

# The Rotary Club of Cooma Inc.

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**THIS WEEK'S ATTENDANCE:** 25 out of 40 = 62%

**VISITING ROTARIANS:** Nil

**GUESTS:** Lola Radnotti, medical students, Interact students, Linda L (club)

**APOLOGIES:** Peter A, Geoff B, Allan D, Kevin D, Margaret E, Margaret H, Brian J, John K, Richard L, Elaine M, Lou M, Des T, Joe V, Tony S.

**LEAVE:** John Mercer, Julie J, John V, Brenda C-B, Ashley C, Alan H, Dugald M.

**MAKEUPS:** Nil

## Duty Roster August and September

Thought of the Week	Fellowship	Attendance
Elaine Mooney	Margaret Echarri and Claire Neumeyer	<b>August</b> - Les Sutcliffe and Margaret Hassall
<b>Three Minuter</b>		<b>September</b> - John Vucic and Dave Libauer
Jim Hatfield		

Property	Introduction	Markets
<b>August</b> - Alan Dodd and Peter Allenspach	David Holgate	<b>Van (V) Market Reserve (MR)</b> <b>August</b> - Wolfgang L (V), John K, Ken P, Elaine S, John M, Alyson H-J (PA) Steve S (MR) David H (Coord)
<b>September</b> - Wolfgang Laub and Colin Mould	<b>Vote of Thanks</b> Les Sutcliffe	<b>September</b> - John C (V), Geoff B, Rob S, Claire N, Alan Dodd, Alyson H-J (PA), Joe V (MR) David H (Coord)

### 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 Rob Simms on 6452 2241 or robsimms@netspeed.com.au

## MEETINGS:

We meet every Wednesday

6:00pm for 6:30pm at

Dodd's Hotel

94 Commissioner Street Cooma



# Weekly Bulletin



The Rotary Club of Cooma Inc.

## Medical Students Visit

Issue: 17 August

### Items of special interest:-

- August - Membership Extension Month
- September - Youth Activities Month
- October - Vocational Service Month
- November - Rotary Foundation Month
- December - Family Month
- January - Rotary Awareness Month
- February - World Understanding Month
- Month March - Polio Eradication Month



Neil B. gave the vote of thanks to our visiting students

This week we had six medical students visit, along with their facilitator Lola Radnotti. The students ranged from second year pharmacy to third year medical in their training cycle. Each student in turn addressed the meeting giving a brief profile on their aspirations and reasons for choosing their career path. Conrad is a third year medical student from North Queensland who already holds a pharmacy degree and converting to medical so he can be more involved with patients. This was Conrad's second trip to Cooma with the rural scheme and he really enjoys the town.



Pres. Katrin with Lola Radnotti and Claire

Cameron is a second year pharmacy student from Hobart, he's studying a three year degree in medical and then completing his masters in pharmacy at Canberra Uni.

Jo emigrated to Australia from China at the age of

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## Medical Students cont.

three, she was studying biotechnology at CU (biology and genetics). She decided that laboratory work was not for her and moved over to pharmacy. She found it took some time to get into the work but now really loves what she is doing. Jo said this is her first time in a small town and really enjoys the environment.

Chris came to Australia from NZ in 2005 and has lived and studied here since. He has pursued a range of careers including biotechnology and IT, choosing medicine as his preferred career. Chris said he loves science and wants to help people, hence his chosen pathway.

Joanna is half way through her second year and enjoying her time in Cooma. She got into medicine from science and veterinary medicine three years ago after sitting the exams at least three times. She keeps her interest in veterinary science by working as a vet nurse part time. Joanna also has a certificate in disaster and refugee help, she has spent time in Cambodia working in orphanages and will go back next year. Once graduated Joanna wants to work in a rural environment.

Les is a Chinese – New Zealand – Australian. His family emigrated to NZ when he was six and he gained his Australian Citizenship just last week. Les chose medicine over law and his focus is on biology.

All the visiting students thanked Rotary and the residents of Cooma for their warm welcome and friendship.



Neil had some suggestions for the students

## Thought of the Week - A. Einstein c/- Wolfy

**The definition of relative:**  
*One hair on the head is not enough.  
 One hair in the soup is too much.*

## Member Happenings



### Anniversaries

### Birthdays

### Years of Service

Trish L - 18 Aug

Mark C	19 Aug	2 yrs
Margaret H	19 Aug	2 yrs
Robbyn C	29 Aug	10 yrs

## Gallery



Dave and Linda raked in the \$

Lola Radnotti

Cooma Interactors joined the meeting

## News

**PRIDE OF WORK** President Katrin and Claire N. belatedly presented ex Rotarian, Sue Gorrington-Lupton with her Pride of Work award. Sue was very moved and proud to accept this honour.

**OPEN DAY** The John Curtin School of Medical Research will take place this year on Saturday 27 August from 10am-2pm. No charge to attend, all welcome!! Laboratories open will include: Cancer, Diabetes, Hearing, Breast Cancer, Immunology/ Autoimmune Diseases, Vaccine Development, and 3D imaging of the Nervous System, as well as the Histology Facility and Technical Services Workshop. They would love to see you on the day – and would like to ask you to distribute the invitation to your friends, family and colleagues.

**RYPEN** David Byrne advises that the Cooma Club will be sponsoring the attendance of three participants for the RYPEN Course in 9-11 September 2011. Luke Moers MHS Cameron Johnson and Rosannah Fizelle from St Pats.

### RYLA DISTRICT 9710 ROTARY LEADERSHIP AWARDS PROGRAM 2012

Scope: It's a six day residential leadership program

When: Sunday 15 to Friday 20 January 2012

Where: Greenhills Camp and Conference Centre, Cotter ACT

Who for: Potential Leaders who are 18 to 25 years old in January 2012.

Cost: to sponsor clubs is \$600

Applications Close: 30 November 2011



**Next week's program: Gina McCloskey**  
**"The Markets and Food"**

**Following week: Phil Stubbs**  
**"Future Education Options"**

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