

ROTARY CLUB OF COROWA



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LAST MEETING – Club Assembly

International Toast

Visiting Rotarian, Ruth Summerfield from England, proposed a toast to her club, the Rotary Club of Ashby De La Zouch, Leicestershire.

Rotary Information

Graham Brown read a passage from “The Drum” re. Membership

Announcements

- BBQ on Saturday morning
- Road clean-up on Sunday morning
- Landcare would like assistance with mowing around the newly planted trees in the wetland area.
- Our entrant in the National Youth Science Forum, Kathryn Raschke, will be attending the next meeting to give a short talk.

Guest Ruth Summerfield spoke on her club’s fund raising for polio. A sauce company produced 2000 bottles of tomato sauce, which her club sold for a photo competition. Participants pay 50p per photo and can have 10 photos of a sauce bottle taken in unusual places. Not sure what the prize was. A great fund raiser!

Attendance.

75% with nothing to sing about.

From the meeting

- Paul to organise the cleaning of the Rotary emblem on the rotunda.
- Girl Guides need money for their Jamboree. Suggested catering for us – maybe 29 Sept.
- Next monthly BBQ to be on Saturday 1st October.
- BBQ at Karinya Sunday 16th October.
- Khaki vehicle gathering 12th to 18th March 2012.
- AGM Thursday 1st December.
- Apologies/guests for dinners to be given to Craig by Wednesday night.
- Segment in Bulletin to be introduced where members may anonymously give **constructive** criticism or praise to any aspect of our meetings or other activities. Articles may be handed to, posted to, e-mailed etc to Bulletin editor. Confidentiality assured. What would **you** like to see us **do or not do**?

RAFFLES

1. Neil (2 in a row)
2. Graham B. – K of D

STOP PRESS: Saturday’s BBQ raised about \$130 – snag in bread with onion by donation.



Road Clean-up yielded 39 bags of rubbish plus various odds and ends. Wal picked up a lot of reflectors until he was told not to get the ones from the middle of the road.

APOLOGIES/GUESTS TO CRAIG 60 335814 BY WEDNESDAY

	8/9/2011	15/9/2011	22/9/2011
Programme	Kalianna Enterprises	Official visit by D.G. David Anderson	Keith Barber
Chairman	Margaret	Noreen	David P.
Treasurer	Gail	Margaret	Noreen
Rotary Grace	Arthur	Gail	Margaret
Loyal Toast	Chris	Arthur	Gail
Intl. Toast	Neil	Chris	Arthur
Rotary Info	Trish	Neil	Chris
Sergeants help	Graham B.	Trish	Neil

A plumber received a call from an old lady who asked if he would fix her plumbing problems in the kitchen. As she was not going to be home she told him that the key would be under the door mat. Her instructions included not to worry about the Pit Bull dog, and not to talk to the parrot. **Whatever happens do not talk to the parrot.**

While the plumber worked on the pipes, the mean looking dog stood watching every move he made and the parrot screamed abuse, swore and criticised everything the plumber did. Unable to take any more he told the parrot to shut up.

"Sic him, Brutus", said the parrot.

Some people are wise, and some are otherwise

Most of our suspicions of others are aroused by our knowledge of ourselves.

"Never take life seriously. Nobody gets out alive anyway".

"If quitters never win, and winners never cheat, then who is the fool who said "Quit while you're ahead"?"

"Life is sexually transmitted."

"The hard thing about business is minding your own."

"About the time we can make ends meet, somebody moves the ends."

"It is a good thing to learn caution from the misfortunes of others."