

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

THIS WEEK'S ATTENDANCE: 34 out 48 = 70.8 %

VISITING ROTARIANS: Nil

GUESTS: Lainie Lawson (Club), Ned (Alyson H-J), Maree (Kevin D).

APOLOGIES: Tom B, Ashley C, Claire N.

LEAVE: Monica A, David E, Sue G-L, Brian J, Julie J, Kym L, Colin M, Cheryl M, Les S.

WE ALSO MISSED: Lis A, Gail E, Graham H, Wolfgang L

MAKEUPS: Nil

Duty Roster January, February, March

Thought of the Week	Fellowship	Attendance
Peter Allenspach	Margaret Echarri and Claire Neumeyer	January - Richard Lawson and John Clarke February - Graham French and David Libauer

Property	Introduction	Markets
January - Wolfgang Laub and Tony Slater	Jim Hatfield	February - Wolfgang L, Jim H, Dugald M, Robbyn C, Elaine M, Alyson H-J, PA
February - Ashley Constance and Julie Johnston	Vote of Thanks Tom Bellgard	March - John M, Cheryl M, Des T, Margaret E, Rob S, Alyson H-J, PA

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 David Holgate 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 SOMEONE WHO CAN, or advise David Holgate before the event. Others nominated should be at the Park by 8.45am.

The contact number for making apologies and for notification of guests for dinner meetings will be to Kim Adams. Phone 6452 1488 prior to 4 PM on Tuesday afternoons. You may also email Kim; kadams@coomalaw.com.au



Weekly Bulletin



The Rotary Club of Cooma Inc.

Heritage Why - Lainie Lawson

Our guest Speaker was Lainie Lawson who completed an Honours Arts Degree at Adelaide Uni. Lainie was the curator of Lanyon Homestead and other historic places in Canberra; a member of the Official Establishment Trust for eight years and Historic Houses Trust of NSW for six years. Lainie's talk was to be "Heritage Why", but she started with "What Heritage



Lainie Lawson

is" - the object of places of the past, that we value and want to pass on to the present and future generations, and includes landscapes, buildings, gardens, roads, shipwrecks, railways, and even fences. Lainie then mentioned some in Cooma, the Anglican, Uniting, and Catholic churches, gaol, post office, courthouse, showground pavilion and then called on members to name others. The replies were Lambie Gorge, Wrens Nest, Art Deco and the former Bunyan Brothel to mention a few. Just because one respects the old, doesn't mean we can't also appreciate the new or a blend of old and new, of which the Raglan

Gallery is a shining example. Gardens were then mentioned those with the old dirt swept paths, geraniums in jam tins, circular garden beds edged in whitewashed rocks and the Raglan Gallery garden. Preserving our future - world heritage listing, national heritage listing, local/regional heritage listing. Heritage protection sometimes creates controversy and mentioned the green bans of 1970



Introduction by Richard

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Items of special interest:-

- January- Rotary Awareness Month
- February-World Understanding Month
- March - Polio Eradication Month
- April - Rotary Magazine Month
- May - Planning Month
- June - Fellowship Month
- July - Literacy Month
- August - Membership Extension Month

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Heritage Why cont.

when Jack Mundy and his BLF colleagues refused to work on projects that destroyed heritage. Many sites were saved including a tree in Centennial Park where a couple of Rotarians were involved. Lainie has for a long time been a member of the Acquisitions Committee of the Australiana Fund which collects items of interest for four official residences - The Prime Minister's Lodge, Government House in Yarralumla, Kirribilli House and Admiralty House. Lainie said the Snowy Scheme is obviously a heritage item, and driving around looking at the landscape is great but there is a controversy concerning wind farms. She said while councils have planning officers and heritage advisors, they are bombarded by many different lobby groups and unless we are vigilant, things can just happen because no one was aware of the issues and consequences. She mentioned a town near here, when just before Christmas an old wooden fence was replaced with metal pipes. Many thanks Lainie for a great address.



Vote of thanks by Katrin

Rogues Gallery (or who locked up whom)



The Gaoler????



The inmate!!!

Thought of the Week - President Pamela

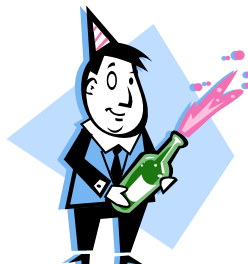
If you are making resolutions, start small then you won't disappoint yourself much, if you fail.

Member Happenings

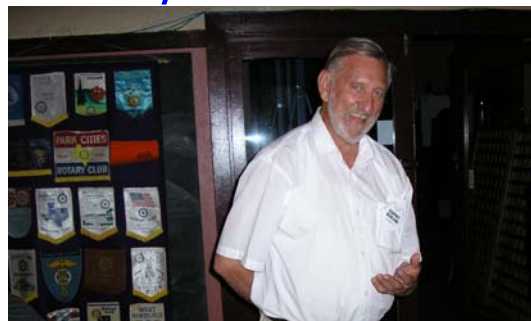
Wedding Anniversaries
None till February

Birthdays
None till February

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



Gallery



Geoff - our second guest speaker!!!!



Des had to ask THAT question!



One of Cooma Club's Heritage listed items.



And another!!!

News

BBQ ON AUSTRALIA DAY The club will be doing a BBQ on Australia Day in the Centennial Park. Thanks to those who have volunteered. See John M for more information.

ST JUDES IN ARUSHA TANZANIA SCHOOL The Rotary Club of Jerrabomberra are organising a RAWCS TRIP from 6th to 22nd July 2010 and anyone interested can get a copy of the program at the next meeting.

Next week's program: Vocational
Ken Prendergast

Following week: Australia
Peter Cochran

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