



**ROTARY:
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**Club of
Gawler Light**

District 9500 | Chartered 10 July 1996

Bulletin Edition #1120: 11 September 2018

President: Stephen Arthur | **Secretary:** David Cockshell | **District Governor:** David Egan | **RI President:** Barry Rassin

Important Dates

Saturday 20 October Stepping Stones Childcare BBQ

Saturday 3 November Village Fair

Saturday 17 November Woollies BBQ

Ongoing Rotary Shed Working Bees (see Richard Tucker)

Chair: Rob Eley

President: Stephen Arthur

- Welcomed all the Rotarians and guests, including the Exchange Student Amalie Andersen from Denmark, and our very own guest speaker David Cockshell, his wife Michelle and their daughter
- Encouraged members to view Darryl Matthews' promotional video

Exchange Student: Amalie

- Attended a Netball grand final
- Birthday parties – bonfire, music etc
- Denmark has the oldest flag

Community Service: Darryl Matthews

- Woollies BBQ – Sat 8th September -raised \$1,150
- \$1,100 will go to Farmers Drought Relief Appeal.
- Gawler Swap Meet – Sat 15 & Sun 16 Sept
- Volunteers must be RCGL identifiable ie wear club shirt or jacket.
- Entry through main Rec centre gate from 5.30am.
- Volunteers cars can be parked inside the grounds – turn hard left inside the gate and park behind old stone building.

*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.*

PO 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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Vocational: Steve McLachlan

- Reminder Meeting Regency TAFE 9Oct18
- 6Oct18 seafood night invitation from Rotary Club of Pt Pirie - email will be sent out
- Gawler cinema night planned for 1Nov18

International: Ian Curtis

- Kim Potger is raising funds for toilet construction in India for school girls—target \$5000
- Potential for crowd funding

Sergeant's Session: Rhonda Carr

- Marilyn – teabag joke
- Bron ignored Richard trying to shake hands while in dinner queue
- Dave C photo in Bunyip
- Dave P & Steve McL lost Peter's flag

President's Reminders: Stephen Arthur

- Next week—support to the Zonta Club and assembly of birthing kits

Guest Speaker: David Cockshell—

- RAH was largest Rotary project
- Approached 3 years ago
- July 2017 dental chairs collected
- Biomedical goods
- Containers shipped or ready to go overseas
- Dealt with 65 interested parties & of those 28 remained on list
- Most destinations completed
- Loading done primarily at RAH and DIK
- Biomedical equipment – 22000 items requested but 600 items available
- Non-biomedical – 20000 items requested but not enough for all
- Consumables and other stuff – 103 pallets collected
- Nominal value \$7,000,000
- Replacement value eg purchase price \$12 - 13 million
- Bucket list to go to see container arriving overseas. Went to Fiji and assisted with unloading
- Tour of hospital and met staff
- Fijians have very high % diabetes and often do not seek qualified medical treatment until seriously ill and often needing amputation
- Description of hospital conditions
- Sight seeing/tourist experience – boat trip, dance, village, housing etc
- Friendly people
- Question asked about red tape and corruption in some countries



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MEETING ROSTER

	11-Sep-18	18-Sep-18	25-Sep-18	02-Oct-18
Meeting Type	Partners Welcome	Partners Welcome	Partners Welcome	Partners Welcome
Chairperson	Rob Eley	Richard Tucker	Steve McLachlan	Bron Anderson
Cashier	Peter Harper	David Perry	David Weatherley	Greg Morris
Rotary Information	Dick Milner	Joan Tingey	David Perry	Joan Tingey
Thought for the Week	Deanne Tingey	Carol Valentine	Martin Winkworth	David Weatherley
Vote of Thanks	David Giles	Darryl Matthews	Peter Harper	Dick Milner
Fellowship	David Weatherley	Martin Winkworth	Bron Anderson	Rhonda Carr
Setup & Pickup	Ian Curtis	Rob Eley	Roger Freeman	David Giles
Guest Speaker	Dave Cockshell	Zonta Club	Trevor Bellchambers	TBA
Subject	DIK to Fiji	Birthing Kits	Gawler Vintage & Veteran Car Club	

ATTENDANCE

All apologies contact **Greg Morris** (gregory.morris.gm1@gmail.com)

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 is appreciated if notifications are done via email rather than verbal.



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