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November	5 th	Golf – Norman	MANANA
November	11 th	Karaoke Night-Ruwan	NANANA
December	2 nd	Golden years – Eric	AWNANAN
December	16 th	Carols by candlelight-Claude	MANANA
December	31 st	New Years Eve Dance	NANANAN

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President's Message

The month of June commenced with the wonderful 90th birthday party for Trilby Misso, Honorary Solicitor of Silver Fawn Club Inc from the inception and as one of our oldest members. As I said at the party, Trilby continues to be a faithful and participating member of the Club and was always the first to get on the floor at any function, he has been always available for advice at all times. To all those who attended the party and assisted with the catering a big thank you.

The Camp followed soon after the party, and what a roaring success. A good time was had by all, thanks to the delicious food catered by the many chefs. The interesting activities, which made each day, one to look forward too. The dance on Saturday night reached great heights of excitement and joy, while the Concert was an event to remember, so much so some of the performers are being lined up for the Music and Dance workshops being planned in the next few months by the Committee. My thanks to the Committee for another job well done.

The next event will be our popular mid year dance on July 22nd, which will be held at the Colossus Hall at West End. This year the Committee has arrange for a well known Dance Band "Kopykatz" from Sydney to provide the vibrant music that will keep your feet tapping right through the night. In addition, a fine menu of Sri Lankan food has been selected, which will please all appetites and be the pride of our caterers.

This is not all, August events planned are:[

1. The Fancy Dress party, which has been popular over the last few years, At this party you can let your hair down and come dressed in a fancy dress that you always wished to wear and at the same time win a prizes for the best dressed or interesting outfit.

2. The Annual Cricket match between the other Clubs will be held this month, so your attendance to cheer our club and enjoy the international foods, will be greatly appreciated.

3. Tickets for the Annual Raffle will be sent to all members this month and the committee earnestly requests that a fervent effort be made to sell all your tickets as these funds will help the Club to reduce costs and give all of you a better and less costly events.

As I write this message the news of the passing away of Therese Anthonisz the club secretary for 24 continuous years On behalf of the Silver Fawn Club I extend our deepest sympathies to her family.

I promised myself that I should make this message short and sweet, but it gives the committee and me great pleasure to see members participating in the events and gaining that unique Club friendship that helps to keep the Club alive, Thank you to each and everyone of you for making the Club a place to belong to, like home,. Keep your letters to the Editor rolling in as this assists to know your feelings and sentiments and how we perform?

Sincere wishes,

Gerard,

Congratulations to Gerard & Thomazine Ferrando on their nervoerture LJH Petrie (Real Estate)

Fancy Dress Dance

Saturday 19 August 2006

7.00 pm

at

Ithaca Bowls Club 22 Fulcher Road Red Hill

Members Students & Children Guests \$15.00 \$10.00 \$20.00

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NEW MEMBERS



Fancy Dress & Dance

This fun filled & action packed night is back.

We had a lot of positive feedback from our members last year. We did notice that there were plenty of good dancers in our club & many took the trouble to dress up in some weird & wonderful costumes.

Hopefully the participation & competition will be even keener this year. We hope to kick off the night with a demonstration dance. Then it will be the turn for us members & guests to do our thing in the Waltz competition. We will then pause for dinner dished out by & during dinner we will have the fancy dress pageants.

The kids first followed by the ladies & the gents. Will there be more outrageous kits this year ?



After dinner we will kick off things with a slow dance just to get the dinner down. This will be followed by the very popular rock n roll/Jive competition. We will catch our breath again while we have the raffle draw which will have plenty of prizes. The first prize being one weeks accommodation in Noosa.

The night will conclude with the Baila competition.

So what do you wear ? Wear some thing to enhance your best dance routine. That may be the difference in winning the competition.

If you have a whacky sense of humor dress up & do the rock n roll, you may attract the judges attention so much that you may win. If you can't dance wear something outrageous to win the fancy dress comp. If you don't like wearing fancy costumes just come in your normal evening wear & have a laugh at the other half.

So lets all get together and make it a fun night on 19 August 2006 at the Ithaca Bowls club 22, Fulcher Road Red Hill

RuwanDharmaratne

Functions Coordinator

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REPORT OF SILVER FAWN CLUB INC Week end Camp at Lake Perseverance 9 June to 12 June 2006

With the long week end looming, getting away from work was difficult, so we chose to drive at 4.00 am from Brisbane on Saturday expecting a fast drive but soon rain and fog forced us to slow down and panic as Persis and I were to deliver the sacks of green provisions and cook the breakfast.

On arrival we heaved a sigh of relief to see the kitchen was bustling with activity, the President at the hot plates making scrambled eggs and sausages. Carvll

Herft helping Isidore and Ruth Storey chopping the bacon. He surprised us with his agility to chop the onions and tomatoes that we delivered. While outside the counter door there were rumblings from the crowds assembling in the dining hall tantalized by the wafting aroma of food cooking and some one from the kitchen shouted 'hang on for ten minutes.....'. The door to the dining hall catering counter was opened whoosh! and the crowd rushed by serving their plates, the trays emptied and for a moment silence prevailed in the hall.

On Friday evening Egerton de Fransz, Isidore, Rammy and Dinesh Fernando entertained the campers and the guests to a "supper serenade" that continued in to the wee hours of the morning with a sing song enjoyed by all.

Saturday 10th June after breakfast, under the supervision of Isidore, Egerton and Spencer, the grounds were bustling with games and challenges that appealed both to the children and the adults. Basheer proudly motivated his RED team through sack races, three legged races and tug of war until well past the lunch hour.

Cricket The Trevor Croner Shield was won by the RED team and special mention should be made of Herby Tucker, Dinesh Fernando, Ruwan Dharmaratne and Brian Hearsey Congratulations to the team leaders Basheer Omar & Andrew Fletcher and the overall support given by Carol de la Motte & Ian One of the exciting contests was the Tug of War youngsters & adults won by the ORANGE team.



Saturday night dinner dance was excellent to the theme "Greek/Egyptian Night". Everyone pitched in to help Neela with the decorations. Dinner at 7.30 was followed by dance music served by Gerard & Aruni Cabraal and Ruwan Dharmaratne followed by competitions and competitions. Baila, Macarena, Limbo Rock took us through the paces on the dance floor. The highlight of the evening was the fancy dress parade with Gerard leading the way in his "Nero's outfit". The Karaoke singers took over after midnight to serenade their loved ones to sleep. I dozed off remembering a wail of one of them romancing the microphone saying "I can't stop loving you". We were thanking him for not singing to his sweet violets.

Sunday 11th June We started cooking Pol-roti and steaming kiribath and pancakes for the children. We were ready with food to go in to the bain-marie, when low and behold some one had poured water into the troughs containing the heaters. We had to drain all the water out before we could put in the accompanying curries for a good feast. Next off they went to play Tennis and cricket. Persis and I revived our courting days experience by heading to Crows Nest and losing our way, after 40 odd years it was a refresher course in romance. After lunch we planned for the talent contest and later had a rest.



Sunday dinner concert &....At 7.30 pm after an Italian dinner, the music started for the concert coordinated by Caryll Herft. Many items from the Hip Hop and break dancers to the "Tip Top" man Carl Kronemberg selling his high-tech "Two in ones" and "Three in ones' manufactured by Triumph International, Berlei, Bonds and Jockey. As they say support the Footy players Golf players and provides good support to the net ball brigade. Adriana Silva and her court sketch starred the young ones and brought a few chuckles. Many more amusing stuff followed.

...Fancy dress parade

Monday 12th I am sure every one was pensive at breakfast and sad to say good bye to so many fun loving friends. Cabins cleaned hall and kitchen scrubbed we packed our bags and headed home. Our sincere thanks to all participants, helpers, and organizing committee, not forgetting the Lake Perseverance camp management and duty supervisor the ever helpful David Edmonstone.



Dinty Ranasinghe

Trilby Misso's 90th Birthday Party



TRILBY NOEL REIMERS MISSO – 8.06.1916 I have known Trilby Misso as a Solicitor, Senior Partner. I was fortunate to know Trilby. He is a "gentle-man" who never forgot his motherland Ceylon (Sri Lanka), yet was devoted to his adopted country.

Trilby was born on 8 of June 1916 in Sri Lanka, and migrated to Brisbane in 1956, opening his law firm in Redcliffe in 1964. His son Hilton joined his father with a partner company and employed more than 100 employees.



Trilby Misso is well known in the legal arena and was very involved with various charities, especially Rotary, and I vividly remember helping him and his late wife, Mayleen in the Red Shield Appeal year after year. His passion for sport is very much alive in the Golfing and Lawn Bowling fields.

Amongst other organisations he has been the Honorary Solicitor for the Silver Fawn Club for 36 years, and at every dance or club night he is the first on the dance floor grooving to the rhythms of waltzes, jives to salsas. He has never forgotten his mother country Sri Lanka.

"He that followeth after righteousness and mercy findeth life, righteousness and honor" – Proverbs 21.21

On 3rd June the Silver Fawn Club felicitated Mr Misso's 90th birthday with a party at the Ithaca Bowles Club Mr. Misso arrived on time to be welcomed by the members. There was a birthday cake made like a book for him to cut. A certificate of appreciation for his services to the club was presented to him followed by several speeches including one from Eric Ferdinands, a founder member of Silver Fawn Club

The President, Gerard Fernando thanked Mr. Misso for being the Honorary Solicitor from the inception of the club. Gerard wished Mr. Misso a long and healthy life and hoped we will be able to felicitate him at the score of a century. The Country & western music that followed induced a lot of dancing when every one got on the floor.

We could not help but gather around the Guitar for a typical Sri Lankan sing song.

By Silver Fawn Member

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Chandana Silva

Dinty Ranasinghe



Inter club soft ball cricket tournament



This year the tournament will be held on Sunday the 13th august at South Side Cricket Club in Fairfield. from 9.30 am.

8 teams will be participating (Different Clubs) each team will play four games.

Points will be awarded under the tournament rules. The games will be quick and full of fun' where every player has to bowl one over and bat one over.

The Silverfawn team will require to have at least one under 14 (male) or a female player (no age limit)

Silver Fawn Club has to provide two umpires and 2 scorers anyone wishing to volunteer we would like to hear from you.

If your are a cricket fan and interested in playing please call Isidore Storey 38058018 or Herby Tucker 3880 0523

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<u>NOTE</u>

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<u>FEAST OF OUR LADY OF MADHU ON 8TH JULY 2006</u> <u>MARIAN VALLEY, BEECHMONT ROAD, CANUNGRA</u> The Feast Of Our Lady of Madhu will be celebrated in Marian Valley, Beechmont Road, Canungra on 8th July 2006.

Rosary at 10.30 a.m. The blessing of the new statue and Holy Mass at 11.00 a.m. We are very fortunate to have three Sri Lankan Priests and a wonderful choir lead by Marcela Andrado

Bring along a picnic pack to share with others as we care and share as one community on this day.

Enjoy the view as you drive through mountains and farm lands. Once you reach the valley there are more than 13 shrines to visit. It is a great destination for all of us and for interstate visitors. Come and enjoy the day. For more details contact: Isidore Storey: 07 38058018

THE FIRST LADY OF THE SILVER FAWN CLUB (AN EULOGY)

with great sadness that we mourn the passing away of Therese Anthonisz who was the "First Lady" of the Silver Fawn Club.

Some of our newer members may not be familiar with the name, but to our long-standing members the name "Therese Anthonisz" was synonymous with the Silver Fawn Club.

Together with her husband Stanley, she was an active committee member of the Club for 25 years from the Club's inception in 1970 until her resignation as Club Secretary in 1995. In fact she served as the Club Secretary for a period of 24 years consecutively.

Therese knew each and every Club member by name and face and each and every Club member knew of her. It used to delight me to sit with her at the entrance and ask her the name of a member I didn't know, and in true Burgher tradition she would give me a family history including the member's mother's maiden name!!.

Therese and Stanley were the first to arrive at a function and the last to leave usually with a carload of the Club things. She attended each and every function whether it be a New Year's Eve Dance, a Golden Year's Party or a Disco for the teens. Her dedication to this Club was such that her family life revolved around the Club and she would organise her holidays and family events so as to ensure it did not coincide with Club activities.

It was Therese who ensured that every function was booked, caterer and band confirmed, keys collected, monies paid and banking done. She became multi skilled long before it became fashionable to be so, and my job as Club Treasurer was made that so much easier because of Therese.

Therese initiated the Club's newsletter "Silver Scene" as well as the Club's "Have a Chat Parties" recognising a need to have some day time activities, which was attended by over 80 members.

In her professional life she was a private Secretary to a leading Brisbane law firm, Morris Fletcher and Cross and she brought that same professionalism and diligence to her role as Club Secretary.

It was therefore no coincidence that Therese and Stanley were voted in as the Club's first Life Members in 1987. I was fortunate enough to serve on the Committee with Therese for most of those 25 years and it has left me with very fond memories of her.

Sadly in her last years her health suffered to a point where she was not able to attend or even remember her beloved Silver Fawn Club.

Submitted By Jeremy Henderling

We had a successful soft session of "Dance workshop" on 24th the next will be arranged by e-mail Please indicate yourinterest by e-mail, to silverfawn@optusnet.com.au If you are in "hotmail.com (MSN) link with silver.fawn@hotmail.com –for instant club messages. Dinty Ransinghe My first camping experience with the Silver Fawn Club was one of the most memorable and enjoyable times of my life.

I have to thank my sis Camille & Alie for introducing me to the Club. I want to also say a big "Thank You" to the Management Committee and all who made this event enjoyable for all. It was well worth my trip from Melbourne to come to this event. I met/ made so many dear friends. You can be sure I will be boasting about the location, scrumptious food and concert etc. to all my family and friends when I get back.

I hope to attend it again next year. K eep up the good work!! Love & God Bless

Maryse Peiris

To the Committee of Silver Fawn Club Thank you for making us feel so much apart of your "family". We all had a great time!

Fond regards Maryanne Fletcher



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Our sincere thanks to all the participants at the camp and very specially to the Camp committee & the support team mentioned below

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