



Rotary Club of Canberra Burley Griffin

Weekly Bulletin

05/06 - 8 August 2006
P O Box 602 Canberra 2601

Meetings: Thursday 12.30pm

Canberra Services Club, Corner:
Canberra Avenue and Manuka Circle Manuka



This Thursday 10 August 2006 we meet at the
Canberra Services club for 3-4 weeks.

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From last weeks meeting:

Chris Gray welcomed members and their guests.

Terry announced the Japan trip as a reminder.

Bill skillfully separated rotarians from their coins with many
mind scouring memories and challenges. He also asked "What
is the difference between Lawyers and a trampoline?
You take your shoes off when you bounce on a trampoline!"

Guest speakers:

Faye spoke on her work with Gutteridge, Hawkins and Davey,
(GHD) where she is working on security technologies and
revitalising shipping traffic in some ports. Out of work, Faye is
practicing her pistol shooting skills. Though there seems to be
a connection on the face of it, we were assured there was no
connection, other than a sport for relaxation.

Michael spoke on his work in IT. He has an Economics and IT
degree. He has sold computers, though the company went
bust, despite his best efforts. He moved to Canberra to work
with CSC, or Computer Sciences Corporation. Then worked
with Deloitte and Siemens in Melbourne, then back to CSC.
He is kept busy with his partner and 2 dogs. Michael is also
assisting his Anglican parish to restructure and encourage
youth participation.

Graeme announced the September opening of the re-built
hall on Cotter road. Rotary is looking for assistance with a
working-bee the day before the opening. Graeme has details
and roster.

ROTARY ROSTER FOR INTERNATIONAL TOAST AUGUST - OCTOBER 06

Could members please check the dates
allocated. If they are not suitable, could
you please swap with another on the list
yourself and let me know of the changes
so we can put it in the bulletin.

03.08.06	Liz
10.08.06	Tony B
17.08.06	Bill
24.08.06	Graeme
31.08.06	Jim
07.09.06	Phil
14.09.06	Ross
21.09.06	Liz
28.09.06	Graeme
05.09.06	Jim
12.10.06	Phil
19.10.06	Ross
26.10.06	Liz



Following our International Toast last week, I thought it might be useful for members to have a little more background to eClub One.

In March 2001 District 5450 agreed to create a Rotary Club
on the Internet. The task was not a small one - they had to
sort through a set of 100 year old customs and procedures
to capture the essence of the world's most successful
service club. I have only visited the sight a few times but I
think they have been quite successful in doing this.

The purpose of Rotary eClub One is to extend Rotary
to business, professional and community leaders who
are unable to meet traditional attendance requirements
because of travel, or conflicting occupational demands
etc. Does that sound familiar? If so, perhaps you might
like to check out the website and next time you are unable
to make a meeting, do a make-up on eClub One. I found
it quite easy to find my way around, and was able to do a'
make up' in around 30 minutes.

The web address is: www.rotaryclubone.org/
Liz.

ROTARY CLUB OF CANBERRA BURLEY GRIFFIN • MEETING ROSTERS - July – December 2006

Month	Door	Greet	Banner & PA	SERVICE TOAST & GS WRITE-UP	Date
August	Olek Gancarz & Tony Waring	Bob Brading	Keith Rodda & Mike Purvis	Liz S	3 August
				Tony B	10 th August
				Bill A	17 th August
				Graeme H	24 th August
				Jim S	31 August

Stomp update & highlights:

1. Austin Powers at CASINO ROYALE • 2.5 weeks to go !!
2. Now that is entertainment
3. Farewell Steve Harper (this Friday)

Austin Powers at CASINO ROYALE • 2.5 weeks to go !!

This is your chance to work with the International Man of Mystery, Austin Powers, yes you have heard of his brilliance, he has eluded capture in the past, reclaimed the family jewels and confronted with 100 armed men and no visible means of escape.. Are you kidding? Austin lives for these scenarios. Always well equipped with a loyal sidekick to help him escape, crazy glue, and making sure the bad guys attack one at a time. Austin will be flying in to provide assistance with assignment at CASINO ROYALE. If he were any cooler, he'd still be frozen, baby!

Help Austin find out who is behind the global money-laundering racket at the Casino Royale. The Treasury has agreed to fund you with 5 Casino chips. These will be provided to you by M at the door on the night.

Click here to go to our web site www.thestomp.org

Now that is entertainment

The excitement of Casino Royale is backed by the best entertainment Evil can buy, with an enviable line up of fantastic singers and performers. Casino Royale brings you the fantastic 20-piece ensemble that plays in the tradition of the big Big BIG Swing Band Blamey St Connection with the fabulous Annie Sloane (from Annie and the Armadillos) and Tony Haley (the fabulous Frank Sinatra crooner) performing a fun show in true Casino Royale style. Bring it on !!

Farewell Steve Harper (this Friday)

Steve Harper, alias Slide Master is never one to shrink in the face of overwhelming obstacles such as a room full of evil Agents, known for his death defying Slides across the dance floor. Steve from Ceroc Canberra and Stomp Committee member is leaving us for the sunny state of Queensland.. We are bidding farewell to this Canberra man of mystery this Friday, 8pm 11th August. Come on down to the Bowling Club, Elder Street, Braddon. A cover charge of \$5 awaits you...

I wish to thank everyone for your support, the committee for making this happen, and all our sponsorsÖ get your tickets now..

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NEW DIRECTIONS SEMINAR

There isn't much time left to register for the New Directions Seminar on 12 August. This is one of those extremely rare occasions when we have three very special Rotary leaders coming to speak with us about their areas of specialisation. It is a wonderful opportunity for Club Leaders in the areas of The Rotary Foundation, Membership and Public Relations to hear about their portfolios from experts.

PDG Bob Aitkin is not only the Managing Editor for our regional magazine, Rotary Down Under, but is also the General Coordinator for Rotary International's Public Relations Resource Group.

PDG Don Jago is the Regional Rotary Foundation Coordinator for Australia and New Zealand.

PDG Jenny Coburn will be speaking with us about Membership and is the Zone 8 Regional Rotary International Membership Coordinator. PDG Jenny is also the Family of Rotary Resource Group South Pacific Area Coordinator.

These senior Rotarians are all coming from interstate so let's all make the most of their expertise and support DG Mick Newling in this the first of his major District activities.

Details again –

Date: Saturday 12 August 2006

Time: 10.00 am to 3.30 pm

Place: Canberra Deakin Sports Club

Grose Street

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Refreshments:

Morning and afternoon tea and a sandwich lunch will be provided.

Cost: Nil, zero, FOC – District is funding.

Who should attend: TRF, PR and Membership Rotarians and anyone who is interested in learning more about Rotary.

To register please contact –

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