

## Duty Roster – MARCH/APRIL

### Attendance:

MARCH: Geoff Bowland & Howard Brown

APRIL: Marianne Burgess & David Byrne

### Meeting Preparation/Property

MARCH: Marco Revelant & Les Sutcliffe

APRIL: Lou Moore & Tony Strong

### Fellowship: Claire Neumeyer

Be early, if not at a meeting arrange a substitute. If meeting held at another venue arrange to bring property.

**PLEASE NOTE**  
**Change of Roster**

## Markets –

**MARCH 19th:** Wolfgang Laub (C'van), Alan Dodd (BBQ) Monica Alcock, Geoff Bowland.

**APRIL** Refer to next week's Bulletin

**NOTE:** Members rostered on and not able to attend are to make arrangements with another member to take their place. Those nominated to tow the caravan or chuck wagon are to be at the Rotary shed no later than 8am. ENSURE YOU GET THE KEY TO THE SHED FROM ROBBYN PRIOR TO THE EVENT THAT THE EQUIPMENT CAN BE SET UP EARLY. If you are unable to tow the van or chuck wagon PLEASE ASK SOME ONE WHO CAN, or advise Robbyn before the event. Others nominated should be at the Park by 8.45am.

## NURSING HOME FETE

The William Hudson Nursing Home Fete is on again and we need some good wines to auction, so please donate a bottle (or two). The donations may be left at the Alpine Dry Cleaners or brought to the meeting where they can be stored in the "vault" for "safe" keeping!

## COMBINED SERVICES CLUB ANNUAL DINNER

This will be held on the first Wednesday in November. Details are yet to be finalised, but make a note in your diary

## ATTENDANCE

29 members out of 50 = 76%

GUESTS: Robert Barnes & Alison (Dave H) Vince Rees (Kevin D) Mick Klima & Freja (Club)

APOLOGIES: David B, Ashley C, Robbyn C, Alan H, Brian J, Sabine L, John M, Elaine M, John M, Marianne B.

LEAVE: Ed C., Richard W., Steve S.

WE ALSO MISSED: Shirley G, & Liz A.

Des T & John G (The Guys who put the BULL into BULLETIN)

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## MICHELAGO DINNER

The 8th of March is scheduled for our annual get-together with the Rotary Club of Tuggeranong. Cost of the dinner is \$20. The bus will leave Centennial Park at 6pm. Cost of the bus will be around \$10.

This is always a good night as I am sure most will testify. This is our usual dinner night. To date it would appear there will be approximately 30 attending from Cooma. Please advise Darrell G by Monday 9 AM of your attendance and guests, if you have not already done so.

## THOUGHT OF THE WEEK – Darrell G.

Light travels faster than sound, which is why some people appear bright until you hear them speak.

Next Week: President Kevin D.

## FREJA ELBRO – EXCHANGE STUDENT

Freja is now with her third host Family, Tony and Carol Slater. Freja is quite enjoying the hosting by the various families as she has seen quite a lot of the area by courtesy of her host families. Last weekend Freja met an exchange student staying with Noel Trevaskis, and they had a wonderful time.

## BOMBALA ANNIVERSARY DINNER 4th MARCH

President Kevin and Maree together with the Jacoby's, Dave Holgate, Howard Brown, Lou Moore and John Mooney will be attending this function. Several cars will make the trip, so if you want to be in this historic occasion at Bombala, talk to President Kev. His phone is 6452 1610

Copies of Prashanth Shanmugan's Australia Day speech are available from John Gill at Cooma Colour Print, 148 Sharp Street Cooma

## WEDDING GREETINGS & BIRTHDAYS

Saturday 4th – Sabine Laub & David Scarlett's Wedding

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### APRIL FOOL'S DAY PROGRESSIVE DINNER

The first venue will be an assembly of all for pre dinner drinks and fellowship at 5 pm. From there it will be a case of attending the other venues as outlined at the "assembly".

Cuisine types include The Best of British, Inspired Italian, Moroccan Magic, The Greek Gourmet and Cool Curries. It is anticipated the accompanying wines will suit the palate and the food style.

For further detail be at the next meeting and Robbyn will explain it all.

### CLEAN UP AUSTRALIA

This is on again this Sunday 5th of March. Register at Norris Park at 9am to assist this nationwide clean up campaign.

### BOWEL SCAN PROGRAM

Rob Simms is again organising the Bowel Scan project (but not doing the actual scans!!). Rob has 100 kits. These are being distributed through the local Chemist and Rob has any further detail you may need. So see Rob if you would like further details.

### VITACALL

The Club has received a further cheque of \$320 from the above campaign. The Club's thanks go to Richard W. and his crew for the sterling effort they have put into this project.

### **NEXT MEETING:**

**WEDNESDAY 8th March, 2006**

***Venue: Village Inn at Michelago***

Apologies & Guests to Darrell Please – Phone 6452 3302

**Fellowship with Tuggeranong Rotary Club Members**

**Bus leaves Centennial Park at 6pm**

**BE THERE ON TIME PLEASE**



Mick Klima was born and reared in Cooma, Taught PE in Wagga Wagga before embarking on a world skiing tour. 20 years ago he returned to Cooma and opened a ski shop. Very involved in youth programs, particularly soccer. and when Gabby Wilks, an Argentinean who is coach of the Cooma Tigers, suggested a junior soccer trip to Argentina. Mick got heavily involved in fund raising events to assist raising \$75,000 for the trip, each player also had to provide \$3,000. 22 were selected, aged between 16-17. They

played 9 games against top clubs there and won 1. The visiting Cooma team had the privilege of playing with, against and be coached by world class players. Most newer soccer fields in Argentina have tennis courts and a swimming pool. Youth are heavily involved in sport, with fewer computers or TV Programs, and less obesity. The countries biggest export is soccer players and they export about 20,000 each year for big money. 3 of the Cooma team have stayed on in Argentina to play and be coached there. The team also visited Chile. Another trip to South America is being organised this year for 20 youths.



*Rob Simms thanks Mick Klima*



*Julie sneaks in a quiet one being a trifle late for the meeting*

*Darrell recites his favourite verse to the enjoyment of the assembled crowd. Copies can be bought (at great expense) from Maypole Motors of Sharp Street.*

