NEXT MEETING..... WEDNESDAY, 2 JUNE 1999

Assembly and Start Time: 6 pm for 6.30 pm at TRANSYLVANNIA WINERY,

MONARO HIGHWAY

Peter Culici and his Winery

INTRODUCED BY: John Clarke

VOTE OF THANKS: Ken Dane

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

Property: Bill Roach ROSTER FOR JUNE: Attendance: John Jacoby & Ashley Constance *** 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 next week: Les Sutcliffe

FUTURE PROGRAMS:

9 June Urban Urban Evening - Membership Development (\$15), Cooma Motor Lodge 16 June Gordon's "Final Furlong" - Port & Humour, final Night at the Motor Lodge

23 June Lindsay Hain - Reflections

30 June Changeover Dinner – Ex-Services Club (\$22) – Bill Doherty DG's Rep.

NEWS AND HAPPENINGS:

We Welcome New Member Les Sutcliffe: who was inducted at our 19 May meeting. Les and his wife Jan have 3 children Kerry (13); Ian (11) and John (7). Before taking over Snowtels Caravan Park, Les was 17 years in Sydney selling and installing computer systems for pulp and paper mills. He will join the Community Service Committee. (Apologies from bulletin editor for not being in last week's bulletin).

Guest Speaker Tanya Radasavlavic: one of our two 1998/99 Global Youth Exchange Students, delighted us with her recollections & reflections of her year in Namur, Belgium. Tanya, now at the ANU presented President Gordon with a banner from the Rotary Club of Namur, Belgium. She told us of her struggle with the French language & how she would cuddle up to her young host brother who would help her read comic & storybooks. Her experiences included visits to other European countries, becoming involved with the Girl Guides & talks to several schools on Australia. Tanya ran a team marathon for Rotary & only realized she was running against professionals when as second runner she was lapped. With her Zimbabwean exchange friend Sarah, she organised a one-hour concert for Rotarians of the three clubs in Namur. She completed various achievements during her year - learning to rock sculpture, piano playing, mastering French, sampling many of the 800 varieties of Belgium beer & becoming addicted to Belgium chocolate. She thanked Cooma Rotary Club, family & counselors for giving her the opportunity to Follow Her Rotary Dream.

one of Tanya's host families. Bill Roach has been appointed Club Counsellor and the first host family are the Jeffries.

Red Shield Appeal: reminder for those involved in the Red Shield appeal – Sunday 30 May.

Veteran's Hockey Weekend Food Van: 12 to 14th June. Being organised as a joint Service Clubs venture with morning and afternoon shifts on all three days. We will need all shifts manned by a roster of seven people initially. Profits will be divided between participating Clubs.

CLUB:

Birthdays: Susan Mitchell 2/6 Attendance Last Week: 30 members out of 43 = 70% Guests: Tanya, Michael and Savina Rad (Club); Ian Rad & Yvonne (John M); Tom Bellgard (Gordon H); Carol (Tony S); Jan (Les Sut); Marie Dunne & Linda Lucke (Alyson H-J) Apologies: John C; Michael L; Steve S; Ashley C; Margaret E; Wolfgang L; Jim N; Les Strez. Leave of Absence: Peter & Judy T; Carlo P; Dave H; Mark H; Lou M ROTARY INFORMATION: DIABETICS IN ABORIGINES

Our District 9710: has contributed \$A12,000 to help Aborigines monitor blood sugar levels, and improve diet and lifestyle. (Rotary World, May 99, p8)