

**NEXT MEETING . . . . . WEDNESDAY, 9 JUNE 1999**  
**Assembly and Start Time: 6 pm for 6.30 pm at COOMA MOTOR LODGE**  
**Urban Urban Evening**

**INTRODUCED BY:** Brian Jeffries **VOTE OF THANKS:** Neville Locker

**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 JUNE:** *Attendance:* John Jacoby & Ashley Constance *Property:* Bill Roach

\*\*\* 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:** Heather Jacoby

**FUTURE PROGRAMS:**

16 June	Gordon's "Final Furlong" – Port and Humour, final night at the Motor Lodge
23 June	Lindsay Hain – On Reflection
30 June	Changeover dinner – Ex-Services Club \$22

**NEWS AND HAPPENINGS:**



**Red Shield Appeal:** Efforts of the Rotarians who volunteered their time to collect for the Annual Red Shield Appeal were well rewarded. Cooma residents donated around \$8,000 to the appeal.



**Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islanders:** A letter has been received from the Rotary Club of Canberra requesting District 9710 to form a District Committee in relation to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander members of the community. Canberra is anxious to know if there is anyone in our club who would, with the backing of the club, be interested and available to work with them in the setting up of a District Committee and in carrying through its support role for clubs in our District. Achievement of success in work for and with indigenous people requires their active involvement in identifying needs and in the planning of activities. That, in turn, entails the often-difficult task of making contact with appropriate indigenous representatives, something that a District Committee could be helpful about. Or it could assist in identifying speakers or locating informative material that would assist processes of understanding. More information about this important initiative can be obtained from Des Trute.



**District Governor Changeover details are:** 12 noon for 12.30 pm (complete by 2.30 pm) 27 June at the National Press Club, 16 National Cct. Barton ACT. Cost \$28 pp. Parking at rear. Mike Bolton President Elect of the Rotary Club of Canberra urges all clubs to ensure they are represented at this function. See Des Trute for contact information.



**Transylvania Winery:** A very big night at Transylvania Winery. The wine flowed and the food flooded out into the dining room where about 52 Rotarians and their guest surely felt their waistlines were about to hit critical mass. Maybe the Sergeant should consider fining anyone who was able to complete their meal.

**CLUB:**

**Birthdays:** Susan Mitchell 2/6; Brian Jeffries 8/6 **Attendance Last Week:** 31 members out of 41 = 78% **Visiting Rotarians:** Nil **Guests:** Alison (Ashley C); Kathy (Alan D); Gai (David E); Marilyn (Darrell G); Doris (Gordon); Christina (Wolfgang L); Kate (Neville L); Yvonne (John M); Susan (Dugald M); Lyn (Jim N); Brett & Kylie Robson, Judy (Des T); Sonia (Rob S); Greg & Sharon Coombes Pierce (Heather J); Ivan & Janelle Roberson **Apologies:** Ken P; Ken D; Les S; Alan F; Dave L **Leave of Absence:** Mark H; Carlo P; Peter & Judy T; Lou M; Dave H **We also Missed:** Col A; Michael L

**ROTARY INFORMATION:**

**TOO YOUNG FOR ROTARY?**

**Past RI Presidents Started Young.** A review of 88 Past Presidents showed that 5 joined Rotary at age 25 or less, and 38 joined at age 35 or less. Clubs are urged to seek younger members, and put them to work immediately. (Rotary World, May 99, p2)

**BULLETIN REPORTER:** Steve Shirvington