



On behalf of Gail  
and myself and our  
family, we would  
like to wish everyone  
a very Merry

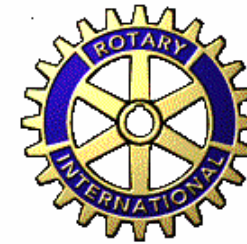
Christmas and a safe, happy and  
prosperous new year. Please take care and  
may your home be filled with love, laughter  
and good cheer and everyone to  
enjoy good health next year.

See you in 2007.

PP Graham and Gail

## *The Rotary Club of Cabramatta Inc*

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**Tonight's Program:** will be the last for the year. It will  
be a fellowship night and unfinished business  
for the year will be dealt with.



### **OPPORTUNITY**

There are no limits to our opportunities. Most of us see only a small portion of what is possible. We create opportunities by seeing the possibilities, and having the persistence to act upon them. We must always remember... Opportunities are always here, but we must look for them.

**LAST MEETING:** saw us meeting at Cabra-vale Ex-services Club for our annual Christmas Evening. We were accompanied by our partners, former Rotarians, visiting Rotarians, PDGs and exchange students for an informal evening. President David welcomed everyone to the evening and commented that because of the storm the air conditioner was not working but they were doing their best to fix it, and like magic it came back on much to the relief of all in attendance including the staff. President David and Julie were our Santa with gifts consisting of a Christmas Tree ornament and burning candle being presented to the ladies. PP Graham and PP George ran the Tombola with many lucky recipients taking their prizes and netting the club \$210.00.

President David announced the birthday girls which included his wife Julie who actually celebrated her special day on Monday 11.12.2006 and Bev Colless celebrating her day on Friday 15.12.2006 also that yours truly Gail will celebrate her day on Monday 18.12.2006.

- ATTENDANCE:** 92.31%
- APOLOGIES:** PP Max and Helen Law and PP Neil Houlton
- CLUB GUESTS:** Caroline Brivall YEPS,
- GUESTS OF MEMBERS:** Reg & Merle Girdham, Stan & Jean Dawson, Ray & Aileen Clarke, Ray & Diana Howes, Mary Ingall, Dick Downes, Don & Anne Houston, Jean Weston, Chris Narnischmacher Mavis Cronan, Carol Begovich, Julie Butterfield, Bev Colless, Geneta Grujovski, Joanne Houston, Jean Howie, Irene Little, Sue Lumley, Anne Roman, Jackie Ruston, Nada Satara and Gail Shaw.
- VISITING ROTARIANS:** Peter Farrell, John & Doris Gibbs Liverpool West Rotary Club and PDG John Wakefield Lower Blue Mountains, Irene Little Holroyd and Susan Wakefield Holroyd.
- RAFFLE:** won by numerous lucky winners which made a profit of \$210.00. the usual winners got a prize and a few new ones were also lucky.

There were no reports given but fellowship was high on the list with many friends catching up on lost time.

**DIARY DATES:**



- 25.12.2006 **Christmas Day—no meeting**
- 1. 1.2007 **New Years Day—no meeting**
- 8. 1.2007 **No meeting**
- 15. 1.2007 **No meeting**
- 22. 1.2007 **First meeting for the year.**
- 5.5.2007 Rotary Race Day 11 am \$100 per person
- 22. 7.2007 Liverpool Super Swap Catering Day Fairfield Showground

**President David** announced that we will resume our meetings on the 22nd January after having 4 weeks off, 2 due to public holidays and 2 others because members will be away on holidays.

**THE FAMILY OF ROTARY MONTH**  
 During the month of the Family of Rotary, Rotary offers many ways to celebrate Family Month. Members can visit Rotarians who are ill, encourage spouses and children to take part in service projects and fellowship events, and invite qualified family members to join a Rotary Club. We also should make a special effort to remember the families of deceased Rotarians, who may need our care and support.

**BIRTHDAY AND ANNIVERSARIES**  
 This week we have yours truly, **Gail Shaw** celebrating her birthday today, Monday 18.12.2006 and during the break **PP Ray Begovich** his birthday on Thursday, 18.1.2007 and **Peter Farrell** on Sunday, 21. 1.2007.

**PE Margaret Favelle** a club anniversary on Friday, 22.12.2006 which gives her 2 years service being inducted into the club in 2003.

Also during the break **PP Graham and Gail** will celebrate 38 years of marriage on the 11. 1.2007.

To everyone enjoy your special day.

