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**THIS WEEK'S ATTENDANCE:** 38 out of 46 = 74%

VISITING ROTARIANS: NII

GUESTS: Veronique, Kate Mahdney, Rakesh Quinn, Matthew Tweedale, Ian Hong,

Thomas Min, Sarah Wood (Club) Alison (David H).

APOLOGIES: Julie J, Peter A, Brenda C-B, Jim H, Elaine M, Richard L, Cheryl M,

Steve S, Alan D, John M.

LEAVE: Monica A, John Mercer

**MAKEUPS: Nil** 

WE ALSO MISSED: Nil

## Duty Roster April and May

Thought of the Week	Fellowship	Attendance
Matthew Towning	Margaret Echarri and Claire Neumeyer	April - Darrell Gaukroger and Rob Simms May - John Clarke and Cheryl Mould
Property	Introduction	Markets
<b>April</b> - Tony Slater and Marco Revelant	Les Sutcliffe	April - Darrell G, Mark C, Colin M, Elaine M, Matthew T, Alyson H-J - PA, Cheryl M - Coffee
<b>May</b> - Kevin Dunne and Julie Johnston	Vote of Thanks Ken Prendergast	May - Graham F, Patrick K, Claire N, Les S, Brenda C- B, 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



We meet every Wednesday

6:00pm for 6:30pm at

**Dodds Hotel** 

94 Commissioner Street Cooma



# Weekly Bulletin



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#### Medical Students on there Adventures



Kate, Matt, Ian, Thomas, Rakesh and Sarah

uest speakers were six of the 31 medical students who took part in the Rural Week Program designed to orientate them to some of the issues facing doctors in the country area. Sarah Wood who grew up in Sydney said it was great to be part of a medical interview with a patient. lan Hong was born in Singapore, moved to Sydney with his family

**Introductions by Matthew** 

where he grew up, also said the program allowed them to view emergency procedures. Kate Moore is from NSW and her family have been involved in Medical matters for 28 vears. Thomas Viu was from New Zealand then moved to Sydney. Matthew Tweedale was born in Adelaide then moved to Sydney with his fam-

#### Items of special interest:-

Issue: 30 March

- 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

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## Medical Students cont.

ily. Rakesh Quinn had a hair cut similar to President Chris, she had it shaved for Leukemia and raised \$2000. The students have all completed an undergraduate course prior to moving to Medical. Kate even graduated in Law and worked for a couple of years. They thanked the people of Cooma and the Club for their hospitality.



### **Presentation**



Katrin with Rewa and Nikki

atrin H presented a cheque for \$300 from Rotary to Rewa Nolan and Nikki Rabbitte as a donation to the MAD (Mums and Dads) group. They have produced a DVD showing the work they are doing to support young parents. Their production won both National and State awards in the Australian Business Arts Foundation, Art and Health section. Nikki is the Youth Health Worker and Rewa was in charge of the filming The donation from Rotary will allow for burning of more DVDs for distribution to interested groups.

## Humour - Des Trute

sister and brother were talking to each other when the little boy gets up and walks over to his Grandpa and says "Grandpa, please make a frog noise?" The Grandpa says "NO". The little boy goes on "Please make a frog noise?" The Grandpa says "No, now go and play." The little boy then says to his sister, "Go and tell Grandpa to make a frog noise." So the little girl goes to her Grandpa and says "Please make a frog noise?" The Grandpa says "I just told your brother no, and I'm telling you no." The little girl says "Please, please Grandpa make a frog noise?" the Grandpa says "Why do you want me to make a frog noise?" The little girl replied "Because mommy said when you croak, we can go to Disney World."

# Thought of the Week - Anon

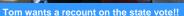
Talking without thinking is like shooting without taking aim.

# Member Happenings

Anniversaries	Birthdays	Years of Service	
Dave & Trish L - 20 Apr	Les S - 12 Apr Des T - 15 Apr Geoff B - 17 Apr	Steve S Colin M	03 Apr 13 yrs 19 Apr 05 yrs

## Gallery - post election chatter







The Serg. Reckons vote early and vote often



Joe gets an update on Monaro



The member for Nimbin "smokin Des'

#### News

**GYE STUDENT IN AUSTRIA** Claire Learoyd sent an email saying that she is still finding it a bit different going to school in the dark, but is really enjoying her experience and wanted a recipe for ANZAC biscuits for a treat for a local over there on Anzac Day. No doubt President Chris can oblige.

RYPEN is on at Mogo 12-15 April and we have two students that have nominated.

GLOBAL YOUTH EXCHANGE applications need to be in by 14 April.

**RURAL URBAN NIGHT** is on at Berridale on 13 April, please don't forget.

**FLOOD APPEAL** David H has a list of businesses to be approached for donations for this program and would like some assistance from members.

**SIR WILLIAM HUDSON FETE** Alyson H-J advised that the wine auction raised \$558, well done again. But as she could not get around to pick up some donations from Les we already have some wine for next year's fete.

Next week's program: Brian Coyte PHF "Future Prosperity of Cooma and the Region"

Following week: Rural Urban Night at Berridale
"The High Fire Project" - Barry Atchison and James Litchfield

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