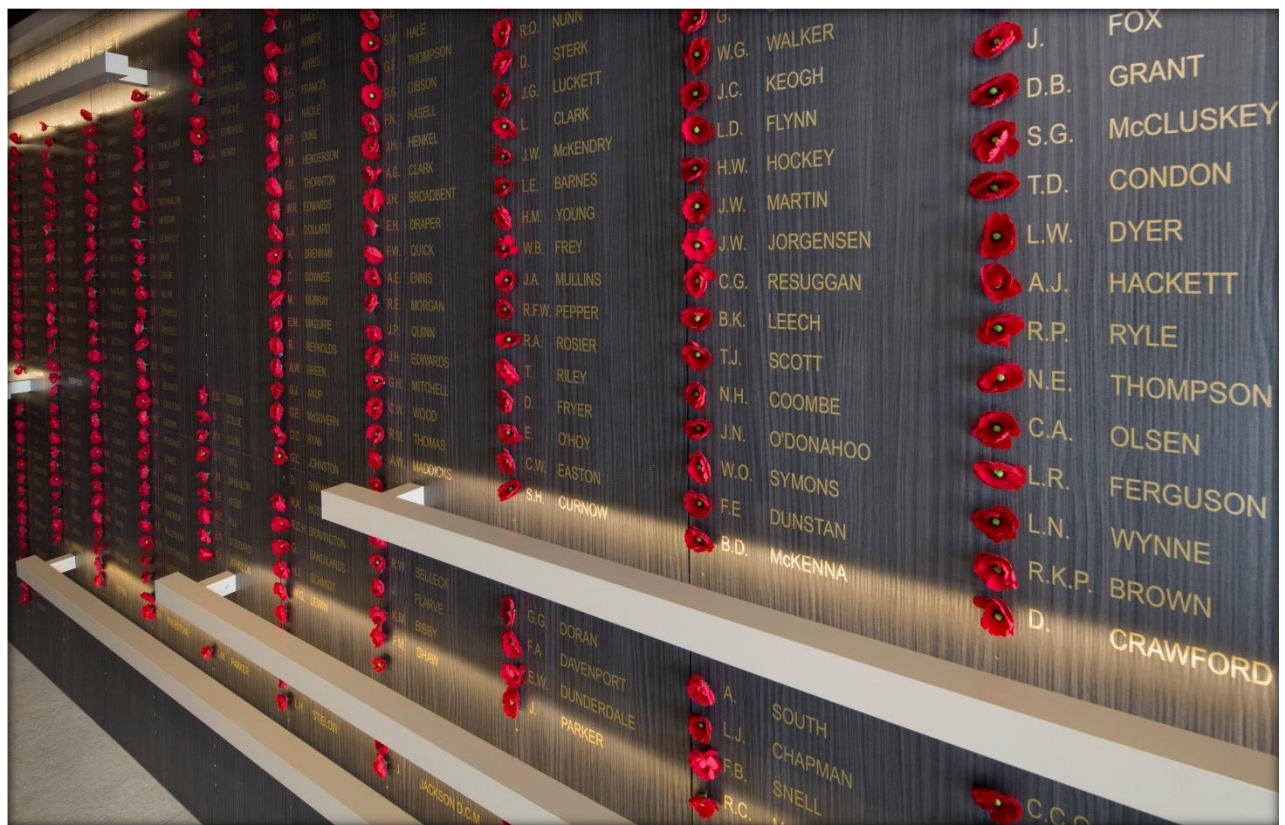


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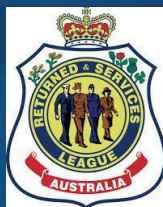
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PRESIDENTS REPORT

3rd Quarter 2015

“ADVANCE”

It is with great pleasure that I welcome you to our new look Advance. It is hoped that members like to the new format and design. This was decided upon by the committee as the belief was, even though the old advance served us well for a lot of years, to update it to its current format. Once again we will be looking for articles, members input, etc.

I am happy to report that the club is growing in all aspects and membership grows along with it. The bistro is now booked to capacity every night, the bar is humming and the place is a hive of activity.

Although our club is expanding please be assured, the hospitality and your comfort is always our top priority. Everything in our club will be done to make you and your guests visit an enjoyable and pleasant one.

Kevin Tucker
President

MANAGERS MESSAGE

3rd Quarter 2015

As I look back on what we have achieved at Highett, I pondered, would you believe it is 12 months since we started our renovations! I must say we're looking good and trading well in all areas at the club.

In moving into the 21st century it gives me great pleasure in presenting to you our members our new look Advance. We have progressed into what we believe to be imperative to communicate with all our members along with our newly updated Website (www.highetttrsl.com.au). With more regular updates for those you have computer access; this is merely a step into the future.

Welcome to all our new members which have increased at an unprecedented rate, I'm sure you will enjoy our facilities and a big thank you for the continued support from our existing members. You have endured the pain of renovations of which you showed your loyalty throughout even despite the noise/dust and inconvenience. It's a credit to you all. We have secured our future at the Highett RSL for years to come.

A great big thank you to all our staff that endured the extra pressure and the far from perfect work conditions but did so with a smile and sense of humour. Just to get through the days. Well done to all of you, it has been appreciated.

Daryl Absalom
Manager

Women's Auxiliary Report

3rd Quarter 2015

The year has raced by again and we are already over half way through 2015. As a result of family commitments and absence to escape the cold winter, our numbers have been severely depleted, leaving only two of us - Gladys and Angela - to keep up our work. Needless to say, our enthusiasm has not been diminished.

CONGRATULATIONS to Angela Docherty on receiving her 10 year Silver Service Badge for her dedicated service with the Women's Auxiliary, which was presented to her by our President Kevin Tucker last month.

RSL WOMEN'S COUNCIL PROJECT 2015 - This year the RSL Women's Council Project for 2015 is to furnish an apartment which is being built in Richmond by the RSL. These apartments will be used for any Veterans who, due to no fault of their own, have found themselves without a roof over their heads. This includes Veterans that have been in Ward 17 in the Repatriation Hospital when their stay has come to an end but have no appropriate or affordable accommodation to return to.

The units are for short term accommodation, the minimum time will be for six months, which will give the veteran time to find suitable long term housing for themselves.

To help with the fund raising the RSL Women's Council are running a raffle at \$1.00 per ticket to be drawn at our conference on the 4th August, 2015.

The First prize has been donated by Lakes Entrance RSL Women's Auxiliary, sponsored by their Sub-Branch, valued at \$1,400.00 for a 7 day holiday package with 6 cooked breakfasts and 7 dinner vouchers valued at \$25.00 each plus a \$200.00 Kmart voucher and two extra dinner vouchers at an RSL venue.

2nd prize value \$870.00 (\$500.00 Pre-Paid Visa Card, \$70.00 Big W voucher, 6 dinner vouchers at an RSL venue.

3rd Prize value \$600.00 (\$50.00 Wild Timor Coffee Hamper, children's table and chair set, with dinner set and table Mats, 6 dinner vouchers at an RSL venue.

One of those dinner vouchers has been donated by the Highett RSL, for which we are very grateful. The tickets are on sale now and we look forward to the usual generous support from members and guests.

Owing to our small number of committee members, we are always looking for more Women to join us, if anyone is interested, please come and see us. Meetings are at 7.00pm every second Monday of the month.

As usual, all profits from our activities go to local and national charities.

'We Also Serve'

Angela Docherty
Secretary/Treasurer

Gladys Proctor
President



Left

Angela Docherty receives the Silver Star for 10 years of dedication to the Women's Auxiliary from Kevin Tucker .Pres

Right

Grade 3 & 4 St Agnas students take time out from study to come in and sing for the Highett RSL War Widows Group



Monday Members Raffle 2nd Quarter Results

Come down and join us every Monday night for the members draw for your chance to win big bucks. Every member is in the draw but you have to be here to win.

Main Draw:

6 April	\$900	No. 552	Not Claimed
13 April	\$1000	No. 1173	Not Claimed
20 April	\$1,100	No. 455	Not Claimed
27 April	\$1,200	No. 238	Not Claimed
4 May	\$1,300	No. 455	Not Claimed
11 May	\$1,400	No. 911	Not Claimed
18 May	\$1,500	No. 1550	Not Claimed
25 May	\$1,600	No. 978	Not Claimed
1 June	\$1,700	No. 271	Not Claimed
8 June	\$1,800	No. 419	Not Claimed
15 June	\$1,900	No. 1732	Not Claimed
22 June	\$2,000	No. 1695	Not Claimed

Calendar Vouchers

July – enjoy a free bottle of Barefoot series wine when you present your calendar voucher over the bar with any booking of four or more people.

August – Remember those who bravely served Australia during the Vietnam War by joining us for a free pot of beer on Tuesday the 18th when you present your calendar voucher

September – enjoy father's day with us and receive a free Schooner of tap beer or glass of the wine of the month when you present your calendar voucher at the bar.

Save the Date

July 10th – British Open Commences

July 22nd – 75th Anniversary of the battle of Britain

August 10th – US PGA Commences

August 18th – Vietnam Veterans Day

September 6th – Father's Day

Australian Food in the Fifties

My word how things have changes!

In the fifties, pasta was not eaten in Australia, Curry was a surname, takeaway was a mathematical problem, Pizza was something to do with a leaning tower, all potato chips were plain; the only choice you had was whether to put salt on them or not, rice was only eaten as a milk pudding, calamari was called squid and used as fish bait, a big Mac was what you wore when it was raining, brown bread was something only poor people ate, oil was for lubricating and fat was for cooking, tea was made in teapots using tea leaves and never green, sugar had a good rap and was regarded as white gold, cubed sugar was regarded as posh, fish didn't come in fingers, eating raw fish was called poverty not sushi, no one had heard of yoghurt, people who didn't peel potatoes were regarded as lazy, Indian restaurants were only found in India, cooking outside was called camping, prunes were medical, surprisingly muesli was readily available; it was called cattle feed. Water came out of the tap. If someone had suggested bottling it and charging more than petrol for it, they would have become a laughing stock!!!



OPEN 7 DAYS
12 to 2.30 FOR LUNCH AND DINNER 5:30 to 8:30

MONDAY: MEMBERS DRAW	Pie Night Pie & Chips Lunch Special Select Menu	\$12 \$10
TUESDAY:	Parma Night Choice of Toppings & Sides Lunch Special Select Menu	\$14 \$10
WEDNESDAY:	Meal Deal Soup & Main or Main & Dessert	\$15
THURSDAY:	Steak Night 300g Porterhouse With Pepper, Garlic, Mushroom Sauce Choice of Sides	\$18
FRIDAY:	Early Bird Dinners Order between 5:30 & 6:30pm	RAFFLE NIGHT
SATURDAY:	Curry Night Choose from 3 curries	\$15
SUNDAY: Lunch Only	Carvery Choose from 3 fresh Roasts Free soup or dessert	\$16

SENIORS MEALS ONLY \$13.00

**SUNDAY NIGHT
FAMILY DINNER
2 Adults & 2 Kids
ONLY \$41**

Receive \$2
TENNIS
VOUCHER

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DART SECTION REPORT

Hi,

On Wednesday the 17th of June at the Springvale RSL the Highett Vipers enjoyed a fantastic win at the darts grand final. After losing the first game we went on to win the following five games straight.

It was great to see such a wonderful turnout to cheer on the team. Thank you to everyone who made it on the night.

Next Season will commence on the Wednesday the 15th of July.

Victoria RSL Double & Single

Division 1 & 2 Brianni 24/06/2015 & Gothic 01/07/2015 @ Springvale RSL

Ladies Millennium Double 24/06/2015 & Singles 01/07/2015 @ Springvale RSL

Division 3 & 4 Terry Sweeney 24/06/2015 & Alby Moore 01/07/2015 @ Longbeach (Chelsea)

Highett RSL Club Doubles 28/06/2015 & Club Singles 05/07/2015

Register at 12:00 for a 12:30 Start

Good luck to all players in the final, doubles and singles

GOLF SECTION REPORT

Hi,

Since our last report, we have had 3 games in May.

On the 3rd May, we played Par which was the first round of the Bert Gay trophy at Kingston Links. The winner of A Grade was **Mr Peter COMINO** with +3 and the winner of B Grade was **Mr Colin THORNTON** with +6, with the CCR being +3. Great to see Colin back on the winners list!

On the 24th May, we played Stableford which was the second round of the Bert Gay trophy at Pakenham. The winner of A Grade was **Mr Dean WATERSTON** with 36pts and the winner of B Grade was **Mr Stephen GOW** with 42pts, with the CCR being 35.

And finally, on the 31st May, we played Stroke which was the final round of the Bert Gay trophy at 'The Growling Frog'. The winner of A Grade was **Mr Peter COMINO** with a net 70 and the winner of B Grade was **Mr Paul HOUSDEN** with a net 64, with the CCR being 73. This meant that the winner of the Bert Gay for 2015 was **Mr Leo O'KEEFE**, a whisker away from **Mr Stephen GOW**

Regards & good golfing for 2015.

John McKenzie

3rd Quarter Games

July 26th - Tirhatuan
August 30th - Churchill Park
September 20th - Rosebud CC

August 9th - Werribee Park
September 13th - Kingston Links

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

five friends
MEMBERS ONLY
TAKE AWAY SPECIAL
2 BOTTLES FOR \$20.00

Watch this Net Space

After months of coding and other tech gibberish the new Highett RSL website is up and running. Check it out today @ www.highettrsl.com.au

FRIDAY RAFFLE

The Highett RSL would like to acknowledge the generosity of the following contributors to the Friday big wheel prizes:

Stuart Hunter Motors
9555 9791

Green Care
9585 3856

Robert Oatley Wines

Bristot Coffee
1300 790 710

CLH
Waste & Site Service
0487 887 997

Wattle Security Doors
0490 069 984

Highett Florist
9553 5489

Saxbys Hair
95552921

WHATS GOING ON IN THE 3rd Quarter, 2015

Christmas in July

Available every lunch and dinner in July

Entrée

Soup of the day



Mains

Trio of Roast served with buttered vegetables, roasted potato, pumpkin and cranberry jus

Dessert

Traditional plum pudding served with brandy custard

2 Course - \$24/ 3 Course \$26

Seniors: 2 course - \$18/ 3 course \$20

Rewards Prize

This July simply swipe your RSL rewards card with any purchase for your chance to win a \$500 home appliance voucher. See staff for future promotions.

Friday Night Raffle

- New Start Time
- Tickets on sale @ 6.00pm
- Raffle Starts @ 7.00pm
- New Bigger Jackpots

Membership

- Pay up front and receive a
- temporary card
- Be part of history
- Show your support
- Instant Discounts

WIN A
\$500
HOME
APPLIANCES
VOUCHER
HERE

RSL
Rewards

Swipe your RSL Rewards card when purchasing food & drinks at participating* Victorian RSLs & you're in the draw!

*For a list of participating venues and terms & conditions visit www.rslvic.com.au

Members Only

Takeaway Wine Special

Get 2 bottle of *Five Friends* Wine for the special takeaway price of \$20

Receive a Reward

Simply fill in all the details on the reverse side, hand in over the bar and go into the running to win 1 of 4 five thousand reward points plus a bonus five thousand points if you are present at the draw
Drawn on 14/07/2015 at 6:30pm.
All details must be correct to be eligible to win.