

NEXT MEETING - WEDNESDAY, 5 MARCH 2002 Time: 7.00 pm for 7.30 pm *****

******* VENUE: NIMMITABEL BOWLING CLUB *******

SPEAKER/TOPIC: Adam – Canadian Ambassadorial Scholar

INTRODUCED BY: Tony Slater

VOTE OF THANKS: Alyson Hulley-Jeffries

APOLOGIES OR GUESTS: Please advise Darrell on 6452 3302 by **FRIDAY 1/3/02 NOON**

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 Graham French on 64526102

MARCH ROSTER: Attendance: Geoff Bowland & Dugald Mitchell Property: Jim Hatfield

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

THOUGHT OF THE WEEK BY: Steve Shirvington

Next Week: Allan Dodd

Do not fear going forward slowly. Fear only standing still.

LAST WEEKS MEETING:

The guest speaker was Brian Coyte, President of Team Cooma. Brian arrived in Cooma in 1988, started South East Printing in 1993, is a Life Member of Apex and involved in several other community organisations.

Team Cooma is an arm of Cooma Unlimited, but run independently. It owes its origin to the idea from Les or John Jacoby, who suggested something should be done to encourage people to shop locally, coming up to Christmas seemed a good idea. So local businesses were asked to donate \$30 then, now \$275 to encourage residents to shop locally, receive a voucher, fill it out and enter it in the draw, then be present in the Park on Saturday at 12.30 for the draw (possibly so they didn't go to Canberra shopping on Saturday). There is also entertainment at the draw to make it more people friendly. There is a Jackpot draw each Saturday which you have to be present to collect. This program is run in Nov/Dec. The number of vouchers given is in relation to the amount spent. These vouchers are to encourage people to shop locally to gain more vouchers to increase their winning chances and also the trade at local businesses, so the Shop Local theme benefits all.

NEWS:



Clean Up Australia: is on this Sunday. Lions who are this year's local co-ordinators finally contacted a Club member, not the secretary or president to invite Rotary to be involved. Register at Norris Park anytime after 8 am.



The Lambie Town Walk: working bee set for this Sunday has been postponed till 10 March 2002 due to Clean Up Australia program.



Nursing Home Fete: wines urgently needed for the auction. Please drop off at Alpine Dry Cleaners.

FUTURE PROGRAMS:

13/3/02: Keith Montague

20/3/02: Combined dinner with Tuggeranong at Bredbo

27/3/02: Barry Folpp, Corrective Services, Cooma Gaol.

ROTARY INFORMATION:

Attendance Last Week: members out of = % **Visiting Rotarians:** **Guests:** **Apologies:** **Leave of Absence:** **We Also Missed:**

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