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Rotary Club of Cooma Inc

Rotary Theme:

A New Year

Meeting – 8 July 2015

Games Night

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A reminder to everyone: If you are unable to attend any meeting YOU SHOULD ADVISE ALLAN SPENCER on allan@coomamusic.com.au or 64526067 or 0407 384 590 by LUNCH TIME THE TUESDAY before the meeting. Failure to do this will mean that you will be asked to pay for the meal.



JULY ROSTER

ATTENDANCE	Dave B, Sue
PROPERTY	Jim, Richard H
FELLOWSHIP	Danielle, Meg, Dave H, John B
MARKETS 19/7	John K, Elaine S, John Ch, Alyson, Graham, Peter, Ken, Ash
THREE MINUTER	15/7 John Cl 22/7 Ash 29/7 Brad
INTRO	15/7 Wolfgang 22/7 Richard L 29/7 Dugald
THANKS	15/7 Meg 22/7 Des 29/7 Tracey
SGT/THOUGHT	15/7 Ash 22/7 Brad 29/7 Marco



JULY DATES:

Birthdays: Dave L 7th, Tony 8th, Helen 17th, Jan (Les) 11th, Christina (Wolfgang) 12th
 Joined Rotary: Peter 1st (11 years), Helen 6th (1 year), Jim 24th (18 years)



MEETING STATISTICS

Attendance - 80%

Visitors - Stephen Simms

Apologies - John Ch, Brad, Kevin, Alyson, Elaine M, Tom S, Allan, Les, Joe, Ash

Leave - Tracey, Brenda, Margaret H



GUEST SPEAKERS

15/7: John Gill - 2MNO Community Radio

22/7: Howard Charles – Nutfield visit to China

29/7: Nicola Tamis - Why go into a bookshop?

5/8: Neil Brown - Nepal



THOUGHT OF THE WEEK

"As long as the grass is green and the sun is warm, that's all you need in life"





NOTICES

Neil - Rotary District Conference in Jindabyne - This will be 23 to 25 October and not in November as advised previously.

Thank you - from Sir William Hudson Nursing Home for the \$161 donation from Hass' 5c collection.

- from John Britton, District New Generations Chair, to Ash and Brenda for their support of Anna Pfeff.

- Ally Johns, our new exchange student, will arrive late July from USA.

John K - July Markets on 19 July - Patrick Kwan has donated a flag pole to commemorate the Chinese Community who worked on the Snowy Scheme. The flag will be raised at our market at 12 noon. All Rotarians are asked to attend.

- **Rotary is catering** for the 'End of Financial Year Barbecue' for council staff on Thursday, 16 July.

Dugald - The raffle at our Changeover raised over \$180. Well done, Meg!

- **Our Rotary Foundation donation** last Rotary year was \$ 3400.

- **Public Meeting; Centennial Park Band Shell** is on 16 July at 6.30 at the Ex-Services Club.

Claire - Ballroom Dancing Lessons - Get ready for our Rotary Spring Ball on 19 September by learning to dance with an experienced dance teacher. Every Monday Night at the Australian Hotel at 6pm. The first lesson on 13 July is FREE and then \$5 the next Monday nights.

Mark C - Introduction to Bridge - 1 and 2 August.

Annual Reports and District Directories - Secretary Les has more copies.



Lea Nickel, Exchange student from Germany in 2012 - 2013, will be visiting Cooma in the next month or so and we hope to see her at one of our meetings soon.



Farewell, Anne Ducray - Anne is moving to Adelaide. We will miss her cheeriness at our meetings.

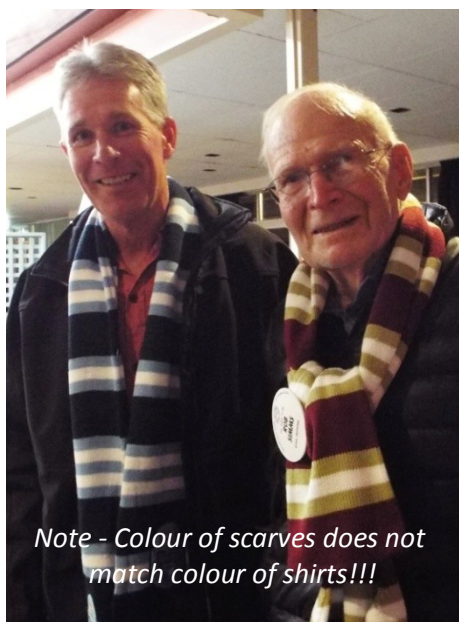


THREE MINUTER

David Byrne - Air India Adventures

David's wife, Kathy, broke her foot while on holidays in India and needed to come home. So after searching the internet, David managed to reserve a flight to Sydney via Air India. Their taxi driver was very helpful, telling them a wheelchair would be available if they pressed 'that' button. Two goes, 20 minutes and still no wheelchair. So they balanced Kathy on top of the luggage and trundled off to the airport terminal. The guard wanted a printed e-ticket and passport - booking information wasn't enough. David hadn't had a chance to print them out. "No good. you will need to go to that far end of the airport." But when arriving there - "No good. We don't print anything. You need to go to the other end of the airport." After some discussion, they commandeered a wheelchair and headed off again. There were many people waiting but eventually David got his e-ticket. So back to the guard who studied the piece of paper carefully and said... " Ah, but you have a ticket for only one person." So back again and many apologies later they were finally allowed into the airport. Ironically, this was the first time in over 30 years of travel that they did not have a printed e-ticket!

TONIGHT'S PROGRAM - FUN AND GAMES!!!



Note - Colour of scarves does not match colour of shirts!!!



Quoits



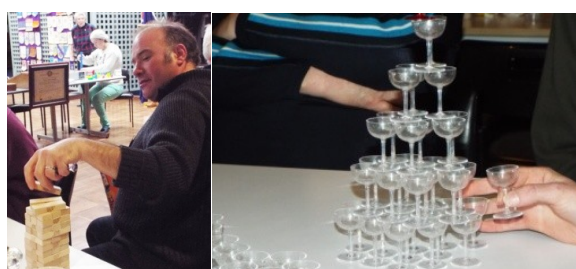
Chess



Building up and carefully taking down



Onion Bowls



Car Races

