



Coolamon Rotary News

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Dinner meeting – 28 May

In lieu of a regular meeting at the Sports and Rec Club, members were treated to a fabulous dinner of assorted curries at the Miles residence. Sharon Miles and Marily Jennings whipped up some wonderful culinary creations (four different curries were on offer, accompanied by hot chapatis and a chutney prepared by Christine Atkinson. Those in attendance included Grahame Miles (of course!), Marg & Garth Perkin, Christine Atkinson, Henk and Maureen Hulsman, Dick & Maree Jennings, Ian Jennings and Marilyn Jennings, Mark & Sharon Reardon, and Paul Weston. Making a surprise visit were Ray and Maria Foley, who were in town for a brief stay before resuming their great caravan adventure.

Following dinner, Grahame showed slides of his and Sharon's recent trip to Italy and the Mediterranean. Grahame and Sharon got to see an amazing diversities of countries and historical landmarks on their 3-week tour of the region, and sample some great food along the way. Grahame and Sharon were very pleased with the tour, and thought it was great value for money.

The evening finished off with some wonderful slices prepared by the ladies. Thanks, Grahame and Sharon!



Sharon Miles brings out one of her fabulous curries.

Week of 4 June

In attendance: President Marg, John Burns, Henk Hulsman, Dick Jennings, Ian Jennings, Grahame Miles, Neil Munro, Garth Perkin, Leslie Weston, Paul Weston

The meeting was held at the Coolamon Sports and Rec Club, and got underway promptly at 7 pm. Dinner was self-catered. As there was no guest speaker on the agenda, the meeting morphed into a board meeting, which was to be held after the regular meeting. Much of the discussion involved the next phase of the Shop Locally campaign and the next market (tentatively scheduled for 28 October). The meeting closed with a drawing for the raffle prize (won by Garth) and as usual, a no-holds-barred fine session by Dick. The meeting adjourned at 8:45.

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President's Report



28 May - As mentioned in last Bulletin, thank you to the Miles for opening their home. The slides were well prepared by Grahame with easy to read captions and Sharon cooked delicious curries well supported by Marilyn, Annette and Maree (yummy slices with our coffee).

We had our Board meeting last night (4 June). The minutes are always available to anyone who wants to read them. Healthy discussion centred on meal costs and the Market Day.

We have one more guest speaker booked for the 18th June. As usual, this will be a dinner meeting.

It is hoped that you will support Paul and me at the Changeover. We are lucky to have coming DG Ian Simpson and his wife Jean, Assistant Governor Gary Roberts and his wife Marilyn, Michael McCormack and his wife Katherine and Peter Gissing and his wife Judy. A good turn up from our members will be an added bonus.

Yours in Rotary,

Marg

A few more photos from the curry dinner at Grahame and Sharon's



Sharon, Sharon and Maree enjoying pre-dinner drinks.



Maria, Ian, Mark, Sharon and Paul chillin'.



Maureen, Sharon R. and Marilyn share a couch.



Ray's feelin' the love, but Garth isn't sure.

DIARY

(NOTE: All Coolamon RC meetings are 6:30 for 7:00 unless otherwise listed)

- 11 June No meeting (Queen's Birthday long weekend).
- 14 June Bingo. Rostered on are Dick, Grahame, Neil and Mark.
- 18 June Coolamon RC regular meeting (Coolamon Sport & Rec Club). Guest speaker: Jarred (nephew of Dick and Marie Jennings) speaking on the fisheries industry in Laos after his recent visit.
- 22 June Coolamon Lions Club - Change over dinner. Contact Dave McAnn by 12 June if interested (\$30 per person).
- 23 June Murrumbidgee RC – Change over night.
- 25 June Temora RC – Change over night.
- 2 July Coolamon RC Change over dinner and drawing for Monster Shopping Spree raffle.
- 7 July Street raffle
- 9 July Coolamon RC regular meeting (Coolamon Sport & Rec Club).
- 12 July Bingo. Rostered on are John G., Rod J., Leslie and Paul.

Websites of Interest

Coolamon Rotary Club: <http://coolamonrotary.com>

Rotary Down Under on line: <http://flipflashpages.uniflip.com/2/26587/49598/pub>

Rotarians For Fighting AIDS: <http://www.rffa.org>

Our Rotary Centennial Twin Club Hout Bay, Cape Town, South Africa:
<http://www.rotaryhoutbay.org>

Don't forget to regularly check our club web site for current information such as bingo rosters and various newsletters from the District Governor, the School of St. Jude's, the monthly membership on the move newsletter as well as several other club bulletins.



Monster Shopping Spree Raffle Tickets

need to be turned in by our next meeting, 18 June.

If you haven't sold yours yet, there's still time to flog a few! The drawing will be held at the change over dinner.