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Rotary Club of Cooma Inc

*Rotary Theme: Peace and Conflict
Resolution/Prevention*

Meeting – 27 January 2016

Guest Speaker – Des Trute
RYLA Report



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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
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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, Katrin,	
Coffee – Mark JN +1	

MARCH ROSTER

Attendance	Brad, Kevin
Property	Claire, John B
Fellowship	Jacob, Ash
3 minuter	
2/3 Geoff	9/3
16/3 Jacob	23/3 Neil
30/3 Richard H	
Intro	
2/3 John Cl	9/3 Brad
16/3 Mark C	23/3 Ken
30/3 Elaine M	
Thanks	
2/3 Mark JN	9/3 Tom K
16/3 John K	23/3 Claire
30/3 John Ch	
Sgt/Thought	
2/3 Mark C	9/3 Graham
16/3 Richard L	23/3 Tom K
30/3 Jacob	





THOUGHT OF THE WEEK: Peter
Far better it is to dare mighty things, to win glorious triumphs, even though checkered (sic) by failure, than to live in the grey twilight that knows neither victory nor defeat. – Theodore Roosevelt

PROGRAM (Thanks to Dave B)

3/2 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: 76%
Guests: Adam Campbell, Tamara JN, Brian Lukovic, Ally (Club), Jan (Mark JN), Jeannette Bailey (Ash), Jan Payne (David H), Judy (Des), Wendy and Michael Tranby
Apologies: Danielle, Kevin, Richard H, Meg, Tom K, Elaine S, Mark C
Leave: Mark L, John Cl
We also missed: Alyson



FEBRUARY DATES:

Birthday: Elaine M 25/2

Anniversaries: Mary and Jim 5/2, Judy and Des 5/2, Claire and Hans 7/2

Date joined: Meg and Tom 21/2



A letter was received from Michelle and Alan McGufficke thanking Rotary for the opportunity to host Ally. They remarked on her willingness to be part of the family, to participate in all the activities and her courtesy. Ally reported on her activities – having a flight with Yalcowinna International Scenic Tours, flying over the mountains, including Kosciuszko, and Lake Jindabyne and seeing some wild brumbies. Last weekend she went to Narooma and visited the Mogo zoo and the gold mining site. She went to Canberra for Australia Day and enjoyed the fireworks.

Letters of thanks have been received from a number of schools thanking the club for its donations for end of year awards, from Brad and Tracey Frazer as they leave Franks butchery, and from Australian Rotary Health.

CONGRATULATIONS, CLAIRE, ON WINNING THE SPECIAL ACHIEVEMENT AWARD AT THE COOMA CELEBRATIONS ON AUSTRALIA DAY.



Tamara and Adam spoke about their RYLA experience, the inspiring speakers and some of the lessons they learned. They heard about the different types of leadership and learned much about themselves and the possibilities that lie before them.

3 MINUTER: Tony gave a brief outline of his life, growing up in Sydney, his school education and then being accepted into Dentistry at uni. He was able to secure a cadetship in the navy and finish his uni course. He and his wife Carol spent four years in York, Carol's home area, and then returned to Australia and obtained the job here in Cooma where they have lived for 36 years. They have 4 sons and 5 grandchildren.

John K reported on the markets: Dec – 81 stalls, \$4021 netted, \$539 on coffee van; Jan – 44 stalls, \$1947 netted, \$579 on coffee van; Australia Day -\$1395 netted \$509 on coffee van. Total earnings in the 6 months up to December - \$22,660. Congratulations to John and all his helpers.

President Neil proposed the idea of a film festival and asked for volunteers for a committee to investigate its feasibility and being able to use some of the Yamaga funds.



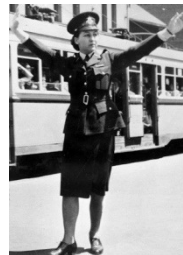
100 YEARS OF WOMEN IN POLICING IN NSW 1915-2015

by David Aspland



GUEST SPEAKER – Des

The topic of women in the police force provided much food for thought. From 1915 when there were two women in the force and given a very limited range of duties, progress in the integration of women in the force has been extremely slow. Formal training was not introduced until the early 1950s but the women did not have the same curriculum as the men nor graduate on the same parades until 1958.



Until the 1970s women mainly did school lecturing and investigative work and it was in 1980 that the 3% cap on recruiting women was lifted, but two years later it was still 3%. By 2009 it was 26% and in the previous twenty years there were such advances as women being allowed to wear trousers in uniform, the first policewoman joining the Police Dog Squad, and women becoming Police Commissioners.

