

NEXT MEETING.....WEDNESDAY, 21 JANUARY 1998
6 for 6.30pm Cooma Motor Lodge
Guest Speaker Margaret Hassel - Subject - Come along and find out.
INTRODUCED BY: Charles Oades **VOTE OF THANKS: Judy Taylor**

APOLOGIES OR GUESTS : Please advise Darrell Gaukroger on 523302 by midday of meeting.
FAX A FINE - Alan Dodd - 521223

ROSTER FOR JANUARY 1998 Attendance: Wolfgang L & **John Clarke** Property: Tom D
*****Re Roster Duties:** Please arrange for a member of each team to be there or a substitute if not attending.

FUTURE PROGRAMS

28/1/98 - Dugald Mitchell- the saga of the Mitchells (War & Peace?)
 4/2/98 - Farewell to Club Stalwart Ron (also known as Ned) Kelly, More next meeting.

THOUGHT OF THE WEEK by Mark Revelant

The language of love needs no tongue.

NEWS AND HAPPENINGS

***Matters from Board Meetings 7.1.98 & 14.1.98.**

1. Resignation. A letter of resignation was received from Geoff Harris, as the Rotary Club of Tamworth (one of 4 Clubs there has Finally condescended to let him join them. Geoff asked that we pass on to all Club Members his appreciation for their friendship and Rotary Fellowship - the last 7 years. Also if you are up Tamworth way call in your always welcome. Thanks Geoff for your assistance, direction and fellowship whilst in Cooma. No doubt you have started a B.O.B. Club up there. (Dave L. hasn't contributed much to the fines box since you left!!)
2. Donations. Our Club is again Sponsoring a St. Pats Year 10 Student to attend a Leadership Course at Lascallan College, Narooma next month at a cost of \$230.00 (St. Pats have also been reminded of Rotary RYPEN later this year.)
3. The Club is also assisting the Church groups who organised Carols By Candlelight by donating \$50.00 towards the cost of the P.A. hire for the night (we made a good profit out of the B.B.Q anyway).
4. Skateboard Ramp. As you're probably aware the skateboard ramp in the parking area opposite the Rotary Oval is now almost complete and according Rotary has now presented their cheque for \$500.00 the cost of this (approved by last Board).
5. Leave. - Pres. Brian J. - 17.1.98 - 29.1.98
 - Carlo P. - 5.1.98 - 20.5.98
6. Incoming Exchange Student, Patricia Lapuyade from San Nicolas, Argentine is due to arrive on either 4th, 5th or 6th of February (depending on what day the Argentine Airline has a flight and also confusion over the international time zone - but it will be all sorted out). Host Families the Moores, Haylocks and Jeffries - one more still to be confirmed.
7. Clean Up Australia. Is on the 1.3.98, Rotary are coordinators this year (our turn) so try to keep that day clear, come along and show "Rotary Cares" and the community what we can do.
8. Treasurer.

| | Income | Expenditure | Balance |
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| General Acc. | \$18207.97 | \$15501.48 | \$2706.49 |
| Project Acc. | \$16921.05 | \$11430.24 | \$5490.81 |

CLUB

Attendance Last Week: 75% **Guests & Apologies:** Unknown at this stage, someone's took the sheet home (Sgt. take note) **Leave of Absence:** Neville L, Greg S. Carlo P. **We Also Missed:** Don't know.

ROTARY INFORMATION

SHOW ROTARY CARES

Literacy and Numeracy Programs - RI Pres. Glen Kinross wants to pursue education programs throughout his year 97/98. All Rotarians and Rotaracters are urged to assist youth education in Schools and in Trade Training. (RDU Sept. Page 7.)

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