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THIS WEEK'S ATTENDANCE: 35 members out of 45 = 77.8%

VISITING ROTARIANS: Jo Healy, Jeff Chandler, Graham Kinrad, Sue Falcon, Bob

Harder.

GUESTS: Too many to list, but thank you to all sixty for coming.

APOLOGIES: Peter A, Julie J, Patrick K, Elaine M, Marco R, Matt T, Colin M.

LEAVE: John Mercer, Monica A, Jim H, John M, Brian J.

WE ALSO MISSED: Nil

MAKEUPS: Nil

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Thought of the Week	Fellowship	Attendance		
Alan Dodd	Margaret Echarri and Claire Neumeyer	June - David Epstein and Richard Lawson July - TBA		
Property	Introduction	Markets		
June - John Mooney and Lou Moore	Claire Neumeyer	June - Marco R, Margaret H, Wolfgang L, Joe V, Dave L, Alyson H-J - PA, Neil B - Coffee		
July - TBA	Vote of Thanks David Holgate	July - TBA		

SOME SIMPLE RULES ABOUT ROSTERS

GENERAL: Members rostered on and not able to attend are to make arrangements with another member to

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 Gauk-

roger ph: 0407411422 or dgcooma@bigpond.net.au



We meet every Wednesday 6:00pm for 6:30pm at **Dodd's Hotel** 94 Commissioner Street Cooma



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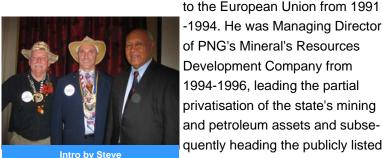
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Urban Urban Night - PNG High Commissioner

speaker was His Excellency Mr Charles Lapani, **High Commissioner** for Papua New Guinea to Australia. Before his appoint-



ment in July of 2005, Charles Lepani was an economic and public policy consultant. He recently was a member of the Aid Review Team for the governments of Papua New Guinea (PNG) and Australia. Charles was appointed Chairman of PNG Minimum Wages Boards 1972-1974, and member of PNG Law Reform Commission in the period 1972-1975. As Director of the PNG National Planning Office from 1975 to 1980, he was involved in the formulation of PNG's post-independence macroeconomic policy and public sector planning system including aid coordination. He was appointed Director of Pacific Islands Development Program (PIDP) at East West Centre, Honolulu, Hawaii from 1986-1991. Charles served as PNG's Ambassador



1994-1996, leading the partial privatisation of the state's mining and petroleum assets and subsequently heading the publicly listed

Items of special interest:-

• May - Planning Month

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- 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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Urban Urban cont.

company, Orogen Minerals Limited from 1996 - 2000. He holds a Bachelor of Arts (Economics) degree from the University of Papua New Guinea and a Master of Public Administration from JFK School of Government, Harvard University. Charles was awarded the Order of the British Empire in 1991. Charles spoke about the difficulties being faced in PNG and his views on what could be done to improve the economy and the security of his people.



Thanks by Pres Chris

His Excellency went on to thank the service organizations that spend so much time and effort on providing valued aid to Papua New Guinea.

RYPEN - Maureen Manning RYPEN Coordinator



From Maureen Manning. Hi all, here is a copy of the group photo for the May RYPEN Camp. You might like to print, frame and present to your returning RYPEN students. If they would like one of their colour group as well please email me and I will forward it on. Thank you for your support, this is what makes RYPEN successful.

Thought of the Week - Des Trute

Age is a question of mind over matter, if you don't mind, it doesn't matter.

Member Happenings

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Anniversaries	Birthdays	Year	rs of Serv	vice V
John & Gaie Mooney - 1 Jun Graham & Helen French - 2 Jun David & Alison Holgate - 27 Jun Les & Jan Sutcliffe - 27 Jun	Kevin D - 6 Jun Brian J - 8 Jun Chris A - 12 Jun Marco R - 14 Jun Steve S - 18 Jun	Graham F Cheryl M Neil B Chris A Monica A	16 Jun 26 Jun 27 Jun 28 Jun 30 Jun	09 yrs 02 yrs 05 yrs

Gallery





Shirvo - Kayden - Shaun - Denise

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Paul McGufficke shows his appreciation to Neil

News

COOMA LITTLE THEATRE Members have been working diligently towards their next production. Three One Act Plays will be staged from 17 to 25 June - "Woman Alive", "A Dogs Life" and "X". All in all, it promises to be a show full of variety and laughs - fun for all ages. For more information check clt.org.au Tickets on sale from 30 May at Cooma Visitors Centre.

Next week's program: Yvi Henderson "Results of Local Multicultural Programs"

Following week: Vocational "Pride of Work"

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