

## 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  
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

**Joanne Houston** will be celebrating her birthday on Wednesday 23. 8.2006. Happy birthday Joanne have a great day.

Also we have a club anniversary with PP John Howie being inducted in to the club on 27th August 1999. PP John was previously a member for 3 1/2 years from 1986.



## MAX'S TRIVIA

The description of a precarious situation “touch and go” came about when a sailing ship almost ran aground just touching a rocky bottom, a precarious situation without getting stuck and floating clear. Its experience was touch and go.

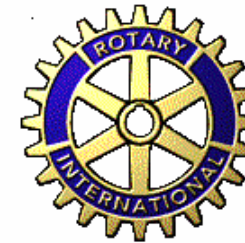


To strike at sea is lowering the sails or dipping the flag. If sailors were determined to make their ship in operative they “struck” the sails. The word eventually came to land and denoted stoppage by industrial action.

Rats leaving a ship is pure superstition. They choose a place of comfort and food supply and hate getting wet. Long before sailors discovered small leaks in a hold the rats would run and leave the ship for somewhere dry.



## *The Rotary Club of Cabramatta Inc*



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**Tonight's Program:** Is not known at time of publishing.

## RESPONSIBILITY

Some men have thousands of reasons why they cannot do what they want to, when all they need is one reason why they can..

- Willis R. Whitney

**LAST MEETING:** President David opened the meeting and members said the Rotary Grace and Loyal Toast. President David called upon Directors to give their reports. At the conclusion the National Anthem was sung.

**ATTENDANCE:** 100%

**APOLOGIES:** PP Warren Colless and PP George Roman

**CLUB GUESTS:** Caroline Brivall

**MAKE UP:** IPDG Bill Little

**RAFFLE:** PP Boris Satara

### REPORTS:

#### Secretaries Report—Correspondence/invitations was read out

- Invitation to the Rotary Clubs of Liverpool Police Officer of the Year Award at Liverpool Catholic Club—Wednesday, 20.9.2006—6.30 pm —\$40.00 per ticket includes dinner and soft drinks—lounge suit, evening wear. RSVP 6.9.2006—June Young 9602 5204 or Stephen Chensee 9601 4988
- Rotary Club of Hawkesbury Inc—Charity Race Day at Hawkesbury Race Club Thursday 28.9.2006—limited number of tables and races!!! Also seeking sponsors. For more information contact John on 0403 499 921 or 02 4571 3662.
- Rotary Club of Wallacia—Mulgoa Valley ROMAC Charity Dinner at Panthers World of Entertainment—6.00—6.30 pm \$80.00 per tickets—2 course meal some drinks RSVP 20.9.2006 to Jean Vranich on 0410 586 437
- Invitation to all Paul Harris Fellows to attend a Paul Harris Luncheon on Saturday 11.11.2006 at Marconi Club—\$35.00 per head—2 course meal guest speaker Carolyn E. Jones—RSVP to Ken Nicholls on 8814 7175
- District Governor's Newsletter

#### Vocational Service Report: Nil

#### Community Service Report: Director PE Margaret Favelle

- Friday President's Meeting—shoe boxes more information next week. Shoeboxes for Timor Leste—PDGs Ken Nicholls and Lloyd Roeveer are filling a container to send back to the village that little Maria of ROMAC fame comes from. Here how it goes—find an empty shoebox (shoes so they will be fairly similar in contents and not cause any jealousies by the recipients). Determine the age and sex 2-4, 5-9, 10-14. Fill your box with something to:

- Play with ball, game, activity, toy
- Write or draw with pencils, chalk, crayons & colouring book paper
- Keep good hygiene toothbrush, paste and soap
- Eat lollies (not soft or sticky ones or chocolate
- Wear hat, T-shirt sunglasses

No guns, as mention above about the lollies, medicine, secondhand goods, play money, sharp or dangerous objects. Include a photo of your family and address if you like. Cover the box and lid separately with colourful paper (as the children will love to keep the box too) You can easily pick up these items cheaply from the \$2.00 shops it is lots of fun if you have your family involved. PE Margaret will deliver them to DIK. Let us as a club—each member be responsible for a shoebox to delight these kids. Margaret.

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

- Caroline has moved in with Rtns Margaret and Robert. All other hosts arranged. Caroline started school today and is attending Liverpool Girls High School.

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

- Primary School night to be 11th September with Anthony Stimson as guest speaker.
- RYLA Camp to be held for 18-25 year old—6th—13th January 2007. nominations required.

#### Discussion

- President David and Rtn Margaret attended the President's Meeting
- Legacy Week—Rtn Kay to bring badges to sell.
- PP Max is going into hospital on Wednesday 23rd August to have an operation on his thyroid. We hope that everything goes well for Max and he is as good as new again.
- Rtn Robert wished PP Max the best for Wednesday on his operation—PP Max is going to Bankstown Public Hospital



#### FUTURE PROGRAMS:

4. 9.2006	Club Assembly
11. 9.2006	Primary School Students night with Anthony Stimson and friends
18. 9.2006	Mali Sok a volunteer to India.
16.10.2006	DG's visit