

# 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:** 33 out of 49 members = 62.3%

**VISITING ROTARIANS:** Nil

**GUESTS:** Pat Hain (Dr Bob), Allison (David H).

**APOLOGIES:** David B, Kevin D, Colin and Cheryl M, Claire N, Dave L.

**LEAVE:** Monica A, Peter A, Jim H, Julie J, Kym L.

**WE ALSO MISSED:** Alan D, Joe V, Mark C.

**MAKEUPS:** Nil

## Duty Roster February, March and April

Thought of the Week	Fellowship	Attendance
Graham French	Margaret Echarri and Claire Neumeyer	<b>February</b> - Graham French and David Libauer <b>March</b> - Geoff Bowland and Lou Moore
Property	Introduction	Markets
<b>February</b> - Ashley Constance and Julie Johnston	Steve Shirvington	<b>March</b> - John M, Cheryl M, Des T, Margaret E, Rob S, Alyson H-J, PA
<b>March</b> - Dave Libauer and Mark Cooper	<b>Vote of Thanks</b> Brian Jeffries	<b>April</b> - Lou M, Dave L, Elisabeth A, Robbyn C, Geoff B, 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](mailto:kadams@coomalaw.com.au)



# Weekly Bulletin



The Rotary Club of Cooma Inc.

## Past Cooma Rotarians

Three of our Rotarians gave us a report on three of our former members who are no longer alive. First Dugald Mitchell spoke on the life of Peter Schaar. Peter who was born in Hungary, coached the University rowing eight in Budapest. During the war, Peter was in charge of Nazi resistance. After the war he became aware he was being watched by the Communist Secret Service so he migrated to Australia. On arrival in Cooma, Peter opened a shoe shop in the bottom end of Sharp Street, Dugald's wife was a regular customer. Peter held many offices in the Cooma Rotary Club.



First speaker, Dugald

Dr Bob Englebrecht spoke on Norman Lindsay Hain (known as Lindsay Hain) who inherited the family shop in Cooma South where he worked from the age of 15 until he retired at 71. Lindsay was heavily involved in the community; a Councilor, Mayor, awarded BEM in 1973, was a member of many Retail Traders and Merchants boards and an active member of this club. Lindsay was heavily involved in two festivals, the first of which raised funds for the building and opening of the Cooma Swimming Pool Dr Bob spoke on how Lindsay obtained a donation from Edgar Kaiser for this project. Lindsay was the last charter member of this club who died while still living in Cooma (the only remaining charter member still alive is Herb Leibman who lives in Sydney). The third speaker was David



Second speaker, Dr Bob

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### Items of special interest:-

- 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
- September - Youth Activities Month

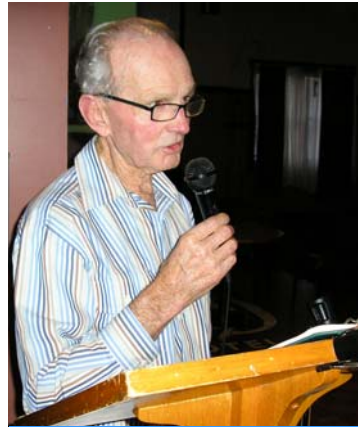
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# Past Cooma Rotarians cont.

Holgate who gave us a reflection of the life of John Wood. John arrive in Cooma in 1965, was in technical publications with SMHEA, joined Rotary in 1970 and held many positions in the Club. John was President in 1978-1979, he was generous with his time, talent, humor and creative in theatre, pantomime, musical comedy set making and involved in Cooma Little Theatre. David produced some memorabilia from a basket that he has treasured from John. There was no doubt these three former members of this club were very talented people who did a lot for this community.



Third speaker, David

# Galley



The cooks at work

Shelter Box on display

Free kisses

# Thought of the Week - Chris Adams

*Did you know that bachelors know more about women than married men.  
That's why they never married.*

# Member Happenings

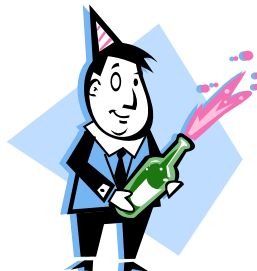
## Wedding Anniversaries

Alan and Heather Hall - 20 Feb  
David and Kathy Byrne - 27 Feb

## Birthdays

Irene Shirvington - 23 Feb

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



# Gallery



Which Banana in Pyjama is this????

More workers



Coffee time

Doing the rounds

Hey, psst, you wanna buy a shelterbox?

# News

**GSE TEAM** for next year is going to Germany and the District is looking for a team leader who is fluent in the German language.

**NURSING HOME FETE** has been moved to 28 March 2010 and the club still needs wine for the wine auction.

**POLIO ERADICATION PROGRAM** a report from DG that 167,000 people in India were vaccinated in one month. Just image the amount of volunteers required for this task.

**KEMABOLA BIKE REPAIR PROGRAM** Chris A still needs Rotarians to supervise this project on Tuesdays.

**Next week's program: Community Websites**

Ange Hart

**Following week: Vocational**

Kevin Dunne

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