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: 26 out of 51 members = 51% **VISITING ROTARIANS:** DG Michael and Julia Pedler (Club)

GUESTS: Alison (David H), Kim (Chris A), Georgie (Ashley C), Maree (Kevin D), Irene

(Steve S), Jan (Les S).

APOLOGIES: Rob S, Ken P, Dugald M, John C, Allan D, Gail E, Allan H, Graham H,

Richard L, Pamela M-E, Elaine M, John M, Claire N, Darrell G, Ken D.

LEAVE: Monica A, Peter A, Julie J, Kym L, Cheryl & Colin M

WE ALSO MISSED: Lis A and Graham F.

MAKEUPS: Nil

Duty Roster March and April

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Thought of the Week	Fellowship	Attendance	
Tony Slater	Margaret Echarri and Claire Neumeyer	March - Geoff Bowland and Lou Moore April - Alan Hall and David Holgate	
Property	Introduction	Markets	
March - Dave Libauer and Mark Cooper	David Epstein	March - John M, Cheryl M, Des T, Margaret E, Rob S, Alyson H-J, PA	
April - Ken Prendergast and Richard Lawson	Vote of Thanks Ken Dane	April - 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



Weekly Bulletin



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A big night out at Michelago



his week we had another of our annual get-togethers with Tuggeranong Rotary Club at Michelago. We had 26 members and 6 guests so transport was by the Monaro

High School bus, driven by Chris A and the Adams' family people mover driven by Kim Adams, also now known as "Lead Foot Lottie". It was a great night, good to catch up with friends. As it was St. Patrick's day, we had to have green displayed, Unfortunately Brian Jeffries didn't want to pay a fine, so chose to display his green underpants, even though several members donated up to \$10 not to see his jocks. There was the usual harmony, and a few jokes and of course David Holgate's rendition of "The Man from Snowy River", also a quiz arranged by Alyson H-J and Margaret H,

Items of special

interest:-

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- 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
- October Vocation
 Service Month

Canberra Clubs' Awarded



G Michael shows off the "Joint Canberra Citizens of the Year Award" recently presented by the ACT Chief Minister. The medal and citation recognises the outstanding effort Canberra Rotary Clubs have made in improving their respective communities. Our congratulations go to all concerned.

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A big night out at Michelago cont.

for the two clubs to compete for a Rotary Light Stand trophy made by David Holgate for the winner. Chris Adams had Tuggeranong winners at 16 - 18 points but Margaret Hassall also had them winners at 14-15 points, however Tuggeranong club refused the trophy so it looks like another quiz next year (thanks to Georgie Constance for assisting with a great answer). The Raffle and Fines Sessions raised \$390 which was donated to the Michelago Rural Fire Service via their representative who is always present to receive the donation. DG Michael Pedler presented President Elect of our club with Certificate of Appreciation signed



DG Michael and PE Chris

by RI President DK Lee for the clubs continued support to the Polio Eradication program.

Rotary Minute

ot a minute? Check out Rotary Minute, our new video series that features Rotarians from around the world answering a different question every month. What is Rotary? How have you benefited from being a Rotarian? Why are you a Rotarian? What does Service Above Self mean to you? Hear how can you get more involved? Hear answers to these questions and more from Rotarians around the world with Rotary Minute. Just follow this link and see what its all about.

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Z8K_ILHK-Qs

Thought of the Week - Katrin Hackney

We all see the same sky, but don't see the same horizon.

Member Happenings

Wedding Anniversaries
Tom and Kath Bellgard - 24 Mar

BirthdaysJohn Mooney - 24 Mar
Yvonne Mercer - 24 Mar

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



Gallery



News

RYPEN Applications are needed now!!!

ROTARY Club of Canberra Sunrise invites Rotarians to attend an Italian Opera Gala at Llewellyn Hall Canberra on 8th May 2010.

TORA Bright's Civic Reception will be held in the near future, Rotarians will be asked to volunteer for various duties (chuck wagon) to help all go smoothly.

Next week's program: Rural Urban night at Numeralla "From Dalgety to Abu Dhabi" Reuben Rose

Following week: Interact Graham H and John C

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