INTRODUCED BY: Ken Dane VOTE OF THANKS: Judy Taylor

APOLOGIES OR GUESTS: Please advise Darrell Gaukroger on 6452 3302 by Friday 6/11/98.

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

FAX A FINE – MARK REVELANT – 6452 1815

THOUGHT OF THE WEEK Tony Slater

Am I not destroying my enemies when I make friends out of them. (Abraham Lincoln)

## FUTURE PROGRAMS:

11/11 Combined Services Club Dinner – Ex-Services Club

18/11 Patri Lapuyade – Argentina

## NEWS AND HAPPENINGS:

Rob S reported that the Melbourne Cup sweep winners were Tony McKenzie, Chris Lamb and Alison Holgate. The sweep grossed \$1,593 with \$560 costs plus ticket printing. Estimated bottom line is \$1000. Many thanks to those who helped sell the tickets.

**Volunteers** are needed for catering at the Polo Flat airstrip on December 5 from 10.30 to 1pm.

President Gordon advised that the Pioneers Ball will be held on 20 February 1999.

Rotarians Peter and Judy Taylor will convene it.

Everyone please remember to hand in any outstanding raffle ticket books as soon as possible.

Rotary presented \$100 to Cooma North Public School to help finance their ensemble to go to Sydney.

**David Epstein** presented his vision for the Cooma Diet Gaol. The project needs around \$3.5 m to get running. David showed through overheads the total concept of the scheme and compared it to other projects that have succeeded elsewhere in the world. **Darrell G** asked that anyone not able to make next week's dinner should tell him by

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## CLUB:

Birthdays: Catherine Dodd 15/11; John Mercer 16/11 Anniversaries: Roma & Keith Goodwin 15/11 Attendance Last Week: 29 members out of 42 = 69% Visiting Rotarians: Peter McFarlane (Maitland) Apologies: Goeff B; Col H; Mark H; John & Heather J; Michael L; Dugald M; Jim N; Mark R; Ken D; Jim H; Ken P; Les S Leave of Absence: Carlo P

ROTARY INFORMATION: ROTARY IN AUSTRALIA & PNG

Present Statistics are: 1195 Clubs in Australia & PNG, with 31,819 members. This averages 33.3 per Club, compared with 41.8 worldwide. We are well up! (RDU September p11)