

**NEXT MEETING: Wednesday 19 January 2000** Time: 6 – 6:30 pm

Venue: Grand Court Chinese Restaurant

**SPEAKER / TOPIC: Visit of P.A.C.E Students ( Pacific Islanders) Entertainment from our guests**

Introduced by: Tony Slater

Vote of Thanks: David Epstein

**APOLOGIES or GUESTS: Darrel Gaukrodger on 64523302 by midday of meeting**

Advise Darrell if you need an Australian meal as against a 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 64524004

**ROSTER FOR JANUARY:** Attendance : Francois LeGall / Col Adams Property: Brian Jeffries

**THOUGHT OF THE WEEK:** "The only persons you should try to get even with are those who have helped you".-Geoff Bowland.

**NEXT WEEK:** John Clarke

#### **LAST WEEKS MEETING:**

GY Exchange Student Guillame Andre entertained the club with a thorough overview of life in Belgium and his life in Belgium. He gave a lively presentation which kept us both informed and enthralled.

#### **NEWS:**

- 95<sup>th</sup> Birthday of Rotary International – Cocktail Reception. Wed Feb 23<sup>rd</sup> 5:30 pm – 7:30 pm Ballroom – Hyatt Hotel Canberra. \$20 per head. RSVP Feb 11 Tel 0413 598 724
- Letter of thanks from Bob Rolfe. Our cards revived many fond memories of the 70s with our club.
- ANZAC citizen award for quality of service including individual acts of compassion, generosity, bravery etc – Entries close March 31, contact 64525491 for details.
- Monaro Early Intervention Service Inc. Holding an auction and would like donations of prizes to be auctioned off at the Valentine Dinner Dance on Feb 12. Contact Ph / Fax 64527424.
- Australia Day Jan 26 BBQ Duty Roster: Neville L Tony De T. Julie J. Dugald M Reserve John C
- Jim Thompson, District Treasurer passed away on Jan 2. He was a Rotarian of high regard.

#### **FUTURE PROGRAMS:**

Jan 26 – Australia Day Rotary Family Breakfast Meeting ( Details later)

Feb 2 – Linda Bacon – Olympic Roads and Traffic Authority ( ORTA)

Feb 9 – Joe Jones – Country Assistance Program ( CAP)

#### **ROTARY INFORMATION: Paul Harris Fellowship Awards**

Now number 685,000 awards including over 36,600 in 1998/1999. Cooma Rotary Cob has awarded 18 so far, of whom 6 are still Active or Senior Active Members and 2 Honorary Members ( Rotary World Nov p.7)

#### **BIRTHDAYS:**

#### **ANNIVERSARIES:**

**ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK: 32 out of 40 – 80%**

**GUESTS:** Pauline & Ian Rad. ( Club ), Carol ( Tony S), Outbound GYE Louisa ( Carlo P), Rebound GYE Susie ( Kevin D), Clive Mellor & Roy Sheargold ( Warringah Rotary Club)

**APOLOGIES:** Darrell G Michael L, Dugald M, Mark R, Steve S, Les Sut, Jim H, Rob S

**LEAVE OF ABSENCE** Gordon H, Les Strez

#### **WE ALSO MISSED:**

**BULLETIN EDITOR:** Margaret Echarri

**BULLETIN REPORTER** Margaret Echarri

Pres