

# District C1 Bulletin Paddy's Final Panegyric



Paddy McKay

**July 2017** 

Paddy's Last Panegyric

As my year draws to an end and I reflect on the past twelve months I cannot but feel proud of my team. We have worked hard and I feel have made a real difference to this district.

On the Plus side we ran two very successful club rebuilds proving that a particular, practical and intensive membership drive works. We have started 3 branch clubs, 2 of which are special purpose clubs and the future looks good with these groups. We have managed the introduction of the new district constitution and my thanks go to Lance Leak and Don Pritchard for the hours of work to get this over the line. We have received all back owed monies a mammoth task in itself and established a functioning and effective finance committee. Cabinet worked well together and as the result of frequent meetings of Executive we were able to be efficient and productive. This then allowed for training sessions at each cabinet meeting and I thank Carlene King for her role in this achievement.

On the Negative side we are still losing members. As I have visited clubs whilst I have met amazing Lions doing amazing projects I have also observed a number of clubs who still do not see the need for rejuvenation. How can you move forward in our ever changing world doing the same old same old? They are the first to claim that they can't get new members but at the same time will not contemplate changing their ways to make themselves attractive to new potential members.

Finally I would like to thank my right hand man on Cabinet Ted Osborn who has done an incredible job as Cabinet Secretary. To my husband Malcolm I thank you from the bottom of my heart for your patience and quiet calm when the "Irish Ire" in me rose.

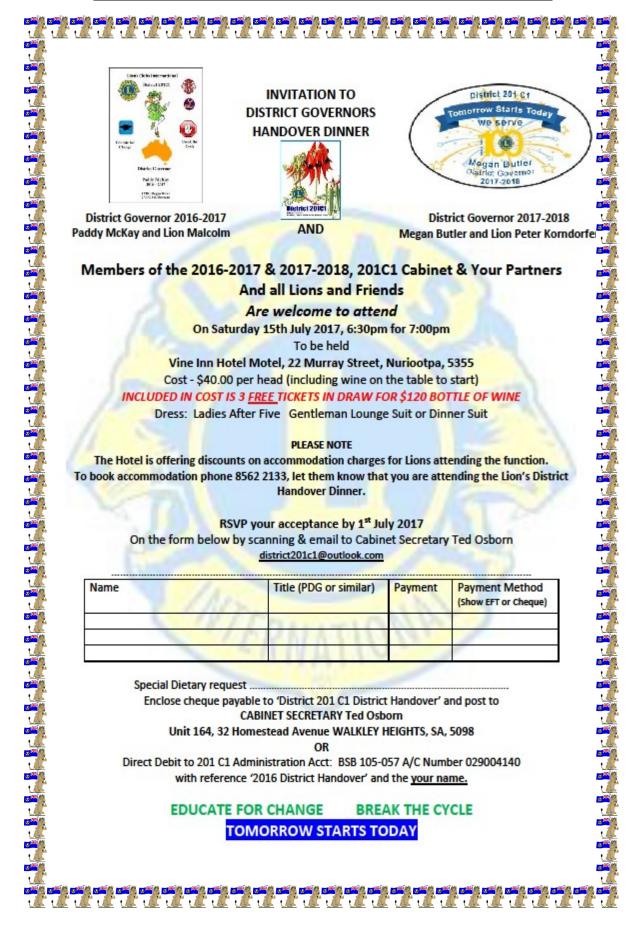
Lions Against Violence Adelaide Branch Club At what was almost the eleventh hour of my year we were able to form this group. This was part of my motto and my particular passion which had taken a back seat as we tackled rebuilding in the district. The meeting ended with a presentation of knitted items to the manager of the Eastern Domestic Violence unit. What made this particularly special was that the items were knitted by the women prisoners at Yatala Women's Prison from donated wool from Lions. Many of these women had themselves been victims of violent and abusive relationships and for most this was the first time that they did something for someone else. A new group of potential Lions perhaps?



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The invitation says "by 1st July" I will accept late notifications, Cab Sec Ted Osborn.



#### **From Gilbert Valley Lions**

Members of Gilbert Valley Lions are continuing their support those who suffer from the painful, debilitating disease called Epidermolysis Bullosa (EB).

Some years ago, the club assisted Therese and Neville Busch of Tothill Creek, in upgrading a room in their house to more easily accommodate John Hutchins, who is one of only two people in SA who have been born with the EB disability. Therese and Neville Have fostered Johnny so that they can help him live with this painful condition.

Now 13 years of age, John attends Riverton Primary School, which is only possible because Therese is employed there, and can take him to and from school each day.

After learning of the approx. 1000 sufferers in Australia, an Australian businessman, Andrew Blsczark, was so moved that he sold his business, his house, and all his possessions, so he could fund a project to raise 1 million dollars towards research that will hopefully find a cure for EB. In April this year, he commenced a 3000-km run from Victor Harbor SA (the home town of one sufferer) to Brisbane Qld, to spread the word and hopefully achieve his target.

The Gilbert Valley Lions invited visitors and members of adjoining clubs, to its monthly Dinner meeting at which John Hutchins spoke, and a presentation of the Million Dollar Run and appeal was shown.

John, who is an Ambassador for the Appeal, spoke on his life as a "Butterfly Child" which starts each day at 5.30am when he needs to run a special bath which is a daily necessity for him. He then must have practically his whole body bandaged to provide him with some relief during the day.

His bright, cheerful, and cheeky personality, belied the continual suffering he obviously endures, and those present gave generously through Raffles, an Auction, and Lions Tail Twisting. The Club President, Greg McLeod presented him with a cheque for the appeal of \$2,062 and gave John a monetary gift from the Lions Club for his own personal use.

John, Therese, and Neville, hope to be able to travel to Brisbane to greet Andrew when he arrives in a few weeks' time.

#### From Gilbert Valley Lions



Photo; John Hutchins, with Neville and Therese Busch, receiving their cheques from Gilbert Valley Lions President, Greg McLeod.

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Two Interesting Years

#### Interesting Year 1981

- 1. Prince Charles got married.
- 2. Liverpool crowned soccer Champions of Europe.
- 3. Australia lost the Ashes.
- 4. The Pope died.

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- 3. Australia lost the Ashes.
- 4. The Pope died.

#### <u>Lesson to be learned:</u>

The next time Charles gets married, someone should warn the Pope.

#### LIONS PRINCIPAL FOCUS

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Humanitarian Service

Major Disaster Relief

Sight

Medical Research

**Encouragement of Youth** 

#### From Lions Club of Unley

#### She's Strong and She is a Winner

Nursing student Ms Lauren Strong has taken out the Unley Lions Annual Excellence Award for nursing students studying at the University of South Australia.

This prize is awarded annually to the student who achieves a consistently high-grade average across the first two years of the Bachelor of Nursing and who demonstrates a commitment to community service. This prize is open to internal and external students who reside in South Australia.

The Lions Club of Unley feels privileged in making the award available since it recognises the hard work and years of study by all students to obtain their nursing qualifications. Approximately 200 students met the eligibility criteria to be shortlisted for assessment of the award.

The Lions Club of Unley first initiated the award in 2010 and has sponsored the award each year since then.

Ms Strong, 27, is a mature age student who has already completed a science degree and is now in her final year of her three year nursing degree course. She will complete her nursing degree studies in November.

Lauren was presented with her award and \$500 cheque at the graduation ceremony by the President of the Lions Club of Unley, PDG Lindsay Nelson and held in the Centenary Building, School of Nursing and Midwifery at the University of South Australia, North Terrace Campus, Adelaide.



PDG Lindsay Nelson presenting Nurse Lauren Strong with her certificate.

#### **Presentation to Torrens Transit**



Picture shows Sharon Brown (Area Manager), Doug Lamont (General Manager), Noel O'Brien (Lions Club), Peter McKiinnon (Gilles Plains Lions Club—who suggested the project to Torrens Transit)

### TORRENS TRANSIT PTY LTD DONATES \$28,593-70 TO THE LIONS SKIN CANCER SCREENING UNIT

This year the Torrens Transit company donated all the proceeds from their annual birthday celebrations function for their staff and families to our mobile skin cancer screening unit.

Each year they donate all proceeds to a charity of their choice and we were pleased to be the recipient this year.

The total amount from donations, raffles and silent auctions was then matched by the company making a most generous donation.

The evening was attended by over 500 of their staff and families, held in the Magarey Room at the Adelaide Oval.

This amount will allow the Lions in South Australia and the Northern Territory to continue to travel to regional and outback Australia to provide health benefits so desperately needed in those remote areas.

Noel O'Brien

Lions Districts C1, C2 Chairman, Skin Cancer Screening Committee.



#### 201 C1 District Convention 2017 - Registration Form

Club Name:	
District:	Club No:

## This will be a convention like no other. Help us celebrate 100 Years of Lionism!

#### **Registrant Details**

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Registrant				
Partner				
Guest				

#### **Contact Details**

Street / PO Box:	_	City/Town:	Post Code:
State:	Home Phone:	Mobile:	
Email:			

#### Please select specific days **OR** the full convention cost, and number attending.

Date	Description	Cost (\$)	No. Attending	Total (\$)
Fri Oct 6 <sup>th</sup> 2017	Flag Ceremony with SA Police Band, AGM & Business Sessions, Afternoon Tea, and Civic Ceremony at Town Hall	\$20	# {	\$
Sat Oct 7 <sup>th</sup> 2017	Guest Presentations Youth of the Year District Final Morning & Afternoon Tea Gourmet BBQ Lunch	\$30		\$
Sat Oct 7 <sup>th</sup> 2017	Formal Gala Dinner & Presentation of the SAPOL & Lions Citizen of the Year Award	\$60		\$
Sun Oct 8 <sup>th</sup> 2017	BBQ Breakfast	Pay as You Go		\$
Sun Oct 8 <sup>th</sup> 2017	Remembrance Ceremony	No Cost		\$
Sun Oct 8 <sup>th</sup> 2017	Lions Community Family Fun Day	Pay as You Go		\$
3 Day Package	Full Convention Package	\$105		\$
	Convention Pin	\$5		\$
	Raffle Tickets	3 for \$5		\$
			Total Cost:	\$

#### Payment Methods:

- Electronic Funds Transfer to: BSB: 633 000 Account No: 159 062 256

  Please put your full name as subject, and email remittance to <a href="mailto:secretary@201c1convention.com.au">secretary@201c1convention.com.au</a>
- Cheques made payable to: Adelaide City Lions Club Convention Mail Cheques & Forms to: PO Box 139, Walkerville SA 5081
- Cash payment



## LIONS COMMUNITY FAMILY FUN DA



A fun day for the whole family

Sunday 8th October 2017 11am - 4pm

FREE ENTRY!

Kings Reserve, Torrensville (Cnr Ashwin Parade & South Road)



**FREE Health Checks** 

by Golden Grove Lions Club

**Meet Leonardo Di Lion** 

Kids Corner

lucky dips, temporary tattoos, rocker racer, colouring in and more

**FREE Jumping Castle** 

Classic Cars & Motorbikes

**Drag Racing Cars Display** 



Entertainment by the Down Syndrome SA Dancers

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#### PARLALOWIE LIONS CLUB INDUCTIONS



New members and their sponsors are; Jennifer MacRae, sponsor Vicky McIntyre Knowles, Alis Quinn, sponsor Sandra Knowles. Ryan Pereira, sponsor Shirley McRae.

PDG Frank Gratton inducted 3 new members into Lions Club of Paralowie

It is great to see our club growing with young pro-active members willing to be involved. They are also an inspiration to our club bringing new fresh ideas that helps not only us but the community at large.

President Frank McRae

#### The subprime crisis has reached Japan...

In the last seven days Origami Bank has folded. Sumo Bank has gone belly up and Bonsai Bank announced plans to cut some of its branches.

Yesterday it was announced that Karaoke Bank is up for sale and will likely go for a song, while today shares in Kamikaze Bank were suspended after they nose-dived.

While Samurai Bank is soldiering on following sharp cutbacks, Ninja Bank is reported to have taken a hit, but it remains in the black.

Furthermore, 500 staff at Karate Bank got the chop and analysts report that there is something fishy going on at Sushi Bank where it is feared that staff may get a raw deal.

#### IF YOU GET CAUGHT SLEEPING AT YOUR DESK:

NUMBER 5: "They told me at the Blood Bank this might happen."

NUMBER 4: "This is just a 15-minute power nap they raved about in the time-management course you sent me to."

NUMBER 3: "Whew! 'Guess I left the top off the White-out.

You probably got here just in time!"

NUMBER 2: "Did you ever notice sound coming out of these keyboards when you put your ear down real close?"

And the NUMBER ONE best thing to say if you get caught sleeping at your desk: (Raising your head slowly) "... Amen"





#### FROM GOLDEN GROVE LIONS



President Graeme Pascoe with Incoming President Gerry Van Niekerk and Enid Pascoe at the club handover dinner on 17th June at the Valley Inn Hope Valley

#### FROM GILLES PLAINS CLUB

At the recent Handover Dinner of the Gilles Plains Club, five new members were inducted by District Governor Paddy McKay. These new members will form the basis of the Mawson Lakes Club Branch which is presently being formed.

Mawson Lakes has come about by the inspiration of Zone Chairman Lauren Brewer and Lion Beau Brug.



New Members front row Linda Vining, Chloe Thacker, Brooke Lloyd, Jessica Cappelluti. Sponsors in back row, Ted Osborn, Peter McKinnon, Jane Sommers, and John Dawe.



At left, new member Robert Ames with sponsor Ray Norton who were "cut-off" from above Photo

Another duty that DG Paddy conducted was the induction of new officers—President Ted Osborn, Secretary PDG John McIntosh, Treasurer Peter McKinnon, and Membership Director Ray Norton. DG Paddy asked all members to support their leaders and Lions Clubs International.

President Ted highlighted a few points that he would like to see, one is more involvement in community projects (not just being Sausage Sizzle cookers) and will put some ideas to the club at the first Business Meeting on 4th July.

#### PORT LINCOLN LIONS CLUB INC. 2017/2018 NEW PRESIDENT LION TERRY ALDENHOVEN

The Port Lincoln Lions Club Inc. 201C1 recently celebrated their Annual Lions Handover Dinner at The Ravendale Community Sporting Centre.

The function attracted several visitors and dignitaries including Mayor Bruce Green, Mayor Julie Low, Member for Flinders Peter Treloar, also visiting were Past District Governor Lion Don Pritchard and Gillian McKenzie from the Rocky River Lions Club, Susan Chase a pilot representing Angel Fight who was the key note speaker John .Chilman was also in attendance.

The function was well represented by other organizations and clubs in and around Port Lincoln.

A feature announcement by President Lion John Chalmers was the highly successful fundraising activities by Lions Members and indeed the support by the community.in particular the overwhelming success of The Lions Barbeque Trailer bookings throughout the year, The Lions Mints and Lions Xmas Cakes .

The Port Lincoln Lions Club Directories has been an outstanding and well managed program supported by over forty local businesses a great team effort .

President John announced \$25,000 would be distributed to local organisations and community groups and he was proud of the result.

Master of Ceremonies, Zone Chairman Lion Gavin Roberts highlighted the significance

of support and confidence in The Port Lincoln Lions Club by all the visitors and dignitaries attending this wonderful Handover celebration.

President Lion John Chalmers awarded several Lions Members awards, including

The Dan Maskell award to Lion Bevan (Billy) Brine.

A significant presentation to Lion Gavin Roberts receiving the prestigious Melvin Jones Award the highest honour for a Lions International Member to receive was an outstanding result.

In presenting the award Past District Governor Lion Don Pritchard said,

"Lion Gavin Roberts clearly justifies the criteria for this high honor. This makes Gavin's nomination mandatory and indeed a pleasure for me on behalf of The Port Lincoln Lions Club Inc."

The other outstanding presentation was the James D Richardson Award to Lions Lady Christine Roberts for her contributions to The Port Lincoln Lions Club Inc.

The highlight of the Handover celebration was the induction of the New President.

Past District Governor Lion Don Pritchard inducted Lion Terry Aldenhoven for the year 2017 / 2018 who then introduced his Board of Directors.

In his response, the newly elected President Lion Terry Aldenhoven

Thanked Lions Lady Bebe for her support and confidence and he was delighted to succeed Past President Lion John Chalmers and continue with ongoing projects including several membership initiatives .

Mayor Bruce Green proposed a toast to Lions International he highlighted the work successfully done by Lions International worldwide and in particular The Port Lincoln Lions Club's contribution.

The key note speaker Pilot Susan Chase from Angel Fight Australia presented a powerful presentation outlining the success of Bill Bristow AM the founder of angel Flight and its major supporters, the upcoming flights and drives and requests for flights.

The evening concluded with MC Lion Gavin Roberts thanking all the sponsors including

the staff of the Ravendale Complex and Chef Damian Mrdjen for an outstanding and successful handover celebration.



Past President Lion John Chalmers Transferring The President's Badge to the New President Lion Terry Aldenhoven for 2017/2018.

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A pirate walks into a bar and the bartender says,

"Hey, I haven't seen you in a while. What happened? You look terrible."

"What do you mean?" says the pirate, "I feel fine."

"What about the wooden leg?" the bartender says. "You didn't have that before."

"Well, we were in a battle and I got hit with a cannon ball, but I'm fine now." says the pirate.

"Well, okay, but what about that hook? What happened to your hand?" asks the bartender.

"We were in another battle." replies the pirate. "I boarded a ship and got into a sword fight. My hand was cut off, but I got fitted with a hook. I'm fine, really."

Then the bartender asks, "So, what about that eye patch?" The pirate replies, "Oh, one day we were at sea and a flock of seagulls flew over. I looked up and one of them pooped in my eye."

"You're kidding" says the bartender, "you couldn't lose an eye just from bird poop."

The pirate responds, "It was my first day with the hook."

#### WHAT'S ON, WHEN AND WHERE IN DISTRICT 201C1-

July and August and some future important dates

14 <sup>th</sup> July	Torrens Valley Club Quiz Night "Christmas in July"	Birdwood	Enquiries Peter Milsom, P 8568 5300 M 0429 664 297
15 <sup>th</sup> July	District Handover	Vine Inn Murray Street Nuriootpa 6.30pm for 7.00pm	Information from Cabinet Secretary Ted Osborn P: 8368 1826 M: 0403 065 357 E: tednelse@bigpond.com
16 <sup>th</sup> June	First cabinet meeting for 2017/2018	Eden Valley Hall Eden Valley Road Eden valley 10.00am for 10.30am	Information and apologies to Cabinet Secretary Don Pritchard P: M: E:
1 <sup>st</sup> to 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sept	ANZI Pacific Forum	Ballarat Vic	More information Go to District Website, click on Conventions, Click on ANZI Forums and follow the links.
6 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Second Cabinet Meeting	Venue TBA	Will be held on Morning before the Convention Commences
6 <sup>th</sup> Oct	District Convention Commences	Venue, Thebarton Community Cen- tre, South Road Torrensville	Refer Convention Website Go To District Website Click on "Conventions" Click on "District 201C1 Convention" and follow the links

Clubs are encouraged to use this page to promote events and functions happening at your club. Remember to send information to Cabinet Secretary Don Pritchard <a href="mailto:pdgdon1213@outlook.com">pdgdon1213@outlook.com</a> no later than 14th day of the preceding month of publication.



District Website http://www.201c1.lions.org.au

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#### FROM TORRENS VALLEY CLUB



Incoming President Pauline North receives the Club Charter from outgoing President David Richards at the Torrens Valley Club Handover Dinner

History was made on June 24th when Lion Pauline North became Torrens Valley Lions Club 1st female President. Pauline has been a member of the club for 10 years, joining as the 1st female member of the club.

Lions international is celebrating 100yrs of serving communities worldwide and the Torrens Valley Lions Club will celebrate its 50th Anniversary next year.

Pauline said "The club serves the community in many ways by providing assistance, grants and support to many other organizations in the Torrens Valley area, which covers Birdwood, Mt Pleasant, Gumeracha, Kersbrook, Cudlee Creek, Mt Torrens and Inglewood. Recent donations have been \$3000 to Birdwood Community Sports Park, \$300 to Cudlee Creek Junior Tennis Training and \$1500 for our Milton Checker Award. We are currently looking for a community project to celebrate 100 years of Lions, whether this be a large project for the whole area or several smaller ones in the local towns. This is yet to be discussed and decided on. The project should benefit the community at large and the Club would welcome any ideas from local community groups.

The club's fundraising committee has held quiz nights at Gumeracha & Kersbrook with the next one being at Birdwood - "Christmas in July" theme, on Friday 14th July. Bookings can be made by contacting Lion Peter Milsom on 8568 5300 or 0429 664 297.

WE LOOK FORWARD TO MEETING YOU!

#### **CLUB LEADERSHIP FORUMS**

Over the months of May and June, Club Leadership Forums have been held at Enfield, Crystal Brook and Cleve. Approximately 120 incoming club Presidents, Secretaries, Treasurers, Membership Directors and other Lions Members attended and were addressed by facilitators led by PDG Don Pritchard (GLT Coordinator). Forums were held for the above club officers with other sessions on Project Management, MyLCI general information, MyLion, and club rebuilding.

The Leadership Team thanked those for attending especially those who travelled far.



Secretaries listen intently as John Barnes explains the finer details of MyLCI (at Cleve)

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#### **HOW OLD ARE YOU**

Do you realize that the only time in our lives when we like to get old is when we're kids? If you're less than 10 years old, you're so excited about aging that you think in fractions.

'How old are you?' 'I'm four and a half!' You're never thirty-six and a half. You're four and a half, going on five! That's the key You get into your teens, now they can't hold you back. You jump to the next number, or even a few ahead.

'How old are you?' 'I'm gonna be 16!' You could be 13, but hey, you're gonna be 16! And then the greatest day of your life. You become 21. Even the words sound like a ceremony. YOU BECOME 21. YESSSS!!!

But then you turn 30. Oooohh, what happened there? Makes you sound like bad milk! He TURNED; we had to throw him out. There's no fun now, you're Just a sour-dumpling. What's wrong? What's changed?

You BECOME 21, you TURN 30, then you're PUSHING 40. Whoa! Put on the brakes, it's all slipping away. Before you know it, you REACH 50 and your dreams are gone.

But wait!!! You MAKE it to 60. You didn't think you would! So you BECOME 21, TURN 30, PUSH 40, REACH 50 and MAKE it to

You've built up so much speed that you HIT 70! After that it's a day -by-day thing; you HIT Wednesday!

You get into your 80's and every day is a complete cycle; you HIT lunch; you TURN 4:30; you REACH bedtime. And it doesn't end there. Into the 90s, you start going backwards; 'I Was JUST 92.' Then a strange thing happens. If you make it over 100, you become a little kid again. 'I'm 100 and a half!'

May you all make it to a healthy 100 and a half!

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FROM CLARE DISTRICT CLUB

## Lions Lip A monthly update from the Lions Club of Clare District WE SERVE

## BUSY AT THE GLEESON WETLANDS!

First there was a group of enthusiastic school students from the Clare Primary School visiting, taking advantage of this fine weather. Approximately 21 students and teachers arrived full of vim and vigour, ready to help the Green Team spread some mulch, and yes, they walked all the way from their school to the Gleeson Wetlands, and back!! After a "look see" at the Bird Hide, it was sad to see them leave. Laughing and joking they waved goodbye, still full of vim and vigour!!

A few days later, 20 students from the Auburn Primary School arrived, just as happy and cheerful as the last lot. "Are you ready to spread some mulch and plant some seedlings?" I asked. "Yes, show us where", they yelled, I mean replied!!! So with the Green Team helpers, off they went to various areas to mulch and plant "stuff". Before they left, wearing their new T-Shirts, they formed a group and thanked the Green Team for the opportunity to see the new Bird Hide.



The Clare Scout Group, about 25 of them, have also visited. This visit will help them attain their Environment Badge. Most popular part of the visit? The newly finished Bird Hide! If you have not seen it yet, hustle down there while the weather is still fine, and have a look. Well worth the trip!

#### We Serve

For more information on Lions and Membership, phone "Scoop" Williams on 8849 2268 or visit our club website: www.claredistrictlc.sa.lions.org.au FROM MODBURY CLUB BULLETIN

In 2017, the largest community service organisation in the world, Lions Clubs International, celebrates its centenary. Australia Post has issued a stamp in acknowledgement of this important milestone.

Lions Club International is a secular and politically nonaligned community service organisation of volunteers, who raise funds to meet local, national and international humanitarian needs. Focus areas include disaster and hunger relief, support for the environment, medical research, and support for youth and older people. There are around 1.4 million members and 46,000 clubs across the world.

In Australia, Lions Clubs have been in force for 70 years, with the first Club established in Lismore, New South Wales, in 1947. Lions Clubs Australia has worked tirelessly in the areas of disaster and emergency relief, medical research (including involvement in the development of the bionic ear and cervical cancer vaccine, as well as research into diabetes and childhood cancer) and community service (including drug education programs, programs for the visually impaired and children with cerebral palsy, as well as raising funds towards local parks, community centres and more).

#### The stamp

The stamp was designed by Lynda Warner. The design combines the Lions Clubs International logo with the figure "100", part of which incorporates a pair of hands. The hands look as if they are cradling the world — a powerful symbol of the contribution made by this worldwide service organisation and also a reference to the Lions saying that one more member means "two more hands" to help the community





**Modbury Sausage Sizzlers** 

#### JAMESTOWN LIONS CELEBRATE 50 YEARS OF SERVI CE TO THE COMMUNITY

Jamestown Lions Club members past and present gathered at a celebratory dinner 50 years to the date of the Club's Charter, 16<sup>th</sup> June 1967.

A delicious dinner was served during the evening and many memories were shared of the activities of the Club throughout the years.

Max Prior, a veteran of 40 years as a member of the Club spent many hours researching the history of the Club and compiled a very comprehensive account which he presented during the festivities.

Photos and written history were on display which brought back many memories for past members.

The local community has benefitted from hours and hours of the Lions' efforts from building playgrounds to helping residents with cleaning up their properties, beautifying the local Belalie Creek surrounds, cooking donuts, selling show bags at the local Show, presenting Carols on the Creek and in the Park, organizing twice-yearly Auctions, supporting local youth with travel, the elderly with phone calls, Skin Cancer screenings, Pageant Day activities and much more.

A Birthday Cake was cut by the Raelene Knight, wife of Charter member Robert Knight (deceased).

Phil Bowman, 1<sup>st</sup> Vice District Governor (Elect) District 201C1 and PDG Don Pritchard, District 201-C1 Cabinet Secretary Designate, also were in attendance.

The 2017 Handover was also held on the night with new President Jim Best being inducted for 2017-18 by PDG Lance Leak OAM.

Jim introduced his Board to those present and thanked outgoing President David Hunt for his excellent leadership from 2015-17.

40 year Monarch Awards were presented to members Kevin Hawkins and Ian Symonds who both expressed their delight at being recognized but said that they were happy to have had the chance to support their community by being members of the Club and had gained much from the experience.

A Fines session which increased the Club's finances and provided highly amusing entertainment was followed by great fellowship.



Incoming President Jim Best (left), outgoing President David
Hunt and PDG Lance Leak at the Handover

#### **NEW MEMBERS AND TRANFERS**

#### Adelaide Hellenic Inc

New	Helen Makris	Kitty Hawkins <b>Athelstone Inc</b>
New	Gillies Ambler	Paddy McKay
New	Robert Brennan	Paddy McKay
New	Allison Gaskin	Paddy McKay
New	Tracy Johnstone	Paddy McKay
New	Inaam Khizam	Paddy McKay
New	Kathy Lilis	Paddy McKay
New	Jill Whittaker	Paddy McKay

#### Balaklava & District Inc

New Daryl Baker Kevin Bubner

#### **Barossa Valley Inc**

New Trevor Irrgang Sue Roesler

#### **Burnside Inc**

New Eleanor Bastian Margaret Brown New Wlodzimierz Gawlik Barry Taylor

#### City of Adelaide Inc

New Vivek Chanana Tony Pederick
New Vivien Chanana Tony Pederick
New Stephen Furlan Tony Pederick
New Marilyn Pederick Tony Pederick
New Sylvia Salagaras Tony Pederick
New Craig Wilton Andrew Stacey

#### Clare District Inc

New Jon Mutter Dave Simpson

#### **Coober Pedy Inc**

New Lorelei Estabillo Shannon Swansson New Rachel Nikolau Shannon Swansson

#### **Gawler Inc**

Transfer David Hocking Gilles Plains Inc

#### **Gilles Plains Inc**

New	Robert Ames	Ray Norton
Transfer Beau Brug		Pooraka Inc
New	Jessica Cappelluti	John Dawe
New	Brooke Lloyd	Jane Sommers
New	Chloe Thacker	Peter McKinnon
New	Linda Vining	Ted Osborn

#### Paralowie Inc

New Ann Morgan Charles Morgan

#### Pooraka Inc

Transfer Beau Brug Gilles Plains

#### **Richmond Inc**

New Benjamin Doherty David Frith New Meri Kurtin Dianne Goldsworthy New Renata Withers Dianne Goldsworthy

#### Tea Tree Gully Inc

New Leslie Lawson John Haddad

**West Beach Inc** 

New Michael Parsons Lyn Brooks