PRESIDENTS REPORTS

Welcome to our winter edition of the Burst, there are numerous great promotions and events listed that will be on at your club over the next four months. This gives our members more benefits for their membership and even more reasons to visit your club.

The Mother's Day promotion was a great success with the two sittings being fully booked, we will be running a similar promotion for Father's Day I would suggest you book early if you want to get a table.

One other promotion I will give a special mention to is the Christmas in July dinner and show at \$50 a ticket all-inclusive it is great value, so book a table and come along on Saturday 22nd July and see the Blues Brothers Rebooted show.

I would like to welcome to the Club Board our new Director Ryan Asplet, with the unfortunate passing of Barry Willoughby late last year meant there was a casual vacancy on the board, it was decided to ask for submissions of interest from members and from many very capable applicants the Board chose Ryan who is very well credentialed with his many years of experience in local council, Ryan brings youth and enthusiasm to the Board, great to have you onboard Ryan.

The club's food outlets are enjoying very good patronage, with Rations Café doing exceptionally well with its varied menu of western food, there will be a twice-yearly rotation of the menu in June and December to introduce seasonal items. If you have not yet tried their offerings, I can recommend from personal experience that you will enjoy your visit.

The Board as part of the Clubs strategic plan is looking at a number of areas in and outside the club that need improvement and will enhance the experience of our members and their guests this includes in the more immediate future, improvement to the air conditioning, the total refurbishment of Table 15 Bistro area, kids club and in the longer term increasing the number of floors in the car park, of course this requires considerable expenditure and as we did with our recent renovations the Board will ensure that

the club can afford the cost before we undertake the projects.

It would be remiss if I did not mention ANZAC Day which was a great success, thanks go to the General Manager Ian Todd, the Management Team and our tremendous staff, you ensured that everyone had an enjoyable day at the club. Special thanks to the Women's Auxiliary for the marvelous job they did in serving the breakfast and of course not forgetting our Directors who get very much involved in making the day run smoothly.

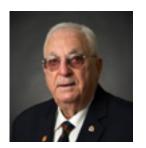
Once again thank you to all our loyal members for your continued support, without you we would not have such a successful club, I look forward to seeing you at the club sometime soon. "Pressure is on us by the nature of the job. Performance releases pressure"

Alan R. Barnes JP President

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