



BULLETIN 27th November 2008

Where we meet

Meets Thursdays 12.15 for 12.30
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Apologies

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

Last meeting details

T.B.A.

Meeting Co-ordinator

November – Sharon Green
December – Bob Brading

Rotary Grace

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

Member updates

Last week we had updates from a few of our members. There were three speakers, George Wilson, Ross Brown and John Little.

John Little has returned from his overseas journey and talked about the Philippines including diet, the potential projects for Rotary, the value of the Peso, what recession? The military and the challenges of cashing traveller's cheques and the like.

Ross Brown talked about the gloomy things associated with getting loans, the tightening credit criteria and the like.

George Wilson provided a brief update on Angus Downs and of course his recent bird watching trip.

Below is a photo of where John has been spending his time – Ozamiz City.



Door Roster

- Thursday 27th November – Tony McGloughlin and Tony Brickwood
- Thursday 4th December – Elizabeth Scrivener and Peter Dawson
- Thursday 11th December – Vera Lipton and Chris Gray

International Toast Roster

- Thursday 27th November – Michael Rabey
 - Thursday 4th December – Ross Brown
 - Thursday 11th December – George Wilson
- REMINDER – please supply the Bulletin Editor with a copy of your information sheet

Vocational Update Roster

- Thursday 27th November – Jenny Swanson
 - Thursday 11th December – Tony Brickwood
- If you can't do any of the rostered duties please arrange your own replacement.

Coming Events and Speakers

Thursday 27th November –
Ann Cowling – I was an Indian
Garbage Collector

Saturday 29th November –
Handy Help

Thursday 4th December –
AGM and Elections

Friday 12th December –
Christmas Party

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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?"

Club Programme

For all details of our Programme visit <http://www.canberra-burley-griffin-rotary-club.org/Program.html>

This Week - I was an Indian Garbage Collector

Our guest speaker this week is Ann Cowling is a friend of Sharon Green. Ann has just returned to Canberra from Rishikesh, India, where she spent 4 months as a volunteer with Clean Himalaya, an NGO developing a comprehensive waste management project. Ann will talk to us about her experience, and what she learnt about the life of the garbage collectors, and show photos from the trip.

Thanks from Barry Howe

My thanks also, and that of the Greenhills Centre Board, to your Rotarians who contributed to the Rotary Working Bee last Saturday. Burley Griffin provided four of the 22 Rotarians, from five clubs, who planted over 200 shrubs, cleared noxious weeds, cleaned up the BBQ area and prepared the steel chairs for restoration.