

# COOLAMON ROTARY CLUB INC.



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**<http://www.rotaryhoutbay.org>**

## **Bulletin # 40 for the Meeting May 16<sup>th</sup> 2011**

{This bulletin prepared by Marg Perkin & John Glassford.}

**Members Present: 10 Make-ups: 3**

Attendance 72%

In attendance were Ian Durham, Ian Jennings, Henk Hulsman, Paul Weston, Marg Perkin, Garth Perkin, Grahame Miles, Leslie Weston, Neil Munro and Craig Corrigan

Visiting Rotarians: Assistant Governor Gary Roberts and Marilyn Roberts.

### **PRESIDENT'S REPORT**

President Ian Durham read out the resolutions made at the board meeting on the 9<sup>th</sup> May. There was much discussion on the resolution to finish the caravan park cleaning. This resolution was not resolved and will be discussed again at another meeting.

Separate minutes will be available in due course for members.

### **SECRETARY'S REPORT**

Correspondence In:

Cheque and thank you from Coolamon Harness Racing Club  
Invitation from RC Henty Change Over Night 29<sup>th</sup> June \$28/head  
Bulletins from: Junee, Wagga Wagga, Wagga Wagga Sunrise, Wagga Wagga Koorinal, Milford Auckland New Zealand, and Wollundry Wagga Wagga via email.

### **TREASURER'S REPORT**

NIL.

## **CLUB ADMINISTRATION Marg Perkin Director**

- Dick Jennings is going to have further surgery and Leslie Weston will organise the appropriate flowers from the club.
- The members wish Marg Perkin a safe and happy trip to Europe, Marg will be away for 2 months.

## **SERVICE PROJECTS REPORT Grahame Miles Director**

- Bingo 19 players profit \$200 volunteers those thanked for volunteering were Neil Munro, Mark Reardon, Grahame Miles and Rod Jarrett.
- Salvation Army Red Shield Day May 28-29. Sharon Reardon is looking after the volunteers from the club. Please contact Sharon directly to volunteer. Sharon has booked both football venues. Please note that this is a decision to be made as an individual as the club feels that we do not have enough members to do what we used to do on Red Shield Day.
- Shop locally campaign letters to be sent to all local business houses. Leslie Weston, Ian Durham, Ian Jennings and Grahame Miles will be the Rotary representatives to a meeting at the Shire Hall on the 8<sup>th</sup> June.
- Monster raffle tickets are needed by the 23<sup>rd</sup> May. Draw on Monday 30<sup>th</sup> May and Craig Corrigan will bring the barrel in for the draw. Volunteers are needed to help fold the tickets prior to the draw.

## **GENERAL BUSINESS**

Garth Perkin carried out a spirited fines session.

## **Assistant Governor Gary Roberts Group 5 in D 9700.**

Gary is just back from a GSE team visit to the USA. Gary was the team leader. The team from D 9700 spent 4 weeks in Oklahoma. GSE Group Study Exchange.



***GSE Team to D5770 Oklahoma, USA – Jenna Gibbs (Wagga Wagga Sunrise), Kate Barrett (West Wyalong), Grant Michell (Orange North), Andrew Johns (Parkes), Team Leader Gary Roberts (Wagga Wagga Murrumbidgee).***

Gary spoke about his trip to the USA which was funded by the Rotary Foundation. They put in long days visiting places of interest within each of their vocations and Gary visited several hospitals and chiropractors. Gary was pleased in what he witnessed and feels that his practice is up there with all the latest and best techniques.

The D9700 GSE team presented to 20 Rotary clubs and also visited regional areas which were similar to our own area around Coolamon.



## Rotary, ONE Campaign collaborate to increase humanitarian service

Rotary International and the ONE Campaign, an advocacy organization dedicated to fighting extreme poverty and preventable disease, particularly in Africa, will work together to pursue mutual goals and increase humanitarian service.

Rotarians are encouraged to contact ONE chapters in their area to explore ways they might collaborate, such as by co-hosting events, teaming up on service projects, speaking at each other's meetings, and sharing stories, photos, and videos for publication. Rotarians are also asked to encourage Rotaract clubs to work with ONE chapters on college campuses.

Cofounded by singer Bono and backed by more than two million members, ONE works with world leaders to support proven, cost-effective ways to save lives and help people build sustainable futures. A key priority of the campaign is ensuring that children worldwide have access to basic vaccines. Learn more about ONE:

<http://www.one.org/international/>

*Dr. John Lusingu, a malaria vaccine researcher at an MVI trial site in Tanzania. Dr. Lusingu discussed the devastating impact of malaria in his community and ongoing research on the ground.*



*John showing a malaria diagnostic test done on the infant pictured just moments before*

Malaria's devastating impact on my community's children and their families is readily apparent, despite reports that malaria incidence is declining globally. Every single day, children and pregnant women are brought to our local clinics with this terrible disease, and many die from its effects. Beyond malaria's medical impact, families are affected economically — even despite free medical treatment for under-fives — largely due to high transportation costs and lost productivity when sick children require care. Children lucky enough to survive severe malaria often have mental impairments that prevent them from attending school. Older children are also often forced to stay home from school to take care of their sick brothers or sisters so their parents can go work on the farms, especially during farming season.

Read the ONE blog [here](http://one.org/africa/blog/) and this partnership is an excellent way for Rotary to move on after polio plus a partnership between World Health Organisation, UNICEF and the Centre for Disease Control. That is the way we are about to finish polio with powerful partners.

<http://one.org/africa/blog/>

## ROSTERS:

### 1. Bingo

**Thurs. June 9<sup>th</sup>: Dick Jennings Craig Corrigan Marg Perkin Ian Durham.**

### 2. Caravan Park Cleaning

- Caravan Park 20<sup>th</sup> May 2011 Grahame Miles and Henk Hulsman
- Caravan Park 27<sup>th</sup> May 2011 Henk Hulsman and Ian Durham
- Caravan Park 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2011 Ian Durham and Ian Jennings

## DIARY:

**20<sup>th</sup> May Friday All monster raffle tickets due in!**

**21-25 May 2011 Rotary International Convention in New Orleans**

**30<sup>th</sup> May Monday Monster Raffle Draw in Coolamon.**

**June 1<sup>st</sup> 2011 Wednesday Narrandera RC at Ganmain Sports Club Social Meeting.**

**29<sup>th</sup> June Wednesday Henty RC Change Over Dinner**

**16<sup>th</sup> July Coolamon Street Raffle**

**26<sup>th</sup> July 2011 Tuesday Lockhart RC Dinner Speaker Tim Fischer on trains.**

**29 July 2011 Coolamon's 40<sup>th</sup> Change Over Dinner {Friday Night}**

**October 2011 RYDA in Wagga Wagga (Rotary Youth Driver Awareness).**

**1<sup>st</sup> December 2011 Mountains of the Moon Summit.**

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

**Hout Bay Rotary Club our Twin Club:** <http://www.rotaryhoutbay.org>

**Mountains of the Moon Climb 2011:** <http://www.mountainsofthemoon.org>

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

