



BULLETIN 26th March 2009

Where we meet

Meets Thursdays 12.15 for 12.30
Southern Cross Yacht Club, Mariner
Place, Lotus Bay, Yarralumla

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Apologies

Please contact Pres Bill before 12
noon Thursday of the meeting or
earlier

Last meeting details

18 members
3 visiting Rotarians
2 visitors

Meeting Co-ordinator

March – Ron Rabey
April – Keith Gray



**Last Week – Changes in the
Funeral Industry**

Clayton Perry joined us last week. A past
member, who is sorely missed, gave us a run
down on the changes in the funeral industry. For
a morbid topic we had a light and lively
discussion about things such as environmental
impacts of funerals, cardboard coffins (and the
fear funeral directors have of them!!), decoration
options for coffins, future cemetery's in the ACT
and crematoriums.

Door Roster

Thursday 26th March – Tony McGloughlin and Ross Brown
Thursday 2nd April – Chris Gray and Sharon Green
Thursday 9th April – Graeme Howieson and Bob Garven

International Toast Roster

Thursday 26th March – Keith Gray
Thursday 2nd April – Bob Brading
Thursday 9th April – Fiona Carthew
REMINDER – please supply the Bulletin Editor with a copy of your information sheet

Vocational Update Roster

Thursday 2nd April – Joyce Lawrence
Thursday 16th April – Ken Meaney
If you can't do any of the rostered duties please arrange your own replacement.

The Rotary 4-Way Test

"Of the things we think, say or do:
Is it the TRUTH?
Is it FAIR to all concerned?
Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?"

Rotary Grace

For good food, good fellowship, and the privilege to serve, through Rotary we give thanks.

Coming Events and Speakers

Thursday 26th March – Indigenous Support Program and Winter School at UNSW
28th – 29th March – District Assembly at Bowral High School

Thursday 2nd April – Club Assembly

Saturday 4th April - STOMP

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International Toast

Tony Brickwood gave the International Toast last week, to a place near to his heart and soon to be near his feet. Tony proposed our toast to the Rotary Club of Lima, Peru D4450. Tony is adventuring over there soon to walk to Machu Pichu.

The club meets every Thursday morning from 7:30-8:30 am sharp at the Marriot at Larco Mar. They have 39 members and were chartered in 1922.

Club Programme

For all details of our Programme visit

<http://www.canberra-burley-griffin-rotary-club.org/Program.html>

Claim the Date

15th – 19th May – Angas Downs trip

14th June – District Awards and Changeover lunch

5th September – STOMP

24th – 25th October – District Conference in Cooma

Joke of the Week

New Stock Market Terms

CEO --Chief Embezzlement Officer.

CFO-- Corporate Fraud Officer.

BULL MARKET -- A random market movement causing an investment banker to mistake himself for a financial genius.

BEAR MARKET -- A 6 to 18 month period when the kids get no allowance, the wife gets no jewellery.

VALUE INVESTING -- The art of buying low and selling lower.

P/E RATIO -- The percentage of investors wetting their pants as the market keeps crashing.

BROKER -- What my broker has made me.

STANDARD & POOR -- Your life in a nutshell.

STOCK ANALYST -- Idiot who just downgraded your stock.

STOCK SPLIT -- When your ex-wife and her lawyer split your assets equally between themselves.

FINANCIAL PLANNER -- A guy whose phone has been disconnected.

MARKET CORRECTION -- The day after you buy stocks.

CASH FLOW-- The movement your money makes as it disappears down the toilet.

YAHOO -- What you yell after selling it to some poor sucker for \$240 per share.

WINDOWS -- What you jump out of when you're the sucker who bought Yahoo @ \$240 per share.

INSTITUTIONAL INVESTOR -- Past year investor who should be now locked up in a nuthouse.

PROFIT -- An archaic word no longer in use.

