

# The Rotary Club of Regency Park

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Chartered on October 28, 1980

We usually meet weekly on the traditional Country of the Kurna people at  
The Caledonian Hotel, 215 O’Connell Street, North Adelaide.

Tuesday 6:00 pm for 6:15 pm start

**VISITORS ALWAYS WELCOME**

## BULLETIN – 27<sup>th</sup> of February 2024 #2183

Theme for 2023/24 – Create Hope in the World

Role	Tues 5 <sup>th</sup> March Meeting #2184	Tues 12 <sup>th</sup> March Meeting #2185	Tues 19 <sup>th</sup> March Meeting #2186	Tues 26 <sup>th</sup> March Meeting #2187
<b>Furniture</b>	Russell Green	Russell Green	Russell Green	Russell Green
<b>Welcome</b>	Les Dennis	Steve Brown	Angela Ellis	Rhonda Pamment
<b>Speaker</b>	Away meeting <b>See below</b>	Member Spot – Jack Kelso	Vic Isbester	PDG Marie Dorington
<b>Subject</b>	Ridley Grove Community Gardens	Board Meeting	Conference report back	Interplast
<b>Speaker Host</b>	Russell Green	Russell Green	PE Brian Wheatley	Angela Ellis
<b>Raffle</b>	Dale Davey-Starr	Dale Davey-Starr	Dale Davey-Starr	Dale Davey-Starr

Meeting on Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> March is an away meeting at Ridley Grove Community Centre – Ridley Grove off Days Road near Woodville Gardens Primary School. Les is arranging food, and we will share the cost.

**6.00 for 6.15pm Start (the usual)**



## Birthdays – March

Jack Kelso 3<sup>rd</sup>, Sue Nagy 3<sup>rd</sup>, Mark Carter – 4<sup>th</sup>, Helen Davey-Starr 5<sup>th</sup>, Vic Isbester 23<sup>rd</sup>, Russell Green 31<sup>th</sup> (80<sup>th</sup>), Margret Forster 23<sup>rd</sup>.

## Notes from Meeting #2183 – 27<sup>th</sup> of February.

This week our club meeting with President Vic Isbester in charge.

Subject – **New Hope Cambodia.**

## Guest Speaker – Soth Sour (Kemsour)

With assistance from Heng Sarady, Leu Phearun and Ron Carter (Mark's Brother).

A fantastic presentation by Kemsour on how the project "New Hope Cambodia".

There were no schools in Kemsour area but his determination and dedication to change that is amazing. A fantastic story and a great presentation.



**NEW HOPE CAMBODIA**

New Hope Cambodia (NHC) is an NGO that provides free education, health care, and community and crisis care support to the impoverished pre-school aged children and youth in Siem Reap.



### 1 NHC BACKGROUND

Established in 2007 by Mr. Soth Sour, New Hope Cambodia is a non-governmental organization committed to catalyzing positive transformations in Siem Reap\_Cambodia through initiatives in education, healthcare, and community development. NHC originated in a modest palm leaf hut, initially offering English and Japanese classes.

Due to the lack of educational opportunities and standards for children and youths in Mondul 3 village, we established a center to help them. The village was once a military base that housed around 300 families, including soldiers, their relatives, and many disadvantaged families. The area also had sex workers, garbage collectors, beggars, souvenir/grocery sellers, drug addicts, laundry workers, home workers, KTV zones, and displaced men, women, and children.



### MR. KEMSOUR NHC FOUNDER

Mr. Soth Sour gathered diverse experiences as a worker, farmer, restaurant service staff, motor taxi and tuk-tuk driver, hotel employee, guesthouse owner, and tourist guide. Remarkably, he successfully completed his MBA. As the founder of New Hope Cambodia (NHC), Mr. Soth Sour is involved in various businesses.



**1 NHC BACKGROUND**



**VISION**

The Vision of NHC is to transform the lives of impoverished children within the Siem Reap City for a brighter future.



**MISSION**

The Mission is to give our children and youth the opportunity of free education, help them to complete their studies, and inspire them with a love for learning.



**VALUE**

- Respect:** We treat people with courtesy, politeness, and kindness.
- Care:** We work with a spirit of compassion and truly cherish what we do.
- Transparency:** We are accountable; we do as we say and keep our word.
- Learning:** We encourage innovation and are eager to continuously improve ourselves.
- Harmonization:** We work with cooperation, teamwork, and good will toward our shared goals.



## Club Business

### President Vic, Area 12 Dinner

Area 12 Dinner is on May 14<sup>th</sup>, 2024 – further details to be provided via Ron, Angela and Mark S. Regency Park is arranging.

### Russell Green.

District 9810 (Victoria) is again running it's Mad March Cycle Challenge to raise funds for Australian Rotary Health.

I've thrown in my hat and will make an attempt to ride 500km during the month of March.

All my rides will be random, on various days of the week and on no particular routes.

For that, I would like your sponsorship and my goal is to raise a minimum of \$1000 for ARH.

I will be starting from Pellegrini Cafe on Friday March 1st at 8:30am.

To donate please use the following link:

<https://madmarchcyclechallenge.raisely.com/russell>

Let's all support Rusty Green in his mammoth bike ride.

### Jeff Cluse.

Social weekend at Caplerum (Renmark)

**UPDATED May 9<sup>th</sup> (Th) to 11<sup>th</sup> (Sat).**

The cost – the food cost will be shared and there will be a cost from Calperum.

**We have 10 attending – time now for you to advise Jeff.**

**There is still room – contact Jeff if you are interested.**

What you need to bring is – Sleeping Bag, Pillow, Breakfast and warm clothes for the night outside in front of the open fire, liquid refreshments.

We will be doing some site sightseeing of areas that were flooded, camping areas etc.

Ron will conduct a sing song at the open external fire.

Ron Rogers – Chair Membership.

Invite friends and family to a club meeting.

**Club Promotion Plant 4 Bowden** – will now be on Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> March 2024.

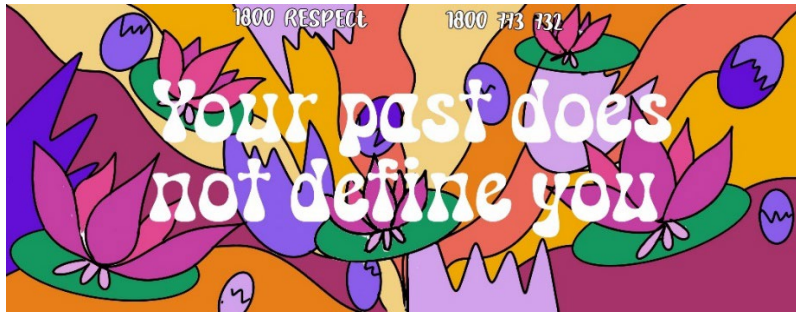
### Junction Community Centre



This current mural will be replaced by a new one.

From Sophia

This Sunday Feb 25<sup>th</sup> in the late afternoon/early evening, the mural artist Gen and her partner Tommy will be here painting the wall white, then using a projector to draw the outline of her design ready for Monday's workshop. Feel free to pop by then too if you want photos of those two stages.



Proposed art work.

Sophia Katari    Manager, Junction Community Centre

Mark Carter – Playground team



A few photos from Rotary packing a container with 13 playgrounds, about 20 kicks scooters, about 15 kids' bikes, 100s of fluffy toys, 100s of books, many tables and chairs plus 2 fridges and a microwave oven heading to Timor Leste in the next few days. Many Rotarians lending a hand.

Mt Barker with Mark Carter – Regency Park.

### Dates for Our Calendars – new addition in green

2nd March (Saturday)	Bowden Green promo – Socks and club Promo
5th March (Tuesday)	Super Tuesday – Bike count 7am to 9am-see Angela
9th March (Saturday)	Bunnings BBQ

11th March (Monday – Public Holiday)	DREAMIN Foundation fundraiser
30th March (Saturday) - Easter	Bunnings BBQ
5th April (Friday)	Bunnings BBQ
18th April (Thursday)	SCASA – AGM – 7pm Hope Café 243 The Parade
20th April (Saturday)	Bunnings BBQ
9th May (Thursday) till Sat 11th	Social Weekend - Calperum
10th May (Friday)	Bunnings BBQ
12th May (Sunday)	Mother’s Day BBQ Classic (TBA)
14th May (Tuesday)	Area 12 Dinner (normal meeting will be transferred)
8th June (Saturday)	Bunnings BBQ
28th June (Friday)	Bunnings BBQ

**Come Along and Join the Friday Morning ‘Walking & Talking’ Group**

It usually starts outside the Barton Terrace entrance of the Caledonian Hotel at 7:45 am. BUT...  
 For weekly information please contact Russell Green at [rusgreen@bigpond.net.au](mailto:rusgreen@bigpond.net.au).

Come for a walk, stay for a coffee and chat.



**The Four-Way Test**  
 of the things we think, say or do.



- Is it the **truth**?
- Is it **fair** to all concerned?
- Will it build **goodwill** and **better friendships**?
- Will it be **beneficial** to all concerned?

**JOKE OF THE WEEK.**

**I said I was good at making decisions. I didn't say the decisions I made were good.**

**A friend suggested putting horse manure on my strawberries... I'm never doing that again, I'm going back to whipped cream.**

One thing no one ever talks about when it comes to being an adult, is how much time we debate keeping a cardboard box because it's, you know..... a really good box.