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Easter is a time of re-birth, when hope can be seen in the wings of a butterfly.

The President & Committee of the Silver Fawn Club would like to wish everyone a Happy and Safe Easter.

Dates for Your Diary

23rd March : Club Night Dance

13 April : Have-a-Chat Party - Bring & Buy

18 May : Club Night Dance

22 June : Mid Year Anniversary Dance

27 July : Have-a-Chat Party - Christmas in July

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO MEMBERS

Membership Fees expired on 31 January 2013. Please send your renewals for 2013/14 without delay. A Membership Subscription Form is available on page 11.

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President's Message

Dear **Members**,

The new club year has started with a spurt of enthusiasm and well wishes. Many thanks for electing me as your President for another year. This is a great honour for me and I embrace it with a fervent promise that you the members will be considered at all times and your views and responses will be handled with respect and understanding. At the same time I assure you that your committee will seek and present you the best social and sports entertainment and a place to meet and greet and enjoy comradeship and friendship with your fellow members.

Your Committee this year is very dynamic. **Dennis** and **Egerton** are the **Vice Presidents**. **Dennis** has been on the committee for the last year and is an excellent planner, photographer and musically oriented, while **Egerton** has been in and out of the Committee for the past few years in various positions, and has experience in knowing what members desire. Your **Secretary Deanna** has been a member for many years, with her commitment to the Club and her unique skills; she will undoubtedly make a noteworthy contribution in the coming year.

Your **Treasurer Mark** is a new face, he has good financial skills to monitor our performance and keep the members' interest foremost.

Our **Assistant Treasurer** is well known **Rena**, who is famous for her charity work, organising, Have a Chats, and splendid Buffets, with a main concern that members get their value for money. **Heather** is our efficient **Assistant Secretary**, who takes on all tasks, especially assisting members.

The **Sports Captain** is **Mario** another new face in the Club. **Mario** has the distinction of playing cricket for St.Peters and is known to be an all rounder, so you can look forward to a review of the Sports with more activities. Your committee has four talented **Committee members**, most of whom are known to you. Introducing **Stephanie** the youngest with a mind untapped in Club matters but eager to learn and make the Club a delightful environment. Next is **Patrick** who has been on the outskirts for many years and lending a hand at all functions. He too is well aware of members' needs. Many of you know **Ben** as a knowledgeable person. Ben will be able to guide and help us with his ability to understand the services a club should provide to their members. Lastly, please meet "**Uncle Eric**" affectionately called by many, who was responsible with the founder members, for starting your Club. His experiences will guide us and walk with us to be a better Club. I am very grateful to all the above for joining me to make your Club a great success in the coming year and the best in the community.

In addition to your committee we have a very strong support network of some of our former committee members, who are continuing to support the committee with the changeover. Our thanks to Michael ably supported by Therese for continuing with the production of the Newsletter. Our gratitude to well known and liked Susan and Romaine who continue to help and assist in the Club activities, thank you. If you like to join us with help and ideas, please call, as we need more support and help.

Our **Club Night** is on **23rd March 2013**. As this is the first event for our club year, we would like you to attend in numbers as the most important ingredients for a successful **Celebration** are present in this event - **a delicious Buffet, scintillating and exciting Music, a great Venue**, at a very special price for members and their guests.

We the Committee invite you to attend and have a "**Ball**" as I assure you this will be a **celebration** to be enjoyed by our **special guests, you the members**. All the details are in your **NEWSLETTER**, together with our very many advertisers and other interesting pieces of information.

Let me end **by wishing you** and your families a **Very Happy Easter** and the **joy** that Easter brings to everyone.

Cheers

Davenal



The Silver Fawn Club
presents

Club Nite

Dinner & Dancing



Saturday, 23 March
6.30pm - 11.30pm

Enoggera Bowls Club
72 Pickering Street
(Cnr. Bowling Street)
Enoggera

- MUSIC:** All your favourites by well known DJ Ty Fox
CATERING: Delicious Sri Lankan buffet by the highly recommended
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Tickets Available from:

Deanna Misso Tel: 3216 2980 Rena Henderling Tel: 3273 3994
Davenal Flanderka Tel: 3878 1667 Egerton De Fransz Tel: 3889 6661
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BE QUICK - TICKETS SELLING FAST

"Have-A-Chat" Party



ENOGGERA BOWLS CLUB

72 Pickering Street, Enoggera

Saturday 13 April 2013

10:00 am – 2:00 pm



Morning Tea, Bingo & Raffles
Lunch – Menu
Hoppers with accompaniments



For bookings please contact:

Deanna Misso: 3216 2980

Ben Simmons: 3633 0098 / 0423 894 964

Egerton de Franz: 3889 6661

(No later than Saturday 06 April)

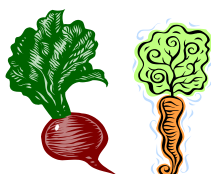
Members: \$15.00

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MINI BRING & BUY SALE -

\$5.00 per stall/table for members

Please contact Ben Simmons if interested in booking a table to sell items at the "Bring & Buy Sale" eg: Plants, Sweets, Cakes, Chutneys, Pickles, etc



A New Year and a New Venue for the Silver Fawn Club's Have-A-Chats.

On the 2nd of February 2013 we held the first event, a Have-a-Chat Party, at a new venue, the Enoggera Bowls Club. It also was the last event organised by the former Committee.

The members appeared impressed and were very pleased as they entered the venue. It was much larger than the Red Hill Club and the facilities were superior. A large kitchen with excellent access for the caterers, convenient access to the Bar, the Hall's own sound system and comfortable seating were a few of the aspects that were extremely noteworthy.

The members enjoyed their morning tea and settled into convivial chatting as if nothing had changed. A selection of Dennis' background music played through the sound system and provided a subtle ambience to the setting.

A few games of Bingo called by Egerton and assisted by Becky as usual got the excitement and tension rising and soon it was time to partake of another special Henderling smorgasbord.

Soon after, the Raffle ticket sellers appeared and Lady Luck began playing her quirky tricks amid yells of "redraw" and "rigged". All in all, everyone had a great time.

Another successful Have-a-Chat was at an end, and as usual there were many helpers assisting the Sub-Committee of Rena and Romaine, tidy up afterwards.

Michael



The Annual General Meeting

The Annual General Meeting of the Silver Fawn Club was held on 2nd March at the Enoggera Bowls Club with fifty-five Members attending in spite of the appalling weather. Close to 70 people had intended to come before Mother Nature intervened.

The good news was that the Club was able to fill all positions on the Committee on the night, which enabled the office bearers to commence immediately on planning the year ahead.

The elected Committee comprises:

President	Davenal Flanderka
Vice President	Dennis Arnolda
Vice President	Egerton de Franz
Secretary	Deanna Misso
Treasurer	Mark Schrader
Asst Secretary	Heather Freeborn
Asst Treasurer	Rena Henderling
Club Captain	Mario Emmanuel
General Comm	Stephanie de Mello
General Comm	Eric Fernando
General Comm	Patrick Maloney
General Comm	Ben Simmons

Congratulations to all of them and best of luck in their endeavours for the Club.

The Special Resolution to change the Constitution was defeated owing to different viewpoints as to which organizations the Club's funds should go to in the event of it ceasing to exist. More work is to be done on this amendment before the next AGM, as the overall sentiment was that the Rule needed to be changed; agreement as to which charity would receive the funds being the moot point.

After the meeting, a fabulous dinner was served from the Henderling Kitchen of Excellence. Earlier Rena had welcomed us with savouries and juice on arrival. Thanks to you both and your helpers.

An encouraging aspect, which bodes well for the future, was the joint efforts by most members, Committee and non-Committee alike, who gave of themselves to tidy up the hall after the function was over.

Michael



NEED HELP GETTING TO OUR FUNCTIONS ?

We are all aware that the Club is coming of age. Likewise it's members too. In a nutshell we are not young anymore.

With age follows other chronic ailments and one that is very apparent, in all of us, is failing eyesight. In fact driving your car is more of a chore than a pleasure. And driving at night has now become a nightmare for some. Because of this most people opt to stay at home and miss out on their social life.

Sure, some of us have good friends or relo's who are willing to take you here and there but for others, it's a no go.

We know most members and their friends would love to attend all functions but getting there is the problem.

At our recent meeting, the new Committee recognised this and are looking at ways of solving it. One of the suggestions put forward was to find out how many of our valued members need transportation help. So if you fall into this category and need help please ring the following and register your name and suburb.

Likewise, if there are any good Samaritans who would love to help us please ring us too.

We may or may not solve all problems but giving it a go is our first step.

EGERTON DE FRANZ.
PH: 3889 6661 or 0402 068 172

DEANNA MISSO.
PH: 3216 2980 or 0402 263 162



ANNUAL CAMP

The Club intends reviving the Annual Camp next year in April or May. Both Patrick and Ben have been given the task of checking out various camping grounds, beginning with Toowoomba and Currumbin.

Hopefully this will prove a successful venture, as the camps of the past were well attended and very much enjoyed by all. We wish Patrick and Ben all the best in their endeavours.

CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Club also wishes to revive the Children's Christmas Party this year. The Committee would like to receive responses from our members as to their thoughts on the matter.

To this end, on page 12, this newsletter has a tear-off section where responses can be noted. The response slips can be handed in at the Club Night Dance on 23 March, or at the Have-a-Chat on 13 April. Alternatively, a phone call or email to Committee members will be most welcome.

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 42 years:

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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

- **Cheques should be made payable to "Silver Fawn Club Inc."**
- **Membership fees are from 1 February 2013 to 31 January 2014, not for 12 months from date of payment.**
- **Membership commences from the date of the meeting at which application is approved.**
- **This form should be completed and sent to: Silver Fawn Club Inc., P O Box 203, Nathan, QLD 4111.**

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**Please address all correspondence to:
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DEADLINE: Friday 3 May 2013

(Items for inclusion in the next edition of Silver Scene should be submitted by this date)

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Children's Christmas Party

Function Venue _____ (eg. Indoors, Outdoors, McDonalds,etc)

Time of Day _____ (eg. Morning, Afternoon, Evening)

Number of Your Children / Grand Children who would be Attending _____