Rotary Club of Camberwell FIRST MEETING AND CHARTER

ESTABLISHMENT OF THE ROTARY CLUB OF CAMBERWELL 1956

In July 1956, a meeting was held at the Camberwell Town Hall. At this meeting, presided over by District Governor's Special Representative, Alan Patterson of the Rotary Club of Hawthorn, it was agreed that a Rotary Club should be formed in the City of Camberwell.

A preliminary meeting of prospective members was held on Tuesday, 11 September 1956, when territorial boundaries were decided upon, application forms signed and the entrance fee of Eight [8] Guineas paid.

The Organisation Meeting of the PROVISIONAL ROTARY CLUB OF CAMBERWELL was held on 28 September 1956, at the Whitehorse Inn, Whitehorse Road, Balwyn and the following office-bearers elected:

President Ian Hammond Barnes

• Vice President John Lovett

• Hon. Secretary John Francis Goss

• Hon. Asst. Secretary Les Brown

• Hon. Treasurer David O'Callaghan

Sergeant-at-Arms William Jackson Giblet

This Club's charter was granted on 2 November 1956.