

## DIARY DATES:

<b>29.06.2009</b>	Awards Night for POTYA at Club Marconi Ltd 6.30—7.00 pm—Cost \$40.00 pp.
<b>04.07.2009</b>	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
<b>06.07.2009</b>	Club's Changeover night to be held at Liverpool Golf Club Hollywood Drive Lansvale—cost \$45.00 pp - There will be a <b>Tombala</b>
<b>19.07.2009</b>	Liverpool Super Swap Meet—Fairfield Showground—gates open 6.00 am - all helpers required
<b>20.07.2009</b>	Board Meeting
<b>25.07.2009</b>	Tour state coach—Britannia \$15pp including morning tea afterwards at AlHambra Spanish/Moroccan Restaurant Shop 1/54 West Esplanade Manly
<b>02.08.2009</b>	Fairfield City Council Open Day 10.00—3.00 pm—set up a display or activity
<b>17.08.2009</b>	District Governor's Official visit he will be accompanied by his wife and it will be a partners night
<b>22.08.2009</b>	"AIDA" Opera—\$160 pp 1.00 pm—dinner after show.
<b>18.09.2009</b>	Nosh up night at Old Govt House Lachlan's Restaurant and then the Ghost Tour—dinner \$56pp for 2 course and \$28 pp for Ghost Tour including light supper—payment Ghost Tour by 24.8.2009.
<b>01.11.2009</b>	All Chryslers' Day—Fairfield Showground—catering day
<b>02.05.2010</b>	District Assembly Catering Day—St Marys Senior High School

## INVITATIONS RECEIVED:

- The Rotary Club of Liverpool West Inc Changeover Dinner Saturday 11.7.2009 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

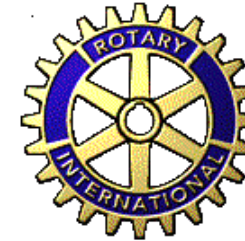
## BIRTHDAY AND ANNIVERSARIES

No celebrations this week members.



## *The Rotary Club of Cabramatta Inc*

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### **Tonight's program:**

Is a very important night as we announce the winner of our Police Officer Of the Year.

We welcome distinguished guests, visitors Sponsors and friends to this Presentation of Awards.

We wish all the nominees the best of luck.

We hope that everyone will enjoy an evening of good food and fellowship.

### **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:** President Bruce declared the meeting opened at 6.25pm and after the formalities, Secretary PDG Bill and Directors gave their reports during the course of the evening. PP Graham conducted his Sgt-at-Arms session extracting monies from the members. PP Max aired his knowledge during his Trivia Session.

**Attendance:** 76.92% - a little improved on last weeks

**Apologies:** PP John Grujovski, PP Boris Satara and Rtn Phuoc Vo

**Visiting Rotarian:** Peter Farrell—RC of Liverpool West

**Make Ups:** IPP Margaret and Robert Favelle

### Reports:

#### Secretary Report: PDG Bill Little

- Letter Rotary Club of Burwood—Charted 1939 celebrating their 70th anniversary 12.12.2009 at Burwood RSL.
- Card from IPP Margaret and Rtn Robert Favelle
- Magazine from Miracle Babies
- Card from Youth Exchange Student, Vera
- Invitation to Inner Wheel Club of Smithfield Annual Changeover Monday, 20.7.2009 at The Mantra Hotel, Parramatta 11.00—11.30 am—cost \$45 pp RSVP 10.7.2009.

PDG Bill gave a report on his recent trip. He said it was good to be back and that they will be starting a new job in September. Labour is cheap. Joe Gauci and PDG Bill left after the Red Shield Appeal and the others 3 days later. They were late in starting the job ran over time but in the end it turned out OK. PDG Bill thanked the club for the effort for the Red Shield Appeal—it exceeded the target set.

#### Club Service Report: Director PP Graham Shaw

- Changeover night is on Monday 6th July at Liverpool Golf Club and the cost is \$45 pp. Numbers are low—hope to get a few more over the next couple of days.
- PP John spoke on the Nosh Up nights the next one is Saturday 25.7.2009—tour/inspection of state coach—Britannia—designed and built by Jim Frecklington OAM at North Head— 10am **SHARP**—cost \$15 pp including morning tea. Afterwards at AlHambra Spanish/Moroccan Restaurant—Shop 1/54 West Esplanade Manly.

#### International Service Report: Director Kay Farrell

- Last Saturday there was a RAWC's meeting—getting ideas for gifts
- Saturday 25.7.2009 at Hubertus Club Christmas in July—Buddy Holly Show

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

- MUNA was on last weekend.

#### Community Service Report: Director PP David Butterfield

- Bunning's BBQ next Sunday 28. 7.2009
- Next BBQ to be held in August

#### Vocational Service Report: Director Rtn Robert Favelle

- PP George said that the POTYA Awards Night on 29.6.2009 is coming together. Numbers low.

#### TRIVIA SESSION BY PP MAX LAW

Originally, the command “Present arms” meant exactly that. Soldiers standing to attention were ordered to surrender their weapons. They held their rifles in front of them with the trigger and sling forward ready to be grabbed. Now a salute without the guns being seized.



To Druids, the oak tree was sacred. To touch it gave power. British naval ships were built of oak and the navy ruled the seas for a long time in these powerful ships. Hence the oak leaf represented supreme authority and is the badge of authority in the army.

#### JUNE IS ROTARY FELLOWSHIPS MONTH

Rotary Fellowships program is a structured program of Rotary International that comprises more than 100 independent fellowships. They range from amateur radio to yachting through to cricket, cycling, flying, golf and fishing to name a few who share their favourite activities and professional interests through organized recreational, vocational, and health/medical related groups within Rotary. The fellowships are organized by Rotarians for Rotarians to develop new friendships and to advance opportunities for service.