

COMING UP

Next week
13/1/09

Following Week
20/01/09

CHAIRMAN	Jane Owens	Alistair Stevenson
GUEST SPEAKER		
TOPIC		
VOTE OF THANKS	Jack Odgers	Jane Owens
STEWARDS	Glen & John C.	Brian & John H

**TONIGHTS PROGRAM
MEETING NO. 2734
TUESDAY 5TH JAN 2009**

CHAIRMAN	Keith Sichler
GUEST SPEAKER	President Jari
TOPIC	Jari's Happy Snaps
VOTE OF THANKS	Peter Nichols
STEWARDS	Fai & Tim

ROTARY INFORMATION



City Plaza 'End of Shift' Crew.



Breeze Studio Dancers,
"Turning Japanese"



Enjoying Festive Cheer!



More Festive Cheer!

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PREVIOUS MEETING (2731)

CHAIRMAN	Michele Hart
ATTENDANCE	17/19 = 84.9%
APOLOGIES	Jane Owens, Peter Nichols.
GUESTS	Sue Clements, Paulette Green, Robyn Stevenson & Kayla.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Christmas Gift Suggestions "To your enemies - forgiveness; To an opponent - tolerance; To your friends - your heart; To your customers - service; To all - charity; To every child - a good example; To yourself - respect.

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PRESIDENTS REMARKS: - Jari Peltonen

1. Jari attended the Samaritan College presentation night and presented our award.
2. PDG Peter Thomas is seeking funds to purchase water tanks for communities in the Solomon Islands.
3. Our application to host the G.S.E. Team from South Korea has been successful. We will host from 15th - 19th March.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Rob has picked up the keys to his new house.
- Perry is back from Omsk with Natasha and Sergei. They went on their first shopping expedition together and Perry was surprised and shocked at how much shopping for three costs, after all those years of shopping for one!
- Cathy Thompson put on her last D'faces show and is moving on after 7 years.

BIRTHDAYS

- Karen Michie's birthday 9th Dec.

SECRETARY: - Michele Hart

1. Rotary Club Directory Booklets
2. Volunteers required to assist with the District Conference. If you want to volunteer, please call or email Conference Chairman Geoff Irish.
3. Donations In Kind, are looking for old woodworking or metal working tools, garden tools etc,
4. Australian Refugee Foundation are seeking funds.
5. Eyre Pen. Natural Resource Management Newsletter.

SERVICE PROJECTS:

Service Projects - Tim Clements

Final roster for the City Plaza street Party circulated.

Club Service - Keith Sichler

Final round up of numbers required for the Christmas Meeting. Some assistance required in setting up. Please invite guests as we have some proper entertainment and some karaoke. Lots of fun to be had.

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LOCAL CONTACT - Rob Walton

We have achieved our aim of 42 entries. All done now and its off to the printer. Thanks to all who contributed by selling entries.

SERGEANT: - Brian Moodie

Amongst other things, Brian noted that now Perry has his own family responsibilities, he will probably not be around at Glen & Beverley's for tea each night. The upshot is that they are both willing to reciprocate and be round at Perry's for the next 5 years instead.

ENTERTAINMENT: Cathy's Christmas Quiz

Cathy led us in an entertaining quiz session (with prizes!) as we tried to answer a wide variety of questions with a Christmas Theme. Every player won a prize (or two) and a good time was had by all.



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The Rotary Christmas Show

Meeting No. 2733 was our Rotary Christmas Show held at the Whyalla Sports Fishing Club on Saturday 13th December.

Thanks to all who brought gifts and invited guests. At last count we had over 60 in attendance. Special thanks to Tim & Sue, Cathy, Jane, Michele, Glen and Jari & Cheryl who helped set up. Thanks Jane for the use of your new PC and to the Orchid Club for the use of the screen. Karaoke just isn't as much fun without music and words. Thanks to the singers who got up and lead the way. Most of us were content to remain as part of the backing group. Thanks Peter for the Karaoke discs and thanks especially to Cathy who was MC for the night, resplendent in red shoes, red stockings and red hair!

Our thanks to Michelle Callaghan for the delightful repast and the young dancers from Breeze Dance Studio for the entertainment. They certainly got the evening off to a flying start.

By my calculations we had only 3 apologies for the evening which makes attendance 79%.

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