



# The Rotary Club of Regency Park

## BULLETIN #2227 – 14<sup>th</sup> January 2025

Theme for 2024/25: The Magic of Rotary

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Officers 2024/25: President: *Brian Wheatley* Secretary: *Jack Pappin*

Treasurer & Public Officer: *Russell Green*

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Regency Park Rotary Club members meet for a weekly dinner at The Caledonian Hotel on the traditional lands of the Kaurna people  
 (215 O’Connell Street, North Adelaide)  
 Tuesdays 6:00 pm for a 6:15 pm start  
**VISITORS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME**

January 2025 Monthly Theme is Vocational Service

	Tues 14 <sup>th</sup> Jan Meeting #2227	Tues 21 <sup>st</sup> Jan Meeting #2228	Tues 28 <sup>th</sup> Jan Meeting #2229	Tues 4 <sup>th</sup> Feb Meeting #2230
<b>Welcome</b>	Russell Green	Ron Rogers	Mark Carter	Vic
<b>Speaker</b>		Hadi Jafari	Brad Eiffe	Tim Mee
<b>Subject</b>	<b>Board Meeting</b>	<b>“What is Populism?”</b>	<b>Dubai Life</b>	<b>RI Service and Foundation</b>
<b>Speaker Host</b>		John Goodridge	Jack Pappin	Les Dennis
<b>Raffle</b>	Dale / Angela	Dale / Angela	Dale / Angela	Dale / Angels

**Tim Mee:** District International Service Chair (2022-25) District Governor Nominee (2024-25)  
*Why is Rotary International Service & The Rotary Foundation good for your club's health?*

## Vocational Service Month

Vocational Service, embedded in our history and guiding our future, is the foundational cornerstone of Rotary. As Rotarians and Rotaractors, we hold a dual responsibility: to represent our occupations within our club and to exemplify the ideals of Rotary in our professional work and workplaces.

Vocational Service guides us to hold ourselves and each other to high ethical standards in our professional lives, to recognise the value of all occupations, to bring our ideals of doing good in all the world to our professional lives, and to lend our professional skills to in service to our communities.

You may be retired, but you still hold dear volunteering through Rotary, community committees, and family interests. We take the same qualities as if we were in the workforce within our communities and interests.



“In my belief, Rotary is one of the best social organizations in Australia. We, the youth, must be active in welcoming and supporting such important non-governmental organizations that consistently strive to build a good and healthy society. We should collaborate more with Rotary and similar organizations, write about them, speak about them, and plan with them. Because they deserve to be talked about and written about. Because they have paved the way for the younger generation. Because they are our pride”. – Hadi Jafari

**I have a fear of speed  
bumps. I'm slowly  
getting over it.**

- Halley Stubis

TearablePuns.org

## Diary Dates:

DATE, Time	EVENT	Rosters	Details
Sat 18 January	“Splash” summer festival catering	See Jeff for latest roster Shifts 8am to 2.30pm	<a href="#">Mellor Park, Lockleys</a>
Sat 18 January	Carousel 3 Shifts 1 per shift	11-2.30: John O. 2.30 -6 6-9.30	Two shifts available
Sunday 19 Jan	Carousel 3 Shifts 1 per shift	11-2.30- John G 2.30 -6 6-9.30	Two shifts available
Monday 27 January (Australia Day Observance)	Bunnings (offered in lieu of 18th Jan)	Morning Team: Vic, Jack K, Rhonda and Jeff	Afternoon Team: Jack P, Les
Wednesday 12 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Youth Focus at Prospect Rotary	RYLA/RYPEN/NYSF/ One & All	Lord Melbourne Hotel In lieu of Tuesday’s meeting
Friday 28 February	Bunnings	Morning Team: Vic, Jack K, Russell, Jeff	Afternoon Team: Mark C, Ron, Brian,
Saturday 8 March	Bunnings	Morning Team: Vic, Jack K, Jeff,	Afternoon Team: Mark C, Brian,
Friday 21 March	Bunnings	Morning Team: Vic, Jack K, Jeff	Afternoon Team: Jack P, Mark C, Brian

Corolla Capers 19-26 July. (briefing meeting on May 6<sup>th</sup>)

Persian Festival (Hadi) 22 March 2025 NOWRUZ event, celebrating Persian New Year.

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## SPLASH Water Summer Festival BBQ

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<https://rotaryadelaidecentral.org.au/events/splash-water-summer-festival-bbq>

Rotary Adelaide Central and Rotary Regency Park are again teaming up to provide a delicious BBQ at the City of West Torrens SPLASH! water slide spectacular.

We'll be cooking up a storm offering a range of popular and tasty choices starting from just \$3.50 for a Sausage Sandwich, through to only \$13 for a Hamburger (including Gluten Free, Vegetarian, Vegan options).

SPLASH! is incredibly popular each year. A fantastic way for families to enjoy a day out. The kids will love the variety of water slides and things to do - including a MUD pit!

***Our club extends its gratitude to Bakers Delight at Findon.  
for their ongoing support with our fundraising BBQ's***

# FILM NIGHT \$30



The Queen Victoria Auxiliary

presents a

Romantic Comedy Film Night



## 'Bridget Jones - Mad about the Boy' starring Renee Zellweger & Hugh Grant

*The beloved Bridget Jones, now in her 50s and widowed as of four years ago re-enters the dating scene. The modern dating scene is an absolute nightmare of apps, and hook-ups, but lo, here comes the much younger Roxster to put a spring in Bridget's middle-aged step, along with the return of the third corner in the Jones-Darcy love triangle, Daniel Cleaver.*

**BRIDGET  
JONES**  
MAD ABOUT THE BOY



**When:** Sunday 16th February 2025

**Time:** 5.30pm

Refreshments & Raffle

6.30pm Screening

**Where:** Regal Theatre  
275 Kensington Road  
Kensington Park

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Contact Brian or Heather Wheatley to reserve a ticket for "Bridget Jones – Mad About the Boy" fundraising movie night for Queen Victoria Auxillary

### "Pay our Respect": 2025 gathering details.

We are gathering for a seventh year on the steps of Parliament House to "Pay Our Respects" to the Australian murdered women of 2024. Again, we will come together in solidarity and shine a very important spotlight on the prevalent yet preventable issue of violence against women.

Saturday 18th January 2025

8.30am arrival for a prompt 9.00am commencement (conclude by 11.30am)

Parliament House steps, Adelaide

To rsvp please contact Angela.

Facebook event [link](#)



## COROLLA CAPERS 2025

# OUTBACK of BOURKE 2025

Saturday 19/07/2025 - Saturday 26/07/2025

### Update 1

Planning is now underway for our next Corolla Capers. The date and badging have been decided as shown above and we will be getting information together information on camping and other accommodation options and preparing challenges for all vehicles.

The route we are planning is to stay at the following locations: *Silverton, Tibooburra* (for 2 nights) then by way of *White Cliffs, Tilpa & Ivanhoe* to arrive at *Calperum* for the last night.

Please note that the registration fee remains unchanged at \$600 for adults & \$550 for Rotary Members. Again, the number of participants is limited to 40 adults and preference will be given to those in qualifying Corollas.

*At this stage can you all please consider which charities you would wish to support. Any suggestion is very welcome and please respond by email to [thepappins@hotmail.com](mailto:thepappins@hotmail.com).*

The **BRIEFING NIGHT** at the Caledonian Hotel will be held on **Tuesday the 6<sup>th</sup> of May**.

