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NEWSLETTER SEPTEMBER 2020

Good morning everyone, I sincerely hope you are all in good health and keeping active and safe! Due to the new Covid restrictions now in place, we are once again handicapped in what we can do. Our BBQ's are not permitted, and our dine outs are difficult to arrange as venues are few and far between. Our meetings are out of the question presently until the RSL can ease some of their restrictions. We can go on our bus trips that Les is doing his utmost to arrange them for us.

Although the news is not what we would like, it will improve in the future, so keep your fingers crossed, stay positive, and stay safe. I am sure as soon as things start to ease, we will get moving again.

Doug.

RIP JUDY HENDY

Many members will have known Judy who recently passed away. Judy was a member of our branch for many years. Our condolences go to her family.

Annual General Meeting

Our AGM was held on Friday, September 25 at the RSL. Unfortunately, due to the restrictions we were only allowed to have a small number of members present.

The committee for the ensuing year is:

President	Doug Whiteley	
Vice President	Les Dickens	
Secretary	Rod Liddell	
Treasurer	Angela Holland	
Shane Dodds	Barb Emery	Don Gibson
John Hall	Barb Hornsby	Mick Ryan
Jenny Ryan	Margaret Whitfield	

Wow! What a turnout this month - over forty members attended the dine-out at the Bramble Bay Bowls Club for a very tasty meal. I believe we were all looking forward to a day out and to enjoy some friendly company, and that's what happened. It was so good to see those happy, smiling faces once more having a good time. With such a limited selection of venues, the two Barbs are doing well to keep the dine-outs going.

DINE-OUTS

Barb Emery & Barb Hornsby

Friday 9th October

The venue for our dine out in October, will again be at Morgan's seafood at Scarborough from 11 am. We will be up on the deck as usual, please remember to bring your tablecloth, plates etc. Also you may buy drinks.

Trips & Tours

Les Dickens 3284 8812 / 0423 777 073

On Friday 18 September there were 31 people on board at Redcliffe and we picked up another 8 at Pelican Park for the Country Gardens at the Carnival trip to Toowoomba. We travelled over the Gateway, along the Logan Motorway to the Darren Lockyer Way. Our first stop was at a 5 acre property at Biddeston a few kilometres west of Toowoomba where we had morning tea and a guided tour of the garden by the owner.

Our next stop was to a rural garden at Wellcamp where we had an opportunity to purchase some plants. They are doing very well considering how dry it is.

We then headed off to Meringandan Hotel for a great 2 course lunch, the meals were huge,

You can read Les's full report of the trip on our website.

October Bus Trip.

Friday 16 October we are booked to travel to the Majestic Theatre Pomona with Brian's Coaches. Departing from Redcliffe at 8AM

(be there by 7:45 AM) with a pick up at Deception Bay and then travelling straight up to Pomona for morning tea in the park just down the road from the theatre. After morning tea we walk over to the Theatre for a silent movie viewing at 11 AM.

Following the movie we will have lunch at the theatre and if time a short stroll around the area before getting back on the coach for the return trip straight back home. The cost is \$60 per person includes coach, morning tea, silent movie viewing and lunch. I still have seats available for this trip.

November Bus Trip.

Friday 20 November we are booked to do a bus trip '**Follow the Water Tank Trail**' with Cross Country. On this trip we'll discover the amazing feats of arts that have been painted on water tanks from Kallangur to Bribie Island. There will be a guide on board who will give commentary on each of the Water Towers/Tanks.

Trip includes morning tea and lunch, however, costs are going up. The cost for this trip will be \$65 per person. Unfortunately cost increases were always going to happen.

September Birthdays

Happy Birthday to:-

Mick Ryan Keith Sutcliffe Marion Kos.
Yvonne Martin Elaine Staer Lynette Reeve.
Kate Hopkins Margaret Whitfield
Doreen Downes. Kay Walker Jeff Joyner.
Margaret McKeering Barry Staer
John Raeside Marg Gibson

WELFARE Please notify Jenny Ryan 3204 9121 of any member you know who is ill or injured of a recent date so we can support members and families.

ENTERTAINMENT

Redcliffe Entertainment Centre

Tuesday October 6 - 11:00 AM

Divas of the Stage Morning Showcase

Tuesday, 03 November - 11:00 AM

Piccadilly Olde Time English Pub Show - Morning Showcase

Mousetrap Theatre Company

The Adams Family

Between Saturday 31 October 4:00 PM
and Sunday 8 November 5:00 PM

Phone Bookings and information 0439 954 719
[www. mousetraptheatre.asn.au](http://www.mousetraptheatre.asn.au)

Ready for lunch at Bramble Bay Bowls Club.



Lunch at the Meringandan Hotel Toowoomba.



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