

The Rotary Club of Cooma Inc.

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THIS WEEK'S ATTENDANCE: 36 out of 46 = 78.3%

VISITING ROTARIANS: Dan Grant (Mudgee)

GUESTS: Alison (David H), Kris Laird and Veronique (Club).

APOLOGIES: Brenda C-B, Ashley C, Graham F, Jim H, John M, Cheryl M, Joe V, John V.

LEAVE: Monica A.

MAKEUPS: Nil

WE ALSO MISSED: Nil

Duty Roster March, April and May

Thought of the Week	Fellowship	Attendance
Brenda Campbell-Brown	Margaret Echarri and Claire Neumeyer	March - Brian Jeffries and Joe Vescio April - Darrell Gaukroger and Rob Simms

Property	Introduction	Markets
March - Neil Brown and Tom Bellgard	Steve Shirvington	April - Darrell G, Mark C, Colin M, Elaine M, Matthew T, Alyson H-J - PA, Cheryl M - Coffee
April - Tony Slater and Marco Revelant	Vote of Thanks Katrin Hackney	May - Graham F, Patrick K, Claire N, Les S, ? Alyson H-J - PA, Ashley C - Coffee

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 for making apologies and for notification of guests for dinner meetings is Darrell Gaukroger ph: 0407411422 or dgcooma@bigpond.net.au

MEETINGS:

We meet every Wednesday

6:00pm for 6:30pm at

Dodds Hotel

94 Commissioner Street Cooma



Weekly Bulletin



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Helping Small Business - Kris Laird

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Guest speaker was Kris Laird, Mobile Business Advisor, Capital Region BEC. Kris was a ski fanatic and a ski patroller at Thredbo and in Canada. She met her future husband when her car broke down and the NRMA mechanic came to assist (twice apparently). Kris wanted to start up her own business so she attended a couple of BEC courses



Katrin gives thanks

on Aussie Host and Customer Satisfaction, and met John Mercer and Katrin Hackney. Kris said that local people need to know what assistance the BEC can give to help them start up a business, a farm or other, House Workshops, to give strength to locals, use of web-

Items of special interest:-

- 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 - Vocational Service Month
- November - Rotary Foundation Month

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Kris Laird cont.

sites and passing on information to others. Successful planning is the basis of a good business. If you have an idea, check it out and you may bring local youth into it. The BEC can help you get ready, set and go. Their role is to help and they can assist with the pathway to success.

Gallery - Premier of the King's Speech



Thought of the Week - Katrin Hackney

Only those who respect the personality of others can be of real use to them.

Member Happenings



Anniversaries

Tom & Kath B - 24 Mar
Richard & Lainie L - 30 Mar

Birthdays

David H - 18 Mar
John M - 24 Mar
Yvonne M - 31 Mar

Years of Service

Ken Dane 10 Mar 51 yrs
Brenda C-B 25 Mar 2 yrs

Gallery - Premier of the King's Speech



Gallery



Mr Mercer came home

Vero doesn't want a used car

David 80 years young

News

KEMABOLO PROJECT President Chris announced that new toilets had been installed for both men and women. He is going on 8 April to try them out for the rest of the team when they arrive a day or so later.

MURRAY DARLING SCHOOL OF FRESH WATER RESEARCH Neil Brown and Ken Dane have been around the local schools looking for interested students. One student from Monaro High School has put up his hand for this course.

ANZAC OF THE YEAR Nominations have been called for.

CHRISTCHURCH EARTHQUAKE Cooma Car Club, Lions and Rotary are having a joint fund raiser at the Cooma Car Club Hall on 30 April 2010.

Next week's program: Joy Gillett and Bob Aitken
"Australian Rotary Health and Rotary Down Under" - Partner's Night

Following week: Club Assembly
Members Only

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