

NEXT MEETING WEDNESDAY, 19 NOVEMBER 1997

6 pm for 6.30 pm COOMA MOTOR LODGE

Rotarian Alan Frost – Rotary Council of Legislation – Deli 12-16/1/1998

On behalf of our Club Alan reviewed the 193 proposed amendments to the Constitution & will give us the benefit of a 10 min. summary of his views, which were endorsed by the Board.

Followed by Humour: A joke to be told by J Taylor, R Kelly, M Revelant, Dr Bob & D Gaukroger

INTRODUCED BY: President Brain VOTE OF THANKS: Gordon Haylock

APOLOGIES OR GUESTS: Please advise Darrell Gaukroger on 6452 3302 by midday of meeting.

Remember – non-apology & non-attendance means you still pay for the meal.

FAX A FINE - Alan Dodd – 6452 1223

ROSTER FOR NOVEMBER: Attendance: Dr Bob & Neville L Property: Tom D

HOBBY/MOST INTERESTING PERSON/PLACE - 3 Minuter - Des T

Duty: 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: Dave Holgate


Stand up to be seen, speak up to be heard, sit down and shut up to be appreciated.


FUTURE PROGRAMS:


26/11 Yvonne McLeod – The SMA's new film 3/12 Annual General Meeting


NEWS AND HAPPENINGS:


 Wearing of Badges: From the Office of Charities, Dept of Gaming & Racing. As advised in Sept 1996 Bulletin, an identification badge needs to be worn in connection with any face-to-face appeal to the public. An appeal includes the sale of any raffle tickets or products. So you have to wear your Badges on BBQ duty or selling any tickets etc for the Club.


 **Melbourne Club Sweep:** Sale of tickets \$1,571.30, expenses \$771.30 (raffle books & prizes) = profit of \$800. Probably down a bit on last years, but we have enough tickets for next year, probably a few members didn't get around to selling their books, & Carlo wasn't around to crack the whip. However he will be next year as during the month before the cup he will not be allowed north of Bredbo, east of Nimmitabel, south of Berridale or west of Adaminaby. (Profit might be up a bit more as Treasurer Tony D advises some returns still coming in from members).

 **Board Meeting:** After the meeting of 19/11/97, all Board members please note.

 **Don Cowderoy:** Dave Holgate advised that former President of our Club, Don Cowderoy has been admitted to Royal Prince Alfred Hospital Sydney for extensive chemotherapy, we wish Don all the best & a card has been signed by all at last meeting & sent off.

 **The Rotary Cook Book:** You might not be aware but our "Magnificent Multicultural Rotary Cookbook" is being promoted at the Cooma Visitors Centre, in September they sold 2 books and we profited by \$5.62, & again in October sold another 2 for a profit of \$5.62, a consistent (even if small) income????

 **Japanese Teachers Visit:** We had 3 Japanese visitors as Club guests last week, these are part of Japanese Teachers of English, studying at Canberra & visiting our town as part of the program. Many thanks to the Rotarians & their families who are home hosting these visitors.

 **The Raglan Gallery & Cultural Centre:** On Sat 22/11/97 the National Art Gallery of Australia are presenting "Rembrandt – A Genius & His Impact" at the Raglan Gallery. It will be an evening of Dutch Culture with highlights by The Gallery's Barbara Brinton, Light Dinner, and Desserts (Dutch Theme) coffee/tea.. Mcnaro School of Dancing. (\$12.50 friends of Raglan) Others: \$15 Bookings: Raglan – Petra Murphy 523219; Katrin Hackney (w) 525392 (h) 521040.

CLUB:

Attendance last week: 27 members out of 41 = 66% **Visiting Rotarians:** Bob Mickle (Perth) Robert Wond (Leichardt) **Guests:** Joshie Miyake, Eiji Sloginagan, Akira Okugo (Japanese Teachers); Por (Club) Barbara Davies – Guest Speaker (Club) **Apologies:** Col A; Goeff G; Ashley C; Ken D; Carlo D; Dave L; Carlo P; Ken P **Leave of Absence:** Neville L; Geoff H; Charles O; Greg S & Gitta S (Gitta was due at Kalgoolie about last Sat, probably a bit saddle sore) **Also Missed:** Wolfgang **ROTARY INFORMATION:** Rotary Coverage

Scandinavia Leads World Numbers: Sweden has 3.32 Rotarians per 1000 population – it top; Norway 3.14 is 3rd; Finland 2.31 is 4th; & Denmark 2.13 is 6th. New Zealand with 3.27 occupies 2nd place and Australia 2.17 is 5th. USA with 1.55 is 8th (RDU Aug. p. 21)

BULLETIN REPORTER: Des T (filling in for Marko)