

### **BIRTHDAY AND ANNIVERSARIES**

We have PDG Bill and Irene Little celebrating their wedding anniversary on Sunday 10th February. We hope that you both have a great day.



**Max's Trivia** There is a pool game which has 15 coloured balls and they are to be sunk in order except the black No. 8 ball which comes last. There is a problem when the next ball to be pocketed is "behind the 8 ball." the phrase became used for an awkward situation.



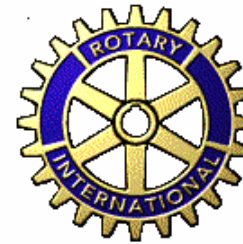
In the early days of radio, soap and soap powder makers sponsored popular drama and soon this type of radio show became the "soap opera".

This appeared in the Herald some time ago and is very clever. I am going to ask Santa for a set of P plates for Christmas. From my observation of driving for the past 40 years, with P plates I will be able to cut my travelling each day by at least a  $\frac{1}{3}$ , possibly by  $\frac{1}{2}$ . I will not have to take any notice of speed limits. I can scream up the inside lane and cut back in. I won't have to use indicators, saving on globes. I can abuse drivers doing the speed limit and can give other motorists the good old 1 finger salute and when I approach traffic lights that turn amber I can accelerate and get through. I will have to invest in bigger speakers so that I can have the right volume of doof-doof blaring but I won't have to hear any pesky emergency vehicles coming up behind me.



## *The Rotary Club of Cabramatta Inc*

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**Tonight's Program:** is a combined meeting with Liverpool West for a Bowls challenge. We extend a warm welcome to all in attendance. I am sure we will have an evening of great fellowship and competition.

### **OPPORTUNITY**

Each problem has hidden in it an opportunity so powerful that it literally dwarfs the problem. The greatest success stories were created by people who recognized a problem and turned it into an opportunity.

- Joseph Sugarman

**LAST MEETING:** was chaired by President Margaret with the usual formalities being conducted.

**Attendance:** 92.8%

**Guest of Club:** Vera Eberie Exchange student from Switzerland and Nerida Michell Past exchange student who recently returned from Switzerland.

**Guest of Member:** Sorathy and Michael Michell

**Apologies:** PP Graham Shaw

**Visiting Rotarian:** Peter Farrell from Liverpool West Club

**Leave of Absence:** PP John Grujovski

**Make Up:** PDG Bill Little

**Raffle:** won by Nerida Michell

**Correspondence:**

- Quota International of Liverpool invites you to spend an evening with Carl Presley—the ultimate Elvis experience on Friday 15.2.2008 at Hunts Comfort Inn 7.00 pm. It will be a smorgasbord dinner, raffle and dancing. Tickets are \$40.00 each. Please contact Pat on 0419263400, Liz 0408606956 or Judy 0246254047.
- Invitation from the Rotary Club of Mount Druitt Inc to attend an evening and dinner with “3 Hookers” and they are Steve Edge, Royce Simmons and Luke Priddis with Rikki Organ as the host at Rooty Hill RSL on Friday, 1.2.2008 at 7.00 pm. Tickets are available from the RSL at \$55.00 per head, this includes a 2 course dinner. There will also be a special auction where you can bid for a Sporting Identity to join your group for a round of golf at their Charity Golf day to be held on Wednesday, 16.4.2008 at Glenmore Heritage Valley. The evening will be a great night of fun and entertainment and supporting the Luke Priddis Foundation for Autistic Children
- Inner Wheel Ball at Apia Club Haberfield on 8. 2.2008. Contact Carol Begovich for more details.

**Reports:**

Youth Service, International, and Community Service Reports: NIL

**Vocational Service Report: Director PP Bruce Ruston**

- PP Bruce to report back on whether visit to Gladesville Hospital will go ahead or not.

**Club Fellowship:**

- Our next Friday evening ‘Nosh Up’ will be on Friday, 22.2.08. a Pizza night at the Il Piatto Restaurant, Shop 2 Cnr Wallgrove Road and the Horsley Drive Horsley Park. Time 6.15—6.30 pm—it is **BYO wine only**.

**DIARY DATES:**



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| 12. 2.2008    | Vocational visit to Old Gladesville Hospital for dinner and show you what it is like to help a person suffering from Motor Neurone Disease—\$25.00 per head |
| 2. 3.2008     | PETS day at St Marys High School  |
| 3. 3.2008     | Club Birthday night at Cabramatta Bowling Club  |
| 9. 3.2008     | Family of Rotary District Picnic Day  |
| 16.3.2008     | Shout—the Legend of the WILD one \$79 pp  |
| 4-6. 4.2008   | District Conference— Mudgee   |
| 4. 5.2008     | Assembly—St Marys High School   |
| 17. 5.2008    | Rotary Race Day—cost \$110.00 per head  |
| 15-18. 6.2008 | 99th RI Convention—Los Angeles  |

**February is World Understanding Month and Peace Day**

The Board of Directors of R.I. Designated the month of February each year as the occasion for simultaneous demonstrations of International Service by all Rotary clubs. The anniversary of Rotary’s birth, 23rd February, is also observed as World Understanding and Peace Day. Each club, on that day, should give recognition and emphasis to Rotary’s commitment to international understanding, friendship and peace.

