

## AUGUST IS MEMBERSHIP AND EXTENSION MONTH

It is a time to promote membership development within the club (internal extension) and new clubs (external extension). Also to emphasize that club growth is the business of **every Rotarian**.



### DIARY DATES:



28. 8.2006 Board Meeting  
4. 9.2006 Club Assembly  
5.11.2006 All Chrysler Day  
Fairfield Showground—gates open 6.00 am All help required to make it another top fellowship and fundraising day.



## BIRTHDAY AND ANNIVERSARIES

Many happy returns to **Anne Roman** who will be celebrating her birthday on Tuesday, 8th August. Have a great day Anne!  
also a club anniversary with **PP Ray Begovich** being inducted into the club 19 years ago on 10th August 1987.



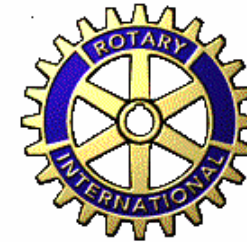
## Our fruit we may not see

**Author: Tom Moore**

A young woman, who was a great lover of flowers, had set out a rare vine at the base of a stone wall. It grew vigorously, but it did not bloom. Day after day she cultivated it, watered it, and tried in every way to coax it to bloom. One morning, as she stood disappointedly before it, her invalid neighbour, whose back lot adjoined her own, called over and said, "You can't imagine how much I have been enjoying the blooms of that vine you planted!" The owner looked, and on the other side of the wall was a mass of blooms. The vine had crept through the crevices and flowered luxuriantly on the other side.

**Thought:** *So often we think our efforts are thrown away because we do not see their fruits. We need to learn that in God's service our prayers, our toil and crosses are never in vain. Somewhere they bear fruit and hearts will receive blessings and joy.*

## The Rotary Club of Cabramatta Inc



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**Tonight's Program:** Will be a mystery!

### QUOTE OF THE WEEK

"The secret of a good life is to have the right loyalties and hold them in the right scale of values."

Norman Thomas (1884 - 1968)

**LAST MEETING:** was led by President David and the usual proceedings were conducted including the Rotary Grace and Toast to the Queen. Our new exchange student, Carolina from France addressed the meeting whereby she thanked everyone for the opportunity to come to Australia. She presented President David and PP Geoff with gifts. Jessica Grujovski also spoke about her experience at the RYPEN camp last year. At the conclusion of the meeting the National Anthem was sung.

**ATTENDANCE:** 92.31%

**APOLOGIES:** Rtn Kay Farrell who is unwell—get well soon.

**CLUB GUESTS:** Jessica Grujovski and Caroline Brivall

**VISTING ROTARIAN:** Jan Bradley from Wallacia Club

**GUEST OF MEMBER:** Dushko Btazevich

**MAKE UP:** Rtn Margaret Favelle

**RAFFLE:** PP John Howie

#### REPORTS:

##### Secretaries Report– Correspondence: IPDG Bill Little

- Rotary Club of Lower Blue Mountains 5th Annual Golf Day Friday, 13.10.2006—entry fee BBQ, golf and dinner \$60. See PP Bill for registration form.
- The Fred Hollows Foundation letter recognizing our generous support and a copy of their 2005 Annual Report.
- Strathfield Rotary Club re District 9690 Golf Championship—John Taylor Memorial Shield—26.10.2006 at Strathfield Golf Club, Centenary Drive Strathfield—enquires to Ray Wilson 9642 8642 or Niall King 0418 235 400.
- Thank you letter from Phil and Nerrie Lacey re invitation to changeover and congratulating IPP Boris on his year and wishing success to President David for his year
- Rotary Club of Concord to attend the 50th Anniversary of the granting of the charter to be held Friday, 22nd September 6.30 p.m. \$80.00.
- Rotary Club of Wetherill Park to attend Spring Ball on Friday, 8th September at Club Marconi— for the Millennium Foundation at Westmead Hospital and youth projects \$125 per person which includes a \$60 donation component in each ticket.
- Cabra-Vale Senior Citizens thank you for our donation.
- Fairfield City Council—Food Safety Programs

#### Club Service Report: Director PP Graham Shaw

- Asked all Chairman for an input to the Club Services Projected Programs—Meeting in the near future.

#### International Service Report: Director PP Neil Houlton

- Our Youth Exchange Student has arrived and is now staying with PP John and Geneta Grujovski for a couple of weeks.

#### Youth Service Report: Director PP Geoff Lumley

- Forms for RYPEN camp to Cabramatta High School

#### Vocational and Community Service Reports: NIL

#### Discussion

Next Sunday Club Information Day at Fairfield City Council

Tree planting at the weekend 32 workers—cheques from council.

IPDG Bill and Irene in Kakadu Darwin Education tour—money raised in Literacy program to set up media centre—saw results and was pleased.

**Treasurer Robert:** Dues are now payable—\$250.00—please pay ASAP as these have been paid already to RI.



#### MAX'S TRIVIA

About some capital cities and/or countries.

Nicosia, Cyprus. Named after NIKE Greek goddess of victory



Cairo, Egypt. Originally named AL-KAHIRA after the planet Mars (In Arabic KAHIR) which was in ascendant when construction began.

Apia, Samoa. Island named after extinct NZ bird, the MOA.

Paris, France. Named after a Gallic tribe, the PARISH after whom it was named. Roman name was Lutetia.

#### Bit more -

The worlds first nuclear sub was the Nautilus built 1955. In her first 2 years she travelled 100,000 km without re-fuelling. By 1965 she had travelled 530,000 km most under water and used 3 core reactors, about 5kg of fuel.

