NEXT MEETING - WEDNESDAY, 9th AUGUST 2000 Time: 6.00 pm for 6.30 pm

VENUE: Grand Court Chinese Restaurant

SPEAKER/TOPIC: KAMOTO VISIT JAPANESE STUDENTS

INTRODUCED BY: Ashley Constance VOTE OF THANKS: John Mercer

MEAL: Advise Darrell Gaukroger if you want an Australian Meal as against chinese meal.

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

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

Next Week: Mark Revelant

ROSTER FOR AUGUST: Attendance: Margaret Echarri & Francois LeGall Property: Tom Bellgard Be Early. If not at meeting arrange for substitute. At another venue arrange to bring necessary property.

THOUGHT OF THE WEEK BY: Les Sutcliffe LAST WEEKS MEETING:

"This Is My Life" by Tom Bellgard from fuel at low prices to Real Estate at high prices and he's from Wales – well done Tom. The other "This is My Life" story by Francois LeGall came from Rotary Club in Canberra. Purchased land at Numeralla, and became a Cooma Rotarian. All members are pleased to have welcomed you both as members.

NEWS:

Paul Harris Fellowship Award: Congratulations to Dugald Mitchell & a very proud man, and why not, for he has done a lot for the Community & Rotary over a number of years.

Komoto Visit: Starts on Monday 7th August. Arriving at Centennial Park 5 pm. Collected by Rotarian Host Families. Tuesday 9 am Host bring group to Park. 10am farm visit for sheep shearing. 12.30 pm school visit including lunch. 4 pm Host collect group from park. Evening with host families. Wednesday 9th August 9.30 am hosts deliver group to Snowy Mountains Hydro-electric Scheme (SMHEA) Visitors Centre to watch short film. Happy Valley Heritage Museum, Adaminaby. Tumut 2 Power Station, Cabramurra visit to underground power station (includes lunch) Cabramurra Township (hopefully snow and sled fun) 5.00 pm Civic Reception plaque ceremony if included. 6 pm Rotary dinner hosted by Cooma Rotary Club. Thursday 10th August 9 am, Host bring group to Park – leave for Canberra.

Honorary Members: It was good to see three Honorary members with Keith Montague, Keith Goodwin and Caroline Worofka.

Birthdays: Edith Frost had a great day, unknown to Edith her family traveled home for the surprise birthday. Doris Haylock had a luncheon with the ladies and Rotary at night.

Paralympic Fund Raising Dinner: Some \$19,000. I am very happy to say that Cooma Rotary Club supported the fund raising by a donation of \$740.

Market Day Roster for August: Col Adams, Geoff Bowland, Dave Holgate & Wolfgang Laub.

FUTURE PROGRAMS:

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ROTARY INFORMATION:

Attendance Last Week: 31 members out of 39 = 77% Visiting Rotarians: Guests: Mavis Wellington (Club); Marilyn (Darrell G); Graham French (David E); Jan (Les S); Edith (Alan F); Doris (Gordon H); Mary & Hendrika (Jim H); Susan (Dugald M); Alison (Ashley C); Alison (Dave H); Yvonne (John M) Apologies: Col H; Patrick K; Ken P; Steve S; Lou M Leave of Absence: Kevin D; Carlo P We Also Missed: Col A Make-ups: Ken Dane

ROTARY INFORMATION: A message from Director-General Dr. Gro Hsarlem Brundtland

This spirit of partnership toward a historic goal in global health, a spirit which Rotary International has nurtured and campaigned, is a large part of the reason that I have made polio eradication a leading priority of the World Health Organization through 2005. The achievements of this partnership are almost as remarkable as the eradication goal itself. Nearly two billion children worldwide have been immunized during National Immunization Days. (Rotarian p. 37, June)

BULLETIN REPORTER: Gordon Haylock