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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

• 5th May Rock 'n' Roll Dinner Dance (Stringhopper Nite)

• 16th June Anniversary Dance

22nd July Have A Chat (Christmas in July)

• 19th August Sports Day & Food Fair

• 8th September Club Might

28th September to

1st October Annual Camp

• 20th October Have A Chat & Food Fair

10th November Club Might

2nd December Golden Years Christmas Lunch

15th December Christmas Carols & Children's Party

• 31st December New Year's Eve Dinner Dance

Note: The committee will make every attempt to hold the events as advertised but there may be instances when changes are unavoidable

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO MEMBERS

Membership Fees expired on 31st January 2018.
Please send your renewal for 2018/19 without delay.
A Membership Subscription / Renewal form is on page 11.

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POSTAL ADDRESS SILVER FAWN CLUB INC., P.O. BOX 203, NATHAN, QLD 4111 Email: secretaryofsilverfawnclub@gmail.com Enoggera Bowls Club

The Bowls Club is being renovated with effect from May 2018 and this



could take up to a year.

We are forced to find other venues for our functions and are making arrangements to move all items held in Storage to a new venue.

Many thanks to Enoggera Club for the happy hours we spent at the Club.

We are looking forward to the reopening of the new Club.

Aged-Home facility for Sri Lankans in Brisbane

Further to the article in the last Newsletter informing members about the facility currently being built in Springwood, we would encourage all interested members to complete a survey form which is available by contacting Davenal Flanderka, email: dfla3050@bigpond.net.au

Look forward to further News Flashes in your Club Newsletter.

Davenal Flanderka & Sam Fernando, **Project Co-ordinators**





Welcome to our second Newsletter. First, let me commence with the Have a Chat Party on the 11th March. Our subcommittee with Egerton at the helm and the Caterer extraordinaire Rena, with Jeremy's assistance served a sumptuous meal for members and guests. During the entire function Issy supervised the Door and looked after the Club's pennies while Sharyn and Aloma supported Issy with the membership. A special thank you to Spencer Herft, who attended early and was an asset, by checking the entrance of members and Guests. It was a great show, thanks to you the members and guests. Thanks to the subcommittee for all their help. Last of all our thanks to the surprise DJ, Seppali and his wife who provided a selection of wonderful 70 & 80s music. Read all about the event in Egerton's Function page.

I regret to inform you that our Club Treasurer, Issy Storey, resigned from our Committee on the 22nd of March due to work pressure. We as a committee are sorry to see him go, as he was a very hard worker, a Past President who organised great functions and was a friend to many, we trust he returns to the Committee one day. We take this opportunity to wish him the very best in his future endeavours.

When it rains it pours and bad weather strikes as at the Committee meeting, we sadly accepted Rena's resignation due to personal reasons. Rena was our good friend and we were always able to count on her for the delicious meals and gifting of prizes to the Club. We are very sorry to see Rena leave us, but she has mentioned that though she has left the Committee, she will be happy to rustle up a menu for our functions when needed.

Rain always bring a ray of sunshine, which is that Dennis Arnolda our past efficient Membership and Newsletter Coordinator has joined the Committee as the Treasurer. We welcome Dennis and wish him many long years in this position and thank him for his continued interest in the Club. In the meantime, I wish to express our thanks to Susan, who has agreed to act as Treasurer, till Dennis returns from Holidays.

Ms Jackie Schokman, joined the Committee in the position of Committee member. This position was not filled at the AGM. Some of you may remember Jackie when she won the tennis prize many years ago, when she represented Australia in the Junior Championships. Welcome Jackie we look forward to your contribution.

We are looking forward to meeting all of you at the Rock & Roll Nite on 5th May 2018. A very spicy special Stringhopper Dinner is being served by Caterer Brian Pereira and his wife, Sri. Also, for those that do not eat "Strings", Brian is serving a special noodle dish, so please let your Ticket Seller know the dinner you prefer to enjoy. The "Cool Daddies" Band and DJ Ty Fox will provide non-stop music for the evening and our MC has organised a special surprise for the night. Please read the Flyer for more information.

The most important innovation I have kept for the last. The Committee with the aid of our Bankers will be installing a new piece of Equipment, already being used by our Secretary. This unit will be able to accept your Credit Cards (issued by any Bank) to purchase your Entrance Tickets for all our functions. The process is being set up and we will advise everyone how the system operates, so that you can pay for Dance tickets, Have A Chats and AGM functions etc through your mobile and your land line. This means in addition to the Credit Card EFTPOS, you can continue paying Cash, Direct Debits and Cheques as in the past.

Thanks for being with us as we move along to greater success.

Best regards, Davenal





The Silver Fawn Club Inc. Presents An Evening Of



Jaturday. 5th May. 2018 7.00p.m. to 11.30p.m.

NON STOP MUSIC BY "COOL DADDIES" & DJ TY FOX



Mitchelton Senior Citizens Hall (Airconditioned) 30 Tel El Kebir Street, Mitchelton

Stringhopper Buffet Dinner BYO Drinks
No Bar facilities

For Tickets Contact:

Egerton de Fransz 3889 6661

Davenal Flanderka 3878 1667

Deborah Janz-Cox 0466 976 087

Isidore Storey 3805 8018

or any Committee Member

Members: \$30.00

Guests: \$40.00

Children (6-12 years): \$12.00

Numbers are limited so book early. Bookings close Wednesday, 2nd May unless sold out earlier.











It was so heartening to listen to the many accolades showered on Isidore at the AGM. My intention was to "chime in" also but was withheld due to possible delays in election of office bearers.

Our past President, in my opinion completed an exceptional and most enviable term over the past 12 months. His dynamic leadership and driving force have enabled him and his highly gifted management team to provide an exemplary service throughout the year. This was highlighted by the vast attendances at most functions.

Issy's innovative spirit was clearly evident in many an event to our benefit and I thank him most heartily for the memorable times shared by us all. Cherished moments at innumerable events will remain with a great deal of reflection by many of the membership. Additionally, Issy's care for the elderly was among his hallmarks.

With Davenal so loyally taking on the unenviable task of being at the helm once again and with the assistance of Issy together with some previously seasoned "campaigners" the future of the Club hopefully appears secure.

Spencer Herft

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I would like to congratulate Isidore Storey, his Committee and Partners on an excellent job done during the past year.

I would also like to thank Davenal Flanderka and the new Committee for volunteering their services and making the commitment to work for the Club this year and hopefully the years to come.

Agreeing to be a President or Committee Member is a voluntary job. I know the amount of work and out of pocket expenses that is involved to keep this Club going. Criticising a President or Committee Members over surplus funds or extra costs for postage etc. is not fair. Especially if we want new blood to take on the role of being President or a Committee Member.

If we want this Club to get to its 50th Anniversary Celebration and beyond, we need to support the Committee and encourage them. We also need the surplus funds made by functions to help towards having a successful 50th Year celebration.

I am looking forward to celebrating 50 Years of the Silver Fawn Club in 2020.

Kind Regards
Patrick Drieberg



Deirdre Wilson Fatima Pinto Maggie Soares Jay & Rani Somasunderam Germain & Rosarine Fernando Jaclyn Schokman & Leon Frost Vasantha & Ashoka Abeysekera



We welcome back the following members: Joyce de Kretser Patrick & Valerie Drieberg

We trust you enjoy the same fellowship all our members have experienced over the past 47 years



A guy in a mental hospital, placed two stones in his ears ..

The doctor asked him, "What are you doing?"

he replied,
"I'm listening to ROCK music!"



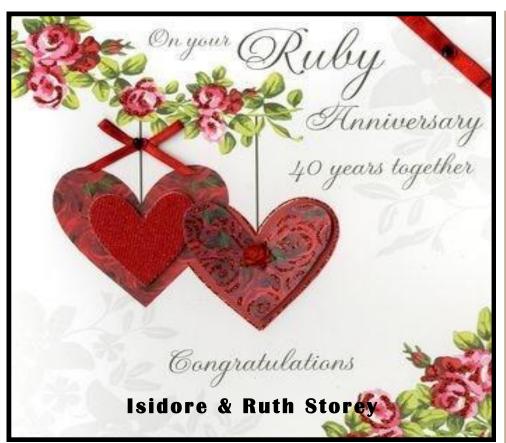
A few of our elderly members are unable to attend Club functions as they do not have transport.



If you can help, please contact Susan on 3878 4782 or any Committee Member.

Any help will be greatly appreciated.







SAVE THE DATE

ANNUAL CAMP

28TH SEPTEMBER
TO 1ST OCTOBER

(A great weekend away)

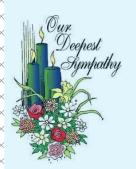


IMPORTANT! PLEASE READ

We are sorry that we must bring to your notice a rule that has not been followed for some time.

With regards to the booking of tickets for functions, if you cannot attend due to unforeseen circumstances and you do not notify the Club organiser, we regret to inform you that payment will be required for the ticket as we have to pay the caterer for confirmed numbers.

NOTE: To obtain a refund or not have to pay for your ticket, if you are unable to attend please phone a Committee Member/Ticket Seller atleast a day before the function date.



OBITUARY

FRUGTNEIT - GOEFFREY WAYNE (Jnr), son of Geoff (dec) and Noeline. Brother and brother-in-law of Tamara and Paul, Andrew and Meg on February 28th, aged 51 years.

Our Deepest Sympathies to Noeline and all the family.

Report on the Have A Chat (Prelude to Easter) - Sunday, 11th March 2018



Judging by the excellent crowd it's easy to conclude that it was a very successful day enjoyed by all. No matter how gloomy or a miserable the day outside was but inside the Bowls Club at Enoggera, it was laughter, greetings and plenty of chats.

As people began to arrive they were greeted with a refreshing glass of fruit drink before they took their seats. Soft music was played by DJ Seppali to a crowd of 81 people. The tone was quickly set for far better things to come.

Becky and Yvonne took the initiative to start the ball rolling by announcing the first round of Bingo. No sooner it started everybody was tensed expecting their numbers will be called first. Tension grew stronger when many numbers were called with no winner in sight. Finally one person shouted "BINGO" followed by another and 3 more. Strangely there were 5 winners with smiles on their faces. It was great fun.

After the Bingo it was time for the most important session of the day - FOOD. Practically everybody was eagerly awaiting to taste Rena's wonderful creations. The Buffet Table was beautifully set up by Jeremy which included a variety of different food. It was a combination of eastern and western to satisfy everyone's palate. It was scrumptious to say the least. Judging by the comments from everyone they said it was the most delicious meal presented by Rena.

After the meal, another event took place called the "Ladies Easter Bonnet Parade". This turned out to be hilarious because the men decided to participate despite the fact that it was exclusively for the ladies. The MC (yours truly), had to convince the judges to accept the guys too. Soon there was mayhem in the parade as the men simply put on the hats that were available on the table to be part of the Bonnet parade. Eventually it turned out to be quite funny and enjoyed by everyone. Fortunately for the ladies who spent so much time in making their lovely bonnets were rewarded by winning it hands down.



This was quickly followed by another game of Bingo until the afternoon tea was prepared. It was a lavish afternoon spread. There was Cakes, Asparagus Sandwiches and Chicken Vol au Vents.

The Club has been very fortunate to have the services of excellent Caterers who sometimes go beyond their call of duty to please everyone who attended the Have a Chat party. Well done Rena you did a fabulous job.

A special thank you also goes out to Patrick Maloney, Debbie Jansz-Cox, young Carlton, Sharyn Paton, Aloma de Mello and Davenal Flanderka for helping with the table arrangements and deco on the night before.

We'll see you all at our next function on May 5th at Mitchelton Hall.

Cheers Egerton de Fransz

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THE WINNERS!





PHOTOS FROM THE HAVE A CHAT - PRELUDE TO EASTER

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A real friend is one who walks in when the rest of the world walks out.





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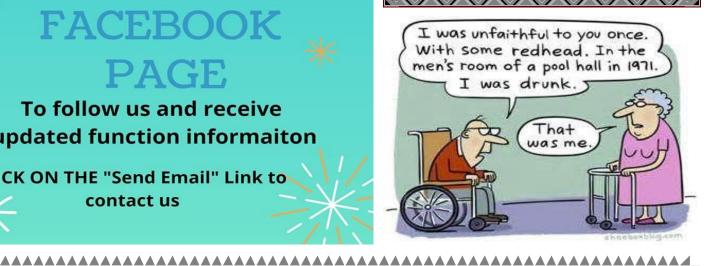
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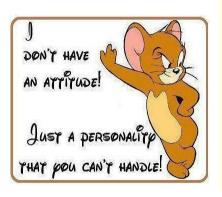
We are looking for someone to join the Committee as the Assistant Treasurer.

If you are interested and wish to know about the position, please contact Davenal Flanderka or any **Committee Member (contact** details on page 2).





aunty acid I try to avoid things that make me fat... ...Like scales, mirrors and photographs.



Just for laughs....

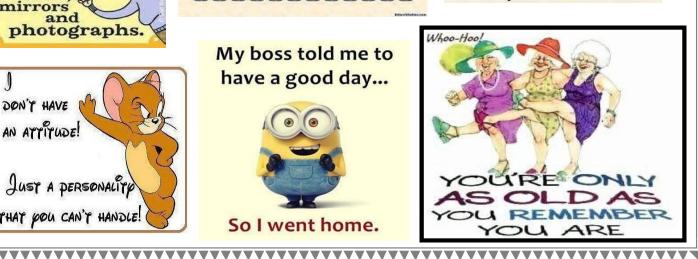
I tried cooking with wine for the first time last night. After five glasses, I forgot why I was in the kitchen.

My mother always told me if you can't say anything nice don't say anything at all... And some people wonder why I'm so quiet around them!

My boss told me to have a good day...



So I went home.





The Silver Fawn Club Inc.

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