done in partnership with the local Rotaract club in Siem Reap; or perhaps at another location currently in crisis. This could include the Burma Thai border where the influx of migrants, displaced from Myanmar have resulted in massive problems & great suffering. There is a particular need to develop a training centre for young people with livelihood skills who currently have no hope in their lives. An international project could also focus on empowering women and those living with a disability. *It could even be OnTrend like Gaming!*



Interact



GAWLER AND DISTRICT COLLEGE



Interact, at Gawler & District College, continues to excite and nurture staff, students and parents! Supporting the annual B-12 Wellbeing Day, a mix of Enthusiasm and Culinary Skills blended together enabling Interactors to create mouth-watering RuOK biscuits that they then generously shared out to staff and students.



Supporting the 10 year celebration of Gawler and District College, Interactors lovingly captured the fun filled atmosphere of the occasion through encouraging keen participation in the hugely successful Chocolate Wheel spins and the “Knock em Down Challenge”.

Interactors are presented with enriched opportunities from time to time by a Youth supportive RC Gawler Light and the latest news is that “one brave soul” has taken up the challenge offered to them, to be a participant on the One and All Youth Training Vessel in October. This is an amazing opportunity for growing teamwork skills and leadership. We at RC Gawler Light are so proud of Interact at GDC B-12.



OCT 7 Bunnings BBQ

OCT 14 RC Salisbury Quiz Night

OCT 15 Volunteer : Walk for Prems with Jessica Rehn

OCT 15 Town of Gawler BBQ Lime Kiln Park

OCT 21 Zonta 30th Birthday

OCT RCGL Online Auction

OCT24 Loft not available

OCT 28 Town of Gawler BBQ Reid St Playground

NOV 4 Village Fair

NOV 19 Donations In Kind District Working Bee

NOV 25 Bunnings BBQ

NOV 25 District Awareness & Action Walk Vic Square



14th October R/C Salisbury Quiz Night,

Salisbury Institute 6.30 – 7.00pm, start table of 8 \$150.00 or \$20.00 single.

**15th October/ Council BBQ Lime Kiln Park Redbanks Rd,
100 Sausages 12- 2.00pm**

24th October ... the Loft is not available.

**Could members suggest to Steve or Darryl an
alternate venue or activity please**



28th October/ Council BBQ Reid St Playground

200 sausages & 200 Water 10-12am

**Prior to 29th October—A Club Decision Pending:
Members are urged to share ideas with President Darryl Matthews about their
preferences for this club’s Rotary Community Group.**



**Darryl will submit our club’s position no later than
29th October.**

Will the RC Gawler Light Community Group be Geo-
graphical, Interest Group Focused, On-line, Community
Based rather than Meeting based (embracing potential
members who can’t attend Tuesday nights), or some other type of community??

Member Directory - Have members completed the task?

Jenny is encouraging all members to complete the
member directory form sent out a couple of weeks
ago.

Please chat with Jenny if you would like this infor-
mation disseminated again.



President Darryl Matthews-Opening remarks

Weclomed Taron and Gregs Teague and Hanson

Thanks to Steve for filling in as President when Darryl was unwell.

Thanks to Bron for organising the Quiz night last week

Gawler Show Parking \$2399 profit. Thanks to everyone involved—equivalent to \$35/person/hr.

Thanks to all helpers at the Swap Meet. .

Clothing orders – please pay to the club account this week

We have received a District Grant for \$8000 for Shelterbags. Thanks to Richard for doing the application.

Regional Pilot – soon we will be voting about our Community – what sort of Community we wish to be a part of. The club will also vote on the Regional Council positions.

Certificate of Appreciation presented to Greg Hanson in recognition of his assistance with the gate keeping at the Football. Greg is not a member of any Rotary Club but has been selflessly helping us out for the past 3 years (and also doing the job for 4 years before that when he did it on his own).

YEP – Taron

On Saturday Taron visited Ridge Park in Myrtle Bank for a family function of Graham Lees family. Food and drinks we provided. A basketball court was next to the court and Taron joined in with some other teenagers to play basketball. Taron had his first Australia Haircut on Saturday.

Rotary Information – Grant Buik**Building futures from the ground up**

Good Reads, May 2023 (660)

Founded by Gemma Sisia from Guyra, NSW, with strong support from her local Rotary clubs St Jude's first opened its gates in 2002, with three students and one volunteer teacher. Today, that school is changing the lives of thousands of dis-

advantaged youths and the communities they call home. 76% of students come from extreme poverty. 100 per cent of its students receive full scholarships.

From the first building ever built – led by the Rotary Club of Armidale Central, NSW – to water tanks, buses, furniture, power, playgrounds, and hot water, Rotary plays an integral role in the school's continued success. The school now employs more than 350 staff – 98 per cent of whom are Tanzanian – provides safe and supportive boarding for all of its secondary school students, and serves up 29,000 hot and nutritious meals each week.

Enock was a young student whose grandfather was a fortune teller and a traditional healer. Enock's father never got access to education as he had to help my grandfather and care for the cows. Enock's father wanted Enok to have the education he didn't, but he didn't have the means.

Enock successfully applied for a scholarship and eventually went onto university. While at university, Enock co-founded an initiative that brings together liked minded people from all over the world to share opportunities and support the school. **As an outcome more than 300 Rotary clubs from all over the world have contributed to make St Jude's the success story it is today. Like minded Rotary Communities can achieve so much when focused as one.**

Reports

Youth – Steve McLachlan

Interact – last week they had a RU OK day and gave out biscuits they had made. 21 Sept GDC fair – chocolate wheel (borrowed from RC Gawler) and RCGL knock'em downs. Onyx White, and Interactor, is going to go on the One and All.

Community reported by Steve....

This Friday – sheep sale BBQ – Steve & Julie, Roger & Bev

15 October – ToG BBQ 100 sausages at Lime Kiln Park

28 October ToG BBQ 200 Sausages and drinks.

Swap Meet Report – Martin Monument

Well done to everyone! A great team effort that included 4 guys from Apex who upfront said they wanted to help without any thought of remuneration. It was very, very busy. At one point we were handing over eg & bacon or “the lot” sandwiches every 15 seconds!!! Well done everyone. There will be a post activity report put on the website. Will amend the roster next time. Thanks to partners and kids who helped. Profit ~\$3500. An average of \$70/person/hour. There are 3 steak packs available for sale at \$20 per kg (weigh them when you get home and pay accordingly).



Community Report – Dave Cockshell - Playgrounds

Email to members earlier this week seeking volunteers. Calton Road playground to be removed 3-6 October. Site must be cleared by 9 October. Dave circulated a roster. RC Mt Barker will come up and mark all the playground prior to disassembly. Need to arrange pulling the posts from the ground as they are concreted in – likely to be done on Friday 6 October. It will go to RARE once disassembled, to be staged at Dave Cockshell's house initially.

Members Corner

Dick announced he is officially old. This year after his shift at the Swap Meet – he went straight home and laid down. Previous years he looked around, took the dog for a walk and cooked breakfast for Les!

Greg Morris – pleasant afternoon this Sunday from 1-5pm. Steve is bringing his record player – so bring your favourite records with you. BYO food and drinks. Weather is looking good, 29C, sunny.

Sergeant Bron

Taron collected all the money. Dave Weatherley took home the wine.

Bron had a very long list of fines, starting with Steve McLachlan but pretty much everyone was fined. Some were carryovers from the Quiz night the previous week.

Presidents Closing Remarks:

New week we will be inducting Denise Fitzgerald. Thanks to all guests and members for attending. Darryl closed meeting 1363.

Meeting closed

At 8:38 pm

Thought for the week

Martin Monument

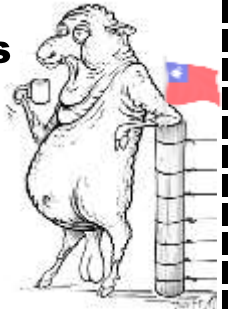
If at first you don't succeed, ask yourself why?

Enjoy a pleasant Aussie Sunday Family Afternoon at Greg's

Get to Know our Rotary Exchange student—Taron while enjoying a relaxed afternoon tea. Sunday 24/9!

? Bring your favourite Vinyl LP? Wear something Aussie?

BYO Food and Drinks



District Information

Rotary & Zonta “says NO to DOMESTIC VIOLENCE”

Free Awareness & Action Walk 25th November 10am – Noon, Victoria Square. Group bookings open 16th October.

Group Friendship Exchange (GFE) have a Vacancy for a Couple to visit D3000 India from 8-18 February 2024. See Steve Mc for details.

Please be aware of Copyright Laws when attaching Photos from the Internet. Two Clubs have recently been fined for breaching the rules.

Guest Speaker – Greg Teague – Trade School Insights



Greg used to pay 20c fines when a member of Apex many years ago. Greg requested an appropriate fine for Grant who organised him as the guest speaker because while organizing matters Grant was simultaneously being “attacked” by his unruly kitten.

Greg grew up in Orroroo but his father was a sheep grazer. However Greg didn't want to look at sheep mouths and sheep bums for the rest of his life, so as a 16 year old he applied for an apprenticeship at Weapons Research (now DSTO). He applied to be an Electrical fitter, but was accepted as an apprentice in Radio.

In Jan. 1976 Greg started his first day as an apprentice & had to sign the Official Secrets act on the first day. Physicals were done; issued with safety glasses (which Greg showed at the meeting); taught how to clock on and off; & issued with a locker, clothing, and safety boots. He started training lectures the next week. Apprentices were expected to learn a bit around all trades including technical drawing, which Greg disliked intensely. He learnt to solder, how to wire things etc.

Greg shared some of the sheet metal and mechanical skills learnt in the first year. Greg showed some of the things he made – a set of clamps, a pair of set squares, G clamps, and a one inch cube. The set squares started out as a piece of sheet metal and was a particularly difficult task. It required patience to complete these. Greg's number was A19 and everything that he made had this on them. All items were made from drawings. The one inch cube was feared by all apprentices – this was an

extraordinarily difficult task – getting all the angles correct and the dimensions correct. Everything that was made was assessed by an inspector out of 10. There was never a 10/10. In drilling and tapping threads there was a special gauge used to check the work.

The idea of fitting is to be able to hacksaw straight & file flat. Draw filing was forbidden.

Turning involved using a lathe to make a deburrer.

Sheet metal work – making shapes, joins, curves with sheet metal. Greg showed two oil (or wine) jugs that he made. A bucket with a lid (ideal for billy tea), a series of boxes and a metal box with a hinged curved lid.

Weekly pay packet was \$236, paid in cash every Thursday. It had to be counted in the presence of a paymaster.

Apprentices were issued with a toolbox. Dire threats if anything were lost!

When Greg completed his 4th year, he was awarded a prize for being top apprentice in 3rd and 4th year. The prize was an analogue voltmeter which Greg still keeps in its original display cabinet.

Questions:

Steve Mc – were any of the items used? Greg said that most things were for learning, although the deburring tool was used often.

Susan – What does a Radio Apprentice do? Greg replied that radio was the old-fashioned term for electronics & included Radio receivers, transmitters, wiring, soldering etc. In 1980 printed circuit boards came in and from then the area moved very fast. Greg did instrumentation work initially and towards the end, data capture & analysis.

Greg Morris asked if Greg spent any time at Woomera. Greg said he was involved in field trials at Woomera. Greg Morris mentioned that he had met Greg Teague there.

Dick thanked Greg for his presentation and mentioned he had many dental patients from WRE over the years and on one occasion Dick had to sign the official secrets act prior to putting a person under a GA.

You're Especially Invited



To Our 30th Anniversary
Celebration Dinner

Saturday

21 OCTOBER 2023

At Nixon's Function Centre

7.00pm til late!

Cost \$70 per person

Includes - 2 Course Dinner
Live Entertainment
Bar Facilities Available

Bookings Only - "Trybooking"

<https://www.trybooking.com/CJKWN>



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RCGL cliftsusan@gmail.com

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Traditional Rum & Brandy
Fruit Cake 800g (tin)

\$18.00ea

\$4.00 donated to TRF from each sale

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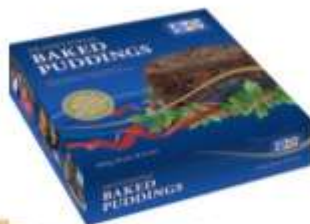
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1kg (clothed)

\$18.00ea

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Traditional Baked Puddings
4x 100g

\$9.00ea

\$2.00 donated to TRF from each sale

For more info ring
Mark on 0402 346 994.



QUIZ NIGHT

Supporting Youth Education



AM I INVITED?

- A. Yes.
- B. Please bring your friends and family.
- C. All community members are welcome.

WHEN/WHERE IS THE GOODALL YOUTH SCHOLARSHIP QUIZ?

- A. Saturday, 14th October 2023.
- B. At the Salisbury Institute (17 Wiltshire St, Salisbury).
- C. 6:30pm for 7pm Start.

WHAT IS THIS QUIZ NIGHT SUPPORTING?

- A. This is a fundraising event by the Rotary Club of Salisbury for the Goodall Youth Scholarship Fund.
- B. It brings awareness to and raises much needed financial capital that enables the provision of small transition grants to young people in the Salisbury Community.
- C. All profits from this evening support the Goodall Youth Scholarship.

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HOW DO I BOOK?

- A. Tables of 8 are \$150, or individual tickets are \$20.
- B. Bookings are essential:

events.humanitix.com/goodall-youth-quiz

WHAT DO I NEED TO KNOW?

- A. The night is 80s/90s themed.
- B. Costumes/dress-up is encouraged. Prizes will be awarded to the best ones.
- B. Live music and music round by Andrea Dawson.
- C. BYO food to share with your table.
- D. Licensed bar available on the night for purchase of drinks (no BYO).

WHAT IF I CANNOT ATTEND?

- A. See the above booking link; you can make a financial contribution.
- B. We would also accept donations to be used as prizes.

FOR EVENT ENQUIRIES,
PLEASE CALL RICK HENKE ON 0432 145 902

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MEETING ROSTER

Date	Sept 26	October 3	Oct 10	Oct 17
Meeting #	1364	1365	1366	1367
Guest Speaker	—————	Duncan Power	Raelene Wlochowicz	
Subject	RCGL Committees	International projects	Playford Women's Shed	RCGL Committees
Cashier	David Weatherley	Peter Harper	Greg Morris	David Weatherley
Chairperson	Grant Buik	Martin Monument	Dick Milner	Deanne Tingey
Rotary Information	Martin Monument	Dick Milner	Deanne Tingey	Roger Freeman
Thought for the Week	Dick Milner	Deanne Tingey	Roger Freeman	Susan Cliff Bowden
Vote of Thanks	Deanne Tingey	Roger Freeman	Susan Cliff Bowden	Duncan Power
Fellowship	Roger Freeman	Susan Cliff Bowden	Duncan Power	Stephen Arthur
Location	Gawler Arms	Gawler Arms	Gawler Arms	Gawler Arms

Upcoming Meetings for Diary:

7 Nov. Melbourne Cup

21 Nov. Christmas Pageant Briefing

28Nov. A.G.M

Box 1577, Gawler SA 5118

Meetings: Most Tuesdays 6.15pm for 6.30pm meal, (Optional)
7.15pm for 7.30pm meeting

Venue: Gawler Arms: 102 Murray St, Gawler SA 5118.

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