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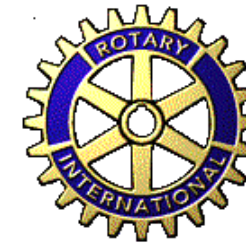
23.05.2009	Northcott Society—1920's Ball at Marconi Club \$65pp 7pm to midnight.—more information contact Carol on 9890 0954
25. 5.2009	Board Meeting
12.06.2009	Vietnam Vision—Charity Dinner Crystal Place Canley Heights 7.00 pm
19. 6.2009	Nosh up night Old Government House and Ghost Tour
28.06.2009	BBQ Bunnings
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.
02.05.2010	District Assembly Catering Day—St Marys Senior High School

INVITATIONS RECEIVED:

- The Rotary Club of Liverpool West Inc Changeover Dinner Saturday 11.7.2209 at Liverpool Catholic Club Prestons 6.30-7.00pm \$60.00 pp live entertainment and a 3 course dinner inclusive of beer, wine, soft drinks.—dress lounge suit. RSVP Friday, 19.6.2009 Charles Hili 9727 3861 M 0412 309 018
- The Rotary Club of Liverpool Greenway Inc Changeover Dinner Sunday 28.6.2009 at Maurizio's Italian Restaurant Wetherill Park, 5.00 pm—dress casual—cost \$65pp—8 course meal with all drinks and entertainment (spirits not included) RSVP 14.6.2009—Wayne 0404 893 816 or quadws@tpg.com.au

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Tonight's program:

will be a normal Club meeting followed by a Board Meeting.

HONESTY

To many a man, and sometimes to a youth, there comes the opportunity to choose between honorable competence and tainted wealth...The young man who starts out to be poor and honorable, holds in his hands one of the strongest elements of success.

- Orison Swett Marden

Last meeting: President Bruce called the meeting to order and opened the meeting at 6.20 pm which was followed by Secretary PDG Bill and Directors giving their reports which was followed by PP Graham conducting his Sgt-at-Arms session and successfully extracting monies from the guilty parties. PP Max giving us his usual wealth of knowledge during his Trivia session.

Attendance: 61.54% - whoops what a down figure on last weeks

Apologies: PP Ray Begovich, Rtn Kay Farrell, PP John Grujovski, PP John Howie, PP Geoff Lumley, and PP Boris Satara

Raffle: won by PP Max Law

Reports:

Secretary Report: PDG Bill Little

- Rotary Club of Liverpool invitation to 35th Annual Changeover Saturday 11.7.2009 6.30-7.00pm
- ROMAC competition
- FCC Museum and Gallery—exhibition 23.5.2009—8.7.2009
- Marilyn Mercer—Hawkesbury Blokes Day –Sunday 14.6.2009—10.00 am till 2pm at Hawkesbury District Health Service—ranges from power boats, Corvette club cars, wood turning and much more—heaps of fun.

Club Service Report: Director PP Graham Shaw

- Nosh Up Nights
- Meeting for current and incoming board members to be arranged

Vocational Service Report: Nil

Community Service Report: Director PP David Butterfield

- Email from Springwood Rotary Club re Antique Fair 7.6.2009 at Springwood High School
- Millennium Foundation—seeking donations
- Salvation Army Red Shield Appeal this weekend—400 kids lined up—need drivers.

International Service Report: Nil

Youth Service Report: Director PP Geoff Lumley

- ROYA—students from High Schools nominations for awards

PP Greg

- Spoke on his up and coming trip to Belgium where they will be racing in the canals at tops speeds of 50mph. He built a special purpose boat 23 foot and it took 12 months to build. He used the highest quality of parts in the motor and a very sophisticated electronic system. It will be used to tow son, Jack in the World Skiing Championships. They leave in 8 weeks and the first race will be on 19th July. Greg's website is stinga.com.au

THINKING OF YOU

PP Boris's operation went well and he is recovering at home and is preparing for his next bout of surgery. We are thinking of you and hope all goes well this time as well.

PP Ray Begovich's mum is very ill in hospital and our thoughts are with him and his family at this time. We are thinking of you at this sad time.

Max's Trivia

As we know, the city of Adelaide was founded by an English Army Officer, Colonel Light and he chose Adelaide over other areas that he had seen as there was a river which would provide drinking water.



What may not be very well known is that Colonel Light was engaged in the Peninsular Wars between England and France and fought at the Battle of Barrosa, near Cadiz, Spain in March 1811. This area was similar to land north of Adelaide and he named it Barossa

BIRTHDAY AND ANNIVERSARIES

Happy birthday to Jackie Ruston who will be celebrating her birthday on Tuesday, 26th May. Have a great day Jackie!

