

Next Ten Years

JOIN US as we head into our next decade with excitement. After celebrating our 10th anniversary in February this year, **Second Chances SA** is now focused on a positive and successful future with your continued support.

As the new Chairman and an original founding director, I am committed to working with our current and future growing team to expand the organisation, enabling us to help an increasing number of children and families of prisoners through our various programs.

Our social enterprises, including our Op Shop and Furniture Warehouse, also continue to provide opportunities to support a growing

number of children and families affected by domestic violence and homelessness, in partnership with other charitable organisations across South Australia.

It's time for us to relocate to a larger, combined Op Shop and Furniture Warehouse in the south, to expand our programs and support the growing needs of disadvantaged children and families.

We always believed that we also needed to establish a similar Op-Shop and Furniture Warehouse facility in northern Adelaide.

We are now searching for suitable locations for both these facilities, with the south as our first focus.

Our preference would be to purchase facilities, but this would require a partnership/s in the first instance, as we grow our revenues to a position where we can fully service a mortgage. Growing the assets of **Second Chances** is a paramount requirement moving forward into the future.

Thank you in advance for your suggestions and ideas to help us achieve our **FUTURE VISION** together.

If you have any suggestions, ideas or would like to help, contact me Glenn O'Rourke Chairman, via office@secondchances.org.au OR phone 08 8272 0323.

Spring Cleaning With Purpose



Funds raised through **Second Chances Op Shop and Furniture Warehouse** provide much-needed support to our **Second Chances** programs for children and young people.

Through our partnerships with support services and agencies, we provide and deliver furniture assistance packages to individuals and families affected by homelessness, domestic violence and financial insecurity

– enabling them to transform their houses into homes with dignity.

CAN YOU HELP? We need:

- Fridges
- Washing machines
- Small dining tables & chairs
- Double beds & mattresses
- Double seater lounges
- Coffee tables
- Bedsides & chest of drawers

To request collection of your quality, donated furniture or whitegoods, please email photos of the items to furniture@secondchances.org.au along with your name, area, and phone number.

We are always in need of basic essential items for **Care Packages**:

- Quilts/Blankets
- Bed linen
- Towels
- Pots and pans
- Cooking utensils

If you can help, please contact us on 8296 5588 or deliver your donated items directly to 397 Diagonal Road, Sturt during business hours only.



Building Strength

I would like to extend a huge thank you to both Helen Glanville and her late husband, Geoff Glanville, who founded what is now **Second Chances** SA over 30 years ago.

It is with great excitement I announce, Helen Glanville will continue to be a part of the organisation in a few ways.

As the editor of, our quarterly newsletter and Helen has also agreed to join our Advisory Panel and assist us in achieving our future vision.

One of the most essential requirements for **Second Chances** moving forward has been to strengthen the robust corporate

governance structure and operations. To help achieve this, we are in the process of transitioning most of our manual and paper-based processes into a new digital and automated regime.

Our Board Secretary and Manager of Social Enterprises, Sam Narrowway, has extensive experience in these areas and is working with our external digital system providers to make this a reality.

As things change towards a positive future in an organisation, there are always speed bumps along the way. While these can sometimes be unplanned and unavoidable, we will

continue to focus on the exciting and prosperous future for **Second Chances**.

We always welcome suggestions and ideas from our supporters and friends, and look forward to working with you all to achieve our future vision. Please contact me via office@secondchances.org.au OR phone 08 8272 0323.



Glenn O'Rourke
Executive Director

Drivers and Star Volunteers

We are looking for volunteers to join our Op Shop and Furniture team. This is an opportunity to gain experience in retail, teamwork, and community service, in a supportive and fun environment! You may even get some bargains. All profits from Second Chances Op Shop and Furniture, fund the work we do for the children of prisoners.

Interested? Give us a call at Second Chances Op Shop.



Op Shop
& Furniture



397 Diagonal Road, Sturt SA 5047, **Ph: 8296 5588**,
Mon- Fri 10am – 4:00pm, Sat 10am-3pm

Meet 'Work Horse' James



James had a hard life growing up. He struggled with childhood abuse and neglect, along with other mental health challenges. James struggled with intellectual disabilities and never really felt he fitted in anywhere or could be accepted by anyone. Later in life, his marriage failed and his family abandoned him. James unfortunately took a dark path and landed in the South Australian

prison system, where he spent four years on the inside. Even inside he struggled. On coming out of prison, James connected with a lived experience volunteer and SCSA Social Enterprises Manager, Sam Narrowway.

James spent some time in a transitional house until **Second Chances** gave James a second chance. We provided James with some long-term accommodation, friendship, and hope.

A year on since release, James now volunteers full time as the Second Chances Warehouse Manager. He organises the truck and warehouse ready for furniture packages for people in need. Today, James loves his job, loves the people that **Second Chances** help, and loves

restoring hope to his community. Well done James! You should be proud of your achievements!



Never to Young to Lead Mentoring Camp



Never Too Young to Lead Mentoring Camp
Sat 21 – Sun 22 June 2025

Our young leaders camp in late June was a success creating opportunities for mentoring and character development for these young leaders. Thank you to the Mantana Foundation and to all our donors who support GoActive Mentoring Camps. Your generosity has enabled us to sow into these young lives, so they can impact the next generation.

Supported by:



School Holiday Fun

From time to time especially in school holidays, it's important to give children activities they would not necessarily experience on their own. One indigenous family is blessed to have a loving and committed grandmother who cares for eight of her grandchildren. By providing an overnight stay at a caravan park, grandma gets to have much needed respite while they get to enjoy each other's company and bond as a family unit.



Second Chances has partnered with Woolworths Noarlunga to help with the cost-of-living crisis felt by the vulnerable and disadvantaged families of our community. This has aligned with our goal of "restoring hope" in our community. We have been picking up produce including bakery, frozen meats, dairy, pantry staples, fruit and veg.

If you require assistance or are in need of help, all you need to qualify for assistance is to be on a Centrelink payment and produce your health care, or pension card, and evidence of no funds available for the purchasing of food.

Contact our Outreach Team or the Social Enterprises Manager, Sam, for more information on 08 8296 5588.

It Takes An Army To Help The Community



Second Chances would like to thank the Australian Army Keswick Barracks for their generous donation of six beds!

This will help people coming out of homelessness, domestic violence situations, and the youth.

Partnering With Other Agencies

CUSTOMER FEEDBACK

"Second chances has helped KWY on numerous occasions with the clients we service, with their help we are able to maintain a cultural appropriate and safe service delivery for our clients. Sam from Second chances was able to assist KWY with one of our clients who needed furniture due to complications. Sam went above and beyond to the point where he took time out of his weekend to deliver the furniture to our client. KWY will continue to have a partnership with Second chances as they are reliable"

KWY Aboriginal Corporation

We love collaborating with groups that care as much about the community as we do!



It's all about serving our community to restore hope to peoples lives!

FOUNDERS:

Geoff and Helen Glanville

PATRON:

John Doyle AC QC

JUSTICE ADVOCATE:

Dr Lynn Arnold AO FAICD

VICTIMS' ADVOCATE:

Michael O'Connell AM APM

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Henry Olonga

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