

DIARY DATES:

17. 05.2009	9690 Family of Rotary Annual Picnic Casuarina Picnic Ground, Nurragingy Reserve Doonside 11am
22.05.2009	Nosh Up Night L A Shish Lebanese Restaurant—Albert Road & 271 Guildford Road Guildford 6.00—6,30pm
23-24.05.2009	Red Shield Appeal
23.05.2009	Northcott Society—1920’s Ball at Marconi Club \$65pp 7pm to midnight.—more information contact Carol on 9890 0954
25. 5.2009	Board Meeting
19. 6.2009	Nosh up night Old Government House and Ghost Tour
29.06.2009	Awards Night for POTYA at Club Marconi Ltd 6.30—7.00 pm—Cost \$40.00 pp.
30.06.2009	Payment to John or Jean if going to AIDA.
04.07.2009	District 9690 Changeover—Penrith Panthers, Mulgoa Road Penrith—6.30—7.00pm—semi-formal—\$30.00 pp—2 course meal—drinks at own expense—seats limited. RSVP 20.6.2009—Lyn Tester 477 0737 mobile 0410 637 470 cheques to be made payable to Rotary Club of Cabramatta Inc
06.07.2009	Club’s Changeover night to be held at Liverpool Golf Club Hollywood Drive Lansvale more details later.
19.07.2009	Liverpool Super Swap Meet—Fairfield Showground—gates open 6.00 am - all helpers required
02.08.2009	Fairfield City Council Open Day 10.00—3.00 pm—set up a display or activity
17.08.2009	District Governor’s Official visit he will be accompanied by his wife and it will be a partners night
22.08.2009	“AIDA” Opera—\$160 pp 1.00 pm—dinner after show. Payment to John or Jean by the 30.6.2009.

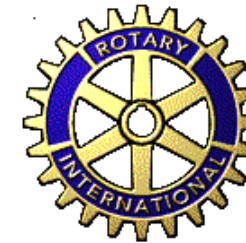
BIRTHDAY AND ANNIVERSARIES

No celebrations for a couple of weeks.



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Tonight’s program:

is a normal meeting.

Today also is the day nominations close for our POTYA. The Awards night is 29.6.2009

HONESTY

Everyone will experience the consequences of his own acts. If his acts are right, he’ll get good consequences; if they’re not, he’ll suffer for it.

- Harry Browne

Last meeting: President Bruce opened the meeting at 6.20 pm with the normal formalities being conducted. Secretary PDG Bill and Director's gave their reports. Monies were extracted during the fine session accompanied by PP Max's Trivia. During the course of the evening PP Graham Shaw gave a job talk.

Attendance: 76.92% not very good this week.

Apologies: Rtn Kay Farrell, IPP Margaret Favelle, PP John Grujovski, PP Greg Houston and Rtn Phouc Vo

Visiting Rotarian: Tom Choo Kok Tong—Rotary Club Tanglin - Singapore

Club Guest: Francis Gee Lim—Burwood

Make Ups: Rtn Kay Farrell and IPP Margaret Favelle

Raffle: won by PP Neil Houlton

Reports:

Secretary Report: PDG Bill Little

- Letter—Vietnam Vision Team—Charity Dinner Crystal Palace Canley Heights 12.6.2009 7.00pm —Team to Vietnam in August for cataract surgery this year there will be 400 patients—23.8.2009—6.9.2009.
- Magazine from Flying Doctor
- Reminders, Rotary Picnic, Northcott Ball, District Changeover 4.7.2009— cheques to club for changeover, Golf Day Liverpool Super Swap Meet 19.7.09

Vocational Service Report: Director Rtn Robert Favelle

- PP Graham Shaw to give a job talk
- Leaflets delivered for POTYA –29.6.2009 6.30—7.00pm

Community Service Report: Director PP David Butterfield

- Catering Day District Assembly—made approximately 270 meals—thanks to ones who attended, we made morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea—bit short on stock.
- Have been asked to do District Assembly for 2.5.2010.
- Next Saturday at Bunnings for BBQ 8.00 am start—help for shifts wanted—sheet going around.
- Remember Red Shield Appeal 23.-24.5.2009

Youth Service Report: Director PP Geoff Lumley

- Response for Cabramatta HS—nomination for RYPEN camp
- RYLA 9-16.1.2010—seeking nominations.
- Cabramatta HS—nominations for 3 students for MUNA
- NYSF—3 sessions—2 Canberra—1 Perth

Next 'Nosh Up' - Friday 22.5.2009 Venue—LA Shish Lebanese Restaurant Albert Road and 271 Guildford Road Guildford—6.00—6.30 pm

International Service Report: Director Rtn Kay Farrell—given by PDG Bill

- Advise YEP student coming from Germany arriving July—need host families. Her name is Julie.
- Combined Service Meeting last week—good evening with good food the money going to Nicholle an amputee in the Paralympic games.
- **PP Bruce** thanked everyone for their efforts at the catering day for the District Assembly—next year it will be 2.5.2010.
- Tom from Tanglin Rotary Club in Singapore presented a club banner and said that they had their 35th anniversary 2 weeks ago He is a Charter Member with 35 members in the club but no lady members. He attended the scouts Jamberoo in Sydney in 1961 and was invited to the Rotary Club of Cabramatta. He presented a photo taken in January 1961 at the Club.

PP Graham gave a job talk he was born at Ashfield and moved to Cabramatta in 1952. He attended Cabramatta East PS, Liverpool Boys HS to 4th year. He applied for jobs and got a job as an apprentice electrician which was for 5 years. He did National Service for 2 years where he worked as an auto electrician on armoured vehicles etc. He has been self employed with since 1968 and his first job was with Kell & Rigby installing a fibreglass resin factory. Has worked for builders, maintenance and installations for factories shops etc. He turned to specialised factory maintenance with a contract with CSR to run maintenance workshop with programs such as MEX and SAP. Graham has seen a lot of changes in his ears going from screwed conduit to orange circular cable, imperial to metric cable, relay panels computers/PLC and now the robot is taking over.

Max's Trivia

During the prohibition era in USA when alcohol was illegal, racketeers used to hide flasks of alcohol in the legs of their boots. This made them bootleggers.

The red wine, claret, gets its name from the relative clarity of the wine and this comes from the Latin clarus for clear.

Punch, which originated in Punjab in India which has 5 tributaries of the Indus River in its area. It was made up of 5 ingredients, tea, water, lemon juice, sugar and Arrack a really rough brew. These days the ingredients vary in kind and number.

