

# SILVERSCENE

Official Newsletter of the Silver Fawn Club Inc.
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## THE CLUB FOR GOOD TIMES IN BRISBANE

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

• 19th August Sports Day & Food Fair

• 8th September Saturday Nite Fever - Dinner Dance

28th September to

1st October Annual Camp

• 20th October Have A Chat & Food Fair

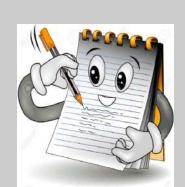
10th November Club Night

• 18th November Sports Day - Indoor/Outdoor Events

+ 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



Doris Baines
Dianne Clarke
Jaan Flanderka
Frank & Carol Cahill
Michael & Shannon Flanderka
Richard & Theresa Suchowiecki
Robert & Ewa Tomaschewski

We trust you enjoy the same fellowship all our members have experienced over the past 48 years





## NOTICE OF SPECIAL **GENERAL MEETING 16 SEPTEMBER, 2018**

Please see flyer in Newsletter inviting members to attend a Special General Meeting to discuss the Club's 50th Anniversary Celebrations.

## Can you help?



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

If you can help, please contact a Committee Member.

Any help will be greatly appreciated.



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## IMPORTANT! PLEASE READ

Note from the Treasurer

Please note ruling about last minute nonattendance at our Dances and Have-a-Chat parties.

**RULE:** Non-attendance at Events after Tickets have been sold

- If a member or guest having booked a place at an event and cannot attend due to unforeseen circumstances and does not notify the Club organiser, or cancel their attendance, less than 24 hours before the function date, the member or guest, must pay the full price of the Entrance fee (ticket fee).
- If a member or guest having booked a place at an event and cannot attend and informs the Club event organiser 24 hours before the Function date, the Club will refund the Entrance fee (Ticket fee) less the cost of the food as per the Caterer's charge.



The Club has traversed through six months, with a couple of interesting events which I believe has brought pleasure and joy to many of you keeping our motto; "The Club for Good Times" alive. In the next few months, members expectations would be fulfilled, with many captivating events as per the Silver Scene calendar of events.

First, let me thank the Chairman, Deb and her team of the "Christmas in July" Event, for organising and staging this event. The news has gone far and wide, so much so, that we are expecting about 140 members and guests, who will be attending. It appears to be a record for the Club. Thank you to all our members and guests.

The other very important Event is the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebrations meeting, where members get the opportunity to partake in Sub-Committees, who will organise and play hosts as Leaders and team members. We would like everyone to attend. As this will be a proud achievement of our Club, organised by members for members, guests and the public.

In August is the much-awaited Sports day organised and planned by Spencer with Stalls selling food, entertainment for the Children and a Cricket match. In short it will be a GREAT day for all our members and guests.

The Club night on September 8<sup>th</sup> called "Saturday Nite Fever" will be another night to celebrate and remember. The caterer will be Thilani, and the popular duo "Lovely Daze" will provide the music with our own DJ Dennis, playing your favourites.

Well folks, I believe I have tempered your spirits with the interesting events ahead and look forward to seeing all of you soon.

Best regards, Davenal 18 July, 2018

### IMPORTANT NOTICE TO ALL MEMBERS

As you would have read in a previous Newsletter, Enoggera Bowls Club is being renovated and we have had to find new venues for our functions, one of them being the Mitchelton Senior Citizens Centre.

Unfortunately this venue can only seat comfortably, approximately 130 people and there could be times we may be at this number before the closing date for bookings.

We would strongly recommend that if you intend attending a function that you book early so as not to be disappointed.

Management Committee



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## COME ALONG AND ENJOY A DAY OUT CRICKET MATCH AND FOOD FAIR



**SUNDAY, 19 AUGUST 2018, 12 NOON** 

BRISBANE SOUTHS CRICKET GROUNDS RON PORTER OVAL, VENNER ROAD FAIRFIELD (OPPOSITE GRAY OVAL, FEHLBERG PARK). MAP UBD PG179 L10

WHY NOT HAVE A FOOD STALL MEMBERS: \$10.00

PLEASE CONTACT: EGERTON: 3889 6661, SPENCER: 3208 2016 OR SUSAN: 3878 4782



■ Cricket match will be lighthearted softball game anticipated against Club de Goa.

Our team is open to all ages and genders. Please submit names ASAP to Spencer (3208 2016), Davenal (3878 1667) or Egerton (3889 6661) for a day of funfilled outdoor activity!

Additionally, carrom board games will be provided for those preferring to take it a little easier. Sideline activities for children also included.

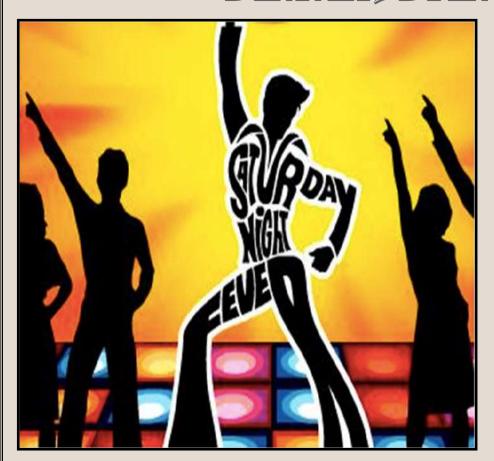
FOOD FAIR: Please note to bring your own food equipment as access to power is not available. Also contact details required if pre orders requested by those catering.

Additional Sports Day including Tennis, Golf, Carrom, Bingo tentatively booked for Sunday,
18th November.

KEEP THE DATE FREE

# Silver Fawn Club Inc. presents

# SATURDAY NITE FEVER DINNER DANCE



**Contacts for Tickets** 

Egerton de Fransz 3889 6661 / 0402 068 172

Davenal Flanderka 3878 1667 / 0419 024 708

Gerard Fernando 3285 2111 / 0407 453 535

Susan Fahir 3878 4782 / 0409 262 855

DATE: SATURDAY, 8th SEPTEMBER, 2018

TIME: 7PM-11:30PM

MUSIC: "THE LOVELY DAZE"

**DJ DENNIS** 

CATERER: THILANI

VENUE: MITCHELTON SENIOR CITIZENS HALL

30 Tel-El-Kebir St, Mitchelton (Fully airconditioned)

TICKETS: MEMBERS: \$30.00 GUESTS: \$35.00

Bookings close Tuesday, 4th September unless sold out earlier







## ANNUAL CAMP 2018

## Friday 28 September to Monday 1 October 2018 (Queen's Birthday Long Weekend)

Lake Perseverance Recreation Centre (located 10kms from Crows Nest and 5kms from Toowoomba situated on the foreshore of Lake Perseverance.

Accommodation is in 10 Chalet style cabins complete with ensuites, each Chalet accommodating 12 people.

Facilities include Tennis, Basketball, Volleyball, Netball. There is also a Sports field for the Sports meet and Cricket plus Bush walking facilities.

The cost of accommodation and food will be:

Members:	Adult/Child over 12 years	\$110.00
Guests:	Adult/Child over 12 years	\$125.00
Child:	5 to 12 years (with separate bed)	\$ 50.00
Child:	5 to 12 years (without separate bed)	\$ 30.00
<u>Child</u> :	4 years and under	FREE

Family of 2 Adults and 3 Children (upto 12 years) 1 bed free (immediate family only). Due to the popularity of our Camp, please book early.

Should you require further information or wish to make a booking, please contact the Camp Leader, Gerard Fernando on 0407 453 535.

## REPORT ON THE ANNIVERSARY NITE - 16 JUNE 2018

Another great night. It was one of the best functions for this year no doubt. We had 100 members and guests attend the function. Walking into the hall on a wintery night everyone was greeted with some elaborative table décor by Rena.

New to the Club was the two piece Duo "Lovely Daze" that did not disappoint and kept everyone on the floor swinging and dancing through the night. The crowd was a mix of young and not so young who enjoyed the wonderful selection of music. And then our DJ "Dark'n'tall1" (our very own Ruwan) took over. There was non stop music till it was time to say goodbye.

Many thanks to Rena who worked tirelessly organising the entrées which was a variety of savouries individually served and welcomed by all.

Catering for the night was by Jeremy Henderling who provided an excellent and extensive buffet meal which was beautifully presented. Everyone present enjoyed the good food. Thank you Jeremy.

Thank you Deborrah for designing and printing of the programmes, table numbers and the large Anniversary cake and Susan for the great job organising the many prizes for the raffle. Thank you also to Davenal, Egerton, Sharyn, Patrick, Shania, Carlton and others on the Committee who helped.

It was a little disappointing that some members did not attend the function but this may have been due to other commitments. You missed a good night! We hope to see you all at our next function.

I wish to take this opportunity to thank all who attended, it was a night to remember!

Regards Gerard Fernando Chairperson

## ANNUAL CAMP 2018

#### **BOOKINGS & PAYMENTS:**

The Booking Form duly completed with cheques payable to the Silver Fawn Club Inc. (or direct deposit to Club account, details below) must be sent to the Reservation Officer, Gerard Fernando, P.O. Box 5005, Brendale 4500 before 10th September, 2018. Current financial members will be given priority. After this date we would welcome Non Members. (No refund will be given after 15th September, 2018). **Book before 30th August and receive \$5 discount per person.** 

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## Just for laughs....



"Okay, I'm coming out now. Close your eyes!"



"What are you hiding behind your back?"



"Why don't you buy a proper set of headphones?"

## PHOTOS FROM THE ANNIVERSARY DANCE - 16 JUNE 2018































#### GARDENING AUSTRALIA CHANNEL 2 – ABC TELEVISION

Featuring: Anthony Vethecan, Station Master of Norman Park Station & it's Gardens

Friday 31st August 2018 @ 7.30pm & Saturday 1st September 2018 @ 1.30pm

#### **BLOOMING LOVELY UPGRADE**

A Blossoming project has transformed Norman Park Station, thanks to the green thumbs of Station Master Anthony Vethecan.

Creating a full and fragrant customer experience, the project has done more than attract local fauna to the flora – having caught the eye of several of our customers who have rolled up their sleeves and helped create a little piece of paradise. As for Anthony, he's now armed and dangerous to ensure the historical station is putting its best face forward.



"I have two sets of gardening tools, a set he keeps at home and then a set for "my station," he said.

"As you walk up from the car park to the station, the garden is the first thing you see and it was bare and dull. I thought to myself that that's not the first thing I want to see when I get to work, nor is it the first thing that I want my customers to see, so I brought in my gardening tools and some plants to try and make it look a bit better. I get to work a little bit earlier than when my shift starts, that way I can water my plants, sweep the underpass and make sure that the station is ready for when customers arrive," he said.

It wasn't long before customers saw his efforts and got involved too. "One of my regular customers, an elderly lady who doesn't live far from the station, saw what I was doing and started bringing me cuttings from her garden," he said. Every week when she would go for her walk, she would drop off a bag of plants and I would find it waiting for me."

In addition to the magnificent garden that is now on the bank behind the station, another customer provided historical images of the railway which Anthony has displayed within the station itself. Here you will also find pot plants, all donated by customers who have been happy to be a part of the transformation.

"I like that I have been able to improve the customer experience for everyone who comes to the station. Connection with customers and having them involved in the process has made it even more rewarding. I am really proud of what we have been able to achieve in less than a year," he said.

Seeing the changes to Norman Park Station in such a short amount of time is a direct reflection of Anthony – a hard working individual who takes immense pride in everything that he does.



We are always looking for articles of interest to publish in our Newsletter.

If you have any favourite recipes, jokes, family news or stories from your travels that you would like to share with other members, please email them to susanfahir@bigpond.com.

The number of pages in a Newsletter is dependent on how much content we have to include. A Newsletter is usually 12 or 16 pages.

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## The Silver Fawn Club Inc.

## MEMBERSHIP — APPLICATION / RENEWAL PLEASE CIRCLE ONE

NEW MEMBERS — Please complete entire Form

RENEWALS — Please enter name and any change to personal details ONLY

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(Financial Member)  ■ Cheques should be made payable to "The Silver Fawn Club Inc"					
<ul> <li>Bank Transfer:- Acc Name: "Silver Fawn Club Inc." BSB: 064-131, AC#: 00902934, Ref: Your initials &amp; Surname</li> <li>Membership fees are from 1st February to 31st January and not for 12 months from date of payment</li> <li>This form should be completed and sent to:- Silver Fawn Club Inc, P O Box 203, Nathan, QLD, 4111</li> </ul>					
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