The Rotary Club of Cooma Inc.

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We meet every Wednesday

MEETINGS:

6:00pm for 6:30pm at

Dodds Hotel

94 Commissioner Street Cooma

THIS WEEK'S ATTENDANCE: 38 members out of 46 = 92.6%

VISITING ROTARIANS: NII

GUESTS: Irene and Tom (Steve S), Alison (David H), Kim (Chris A), John King (Tony S), Nelson Wallace (Dugald M), Helen (Graham F), Jan (Les S), Maree (Kevin D), Georgie (Ashley C), Allie Adams, Veronique and Camilla, Brian and Dale Coyte, Matt Boucher, Paul McGufficke, Brianna Kerr, Shaun Knight, Kitty Knight, Kayden John, Zac Stockheim (Club).

APOLOGIES: John C, Katrin H, Elaine M, Matthew T, John M.

LEAVE: John Mercer

WE ALSO MISSED: Joe V, Peter A.

Duty Roster April and May

Thought of the Week	Fellowship	Attendance
Margaret Echarri	Margaret Echarri and Claire Neumeyer	April - Darrell Gaukroger and Rob Simms May - John Clarke and Cheryl Mould
Property	Introduction	Markets
April - Tony Slater and Marco Revelant	Dugald Mitchell	April - Darrell G, Mark C, Colin M, Elaine M, Matthew T, Alyson H-J - PA, Cheryl M - Coffee
May - Kevin Dunne and Julie Johnston	Vote of Thanks David Holgate	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



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Future Prosperity of Cooma - Brian Coyte PHF



uest speaker was Brian Coyte, who celebrated his 50th birthday with his wife Dale and the Club. He was introduced by a long time family friend Lester Sutcliffe (known to us Rotarians as Les). Brian spoke on the future prosperity of Cooma and the region. Brian came to Cooma in 1988 and spent five years on the board of SEAC. Brian said that Cooma has a good prospect for future development and em-

Introduction by Les

ployment, and when you look at recent developments with the expansion of Coles, Aldi and IGA supermarkets in the area, others also will feel it has a bright future. Brian also mentioned the gaol expansion, call centre and possible university expansion, coupled with the rural scene, and Snowy Scheme there are plenty of employ-

Items of special interest:-

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- 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
- December Family Month

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Brian Coyte PHF cont.

ment opportunities. Brian also mentioned the cycle and motor cycle events passing through; local Rugby, AFL, Rugby League Soccer and Car Club all of whom are assets to our area. But while we have these assets, as a community we need to support them. The three shires need to work together. A very good address by Brian and no doubt created interest to us all.



Graham gives thanks

Outreach Coarse - Cooking for Blokes

Wednesday nights 5:45pm to 9:00 pm from 27 April to 22 June – 9 weeks. Learn cooking skills in the company of other men/blokes in the wonderful Cooma TAFE kitchen. Learn to cook nutritious yet interesting food, develop skills for home, community, work or further study. No NSW TAFE Administration Fee but students pay a one-off food charge of \$50 plus a \$50 (refundable) uniform deposit. Rotarians may know some dads/ uncles/ friends out there in the community who may really benefit from attending this course. Please spread the word around. The course was held in Bombala and was very popular, the class filled very quickly. If you would like a flyer to display at your business contact Tracy Crompton 6452 0763 tracy.crompton1@det.nsw.edu.au www.illawarra.tafensw.edu.au

Phenomenon - Des Trute

Something that only happens once in every 800 years. Take the last 2 numbers of your year of birth, add your age this year and it will add up to 111. For those born from 2000 take the last number of their year of birth, add their age and it will come to 11.....amazing.

Thought of the Week - David Holgate

To die is nothing, not to have lived is a tragedy.

Member Happenings

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Anniversaries	Birthdays	Ye	ars of Service	Ž
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





Camilla helping Vero collect

Robbyn listening to David intently

News

KEMABOLO PNG President Chris left for Kemabolo on Thursday morning with the remainder following on Friday morning.

BELGIUM EXCHANGE STUDENT Veronique and her Belgium exchange friend, Camilla, baked brownies to raise money to purchase a Shelter Box. Well done, the brownies were delicious.

COMMUNITY SERVICE COMMITTEE David H requires you for a service club meeting at 5pm on Wednesday.

RED SHIELD APPEAL David H is looking for volunteers for this up coming event. **DISTRICT ASSEMBLY** is being held at Nowra High School, Moss Street, Nowra on Saturday 30 April to Sunday 1 May. Starting at 9.00am Saturday and finishing at 1.00pm Sunday. Registration will be on the District website.

Next week's program: Monica Alcock - Regional Development Council "Five Immediate Priorities"

> Following week: Darrell Gaukroger "The Rotary International Convention and Music"

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