NEXT MEETING - WEDNESDAY, 15 DECEMBER 1999 Time: 6.00 pm for 6.30 pm

VENUE: Grand Court Chinese Restaurant

SPEAKER/TOPIC: Guillane Andre – Belgium and International Exchange INTRODUCED BY: Bill R VOTE OF THANKS: Lou M

APOLOGIES OR GUESTS: Please advise Darrell Gaukroger on 6452 3302 by midday of meeting.

Also advise if you want an Australian Meal as against chinese meal.

Non-apology & non-attendance means you pay for the meal. Apology, Non-attendance & no make-up means you pay \$2

SERGEANTS FAX-A-FINE: Send to John Clarke on 6452 4004

ROSTER FOR DECEMBER: Attendance: Wolfgang L & Kevin D Property: Col H

Be Early. If not at meeting arrange for substitute. At another venue arrange to bring necessary property.

THOUGHT OF THE WEEK by Tom B

Next Week: Mark R

It is not the size of the dog in the fight, but the size of the fight in the dog.

LAST WEEKS MEETING:

Luisa Pauletto, outward bound to Germany in Jan 2000 on Rotary exchange, told of her excitement having been chosen to represent Cooma Rotary and is looking forward to learning German and experiencing European culture. Luisa will be a great ambassador for Cooma, Australia. Members wish her well.

NEWS:

Carols By Candlelight: Dec 16. BBQ Roster – David E; Dave H; Des T & Mark R.

Rotary Markets: Dec 19. Christmas Theme. Roster:- Keith G; Ervino B; Les S; Tom B

Birthday Card: sent to Bob Rolf for his 90th birthday. Former Cooma Rotarian.

Gordon Haylock: to have his replacement at Calvary Hospital Dec 10th.

Jan 1, 2000: Sunrise breakfast at Mt Gladstone – FREE!! 4.30 am. Transport available from Cooma North High School, Visitors Centre and Hain Centre. All information from Visitors Centre.

Need bookings: for Rotary Millennium Party at Multi Function Centre 31/12 urgently or we may have to cancel.

FUTURE PROGRAMS:

December 22: Christmas party on the train. Railway Station Cooma 7 pm.

December 29: No meeting.

January 5: Cooma Gaol Museum and BBQ.

ROTARY INFORMATION:

Birthdays: Tom Dennis; John Clarke 10/12; Merrin Bertolin 14/12 Attendance Last Week: 67% Guests: Luisa Pauletto (Carlo) Apologies: John C; Ashley C; Tony DeT; David E; Alan H; Jim H; Alyson H-J; Patrick K; Neville L; Ken P; Steve S; François L Leave of Absence: Gordon H; Les Strz We Also Missed: Wolfgang L

ROTARY INFORMATION: El Nino & La Nina

Complex Earth/Atmosphere Relations in the Pacific Ocean become abnormally warm (El Nino) or cold (La Nina), causing hurricanes. A USA organisation is endeavouring to forecast occurrences from wind and temperature measurements. (The Rotarian, October p26-29)