Honorary Life Memberships Awarded

At the ROCA Annual general Meeting on Friday 16th October 2009, Life Memberships were awarded to Dr David Cooper, Mark Seeliger and Hon Dr Bruce Eastick AM.

President Dale Manson presented the Certificates and Badges during the Annual Reunion Dinner. He paid tribute to the outstanding services rendered by these members and the untiring commitments they made for the benefit of Roseworthy. Some biographical details are as follows:

Dr David Cooper

- RDA graduate of 1967;
- Served on the ROCA Committee for 14 years, having first joined in 1994;
- ROCA Vice President 1995;
- ROCA President 1996-1998;
- ROCA Treasurer 1999-2008;
- Served all roles with dedication and distinction;
- Hosted ROCA Committee Meetings at his business premises for many years;
- Life Member of ROCA.

Mark Seeliger

- RDA graduate of 1961;
- Member of RAC Council
- Joined ROCA Committee in 2002;
- ROCA Vice President 2003;
- ROCA President 2004-2006;
- As Immediate Past President in 2006 & 2007, was of huge assistance to the President;
- Currently active on the ROCA Committee;
- Maintained valuable networks and liaison with the Australian Institute of Agricultural Science and Technology, University Faculty of Sciences and University Alumni;
- Life Member of ROCA.

Hon Dr Bruce Eastick AM

- RDA 1947;
- Member of the Roseworthy SRC for two years of his study;
- Vet Degree in Sydney;
- Lecturer at RAC in the 1950's;
- ROCA Award of Merit 1985;
- Served on and Chaired numerous Roseworthy Advisory Committees;
- Joined RAC Council 1982;
- President of RAC Council 1989/90 (time of merger with Adelaide Uni);
- Inaugural Chairman of Co-Patrons for Roseworthy Campus & Student Fund in 2006, serving in this role for 4 years;
- Life Member of ROCA