

The Rotary Club of Cooma Inc.

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MEETINGS:

We meet every Wednesday

6:00pm for 6:30pm at

Dodds Hotel

94 Commissioner Street Cooma



Weekly Bulletin



The Rotary Club of Cooma Inc.

THIS WEEK'S ATTENDANCE: 38 out of 54 = 70%

VISITING ROTARIANS: Neil Russell (Southport North), Ian and Laurel Sayers (PDG)

GUESTS: Dort Tynan (Rob S.), Katie & Kim (Chris A.), Neil Brown & Jeanette Bailey (John C.), Allison (David H.), Chris & Anne Tame & Judy (Des T.) and 9 others not stated.

APOLOGIES: Ken D., Darrel G., Dave L., Alan D., Peter A., Tom B., David B., Lou M.

SICK: Gordon H. and David E.

LEAVE: Sarah W., Elaine M.

Duty Roster July and August

Thought of the Week

Next Week - Julie Johnston

Fellowship

Margaret Echarri and
Claire Neumeyer

Attendance

July - Elisabeth Apps and
Graham French
August - Tony Slater and
Kym Lloyd

Property

July - Geoff Bowland and
Chris Adams

Introduction

Chris Adams

Markets

July - Dave H. Van, Tom B.
BBQ, Monica A., Elisabeth
A., Alyson H-J. PA, Rob S.

August - Tom Bellgard and
Alan Dodd

Vote of Thanks
David Holgate

August - Alan H. Van,
David B. BBQ, Geoff B.,
Brenda C-B., Alyson H-J.
PA, Elaine M.

SOME SIMPLE RULES ABOUT ROSTERS

GENERAL: Members rostered on and not able to attend are to make arrangements with another member to take their place.
MARKETS: 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 John Mooney 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 John Mooney before the event. Others nominated should be at the Park by 8.45am.

ATTENDANCE: For normal meetings YOU must advise Sue (6452 5611 or coomacontact@exemail.com.au) by midday Monday if not attending or bringing a guest. If you don't apologise then you must pay the dinner fee. Special meetings may require your apology or guest advice earlier.



The Board of the Rotary Club of Cooma 2009 - 2010



PDG Ian inducts Pamela

John says hooray

Issue: 24 June 2009

Items of special interest:-

- July-Literacy Month
- August-Membership Month
- September-New generations Month
- October-Vocational Service Month
- November-Foundation Month
- December-Family Month
- January-Awareness Month

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New Member Neil Brown



Neil's induction

PDG Ian Sayers



Ian spoke on Foundation

Presentation of Certificates of Appreciation



Marco for Monaro Freight

Tracy for Boller & Co.

Bruce for the bulletin

To Marco Revelant for transportation of all the goods to Sydney for shipment overseas. Tracy Boller for the assistance given in our very successful Bushfire Appeal Auction. Irene Shirvington for tireless work in editing and preparation of our weekly bulletin (she really deserves something more than just sleeping with Steve). (more on page 7)

Thought of the Week—John Clarke

Should have been John Clarke who has "Sometimers", sometimes he remembers and sometimes he forgets, this time he forgot.

Member Happenings

Wedding Anniversaries

Steve & Irene Shirvington - 3 July

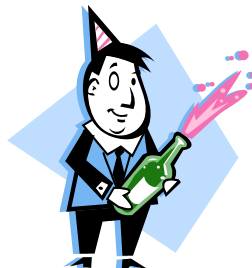
Birthdays

Dave L. - 7 Jul

Tony S. - 8 Jul

Christina Laub - 12 Jul

Heather Hall - 13 Jul



The Club extends our best wishes to you all on your special day.



News

COUNSELLOR BRIEFING SESSION

Come along and find out more about being a Rotary Exchange Student Counsellor. For members and non-members (invite your friends or ex-exchange students who can "see themselves in Rotary". Wednesday, 8th July 5:30pm – 6pm Dodds Hotel.

THE SNOWY MOUNTAINS CHRISTIAN SCHOOL INTERACT CLUB CHARTER will be presented on 30th June 2009 from 1:30pm at Snowy Mountains Christian School, corner of Baroona Avenue and Boona Street, Cooma North. This will take place at a school assembly and award presentation. Anyone wishing to attend must arrive **no later than 1:20pm** and register as a visitor at the school office before they can enter the school grounds. District Governor Phil Mewett is traveling from Sussex Inlet to make the charter presentation. PP John has received wonderful support from the school, staff and students to start this club and it would be a great show of support by our club if as many members as possible were able to attend this historic event. A number of you have already met the club President Jordan Shaw and this will be an opportunity to meet his board and some of the club members.

JuneMarkets



The Workers



The Supervisors



Left: Mrs Kelly receives her certificate of appreciation

Right: Cheryl has Colin note down his good points. (he didn't need a pen)



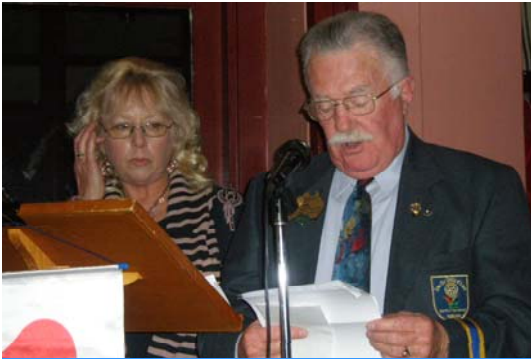
Next week's program: Col Pilkington
Mentoring and Bikes

Following week: Bronnie Taylor
Oncology on the Monaro

Bulletin Reporter — Des Trute
Bulletin editor & production - Irene Shirvington



Cooma Board 2009 - 2010



Pamela's gets the gong!

PRESIDENT PAMELA was inducted as the 56th President of this Club and gave us a report on R.I presidents Mission Statement.

THE BOARD FOR 2009/2010 - President Pamela Mansfield-Eastway, I:PP (feather duster) and Foundation John Clarke, President Elect Chris Adams, Secretary Rob Simms, Treasurer Les Sutcliffe under supervision of Jan, Community Service David Holgate, International Service Elisabeth Apps, Vocational Geoff Bowland, Youth Monica Alcock.

Donations for 2008 - 2009

Shelterbox (second box this year)	\$1,200
Komoto Scholarship fund	\$500
Rotary Overseas Medical Aid for Children - ROMAC	\$1,000
Rotarians Against Malaria - RAM (adopt a village campaign)	\$500
MHS travel assistance for students to attend student driver training	\$500
Cooma Little Athletics matting to improve high jump area	\$500
Cooma Library - sponsor 4 navigators (giving macular degeneration sufferers access to talking books)	\$400
Rotary Mental Health	\$500
CMSC defibrillator (location to be agreed)	\$2,817
Monaro Committee for Cancer Research – MCCR	\$500
Cooma Swimming Pool	\$200
Cooma Rugby Club sign for Rotary Oval	\$1000
St Judes School Tanzania	\$200
Village Lighting Scheme East Timor (Anton Vikstrom)	\$300
Home Living Support for portable oxygen machine	\$1000
Proceeds from the Sir William Hudson Nursing Home wine auction	



Presentations - New Paul Harris Fellows

The presentation of a Paul Harris Fellowship is The Rotary Foundation's way of expressing its appreciation for a substantial contribution to its humanitarian and educational programs. It is named after the founder of Rotary International, Paul Harris, a Chicago lawyer who started Rotary International with three business associates in 1905.



Sue Litchfield and Steve Shirvington both received Paul Harris Fellowship Awards

SUE LITCHFIELD - (excerpt from preamble) In 1996 the Monaro Committee for Cancer Research was formed to raise funds for cancer research and for the provision of outreach services to cancer sufferers. Mrs. Sue Litchfield later joined that committee as treasurer for two years and has been president since 2004. The committee started to lobby for an oncology unit in the local hospital and on 17th of September 2007 the unit was opened for a 12 month trial. By that time the committee had raised \$80,000 for the project. This unit was the first of its type in New South Wales.

STEVE SHIRVINGTON - (excerpt from preamble)

- Vice-president, Youth Director and Community Service Director of this Rotary Club.
- Constructed and managed the club website since its promulgation.
- He set up the full colour bulletin production system
- Created a RC of Cooma database which holds the recorded Rotary history of each club member going back to inauguration in 1954.
- Participant in the two potable water supply projects to two remote villages in PNG.
- He has recently completed a term as a GSE team leader to the USA.
- He will be the D9710 RI Alumni Chairman in 2009-10.
- He has arranged the provision of several truckloads of redundant hospital equipment to be taken to the Rotary Australia World Community Service storage facility in Sydney, from where it will be distributed to hospitals in third world nations located in the Asia-pacific basin
- This person along with his wife Irene has home hosted three GYE students.



Contributions to Cooma Swimming and Rugby Clubs



Keith Montague for his big swim

PP Graeme for the Rotary Oval

Tables and tables of members and guests



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At last I can relax

