Duty Roster – AUGUST/SEPTEMBER PLEASE NOTE Change of Roster

Attendance:

AUGUST: Monica Alcock, Tom Bellgard SEPTEMBER: Kym Lloyd, Peter Davis Meeting Preparation/Property AUGUST: Marianne Burgess, John Clarke SEPTEMBER: TBA

Fellowship: Margaret Echarri & Claire Neumeyer,

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

SEPTEMBER 17th: David Libauer (BBQ), Tony Strong (C'van), Ashley Constance, Margaret Echarri

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 SO 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.

NEXT MEETING: WEDNESDAY 30th August, 2006 David Hogan – Snowy Hydro Tourism Introduction: Sarah W – Vote of Thanks: Dugald M

Venue: Cooma Thai Restaurant, Cooma

Apologies & Guests - Phone 6452 3302

ATTENDANCE

36 + 1 makeup 37 out of 52 = 71.%

VISITING ROTARIANS: Mal Straachan Jimboola Qld (Australia Post) GUESTS: Kirsty Herbert & Hanna Adachi (Club), Alison (Dave H), Kathryn Hackney (Elaine M), Pamela Mansfield (Geoff B), Gail Eastway.(Julie J) APOLOGIES: David B, Ashley C, Robbyn C, Peter D, David E, Graham F, Darrell G, Alan H, Jim H, Wolfgang L, Richard L, Kappilla N, Sabine S, Tony Strong, Richard W, Dr Bob. LEAVE: Liz A, (Sick) WE ALSO MISSED Marco R. MAKEUP: Robbyn C (Markets

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KIRSTY HERBERT addresses the Cooma Rotary Club on Respite Care in the Monaro

The guest Speaker was Kirsty Herbert, who has worked in the aged care sector of our community for the last 16 years. Working towards excellence in caring for our elderly citizens has become her passion. She is currently the Coordinator of the Snowy Monaro Respite Cottages for Cooma Challenge, who recently obtained a federal grant to supply overnight and daycare respite services to people who are caring for older people or Dementia sufferers to give carers a break or rest from their caring role. She informed us who these services are available to. Also showed us overviews of the respite Cottage in Vagg Street, its furnishing, and volunteers assisting with upgrade. Staff at this cottage have gold standard in Dementia and a Certificate 111 in aged care. FUNDING 5 nights stay, 24 hour care, all meals at cost of \$ 20 per day, No doubt this is a very great asset to our aging community, especially as respite care at nursing homes in the area has a 12 month waiting list. If you wish to know more contact Kirsty on 64522156 or 0428265654. There is an open day on 22/9/06 10am to 12 noon and you can join Kirsty for morning tea. - Reporter Des T





Col Adams thanks our Guest speaker, Kirsty Herbert following her address on Respite in the Monaro to the Club on Wednesday



MISSING CUTLERY CLUE UNCOVERED.

Restaurant proprietor, Gordon, said no charges would be laid at this point of time





CONGRATULATIONS

Wednesday 30th August -*Kym Lloyd* – Happy Birthday Saturday 2nd September – Allan Hall Tuesday 5th September – Heather Jacoby Tuesday 5th September – Alan Dodd Friday 8th September – Colin Mould

The Club extends best wishes to you all on your Special Day

2006 INAUGURAL NSW ROTARY WEEK NSW ROTARY WEEK: SEPTEMBER 18 - 24 Get Involved

TOM DENNIS \$15,000 BEQUEST

The board would like you to consider community projects for this gift.

Detail the items of interest that you feel may be beneficial to theCommunity and would be a permanent reminder of our late Fellow Rotarian. List in your order of priorities please list in order and must be with Kevin Dunne by 19-9-06

INTERNATIONAL LUNCH

An Invitation to a free cultural & Culinary Exchange at Cooma Monaro Shire Chambers 12 noon to 2pm on the first of September. For further information and to register your interest contact Yvi Henderson on 64523550.

ROTARIAN LIZ APPS

Claire N gave us an update on Liz and her treatment. Liz you are always in our thoughts and prayers.

MARKETS LAST SUNDAY

36 stalls returned 610 = 305 each to Markets fund and Project account.

B.B.Q \$1,010.00 less expenses. This was a great effort and a very pleasing result.

LEADING THE WAY THROUGH MEMBERSHIP

This year, we are delighted to be working with Rotary Inter-national President Bill **Boyd** from New Zealand as we strive for further growth in our region of the world.

Your Membership team for 2006-2007 in Zone 8A is:

Regional Coordinator for **Zone** 8A- - PDG Jenny Coburn Zone Coordinators - PDG Cathy Roth, and - PDG Terry Grant

As we move forward this year, we are mindful of RI President Bill's direction with membership—the lifeblood of our organization:

This year, we are being asked to:

DEVELOP AND IMPLEMENT A MEMBERSHIP RECRUITMENT PLAN TO ACHIEVE A NET INCREASE OF ONE MEMBER BY 30 APRIL, 2007.

- Invite at least one Rotary Foundation alumnus to join your club.
- Encourage diversity of membership and pro-mote a balanced membership.
- o Induct new members from demographic groups not currently rep-resented in your club.
- Sponsor a new Rotary Club.

• Develop a Certificate, or other form of recognition, to recognize individuals who bring in new members. We encourage all Clubs to aspire to being recognized with a Presidential Citation this year. As RI President Bill says: "Without Rotary Clubs, there is no Rotary. Our clubs do Rotary's most important work, and the Presidential Citation is one way of recognizing their many accomplishments. When all club members are actively involved in club projects, the club is stronger, more effective and more likely to grow and thrive. "Let us share Rotary with others"

LET'S MAKE IT HAPPEN! (Reprint from RI Membership Newsletter Membership Magic)

THOUGHT OF THE WEEK – Chris Adams

You can do or be whatever you want in your life, nothing can stop you except your own fears.

NEXT WEEK: Marco R