The Rotary Club of Kidman Park Bulletin

Meetings: 6.30 pm each Tuesday at Westward Ho Golf Club, Military Road, West Beach

Rotary Kidman Park

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Year 2025/26

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UNITE FOR GOOD

Rotary

Meeting No: 2035

Tuesday 12th August 2025

Guest Speaker:

Committees

Meeting Duties

Furniture: Chris Branson
Grant Price

Attendance: Shirley Roberts

Welcome: Peter Brown

Chairperson: Rob Hughes

Guest Speaker intro:

Joker Draw: Peter Johnson

Apologies & Guests: Please advise

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Guest Speaker, Kylie Bradley with her Rotarian father, Wayne Comley

Guest Speaker, Kylie Bradley spoke of her, and her husband Scott, recent walking of the Camino Trail from Sarria to Santiago. This part of the walk is the final section of the Way of St James, stretching some 115 kms. Approximately 54% of people, that walk all the Camino Trails, only walk this final section. Everyone walks the same way, East to West ending at the Santiago de Compostela Cathedral, said to house the remains of Saint James. To get a certificate to stay you have walked the Camino Trail you must walk at least 100km. Stamps are entered into a passport, at various intervals, that prove you have completed the walk.



Club News:

The Camino de Santiago, also known as the Way of St. James, is a network of pilgrimage routes leading to the shrine of the apostle Saint James in the Cathedral of Santiago de Compostela in Galicia, Spain. The most popular route, the Camino Francés, spans nearly 800km across rural Spain and takes approximately 40+ days to complete. The Camino offers a blend of cultural immersion, physical challenge, and spiritual reflection.

Key aspects of the Camino de Santiago:

Diverse Routes:
While the Camino Francés is the most popular, other routes include the Camino Portugués, Camino del Norte, Camino Primitivo, Camino Inglés, and Via de la Plata.

Physical and Mental Challenge:
The Camino requires stamina and endurance, with varying terrain and distances each day.

Spiritual Journey:
Many walk the Camino to find personal meaning, connect with their beliefs, or experience a deeper connection with nature.

Cultural Immersion:
Walkers experience the history, culture, and gastronomy of Spain, particularly the Galicia region.

Community and Camaraderie:
The Camino is known for the strong sense of community and shared experience among pilgrims.

Historical Significance:
The routes follow ancient pilgrimage paths and lead to the Santiago de Compostela Cathedral, said to house the remains of Saint James.

Starting Points:
The Camino can be started from various locations in Spain and other European countries, with some routes beginning in France or Portugal.

Well-Marked Trails:
The routes are well-marked with yellow arrows and scallop shells, making navigation relatively straightforward.

Popular Starting Points:
Some popular starting points for the Camino Francés are Saint-Jean-Pied-de-Port in France and Sarria in Spain.

A thoroughly entertaining and enlightening talk by Kylie.

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"Kidman Park Rotary appreciates greatly the support of our **Sponsors and Community Partners** whose logos appear below"

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Winemakers from 1936

BUNNINGS

West Beach Parks
holiday · sport · community

West Beach SLSC

Westward Ho G. C.

S.A. Sea Rescue Squadron

Friends of Lot 101
Adelaide Sailing Club

Pink & Blue Swim/Walk

Club News:

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Hi Team Volunteers for Bunnings BBQ and Pop-up of Friends of Lot 101

Wow!!!! .....what a fantastic BBQ result. Highest sales and net profit in our memory.
Thanks to you all for your efforts with the Bunnings BBQ last Sunday
Well done.

Sunday was excellent sunny conditions and that was a positive impact for Airport Bunnings high customer numbers and great for our BBQ sales.
We arrived at the arranged start time of 8.30am and one Bunnings team member had already erected the tent and set up the BBQ.(bloody showoff!! ...it usually takes 4 of us)

All of our Volunteers get the BBQ job done and with an accompanying smile and enthusiasm, and all seem to enjoy the role.
And special thanks to each of you in making the Bunnings BBQ so successful....you are all major contributors to this fantastic result.

Total Sales	$2408(Card $1267 and cash $1141)
Expenses	516
Net Profit	$1892

The special Pop up Table in the entrance to Bunnings had been pre-arranged with Airport Bunnings Co-Organiser Anna for use by Alan Young for "Friends of Lot 101" as a means to increase awareness of their conservation work on the Dunes at the Barcoo Road area. This area is adjacent to the carpark at the end of Barcoo Road and looking south for 6 hectares of Biodiversity Park.. You will see some photos of that area in the Bulletin. The future signage for this area (metal plaques) have been quoted at $1500 and further costs of irrigation materials. The signage for this area is part of the education process for students in aspects of revegetation. Our KPR Board had previously passed a motion for KPR to cover that Signage of $1500 sourced from the net profit generated by the Bunnings BBQ on 3rd August.

Alan Young had 50 hard copies of the West Beach Coastal News August Newletter to pass out to customers and he collected email addresses of Bunnings interested customers for his future monthly email circulation list. Alan gathered 40 new email contacts and a new helper, so the Pop Up worked well for "Friends of Lot 101".

In addition, Airport Bunnings generously donated a Voucher for Bunnings stock of $200 for future irrigation equipment for "Friends of Lot 101".

Cheers and thanks
David Taylor and Brian Tucker(Co-Organisers for KPR BBQ)

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Email from Warren Hobbs to Alan Young

Hi Alan

Thanks for your email below.

Our Bunnings BBQ last Sunday was highly successful. As is consistent with the Motion passed by our KPR Board, we will provide $1500 for signage for the "Friends of Lot 101" Biodiversity project sourced from the Net Profit generated by our Airport Bunnings BBQ on 3rd August.
Can you please provide the detail of the Bank Account so that we can pay the $1500 into that account.

It was also pleasing that Anna as Co-Activities Organiser of Airport Bunnings has presented a Bunnings voucher for $200 to you to assist with irrigation expenses for Lot 101.

It was pleasing that you had good Bunnings customer interest in your Pop Up table promoting the activities of Friends of Lot 101, resulting in August Newsletters passed on and gathering further email addresses for future circulation of Newsletters. It was a great outcome that Anna as Co-Activities Organiser has offered you future Pop Up space independent of our BBQ activities.

It was quite a day, with excellent outcomes in several different aspects..

We at KPR look forward to future activities that can support both "Friends of Lot 101" and our Rotary Club.
We are also delighted that a group from KPR will be able to have a "walking tour" of the Biodiversity Park where the Friends of Lot 101 are making a real difference as a pathway exemplar for our local beaches. We have arranged to meet you on site at the end of Barcoo Road in the carpark at **3pm on Thurs 11th September**.
You have mentioned that the tour will take around one hour. I was fortunate last week to have an "outside the fence" view of the Biodiversity Park, which greatly assisted my understanding
of the project.

Yours in Community Service
Warren Hobbs
Chair KPR Engagement Committee

PS I will arrange to have these emails included in our coming weekly Newsletter as background info for our Members. Also cc to our BBQ organisers and co-Presidents

Club News:

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On Mon, Aug 4, 2025 at 3:05 PM Alan Young <alan.young8@bigpond.com> wrote:

Hi Warren,

I write to thank the Kidman Park/West Beach Rotary Club for their support in furthering the development of restoring the dunes at Lot 101 adjacent to the Adelaide Sailing Club on Barcoo Road at West Beach.

Your Club's sense of community mirrors the commitment of the Adelaide Sailing Club's to be welcoming and to care for the environment.

We are very fortunate to live where we live and should never take it for granted.

Really appreciative of your hospitality and linking us to Bunnings and their subsequent gift towards our work.

I will again acknowledge it in next months newsletter.

I was able to get a further forty email addresses for my newsletter and some interest in caring for the dunes on the day.

Look forward to being part of your wider circle of friends sometime soon.

Good to meet some more of your friendly team working for the community.

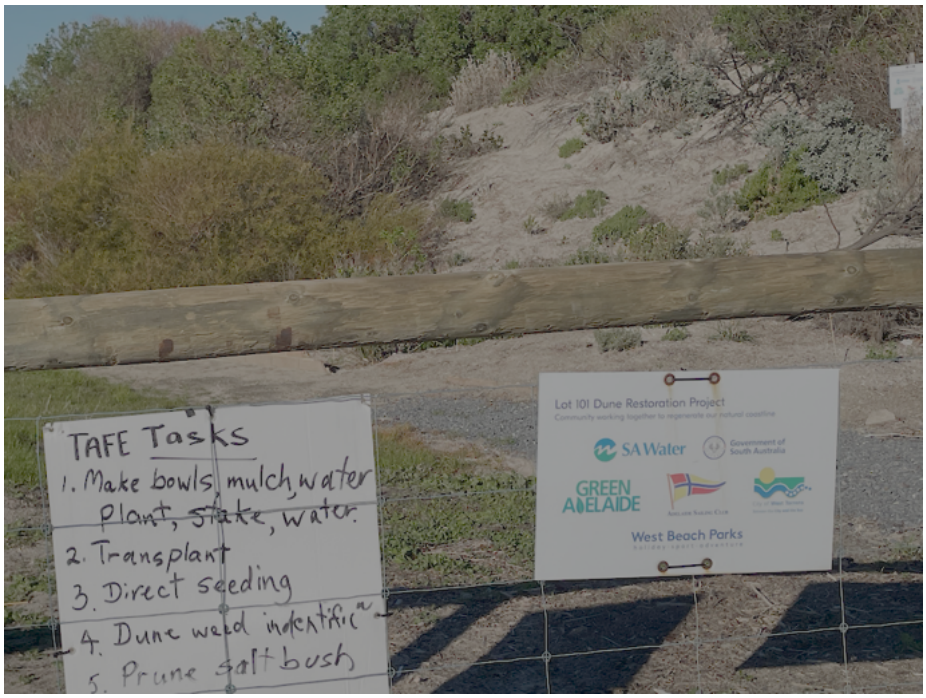
Kind regards,

Alan



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Club News:

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Date: 28th July 2025

Notice of

Special General Meeting

of the Rotary Club of Kidman Park
to be held on the **9th September 2025** at 6.30 pm

Purpose of the meeting : To vote on the following motion

Motion:

The Rotary Club of Kidman Park requests the District Governor approve the name of the Club be changed from The Rotary Club of Kidman Park to The Rotary Club of West Beach.
The Rotary Club of West Beach identifies the Club with the community and area of interest of our members.

Motion proposed by: Rob Hughes / Co-president 2025-2026
Motion seconded by: Barbara Wheatcroft / Co-president 2025-2026

Reason for requesting change of Club Name:

The general public recognises the name West Beach as the area is well known due to the Adelaide Airport, the popular West Beach Caravan Park, Harbour Town Shopping precinct and the Pat Golf Course.
The Club meets at Westward Ho Golf Club at West Beach
Kidman Park is not particularly well known outside of the suburb and its immediate neighbouring suburbs.

Club News:

Attached is the Invitation Flyer that applies for any visitors to our SPECIAL LAUNCH of "Friends of Rotary" to be held on Tues 19th August.
If you wish to invite a friend, please feel free to email this on to them and ask that they RSVP (by 12th August) to Warren Hobbs **all as detailed on the attached Flyer and with accompanying payment of $20pp by EFT.**
Our Community Partners are Complimentary on this Launch occasion to encourage the ongoing relationship of them and their organisation with our Rotary club..

Your KPR Engagement Committee



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Australian Rotary Health *movie fundraiser*

Sunday 12th October 2025

The Regal Cinema, Kensington Road
Kensington Park

Arrive 1.30pm for movie at 2.00pm



"The Travellers" is a family drama film directed by Bruce Beresford. The story follows Stephen Seary, a stage designer returning to his hometown in Australia to visit his dying mother. What was meant to be a brief trip turns into a chaotic experience as he grapples with family obligations, a difficult relationship with his father, and old relationships, all while needing to return to Europe for an opera project.

Tickets $25 person

https://www.trybooking.com/DBQPW

Each ticket will include a glass of wine or orange juice and snacks on arrival

Raffle tickets will be available for purchase.

All funds raised will be donated to

Australian Rotary Health **mental health research**

Rotary Districts of Australia | Australian Rotary Health | LIFT THE LID on mental illness

OBJECT OF ROTARY

The Object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster:

FIRST: The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;

SECOND: High ethical standards in business and professions; the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations; and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society;

THIRD: The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business, and community life;

FOURTH: The advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.



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Bunnings BBQ

For your diaries:



Saturday 30th August



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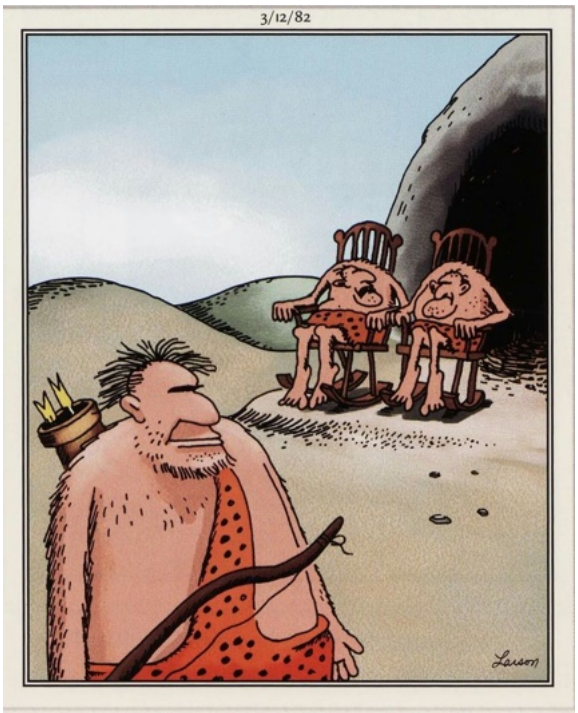
The Joker Draw

Steve Redden had the winning ticket but didn't select the Joker card

The JACKPOT is $2109







"*Look* at that! ... Give me the good ol' days when a man carried a club, walked semi-erect, and had a brain the size of a walnut."





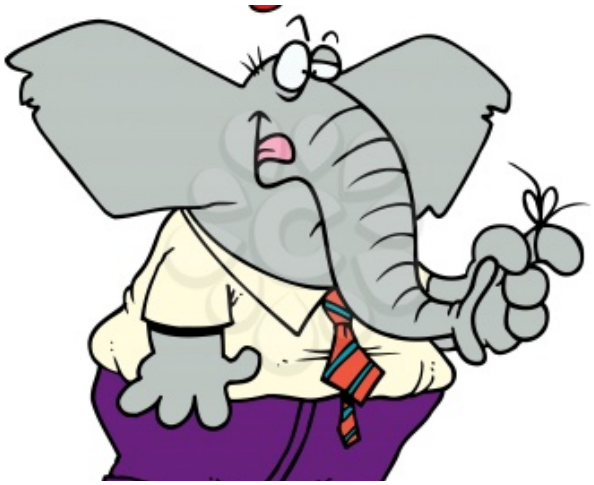
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Fellowship Events

SAVE THE DATES

Put them in your Diary



Event: **Day Trip by Coach - "Secrets I have Found"**

When:

Note: Additional details to be advised closer to date - Chris Branson

Event: **Walkathon for Australian Rotary Health**

When: 19th October

Event: **Musical "FOOTLOOSE"**

When: **Saturday Night 25th October, starts 7:30pm**

Where: **Arts Theatre, 53 Angas St., Adelaide**

Cost: $33 per person

Event: **KPR Christmas Function -**

When: **Sunday 14th December**

Where: **Glenelg Golf club**

Note: Additional details to be advised closer to date - Chris Branson

Event: **Presidents BBQ**
When: **Tuesday 13th January, 2026**
Where: **Cruising Yacht Club, Lady Gowrie Dr., North Haven**

Event: **3 hour cruise on the Captain Proud**
When: **9th April, 2026**
Where: **Murray Bridge**
Cost: **Cruise and 2 course lunch, $48 per head + bus fare**

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Upcoming Events & Guest Speaker

Tuesday 12th August

Committees

Tuesday 19th August ⭐⭐⭐

Guest Speaker: **Jodie Knighton & Adam Reed (Adelaide Airport)...FRIENDS of Rotary**

Topic: Jodie is in the AAL Property Team and specialises in Commercial and Stakeholder Relations.
Adam's key areas are Environment and Community.
Adam and Jodie will give us a current update on Adelaide Airport Ltd developments including the upcoming $600mill investment in AAL future and an update on the plans for AAL long term tenancies of surrounding properties."

Meals On Wheels Roster:

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Meals on Wheels Contact
Grace Giles
Mobile: 0407 603 637

Charles Sturt Meals on Wheels is situated at the rear of

Festival Function Centre,
292 Findon Rd, Findon
Please be there by 10.50 AM

Wednesday Roster

13th August	David Simpson
20th August	Tom Bunnik
27th August	Stuart Ghent
3rd September	David Simpson
10th September	Ian Roberts
17th September	Peter Brown
24th September	Bob Hudson

Friday Roster

15th August	Frank Bunnik
22nd August	Jenny Harris
29th August	Robert Ryan
5th September	Brian Tucker
12th September	Paul Denley
19th September	Karen Feind
26th September	Ron Harris

Hi Meals on Wheelers

Just a reminder for all, to ask if you could place the magnet signs on your car when delivering for MoW. The signs promote Rotary and in particular, our good work.

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delivering
Meals on Wheels

Notes:

- If for some reason you are unable to fulfill your roster please arrange to swap with another Member. Please do not contact the Bulletin Editor. It is not the Bulletin Editor's job to find a replacement.
- Dale Kentish is co-ordinating the Meals on Wheels Roster (replacing Bob Hudson)
- If you have a breakdown or accident the MOW volunteer will call a taxi and will continue on the remainder of the round and return to the kitchen afterwards. You are left to deal with your vehicle issues as you see fit.

Meeting Duty Roster

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August 12th	August 19th	August 26th	2nd September
Furniture Chris Branson Grant Price	Furniture Rob Stocker Brian Tucker	Furniture Janet Johnson Grant Price	Furniture David Simpson Robert Ryan
Attendance Shirley Roberts	Attendance Shirley Roberts	Attendance Shirley Roberts	Attendance Shirley Roberts
Welcome Peter Brown	Welcome Ian Roberts	Welcome David Taylor	Welcome Wayne Comley
Chairperson Rob Hughes	Chairperson Barbara Wheatcroft	Chairperson Rob Hughes	Chairperson Barbara Wheatcroft
Guest Speaker Intro Committees	Guest Speaker Intro Kevin Tiggemann	Guest Speaker Intro	Guest Speaker Intro
Joker Draw Peter Johnson	Joker Draw Robert Ryan	Joker Draw Mario McDonagh	Joker Draw Kevin Mullins

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Member's Birthdays:
David Simpson 15th August

Partner's Birthdays:
Phillip Willington 17th August

Wedding Anniversaries:

Membership Anniversaries
Wayne comley 15th August

BookMart Roster:

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DAY	DATE	TIME	MEMBERS	VOLUNTEERS
Saturday	9th August	10:00 - 12:30	Janet Johnson, Jenny Harris	Darlene Green, Michelle N, Lorraine Paroissien, Lily Reynolds
		12:30 - 03:00	Kevin Tiggemann, David Taylor	
Monday	11th August	10:00 - 12:30	Steve Redden	Chris Turner, Dawn Frank, Jeanie Reynolds
		12:30 - 03:00		Ann Nagy, Leah Roberts, Ros Jones
Tuesday	12th August	10:00 - 12:30	Rob Hughes	Leonie Brunckhorst, Renuka Kumar
		12:30 - 03:00	John Jackson	Clive Turner, Alison Duggan
Thursday	14th August	10:00 - 12:30	Jenny Harris	Ruth Shakes, Lynn Allpress, Barbara Kendrick
		12:30 - 03:00		Don & Lee McCulloch, Christine Iovino
Saturday	16th August	10:00 - 12:30	Karen Feind, Kel Burke	Darlene Green, Michell N, Nishok Kannan
		12:30 - 03:00	Rose Willington, Dale Kentish	
Monday	18th August	10:00 - 12:30	Grant Price	Dawn Frank, Jeannie Reynolds
		12:30 - 03:00		Anne Nagy, Ros Jones, Chris Frensch
Tuesday	19th August	10:00 - 12:30		Don & Lee McCulloch, Clive Turner
		12:30 - 03:00	Steve Redden, Rob Stocker	
Thursday	21st August	10:00 - 12:30	Robert Ryan, Kevin Mullins, Chris Weyland	
		12:30 - 03:00	Paul Denley	Christine Iovino, Barbara Kendrick
Saturday	23rd August	10:00 - 12:30	Liz Foote, Megan Kerr	Darlene Green, Michelle N, Lily Reynolds
		12:30 - 03:00	Janet Johnson	Jenny Clarke
Monday	25th August	10:00 - 12:30	Shirley Roberts, Anne Branson	Dawn Frank, Jeanie Reynolds
		12:30 - 03:00		Anne Nagy, Ros Jones, Yvonne Dohal
Tuesday	26th August	10:00 - 12:30	Chris Hughes, Paul Denley	Barbara Kendrick
		12:30 - 03:00	Rose Willington, Barbara Wheatcroft	Chris Frensch
Thursday	28th August	10:00 - 12:30	Bob Hudson, David Taylor	Barbara Kendrick
		12:30 - 03:00	Warren Hobbs	Christine Iovino

Members Committee Allocation:

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Members Committee allocation 2024 - 2025

Name		Committee		Name		Committee
Wayne	**Comley**	**Admin Chair**		Chris	**Branson**	**Director Fellowship**
Rob	**Chambers**	**Administration**		Rob	Chambers	**Fellowship**
Karen	**Feind**	**Administration**		Kel	**Burke**	**Fellowship**
Ron	**Harris**	**Administration**		Peter	**Brown**	**Fellowship**
Jenny	**Harris**	**Administration**		Peter	**Farquhar**	**Fellowship**
Rob	**Hughes**	**Administration**		Chris	**Hughes**	**Fellowship**
Peter	**Murton**	**Administration**		Shirley	**Roberts**	**Fellowship**
Barbara	**Wheatcroft**	**Administration**		David	**Simpson**	**Fellowship**
Dale	**Kentish**	**Dir. Community**		Warren	**Hobbs**	**Dir. Engagement**
Janet	**Johnson**	**Community**		John	**Christo**	**Engagement**
Ann	**Branson**	**Community**		Mario	**McDonagh**	**Engagement**
Jenny	**Filsell**	**Community**		Robert	**Ryan**	**Engagement**
Liz	**Foote**	**Community**		Kevin	**Tiggemann**	**Engagement**
Kevin	**Mullins**	**Community**				
David	**Taylor**	**Community**		Steve	**Redden**	**Director Vocational**
Chris	**Weyland**	**Community**		Bob	**Hudson**	**Vocational/Youth**
Rosalie	**Willington**	**Community**		Grant	**Price**	**Vocational/Youth**
				Rob	**Stocker**	**Vocational/Youth**
						Vocational/Youth
Ed	**King**	**Dir. International**				
Tom	**Bunnik**	**International**				
Paul	**Denley**	**International**				
Stuart	**Ghent**	**International**				
Peter	**Johnson**	**International**				
Ian	**Roberts**	**International**				
Brian	**Tucker**	**International**				