



Woronora River RSL & Citizens Club

President / Secretary Manager's Report

Firstly, I would like to acknowledge all our current board of directors, patrons, life members and members of Woronora River RSL & Citizens Club. Without each and every one of you, we would not have this wonderful little club of ours.

This year I have taken on the role as both President and Secretary Manager. It has been a challenging year with a few hiccups on the way but we worked through it with the support of the board members, the Club has had a very pleasing outcome.

A lot of changes have been implemented with the running of the office. With Amanda leaving her role I take this opportunity to welcome Ashley and Danielle to the office. Ashley and Danielle have vast experience in accounting and office administration respectively and accordingly has done an outstanding job in bringing the office into order and up to date. Along with the Board, together we have implemented new and modern technology in the running of the Club.

As you read the financial statement you will see that all is good. With no debts and a profit made and a little more hard work, the only way is up.

Memberships are continuing to grow. You may have noticed a lot of new faces and hopefully made some new friends. It's great to see an increase in younger members, after all, the Club is your future.

Every year our Anzac Day Service is becoming more popular. This year was one of biggest crowds I've seen. A great deal of planning is involved in organising such a service so I would like to congratulate the sub-branch for putting together a memorable service bringing the community spirit together.

The Kids Christmas party was a success. The number of kids attending each year is increasing and always great to see kids having fun. The kids' faces light up with bigger smiles and cheers of excitement when Santa arrives. Local Club Kids Christmas parties are becoming a thing of the past but we are proud to continue with the tradition to give a little something to the kids.

Celebrating the New Year's Eve was a lot of fun with the ever popular 'The Jacks' providing great entertainment. By popular demand, The Jacks will be playing again this New Year's Eve.

The calendar has been busy for auditorium bookings. Over the last few months, we have many back to back bookings and dates are filling up fast for the remainder of the year. If you're planning an event and wishing to use the auditorium, you might wish to contact the office to book sooner rather than later to avoid disappointment.

New members are always welcome to join Woronora River RSL Fishing Club. It is a strong family orientated club holding monthly weigh-ins for juniors, ladies and open divisions, regular charter boats, friendly competitions and plenty of fun social outings including the annual golf day, race day, Christmas in July dinner and of course the presentation night. Thank you fisho's for organising these events throughout the year.

Woronora River RSL Snooker Club participates in a competition each Tuesday from March through to September with teams all over the Shire. It is played in a handicap format and open to players of all

abilities. Again, new players are always welcome or come along as a spectator to watch some top-class snooker!

The club has many facilities on offer including a great beer garden to relax outdoors and the auditorium is available for your next function. The restaurant is open for lunch and dinner Wednesday to Sunday. FoxSports to watch your favourite games, TAB, Keno, weekly raffles and regular entertainment.

I would like to acknowledge and thank all staff members - administration, cleaning, bar staff, courtesy bus drivers all maintaining a high standard of customer service.

Thank you to the board of directors for your support, commitment and dedication throughout the year. The voluntary time you commit to the club plays an important role in keeping the club going.

Finally, thank you to the members for your support and patronage throughout the year. With your continued support we'll only grow stronger and keep this little club of ours open.

I look forward to seeing you in the club soon.

On behalf of my fellow board members, I extend my sincere condolences to the families of our members who have lost loved ones over the past year.

Darren Parker
President / Secretary Manager