## NEXT MEETING ...... WEDNESDAY, 6 NOVEMBER 1996

## 7.30 pm AT THE COOMA EX-SERVICEMENS CLUB

## NOTE CHANGE OF TIME & VENUE

COMBINED SERVICES DINNER - HOSTED BY APEX.

A Change of Format - no guest speaker - but entertainment by the youth of the area. Talented young musicians & dancers. Come along, bring a partner or guest - be entertained. Apologies had to be in by last Thursday, so you had better come along and have a good time.

INTRODUCED BY: Leave it to Apex

**VOTE OF THANKS: Ditto** 

APOLOGIES OR GUESTS: Please advise Darrell Gaukroger on 523302 by midday of meeting. FAX A FINE - Tony 522961

ROSTER FOR: Attendance: David Epstein & Ian Ross Property: Col Adams HOBBY/MOST INTERESTING PERSON/PLACE - 3 Minuter - Next Week

\*\*\* Re Roster Duties: Please arrange for a member of each team to be there early or a substitute if not attending.

THOUGHT OF THE WEEK

by Anon.

Next Week: Same Bloke

FUTURE PROGRAMS:

Yvonne Macleod - Snowy Scheme Revisited - Also the Japanese teachers which some members 13/11/96 are hosting will be present.

Club Assembly - Clubs Annual General Meeting. Election of President & Board for 97/98. 20/11/96

Lyn Baxter - Something about ball room. 27/11/96

Wait and see! 11/12/96

Christmas Party - Marlborough. 18/12/96

NEWS AND HAPPENINGS:

Board Meeting - Barbara Andrews resignation from Club on Transfer to Kirkonnell (near Sunny Corner -East of Bathurst for the uneducated). Leave: Caroline Soucek - 16 to 30/10/96. Chainsaw Classic: Rotary will not be putting a float in, but will be operating a BBQ. - \$200 site fee forwarded. Schools: \$30 donation for speech night presentations to be forwarded to all the schools in Cooma area usually supported by this Club. Treasurers Report: Nil - Geoff away (but must have money in the bank, as they are still honouring our cheques!).

Cricket Challenge - President Elect. Brian J has issued a challenge to the Cooma Lions, for a 20 overs a side cricket Match possibly in February, no response yet. Possibly 2 pm start, finish at 6 pm ½ hour break between innings, BBQ refreshments afterwards (what about during Brian?) Stringent rules. Batsman retire on 20 runs, or after 2 overs (which ever is first), each bowler 2 overs, no LBW's; Acts of sledging, use of ring-ins, and other dishonourable behaviour frowned upon, left to respective Sergeants, but Rotary MUST

win.

Pacific Australian Cultural Exchange - (P.A.C.E.) is conducted each year by District 9690 (Blue Mountains Area), where they host students from the Pacific Islands for a month,. This year that District has tentatively booked them in for a visit to Canberra on 22 & 23, and Thredbo 24 and would like to have the 10/12 students billeted overnight in Cooma and return to Blue Mountains on 25th. Have a think about it and Pres Mark will bring it up next meeting.

Last Meeting - A very good night, Life Education did all right with Lions purchasing the 10 Smile for Life badges (sorry Paul H generously purchased the first one - something about not keeping the trap shut) and also the generous donations to the Sgts Fine session also went to this worthy cause, \$39.80 (but again Paul dipped into his pocket and donated 20 cents to round it off at \$40). Well done Lions and Rotary.

CLUB:

Birthdays: David Epsetin 1/11 & Katrin Hackney 3/11 Anniversaries: Nil Attendance Last Week: members out of 39 = 72% Visiting Rotarians: Nil Guests: Gitta Seidel (John Mercer) Tim Bate (Tony S) Lyn Nightingale (James the Bikie Hoon) Apologies: Ken D; Allan F; Darrell G; (though I thought I saw him have a wine earlier); Dave H; John J; Heather J; Neville L; Ian R; Alan D Leave of Absence: Ervino B; Greg S; Caroline S We also missed: Julie J & Col H.

ROTARY INFORMATION:

SERVICE IS A GIFT - ACCEPT IT.

RDU Sales Manager Given a PHF - Judy Donovan of Parramatta City RC is also Sales Manager for Probus Supplies. She is now a Paul Harris Fellow (RDU Sept. p.65)

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