



**Club of
Gawler Light**

District 9500 | Chartered 10 July 1996

Bulletin Edition #1168: 3 September 2019

President: Bron Anderson | **Secretary:** David Cockshell | **District Governor:** Jane Owens | **RI President:** Mark Maloney

Important Dates

22 Sept19	Swap Meet
8 Oct19	Gawler Dark History Crime Walking Tour
27 Oct19	Sustainable Living Festival
5 Nov19	Melbourne cup fun night
29 Nov19	Christmas Display Erection & lighting
10 Dec19	Last official club meeting for year.
14 Dec19	Christmas Party
23 & 24 Dec19	Woollies BBQs

President: Bron Anderson

- Welcome to all members and guests including the guest speaker Sue Russell
- Thanks to Carol Valentine for publishing the Bulletin over the last 6 weeks
- Visited the Rotary Club of Port Augusta which is down to six members—currently raffling a trailer full of beer—tickets circulating
- Will be absent next Tuesday because of work commitments

Exchange student: Gesa

- Visited Port Elliot and Adelaide during the week

Rotary Information: Stephen Arthur

- District Round Table beneficial
- DG and DG nominee spoke
- Promoting a positive culture
- Useful reminders about our place as Rotarians in the world

*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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Community Service:

- Swap Meet will be held on 22Sep19
- Roster will be circulated

Members' Corner:

- Deanne: final placement new experiences eg hip displacement, implants being put in
- Bron visit to Pt Augusta. Raffle tickets for sale
- Sgt: Rhonda

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- Photos in Bunyip - Carol and Daniel
- All those members who have Virgo star sign
- Phone call during guest speaker
- Martin last to arrive

President's reminders:

- Board meeting 26 September 7.30pm

Guest Speaker: Sue Russell—Cochlea Implants

- Described the difference between an implant and a hearing aid
- Hearing aids amplify
- Implant contains electrodes which send impulses to signal brain to relay frequency not heard
- Available to those needing from 9months to 83years
- Sue born with normal hearing but had fever at 7months and lost her hearing
- Learnt to lip read and also sign language.
- At age of 35 given grant. Approached Apex and Rotary
- Lost ability to listen to radio, running water, bird song, grass and leaves rustling. Unable to hear adequately on phone.
- Applied at Flinders Medical Centre. Waited 6 years because using other strategies well
- Ran support group in Freeling and had people from wide spread area attend monthly meetings
- Now living in retirement village
- Recovery time was 3 days in hospital plus another 6 weeks. Now day surgery and about a week or 2.
- Works differently for people
- Brain may have difficulty interpreting sounds made and may have problems in noisy situations or when people behind
- Before implant did not hear own name.
- Music enhanced
- Cost PHS limited numbers now 18 per annum, waiting list 3 years. \$32000 for implant alone. Testing, mapping, tuning etc additional cost.



MEETING ROSTER

	3-Sep-19	10-Sep-19	17 - Sep- 19	24th-Sep-19
Meeting Type	Partners Welcome	Partners Welcome	Partners Welcome	Partners Welcome
Chairperson	Richard Tucker	Steve Redden	Matthew Sanders	Martin Monument
Cashier	David Perry	David Weatherley	Richard Tucker	Ian Curtis
Rotary Information	Steve Redden	Stephen Arthur	Roger Freeman	Joan Tingey
Thought for the Week	Grant Buik	Marilyn Curtis	Daniel Niutta	Rob Eley
Vote of Thanks	Peter Harper	Dick Milner	Dave Cockshell	Greg Morris
Fellowship	Roger Freeman	Carol Valentine	Rob Eley	Grant Buik
Setup & Packup	Stephen Arthur	Dave Perry	David Weatherley	Dick Milner
Guest Speaker	Sue Russell	Tony Ey	Mark Workman	TBA
Subject	Cochlear implant	Entertaining RAA interactive drivers quiz	From the Himalayas to Yoga. A unique story.	

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 duties roster.

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



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