

NEXT MEETING ..... WEDNESDAY, 5 AUGUST 1998

Assembly and Start Time: 6 pm for 6.30 pm at COOMA MOTOR LODGE (downstairs)

Official visit DG & Japanese visit

INTRODUCED BY: Geoff Bowland

VOTE OF THANKS: Col Adams

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 – MARK REVELANT – 6452 1815

ROSTER FOR AUGUST: Attendance: Lou M & Dugald M Property: Bill R

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 Peter Taylor

Live for the present, dream of the future, learn from the past. Next Week: John Clarke

**FUTURE PROGRAMS:**

12 August Jeff Bradley – Changes in financial advising  
19 August Howard Charles – Recycling update – is it working?  
26 August Steve Shirvington – Newspaper Industry Overview

**NEWS AND HAPPENINGS:**

-  **Notes from Board Meeting:** Leave Granted to: Dave Holgate 6/7 to 5/8 (should be almost back from France or somewhere by now) Tom Dennis 17/7 to 26/9 (sunning himself up Foster way).  
**Donations:** \$100 has been donated to St Pats debating team to assist with petrol money for their taking part in grandfinal of 9750 Debating Competition next month.  
**Rotary Christmas Puds and Irish Whisky Cakes:** we are purchasing 1 carton of each (8 per carton) to sell to members to see how they go. Selling price \$8.95 each & our club makes \$2 each cake or pud. Sec Des will tell you when they come in so you can buy one from him. Its called Home Cooking – you take them home).  
**International Director Julie J:** advises we have one candidate for Aust/NZ Twin Exchange, and possibly one for GSE to Germany. **Community Services Col H:** advises monthly markets will continue with rosters.  
Major events coming up are Gaol Sleepover?; Fun Run; Melbourne Cup sweep.  
**Vocational Services John C:** advises that he is planning a Youth Art Competition for Octoberfest.  
**Treasurer's Report:** as at 30/6/98:  
General Account: inc: 32,471.13 exp: 29,559.07 bal: 2,912.06  
Project Account: inc: 25,031.70 exp: 24,262.97 bal: 768.76  
Carried forward 96/97: \$13,060.90 (for our shed) Reserve Account: \$4,698.30  
The reserve account is being upgraded to \$5,000 & invested in a term deposit for 6/12 months similarly \$10,000 of shed funds for 3 months.
-  **Veteran Women's Hockey Carnival:** if we are catering at this we will want ALL hands on deck, plus partners if available, as it might be for 3 days and one breakfast.
-  **Subs:** Please pay them **N-O-W** if you haven't already. Save yourself \$5 penalty. Also we have paid Semi Annual District fees of \$1,050 & RI Fees of \$1,176.00 already. Se we need your money.
-  **John Mercer:** advised that he still needs volunteers to accommodate our Japanese visitors for a couple of days next week. On Friday, 7 August there will be an informal dinner at the Motor Lodge, please advise JM if you can make it.
-  **A Great Talk by Les Strzelecki:** on the history and future of Cooma Gaol. Built in 1873 as the gold fields were opening up with housing for 30 prisoners, it closed in 1876 and over time it was used for such things as a mental asylum, police boys club, baby health care, secret document repository, offices for the Dept Lands, storage for the Snowy Scheme and finally back to a gaol in 1957. With its closure in July who knows what's in store for this historic building.
-  **Next Week:** DG Max Kuhnell will be attending the dinner. Be aware there is a Board Meeting at 4 pm prior to the dinner. Because of numbers dinner will be held downstairs next week.
-  **Dr Bob:** reported that our district (9710) has done a great job in motivating support for the street kids of Ulaanbataar (capital of Mongolia), so far around \$10,000 has been sent and we hope that RI will also support the cause.
-  **Jim N:** advised that 3 kids from the district – Robert Dunn, Nathan Rhodes and Kelly Corcoran will be attending the Rio Tinto Science Quest.

**CLUB:**

**Birthdays:** John J 9/8; Y Mercer 7/8 **Attendance Last Week:** 28 members out of 38 = 74% **Guests:** Les & Janet Strzelecki (Club); Alan Hall (Jim N) Patri (Club) **Apologies:** Geoff G; Ashley C; Col H; Wolfgang L; Neville L; Michael L; Ken P **Leave of Absence:** Ken D; Tom D; Mark H; Dave H; Carlo P Rob S

**ROTARY INFORMATION:**

SHOW ROTARY CARES

**Clearing Landmines:** The Rotary Club of Goulburn is trying to influence RI to include in the 3H program the terrible problem of landmine clearance. The RI Board has given limited support (RDU June, P. 10)

**BULLETIN REPORTER:** Steve Shirvington