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Corowa South Public School

It was a lovely change from our usual dinner meetings to be served dinner by an immaculately dressed group of young students as we dined at the Corowa South Public School.



A lovely meal of cold meats and salads was prepared for us by members of the school P&C and this followed by an array of desserts, which our members tucked into.



The school is an award winning, family orientated school with 53 students and is located on the banks of the Murray River. It is the school's purpose to deliver quality education to develop the individual talents, interests and abilities of all students.



After our meal we were introduced to Lara who spoke to us about the school and how she has enjoyed her years studying there.

Lara, it seems, is not only a great speaker but is also quite the sports woman competing in swimming and athletics. She has travelled to Sydney, representing the School in state high jump and managed a 1.20m jump. A great effort!

At the end of our meeting President Meredith thanked the relieving Principle Sean Scott for the great night and then presented a cheque to the P&C for the proceeds of our dinner.

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Program & Roster

Corowa RSL Club

March 30, 2017

**DGE Bernie Bott
&
New Member
Induction**

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**Grace
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**Loyal Toast
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**International Toast
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News from the Meeting

- David T was not only enjoying Rotary on Thursday night but it was also his 74th birthday. We all wish David a very happy birthday and of course, many more to come. Maybe we can sing for Dave this week.
- Graham reported on Ride to Conference, informing us that \$13292 had been raised so far and that he was still hopeful of more money to come.
- Meredith reported on our Wetlands project. Sarah and Suzanne from the Murray Darling group have been assisting us with the grant application. This is now completed and has been submitted.
- The easter egg hunt will be held again this year on Easter Sunday Morning at the RSL park, with a church service starting at 9:30am. At 10.50 there will be a puppet show followed by the Easter Egg Hunt. We are to provide the sausage sizzle for this function and will need 3 or 4 members for this.



Save the Date

Sunday April 2:
Federation Market at Bangerang
(Daylight Savings Ends)

Saturday April 15:
Billycart Races & Rotary Street Market

Sunday April 16:
Easter Market at Bangerang Park & Sausage Sizzle at Easter Egg Hunt

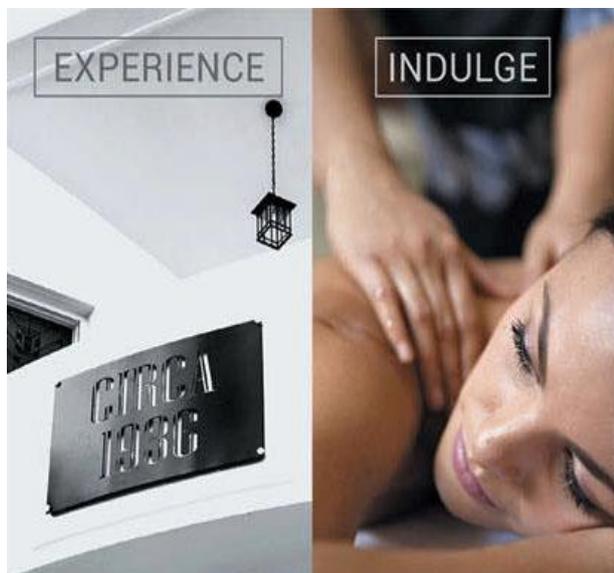


Do You Want to be a Winner....?

Our Mrs Raffles, or Janet as we know her' While I'm talking about will be selling raffle tickets at the April Federation Markets, on Sunday April 2nd, Saturday April 15th and Sunday April 16th.

The prize this month is a beauty, a ninety-minute massage in the day spa at "Circa 1936" and a basket of other goodies from their range of culinary delights. Total value \$340.

Tickets are -
\$2 each or 3 for \$5



Youth Exchange

Our Emma is on the road again, this time on the 9790 Rock to Reef trip.

Some of us know just how exciting this trip is and we hope Emma really enjoys it.

With a little bit of luck Cyclone Debbie will have settled down by the time they reach Cairns and the trip down the coast will be memorable for all the right reasons.



Donations in Kind 500th Container this Century

We were very pleased to talk to a number of Rotarians at the recent conference of District 9790 held in Shepparton on the weekend of the 16th - 19th March 2017.

At this time we were able to present to a member of your Club a small container in which there was a thimble. We have asked this member to raise some funds from your Club members by auctioning, raffling or otherwise disposing of this small container to assist us in raising funds for the freight to send the 500th Container overseas to Timor Leste, our close neighbour. This container will be filled with school desks and chairs and school books.



If we can raise between \$100 and \$500 from each Club, we will have more than enough to pay for this and something towards future containers, so we ask that you seriously consider your Clubs generous support for this most worthwhile ongoing project. We were only able to give out less than 30 thimbles, so all or any assistance is most appreciated. We believe this novel approach to fund raising will be most beneficial for these most worthy recipients.

Many of the people at Conference expressed an interest in their Club being a partner in the 500th Container Promotion, but could not make a commitment until it had been endorsed by their Board. A small donation will not only help a lot of people, it will provide your Club with a great promotional opportunity.

We hope you will take the opportunity to "Come on Board".



Yours in Rotary,

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Rib Ticklers

My wife called on her way home, after a long day at work, and asked me to run her some hot water and not to forget the bubbles.... hope she'll be happy - she's so sweet, love her to bits!



**If the woman is always right,
and a man is always wrong.
Then, if a man tells a woman
that she's right.**



**Is the man right
or wrong?**

The woman applying for a job in a lemon orchard seemed to be far too qualified for the job; given her arts and education degrees from Sydney University and her jobs as a social worker and school teacher.

The foreman frowned and said, "I have to ask you this:

"Have you had any actual experience in picking lemons?"

"Well, as a matter of fact, I have!"

"I've been divorced three times, owned 2 Falcons, barrack for Collingwood, and I voted for Malcolm Turnbull.



**Wife texts husband on a cold
winter morning...**

'Windows frozen; won't open'

**Husband texts back, 'Pour
warm water over it and gently
tap edges with hammer'**

**Five minutes later wife texts
back, 'Computer really
messed up now.'**

An older couple were lying in bed one night. The husband was falling asleep but his wife was in a romantic mood and wanted to talk. She said: "You used to hold my hand when we were courting."

Wearily he reached across, held her hand for a second and tried to get back to sleep.

A few moments later she said: "Then you used to kiss me."

Mildly irritated, he reached across, gave her a peck on the cheek and settled down to sleep.

Thirty seconds later she said: "Then you used to bite my neck."

Angrily, he threw back the bed clothes and got out of bed.

"Where are you going?" she asked.

"To get my teeth!"

Australian Rotary Health

Researchers at the University of Sydney in collaboration with the Black Dog Institute are working to develop and evaluate a world-first, online decision-making aid, to help young adults with Bipolar II (BPII) Disorder make informed treatment decisions.

ARH provided a Mental Health Grant to Associate Professor Ilona Juraskova this year to lead the study, which builds on work of her PhD student and co-investigator, Alana Fisher

Ilona Juraskova is an Associate Professor in Health and Clinical Psychology within the School of Psychology, at the University of Sydney. Having completed her PhD and training as a clinical psychologist in 2003, her expertise lies in reducing the psycho-social burden of illness by designing and evaluating evidence-based communication and decision-making interventions for patients/family/clinicians, which can be readily implemented in clinical practice.



Apologies

Please remember to notify the Sergeant at Arms, Ray Terrill if you can't attend our weekly meetings or if you wish to bring any guests.

Ray can be contacted by

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Programs - No Meeting April 13, Easter Thursday.

Meeting Date	April 6	April 20	April 27
Venue	Corowa RSL	Corowa RSL	Corowa RSL
Program	Assembly	Rutherglen Visit Trivia Night	Dr Joanne Bellette Corowa High School
Chairman	Meredith	Howard	David T
Treasurer	David P	Robyn	Howard
Rotary Grace	Gary	Gail	Robyn
Loyal Toast	Norman	Gary	John
International Toast	Wally	Norman	Gary
Rotary Information	Paul Mowlam	Graeme C	Norman
Sergeants Help	Paul Miegel	Paul Mowlam	Don

Please arrange your own replacement if you are unable to fulfill your roster duty.

Wine Packs



Fortified wine pack order form
(within Australia only)

Email orders to admin@corowarotary.org.au

Name: _____

Delivery Address: _____

City Town: _____

State: _____ **Post Code:** _____

Contact Number: _____

Special Delivery Instructions: _____

	Price	Qty.	Total
Fortified Wine Pack	\$60.00		
Postage & Handling (Traceable Post Pack)	\$10.00		
Total			

METHOD OF PAYMENT

Cheques made payable to Rotary Club of Corowa
Credit Card Payments, please complete this authority
Card Type – (circle) VISA, MASTERCARD

Card number _____ **Exp.** _____ / _____

Card Holder Name _____

Card Holders Signature _____

DECLARATION: This wine has not been purchased for resale by a licensed person or their representative. I am over 18 years of age.

Signed: _____

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