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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

5th November : Bollywood Night

20th November : Carrom/Billiard Tournament

3rd December : Golden Years Christmas Party

11th December : Golf Day

17th December : Christmas Carols

31st December : New Year's Eve Dance

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Message from the President

Dear Friends,

The 17th September Club Night was more than an ordinary club night for one of our founder members Mr. Eric Ferdinands. It was a memorable night of celebration where everyone joined in with Eric's family to wish him a happy 90th Birthday.

The highlight of the night was the tribute speech and song rendition by his two beautiful grand-daughters, Courtney and Ella Ferdinands. Courtney's well researched and chronologically tabled dates and events of Eric's life achievements plus Ella's beautiful singing voice delighted us all. Well done girls.

Talking about performances, Deanna Misso took on the arduous task of gathering the many members of the Ferdinands family together and organising this event. She handled it almost to perfection. Thank you Deanna for your time and effort.

Well, let's face it, a good team always wins matches and let me acknowledge the mighty efforts of Susan Fahir, Romaine Jayakody, Davenal Flanderka, Michael and Therese Metzeling together with Warren Loos, Andrea de Fransz and Leslie Ephraims who contributed more than their share of hard work. Well done guys.

Our recent events seem to be attracting more people than ever before. This is obviously a good sign that the Club is doing something right. Having said that, the downside is that we can only accommodate and cater for a limited number. Therefore please book in before the cutoff date. For example, the 8th October "High Tea" party was sold out before the closing date. The 5th November "Bollywood Night" is filling up quickly and the New Year's Eve Dance is heading the same way.

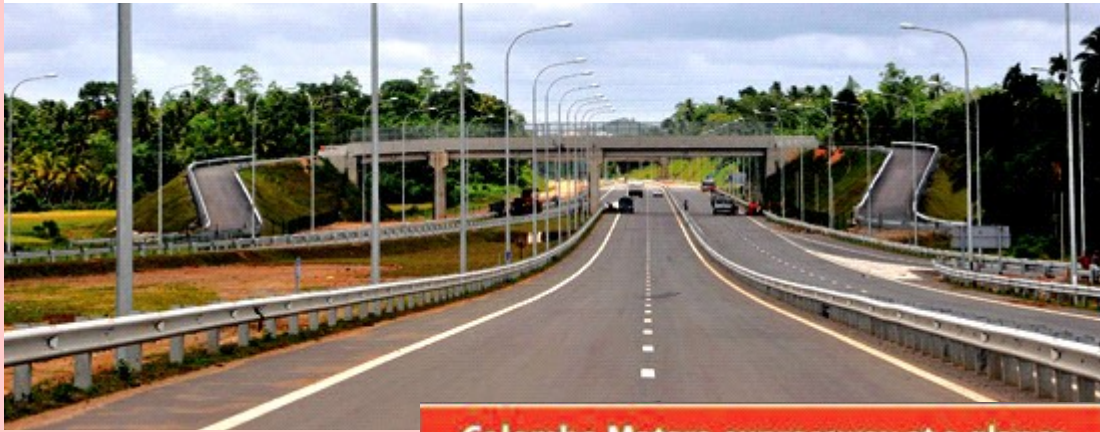
See you at the next function.

Cheers,

Egerton de Fransz
President



A Speedy and Safe Journey to Galle. (The entire project will cost Rs 75 billion)



The Southern Expressway to open in November 2011-
Sri Lanka News (Victor Melder)

Colombo Matara expressway at a glance		
	Present	New
Distance	160 Km.	126Km
Time:		
To Matara	4 Hours	1 Hr. 20 mins
To Galle	3 Hours	1 Hr.
Speed	30 Km per hour	120 Km per hour

New Members



The Management Committee would like to extend a warm welcome to the following new members. We look forward to your support and patronage at our functions and hope you will have a long association with the Club and that you receive the same enjoyment and pleasure it has been able to provide to many of our members these past 41 years.

- Rodney & Janet Ferdinands
- Errol & Valerie Ferdinands
- Ian & Patricia Creed
- Ronald & Jeanette Mortimer
- Chitra Fernando
- Chamath & Geraldine Perera

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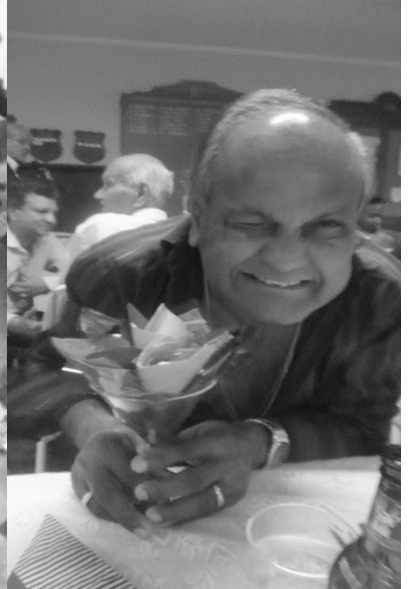
EVENTS IN PICTURES



*Club Night
Special Guest
Eric Ferdinands'
90th Birthday*

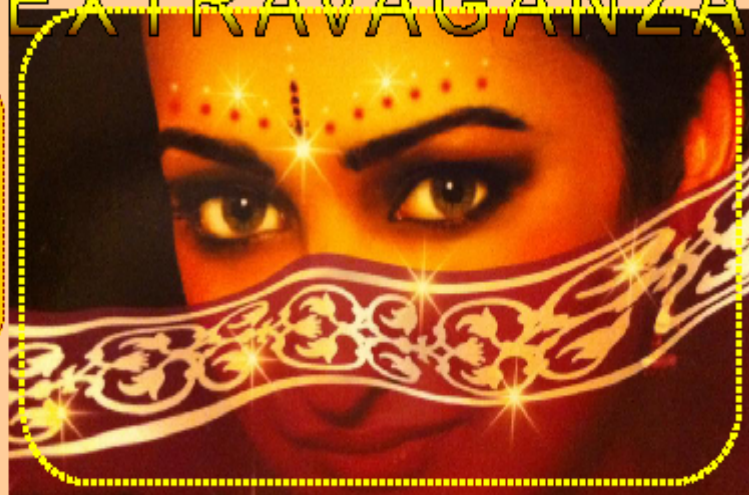


EVENTS IN PICTURES



Bollywood

EXTRAVAGANZA



SATURDAY 5 NOVEMBER 2011

7.00pm to 11.30pm

Red Hill Community Sports Club (Ithaca Bowls Club) 22 Fulcher Road, Red Hill

**Music: DJ Alan Western
Indian Buffet Dinner**

Drinks at Bowls Club Prices, No BYO

Members \$25 / Guests \$30

For tickets contact:

Egerton de Fransz Tel. 3889 6661

Davenal Flanderka Tel. 3878 1667

Susan Fahir Tel. 3878 4782 (A/H)

Bookings close: Friday 25 October

**SPECIAL
PRIZE FOR
THE BEST
OUTFIT**

**A NIGHT OF MUSIC, DANCING, RAFFLES,
PRIZES & SURPRISES**

Silver Fawn Club Inc.

New Years Eve Dinner Dance

Saturday 31st December 2011 7pm-1am



RiverSide Receptions

'Where the Good Times Meet the River'

50 Oxlade Drive, New Farm

Non-Stop Entertainment by Switch & DJ Dark 'n Tall
Smorgasbord with a Sri Lankan Flavour

Tickets: Members \$50 ; Guests \$60

Children (6-12) \$30

Dress: Formal

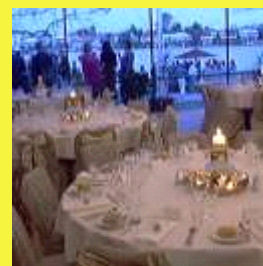
Drinks at Bar Prices



*Watch the Fireworks
from the Lawn*

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Ticket Sales Close 17 Dec 2011
Book Your Tables of 10



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A Night to Remember

CLUB CHATTER

Honorary Consul for Sri Lanka in Queensland and Silver Fawn Member Anton Swan and his wife Bronwen had reason to be smiling broadly recently. Their Best Western Motel in Kennedy Drive Tweed Heads has received the prestigious International Award from Best Western for Quality Assurance. The Swans are long time supporters of the Silver Fawn Club and have donated accommodation at their Motel as Raffle prizes among other forms of generosity.

Stella Ephraims is back on deck after her second operation in as many months, just in time to celebrate her 80th Birthday! Hope you had a great day, Stella, and best wishes for the year ahead. We are happy to say that the operation was successful though she is still some way off doing the Zumba! Stella would like to thank all the well-wishers for their calls and cards.

Audley Fernando and Dawn Collinson have recently had the rewarding experience of seeing their sponsored 4 year old in Sri Lanka, celebrate her 18th birthday. Sponsored through the Eighty Club of Melbourne, she has been educated and supported for all these years and is now ready to join the workforce.

Red Hill Community Sports Club has taken over the operations of the Ithaca Bowls Club and following a meeting with their Committee where we sought certain assurances, we have been assured that nothing will change in our existing relationship with the Club. In fact they have fore-shadowed possible improvements to the premises, when finances permit, which will enhance the Club's facilities.

Laugh Out Loud



Two boys were walking home from Church after hearing a strong sermon on the devil. One said to the other, "What do you think about all this Satan stuff?"

The other boy replied, "Well, you know how Santa Claus turned out. It's probably just your Dad."

Mick was standing naked in front of the bedroom mirror and was not happy with what he saw. He said to his wife, "I feel horrible; I look old, fat and ugly. I really need you to pay me a compliment." She replied, "Your eyesight's near perfect." And then the fight started.....



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GOLDEN YEARS CHRISTMAS PARTY

*Saturday 3 December 2011
6pm - 11.00pm*

*Red Hill Community Sports Club
(Ithaca Bowls Club)
22 Fulcher Road, Red Hill*

*Fabulous Christmas Buffet
by Jeremy Henderling*

Music by "Cool Daddies"

Drinks at Bowls Club Prices

Tickets:

Members \$25.00 Guests \$35.00

For bookings contact:

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Tel. 3397 1641 (A/H)

Susan Fahir

Tel. 3878 4782 (A/H)

*Bookings close 27 November
unless previously sold out
Limited number of tickets*

Christmas Carols

On Saturday 17 December, 2011 at 7pm

*Red Hill Community Sports Club
22 Fulcher Road, Red Hill*

*Gold Coin Entry
Supper can be pre-ordered prior to 7 December
at a cost of \$10*

*For Supper Bookings Please Contact:
Davenal 0419 024 708
Leslie 3359 6005
Therese 3855 5358*



*If you can sing, play an instrument or would like to be a part
of this special function at Christmas
please contact Davenal on 0419 024 708*

*Once again the Choir will be led by Laurensz Manricks
So come along and join in the Spirit of Christmas*

*The Silver Fawn Club is planning a
Carrom Tournament on 20 November
and a*

Golf Day on 11 December.

*If you are interested in finding out more details
please call Norman de la Harpe on 3857 2724*

Radio 4EB Sri Lankan Group

ÁRIONA –Experience the Vibrancy of Sri Lanka’

Following the success of the on line magazine ARIONA, the young entrepreneurs Dimuthu Dias-Mendis & Avanthi Kottegoda have embarked on yet another challenging project. An event also named ARIONA has been put together to introduce the Sri Lankan way of life to the wider community in Australia.

The event, ‘ÁRIONA –Experience the Vibrancy of Sri Lanka’, accommodates the greater Brisbane community in understanding the Sri Lankan identity through a glimpse of the Sri Lankan heritage and culture. The event was conceptualised to help the wider community to appreciate the true Sri Lankan spirit and consolidate the efforts of reconciliation within the different ethnicities of Sri Lanka as one harmonious community, following the end of a civil war that ravaged the country for decades. ARIONA aims to promote values of harmony and peace through the Event. As a result of understanding the Sri Lankan culture and heritage we hope to introduce people of non Sri Lankan backgrounds to the Sri Lankan story, cuisines, fashion and music.

The event will be held on the **6th of November at King George Square from 1.00pm – 5.00pm**. Further details can be accessed on www.ariona.com.au closer to the event.

Volunteers on the day to help with various tasks are required

Radio 4EB Sri Lankan Group produces a free newsletter distributed by email every month.

If you wish to be included in the mailing list please send them an email:brisbaneradio@yahoo.com.au

OBITUARIES

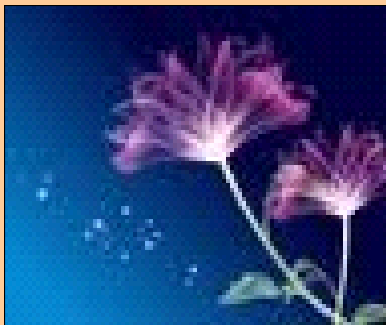
**We remember those who
have left us but will always
be in our hearts.**



Andrado, Marcella

Beloved wife of Everard and cherished mother of Maryse, Serena and Adrian passed away peacefully at Canossa Private Hospital on 14 September 2011. The family wish to thank all who attended her funeral and for the prayers and messages of sympathy.

- Everard



In loving memory of

Marcella Andrado

2 June 1930 to 14 September 2011

*We thank God for your life with us
A beautiful memory is in place
And to His arms you have returned
Stay warm in his embrace.*

-Orima

Leonard Percival Maloney

27 September 1918 to 1 August 2011

"Well done, good and faithful servant"

Len passed away at the Southport Nursing Home after a brief battle with Alzheimer's. He is fondly remembered and missed by his wife Lillian and children, Maureen & Bart, Haig & Jill, Patrick & Glenis, Bryan & Denise, eleven grandchildren and ten great grandchildren.

A Service of Thanksgiving was held at the Trinity Anglican Mission Church at Robina on 4 August.

His ashes were interred in his former wife Annette's grave at Box Hill Cemetery, Melbourne, following a Memorial Service at the Box Hill Reformed Church, on 27 August.

- Patrick

(Len's son Patrick served on the Committee and is a long standing member of the Silver Fawn Club. Our thoughts and prayers are with Patrick and his family at this sad time.

-Leslie)

What the caterpillar calls the end of the world, the master calls a butterfly.



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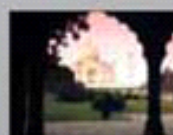


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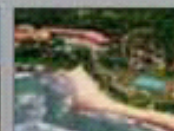
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I hereby wish to apply for/renew Membership of the Silver Fawn Club Inc., and agree to be bound by the rules and regulations of the Club.

Signature: Date:

PROPOSED BY (Name) Signature.....
(Financial Member)

SECONDED BY (Name) Signature
(Financial Member)

- Cheques should be made payable to "Silver Fawn Club Inc."**
- Membership fees are from 1 February 2011 to 31 January 2012, not for 12 months from date of payment.**
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