

ROTARY MEETING No. 1812

Chairman Tom Davenport opened the meeting with the invocation and a toast to Australia. President Elizabeth welcomed members and guests including Ian and Fiona Evans.

- Reg T moved that the regular Rotary Business meeting be deferred to 3 January 2006, which was unanimously agreed.
- Jeff Hunter played piano and David Thelander provided the Christmas gathering with joyful singing in his usual impressive style.
- President Elizabeth awarded the Equine Posterior award to Barry Matthews who gleefully accepted the award from Sue Sedivy.
- Table 6 won the cryptic Christmas Carol and Song Quiz, whilst table 9 won the Soduko puzzle.

Santa arrived mid way through the evening with helpers, Donald (Lleyton Hewitt) Collier, Barry (Tred Lightly) Mathews wearing the Trederea no 16 Port jumper – compliments of the man himself; Bill Flynn – toff and Gerald (Billy Connolly) Morris and last but not least Neville (Sadie) Newton who struck a striking pose with her mop and bucket and havanna cigar.

Special gifts were awarded to:

- John Jackson – more time for John (a clock);
- Ken Roscrow – webmaster a glow in the dark spider's web;
- Michael McClaren – A hat with a removable Aussie flag so he can be international or Ozzie;
- Bob Arnold – a little red book – for his Commo Service;
- Jeff Hunter – a nappy for new generations;
- Geoff Camm – some warpaint for Mr makeup extraordinaire
- Cherilyn – in absentia paint brushes for her art work;
- Don Collier – garbages and redflag for roadwatch;
- Laz M – a musical instrument for his Musicfest activities;
- Russel E – a pack of cards and chocolates for Vice;
- Bob Lehman – a pack of bandaids for his caring work;
- Ray Smith – a few gold coins for his treasury;
- Robyn Venus – a few more gold coins;

The following people won the raffle:

- 1st prize – Jenny Abbott – won the hamper donated by ANZ bank.
- 2nd prize – champagne glasses – Gerald Morris (AKA Billy Connolly)
- 3rd and 4th prize – Arthur and Martha Finch (bottle of wine each)
- 5th prize – Lynn Perry (bottle of wine)
- 6th prize – Merle Wheaton (bottle of wine)

The meeting closed at 9.30pm with a moving poem from Tom and thanks from President Elizabeth to all those who made the evening an enjoyable success, including Tom Davenport, David Thelander and Anita who has looked after us so well all year.

Bulletin Editor: Sue Sedivy



Meeting No.	1813	1814	1815	1816
Date	3 Jan 2006	10 Jan 2006	17 Jan 2006	24 Jan 2006
Fellowship	T Davenport	C Fleming	H Henbest	G Lough
Reg. Assistant	A Eldridge	A Finch	R Lehmann	H Henbest
Furniture	R Dix R Eccleston	R Hanson R Green	B Hughes C Lloyd	M McClaren L Meszaros
Chairman	E Caldicott	B Flynn	TBA	Terry Tierney
Speaker	TBA	TBA	TBA	Neil Lowrie
Topic	Combined meeting with Mitcham	Youth Opportunities	TBA	Making Sense of the Law
Bulletin editor	Sue Sedivy	Sue Sedivy	Terry Tierney	John Lewis

Coming events	Birthdays	Anniversaries
Feb 25 th 2006 – Guess Who's Coming to Dinner	Dec 21 Peter Pargeter	Dec 30 Richard and Diane Dix
May 6 th 2006 - Music Fest	Dec 22 Wanda Taylor Eric Cotton	Dec 31 Bill and Lyn Perry
	Dec 26 Russell Eccleston	Jan 8 John and Jenny Lewis
	Dec 27 Jaye Walton	Jan 14 Elizabeth and John Caldicott
	Dec 29 Caroline Smith	Jan 16 Ken and Denise Roscrow

