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Rotary Club of Cooma Inc

Rotary Theme: Vocational Service

Meeting – 13 January 2016

Club Assembly

If you are unable to attend any meeting YOU SHOULD CONTACT DARRELL GAUKROGER by LUNCH TIME THE TUESDAY before the meeting. Failure to do this will mean that you will be asked to pay for the meal. Darrell's contact details are:- Email - dgcooma@bigpond.net.au Phone - 6452 1159 Mobile - 0407 411 422



Rotary Learning Initiative – First session in Cooma 14 February: Insights into Leadership, The structure of Rotary, How to Engage Members, What Rotary Foundation is all about, Ethics and Vocational Service and how to go about planning and executing a Service Project. Contact Sharon Thomas, 0411065044, email: sharonrotary@outlook.com Julia Pedler, ph 0416170012, email: julia.pedler@pedler.id.

ROSTER – JANUARY

Attendance	Brenda, Ash
Property	Jacob, Richard L
Fellowship	Alyson, Wolfgang
3 minuter	27/1 Les
Intro	27/1 Joe
Thanks	27/1 Jim
Sgt/Thought	20/1 Les 27/1 Peter

Markets John K, Robbyn, Katrin, David H,
Graham, Richard L,
Coffee – Mark JN +1

ROSTER – FEBRUARY

Attendance	John Ch, Ken
Property	Dugald, Elaine
Fellowship	Helen, Dave B
3 minuter	3/2 Danielle 10/2 Meg 17/2 Des 24/2 Joe
Intro	3/2 Geoff 10/2 Jacob 17/2 Dave B 24/2 Brenda
Thanks	3/2 David H 10/2 Richard H 17/2 Alyson 24/2 Brian
Sgt/Thought	3/2 Kevin 10/2 Meg 17/2 Marco 24/2 Tony

Markets John K, Alyson, John Ch, Ken,
Elaine M, Hass,
Coffee – Mark JN +1

PROGRAM (Thanks to Dave B)

20/1 Lions/Rotary bowls challenge followed by
a combined dinner

27/1 RYLA presentation + 100 years of women
in policing (Des)

3/2 Promoting Cooma as a Tidy Town (Lucy
Bouwman)

10/2 Cooma U3A (Max Perry)

17/2 Dementia and Delirium Care with
Volunteers Project (Kirsty Herbert)

24/2 Sailing on the Endeavour (Brad)

MEETING STATISTICS:

Attendance: 75 %

Guests: Ally

Apologies: Alyson, Danielle, Katrin, Meg, Tom
K, Mark JN

Leave: Tom S, Mark L, John Cl

Make up: Mark JN

We also missed: Tom S, Jacob, John B

John King: A reminder that we will be operating
the barbecue on Australia Day, 10am-1pm.





David H: In a report on the working bee, Dave mentioned his fellow workers, Marg E, Tony and his grandson Owen, and Sue. It is now much easier to get to the Lambie Gorge.

David H and Rob proved the similarity of their great minds when they both chose 'Mulga Bill's Bicycle', Rob for the three minuter and David for an impromptu recitation.



Hass: The 5c collection has resulted in the latest total of over \$170, to be used in the purchase of foot baths for residents of the nursing home.

JANUARY DATES:

Birthdays: Dugald 1/1, Mark L 6/1, Ken 10/1, Marjorie 12/1, Janine JN 26/1

Anniversaries: Helen and Geoff 3/1, Allan and Leslie 31/1

Date joined: Alyson 2/1, Darrell and Rob 3/1, Brad, Richard H, and Danielle 4/1, Alan D and Marco 5/1, Ash, Brian, and Des 6/1, Kevin, John M and Tony 9/1, Wolfgang and Dave L 11/1, John Cl 12/1, Tom S 19/1, John B and Mark L 28/1, Geoff 29/1



Ally went to Sydney to farewell other exchange students. She has been with Ash and Brenda for the past few days, helping in the shearing shed, visiting the wool store and painting the garage at 'Rock Lodge'.



Thought of the week: (Ash)

How come it takes so little time for a child who is afraid of the dark to become a teenager who wants to stay out all night?

Club Assembly

There was discussion of the issue of whether the club president should have a discretionary allowance of \$2000. Concerns were expressed about some situations that need help immediately as well as the problem of being swamped by numerous requests. Every request for assistance has to be investigated and in one particular case recently the necessary information was not forthcoming.



As it was the last night for Red Cactus catering, Neil presented Lisa with flowers and Steve with some samples of gluten free food (as a reminder of all the variations of diet among the Rotarians).

Markets: Thanks to John K, Richard B, David H, Neil, Richard L, Sue, Mark JN, Ken, Robbyn, Hass, and to Claire and Elaine S for the teddy bears' picnic. Proceeds: \$1941, along with \$538.89 from the coffee van.

