

**NEXT MEETING - WEDNESDAY, 22nd DECEMBER 1999 Time: 7 pm**  
**TRAIN – RAILWAY STATION**  
**CHRISTMAS PARTY**  
**COME IN CHRISTMAS DRAG – ENTERTAINMENT/SINGALONG**  
**DARRYL, COL AND CARLO**  
**INTRODUCED BY: Father Christmas VOTE OF THANKS: Rudolf**

**GUESTS:** Mr Jim Marlin – Builder Colorado, USA  
Mr Ken Gray, Fremantle, WA  
Both visiting Rotarians

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

**ROSTER FOR DECEMBER:** *Attendance:* Wolfgang L & Keith 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 Mark R

Next Week: Les Sut.

To escape criticism, say nothing, do nothing, be nothing.

**LAST WEEKS MEETING:**

President John represented Rotary at all 5 local schools presentations this past week. Very impressed with maturity of the children running the events.

Lou Moore read an interesting e-mail from our exchange student Susie Dunn. Susie has recently visited both New York and Denver Colorado as well as British Colombia, Canada.

Susie is due home early January.

Last Weeks guest, Ms Cherie White, spoke to us about Landcare in the upper Murrumbidgee catchment area.

**NEWS:**



**Proceeds** of the recent Motorfest here in Cooma (total of \$3,000) raised by the Motorfest committee and all 3 service clubs was handed over to the Nursing Home this week.



**No Meeting** 29th December. First meeting Y2K 5th January 2000.

**FUTURE PROGRAMS:**

Christmas party next week (22nd) Train ride and dinner to Chakola \$25 per adult \$15 per child. Beer, wine and softdrink available for purchase before departure, on the train, and at dinner. Self serve please. Plum pudding and Christmas cakes available "on the train".

**ROTARY INFORMATION:**

**Birthdays: Anniversaries: Attendance Last Week:** members out of 42 = 72% **Guests:** Nil  
**Apologies:** Geoff B, Ashley C, Tony D, Margaret, Dave E, Jim H, Brian J, Dugald, Ken P, Bill R  
**Leave of Absence:** Gordon, Les Strz, John C **We Also Missed: Make-Ups:**

**ROTARY INFORMATION: The Courage to Change**

**RI Pres. Carlo Ravizza** cites enormous changes in world life during Rotary's history period, due to increasing human needs. He urges Rotarians to form a NEW MISSION STATEMENT, AND STRATEGY. (The Rotarian, October p.41)

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