

# Rotary Club of Cooma Inc

*Rotary Theme for the Month:*

*Rotary Family*

Meeting –3 December 2014

**ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**



Let's mo on one of its last outings

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

**Peter:** From the last board meeting – the projects, Lambie Gorge and the toilet block at Norris Park, combined projects with Lions, were approved, with the proviso that our contribution to Norris Park was to be in labour, not capital cost; \$150 prize money for Light Up Cooma approved; the fundraiser for the orphanage in Bhutan is to proceed; we have received a donation of \$63 which resulted from the sale of daggy wool.

**Mark C:** There have been two working bees to help with Matthew Towning's ramp. The deck at the front gate is due to be tackled but if it is raining, timber planks for the ramp are to be cut. Thanks to everyone who has helped.

**Neil:** The three day dog show netted \$4,020.30. The work was shared among Rotarians, members of the Baptist Church and the Snowy Mountains Christian School. Bowls night (next meeting) will cost \$5 per member, starting at 5.30pm, buffet dinner at 7pm at the usual cost of \$20. The Christmas party will be on Tuesday 16 December, 6.30 for 7pm at Nimmitabel.

**David H:** The progressive dinner which will now not be progressive will be held on Saturday 13 December at the homes of Wolfgang, Mark Cooper, Peter Davis and David Holgate. There will be 6-7 guests at each home; donation \$10.

**Ash:** The RYLA seminar will be held in January with 3 applicants from Cooma, two from Birds Nest and one from the high school.

**Next markets – 21 December, John Chapman to be Santa Claus.**

**Geoff:** A letter has been received from John Barilaro requesting nominations for Woman of the Year.

A letter of thanks was received from the Raglan Gallery thanking the club for its donation of \$1000 towards art storage in the new extension.

**THOUGHT OF THE WEEK (Mark C):** Courage is the art of being the only one who knows you're scared to death.



## **OFFICE BEARERS FOR 2015-2016**

**President – Neil                      Secretary – Les**

**Treasurer – Dugald**

**DIRECTORS:** Vocational – Brian  
International – Geoff  
New Generations – Ashley  
Community Service – John Chapman  
Club Service and President Elect – Mark C  
Foundation – Peter



## DECEMBER ROSTER

Attendance John Chapman / Darrell

Property Helen / Geoff

Fellowship Claire / Margaret

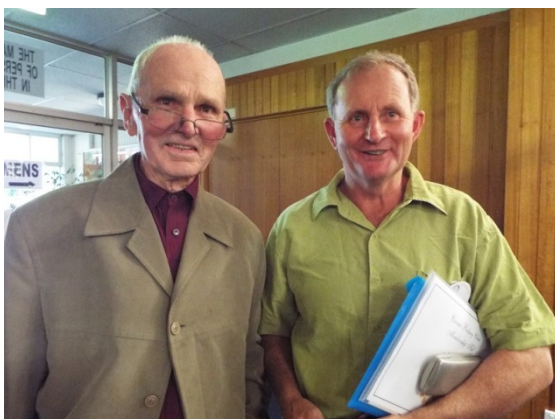
Markets 21<sup>st</sup> Dec John K - Co-Ord

Alyson – PA Peter – BBQ

Graham Joe

Brian Les Jim

Sergeant 10/12 - Neil







In his three minuter, Andrew spoke of his background, his father being in a rural services company and the family living in rural centres until Andrew was 10. He attended Caringbah High School and was the second member of the family to go to uni. In his second year of medicine he was inspired to go to rural medicine and did his obstetrics at Reading University. He has been ably supported by Anne and they have four grownup children. This was the right time for him to become a Rotarian as it gives him another interest besides medicine.



#### **Meeting statistics:**

Attendance – 84.8%  
 Guests – Anna Pfeff and Mark Luff  
 Apologies – Joe, Brian, Tom, Margaret, Helen, Allan, Des  
 Leave - Dugald

The Cooma races weren't the only event to be curtailed on Saturday.

#### **COMING EVENTS**

**10 Dec – Bowls from 5.30pm, buffet dinner and induction of new members**

**13 Dec – Non-progressive dinner**

**16 Dec (Tuesday night) – Christmas party combined with Bombala Rotary and Nimmitabel Lions at Nimmitabel**

**NO MEETINGS – 24 and 31 December**