

ROTARY CLUB OF COROWA

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PRESIDENT: DAVID POTTS

Last Meeting

Guest Speaker Norm Wales, gave a very interesting talk on his life as a traffic cop. Born in Yarrawonga, he always had a desire to join the Police Force which he did in 1968. His early life in the force was as a motor cycle cop in Sydney. Wishing to return to the country, he transferred to the highway patrol at Holbrook and swapped 2 wheels for 4 with a Cooper 'S'. He then moved to Finley and a Torana XU1 which threw a rod in a cloud of smoke. Back in Sydney he did escort duty for wide loads travelling to the Qld border and in 1976 he moved to Albury and then to Corowa. In 2008 he received the Australian Police Medal. On his retirement Norm was the longest serving member of the highway patrol in N.S.W. He was fined several during the fine session as a couple of our speeding members got even.



Induction



Craig Overend was inducted to the club by President David. Craig is a process engineer at Uncle Tobys and was warmly welcomed by all present. Craig had his partner Danielle and his parents (Lions members) as guests.

Craig, Danielle and Pres. David

Announcements

- Ian and Trish attended a breakfast meeting while in the USA and presented a banner.
- Gail and John attended Kate's graduation in USA. Pix to follow.
- Margaret gave an account of the exchange student committee meeting at Dookie. Host families to have police checks in future.
- Paul will be attending the Lions Change Over on 25th.

Attendance

86.2%

Bowelscan

Bowelscan kits being tested by Barwon Health in Geelong. 3500 kits were tested in 1 day recently. A number of kits from Corowa have not been returned to the chemist from where purchased by the programme end date. **If you have a kit, or know someone with one who wants it tested, it is not too late. Return ASAP to chemist or to me (G.C.)**



Raffles

1. Neil
2. David P. – King of spades.

Apologies/guests to Don 60330423

	16/6/2011	23/6/2011	30/6/2011
Programme	Assembly	Change Over D.G. attending Induction - Narelle	TBA
Treasurer	Ken		
Chairman	Chris		
Rotary Grace	Trish		
Loyal Toast	Ian C		
Intl Toast	Wal		
Rotary Info	Margaret		
Sergeants help	Graham B		

Eleven people were hanging on a rope under a helicopter, 10 men and 1 woman. The rope was not strong enough to carry them all, so they decided that one had to leave, otherwise they were all going to fall. They weren't able to choose that person, until the woman gave a very touching speech. She said that she would voluntarily let go of the rope, because, as a woman, she was used to giving up everything for her husband and kids or for men in general, and was used to always making sacrifices with little in return. As soon as she finished her speech, all the men started clapping . . .

A husband and wife are having dinner at a very fine restaurant when this absolutely stunning young woman comes over to their table, gives the husband a big open-mouthed kiss, says she'll see him later and walks away. His wife glares at him and says, "Who the hell is that?" "Oh," replies the husband, "she's my mistress." "Well, that's the last straw," says the wife. "I've had enough, I want a divorce." "I can understand that," replies her husband, "but remember, if we get a divorce it will mean no more shopping trips to Paris, no more wintering in Barbados, no more summers in Tuscany, no more Mercedes and Lexus in the garage and no more yacht club. But the decision is yours." Just then, a mutual friend enters the restaurant with a gorgeous babe on his arm. "Who's that woman with Jim?" asks the wife. "That's his mistress," says her husband. "Ours is prettier," she replies.

An elderly couple, who were both widowed, had been going out with each other for a long time. Urged on by their friends, they decided it was finally time to get married. Before the wedding, they went out to dinner and had a long conversation regarding how their marriage might work. They discussed finances, living arrangements, and so on. Finally, the old gentleman decided it was time to broach the subject of their physical relationship. 'How do you feel about sex?' he asked her rather tentatively. 'I would like it infrequently' she replied. The old gentleman sat quietly for a moment, adjusted his glasses, then leaned over towards her and whispered, 'Is that one word or two?'

A woman went to a pet shop & immediately spotted a large, beautiful parrot..There was a sign on the cage that said \$50.00. 'Why so little,' she asked the pet store owner. The owner looked at her and said, 'Look, I should tell you first that this bird used to live in a house of ill repute and sometimes it says some inappropriate stuff.' She decided she had to have the bird any way. She took it home and hung the bird's cage up in her living room and waited for it to say something. The bird looked around the room, then at her, and said, 'New house, new madam.' The woman was a bit taken back at the implication, but then thought 'that's really not so bad.' When her 2 teenage daughters returned from school the bird saw and said, 'New house, new madam, new girls.' The girls and the woman were offended at first but then began to laugh about the situation considering how and where the parrot had been raised. Moments later, the woman's husband came home from work. The bird looked at him and said, 'Hi, Keith!'