NEXT MEETING......... WEDNESDAY, 30 SEPTEMBER 1998 Assembly and Start Time: 6 pm for 6.30 pm at COOMA MOTOR LODGE Surprise Program - Partners Invited

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 SEPTEMBER: Attendance: Dave Holgate Property: Rob Simms

*** 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: None this week Next Week: Rob Simms

FUTURE PROGRAMS:

7/10 Apex/Rotary Evening NEWS AND HAPPENINGS:

Those who were unable to attend last Friday's combined dinner missed out on a moving story from Judith Ellem who has been the driving force in organising the Southcare Helicopter rescue service. The service will be launched on 28 Sept in front of parliament house Canberra, and will commence operations on 1 October. Apart from 4 crew the helicopter will be equipped with two stretchers for casualties and can be reconfigured with a humidicrib and even a Bambi bucket for fire fighting should the need arise. Rotary has been a key part of arranging funds for the service and the Rotary logo will figure prominently on the ground and in the air. \$500,000 will be needed annually to keep the service in operation.

Rotary Markets: BBQ (\$589) and Stalls (\$245) raised a total of \$834 last Sunday with costs of

Brian J: advised we had received an update on the Thredbo pre school playground project, the fence has now been erected and further work is continuing.

Brian J: also advised that the submission for the National Bank's \$15,000 community funding project is complete.

The Rotary Fun Run: is scheduled for 18 October, 2,000 raffle tickets will need to be sold and all hands are requested on deck for the day.

Alyson HJ: asked that anyone with military memorabilia that they could loan to St Pats for their Coomafest window display to contact her piease. The school has a very large window at Cottle House to fill, the items don't have to be of historic importance.

Guest Speaker: Ken Prendergast gave a rundown on how SRSC are managing the growth of Jindabyne township. SRSC commissioned GHD to perform a study and give recommendations on how to handle the inevitable expansion of the town. Details such as how many dwellings should be allowed per hectare and how the construction may affect the visual amenity of the town are covered in detail. In the future, a bypass will run from the south side of the dam wall behind the town to meet the Barry Way and then Kosciuszko Road. This will run through the new competition golf course now under construction near the Sport and Rec. facility. A DA for a Sports University has been submitted and if all goes well it will be operational in 2000.

There will be a Meeting: of the Community Service Committee following dinner next week, 30 September.

John M: advised that Suzy Dunne has been offered a position on the Global Youth Exchange Program. Suzy will go to a Canadian/American district in the Cascade Mountains in the State of Washington.

CLUB:

Birthdays: Darrell Gaukroger 25/9 Anniversaries: Katherine & Alan Dodd 26/9 Attendance Last Week: 22 members out of 41 = 54% Visiting Rotarians: Phill Bagnall, Eden Guests: Patri (Club) Apologies: Col A; John C: Ashley C; Tony D; Alan D; Julie J; Michael L; Lou M; Tony S; Ken D; Bob E Make-ups: Bill R; Des T; Ashley C; Tom D Leave of Absence: Tom D; David E; Carlo P We also Missed: Wolfgang L; Neville L; Jim N; Peter & Judy T FAULTLINES, FAUNA AND FINGERLINGS ROTARY INFORMATION:

School Survives Earthquake: RC of Masterton South, (North Island of NZ) has tidied up a faultline site, and transformed a decrepit school, and a trout hatchery. This seven-month project won a national award (RDU August p18-19).