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CLUB ACTIVITIES

Bingo and Quizzame will be cancelled on Monday 10 June (King's Birthday). All other sessions run as normal.

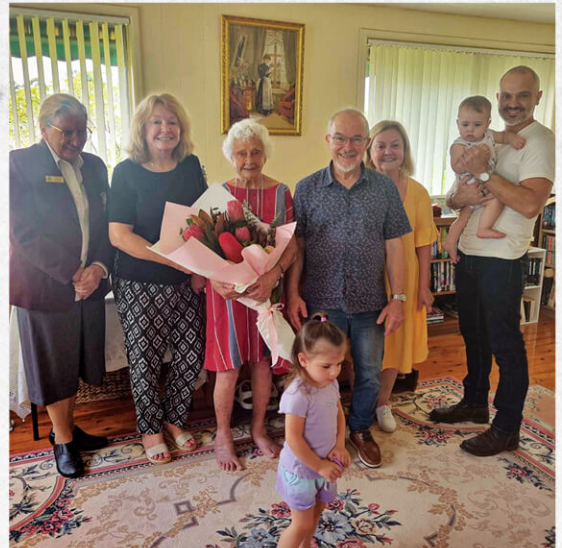
Our Members

Lilian Robertson Celebrates 100

Lilian 'Peggy' Robertson of Revesby recently celebrated her 100th birthday with remarkable flair.

A former teacher and devoted mother of four, Peggy has lived a vibrant century with an incredible zest for life. Her positive outlook and resilience serve as an inspiration to all who know her.

On her 100th birthday, Peggy received congratulatory messages from dignitaries such as the Governor General, the NSW Premier, and Veteran Affairs.



Club Director Christine Benham with Lilian Robertson (centre), surrounded by family.



The staff of Revesby Workers' Club also paid her a visit, presenting her with a commemorative medal to mark her century-long journey!

Special commemorative medal and certificate presented to Lilian Robertson.

Patron

A Patron is a person who has given many years of support to the Club.

Alan Ashton
Revesby Workers' Club

Dennis Hayward OAM
Mooney Mooney Club

Honorary Members

A Honorary Member is a person who is a prominent citizen or local dignitary visiting the Club.

E Whitlam AC QC*	17/07/1996	C Jacobsen AM	14/11/2002	J Ferrarin	13/10/2014
M Whitlam AO*	17/07/1996	K Jacobsen OAM	14/11/2002	K Asfour	27/03/2018
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J Wran	17/07/1996	M Tierney	14/11/2002	W R Scott*	25/08/2020
R Hawke AC GGL*	17/07/1996	J Gillard AC	02/07/2009	P Amphlett OAM	05/08/2022
P Keating	15/10/2000	M Iemma	26/11/2009	G Lester	25/10/2022
R Carr	05/05/2002	B Boon	02/11/2011		
B Brown AM	05/10/2002	Father M Thompson	05/11/2011		

* Denotes deceased

Life Members

A Life Member is a person who has rendered outstanding service to the Club.

MJ Donovan*	12/06/1968	NE Bullard OAM*	28/09/1986	NJ Smith OAM*	25/09/1994	I Stromborg OAM	30/10/2016
EL Smith*	12/06/1968	V Pavlick*	28/09/1986	H Bush*	24/09/1995	J Rodwell	29/10/2017
GA Johnstone*	12/06/1968	BJ Higgs*	27/09/1987	TC Semlitzky*	28/09/2003	C Benham	28/10/2018
HJ McDougall*	12/06/1968	P Johnstone*	27/09/1992	DF Hayward OAM	28/09/2003	L Downey	27/10/2019
WN Hills*	21/12/1970	D Melham AM	27/09/1992	P Pride	25/09/2005	C Butters	25/10/2020
RJ Kelly*	24/09/1978	R Polley*	26/09/1993	PA Rogan*	25/11/2007	D Follers	29/10/2023
M Macfarlane*	23/03/1981	JE Gibbons*	26/09/1993	A Moroney*	25/11/2007		
JJ Webster*	25/09/1983	K Heaslip*	25/09/1994	AJ Ashton	18/09/2011		

* Denotes deceased

Vale Report (12 Jan 2024 - 10 Apr 2024)

James Smith	Kay Lynette Kerz	Graeme Johnson	Thomas Patterson
Ross Buckley	Nancy Garrett	Carmel Phyllis Lowe	Fay Martin
John Joseph Hughes	Wayne Manasakis	Roslyn Solomon	Gordon Crawford
Marion Rawlings	Norman Ronan	Sandra Cooke	Jessie McShane

Executive Report



Daryl Melham AM
President



Scott Bennetts
CEO

Dear Members,
We hope you all had an enjoyable Easter and for those who were able to enjoy a lovely 4 day weekend. While the cooler weather has been appreciated, I am sure you will agree that we are not looking forward to those frosty winter months ahead of us.

SCHOOL SUBSIDY PROGRAM

You will recall in our last Executive Report we provided an update on the schools that were fortunate enough to receive funding under our now School Subsidy Program and the projects they were undertaking. We are happy to report that we held an extremely successful cheque presentation ceremony on Friday, 1 March 2024 that was attended by all recipients where we were able to meet with school representatives and discuss their projects that are currently underway.



Recipients of the School Subsidy Program.

In attendance at the morning tea was Vice President Christine Butters, Director Christine Benham and Director/Chair of the Education Committee Linda Downey. Also in attendance was Revesby Workers' Club staff member Alysha Green who joined the Club in mid- January as the Assistant Manager, Marketing and Community. This event was an opportunity for the school representatives to meet with Alysha as she will be running the school subsidy program next year together with all community related work undertaken at the Club.

SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

On Wednesday, 14 February 2024 the Education Committee met to review new applications for the annual Tertiary Scholarship Program.

For 2024 the Club had a huge 37 previous recipients receive their \$500 scholarship for ongoing studies providing a total of \$18,500 to previous recipients. 9 of these recipients are in their final year of studies and we would like to wish them all the very best at the conclusion of 2024 and on the completion of their degree. We would love to stay in touch to see where they land their first job and how they find the workforce as we are humbled to have been able to provide financial support throughout their studies.

Similar to last year, we received a significant number of applications with 8 achieving ATARs of over 90 and of those 8, 5 achieving over 95 which made 2024 an extremely competitive process. The 2024 Scholarship Program awarded 1 male and 1 female with a \$3,000 scholarship and 12 applicants with a \$500 scholarship totalling \$12,000 to new applicants in 2024. These 2024 recipients will receive a further \$500 for each subsequent year of their degree upon submission of successful results.

This takes the total of Tertiary Scholarship payments in 2024 to \$30,500.

An afternoon tea for our scholarship presentation took place on Sunday 7 April 2024, the event had over 60 attendees and was the most widely attended afternoon tea ceremony yet.

A special mention must be given to the recipients of the \$3,000 scholarships in 2023:

- Kristina La who achieved an ATAR of 97 and will be studying a Bachelor of Engineering at the University of NSW.
- Tony Hu who achieved an ATAR of 98.50 and will be studying a Bachelor of Arts at the University of Sydney.



Scholarship recipients.

Congratulations to all of our previous and new recipients.

AUDITORIUM RENOVATIONS

Prior to the February Board meeting, our Executive Manager - Food and Beverage, Darren Foots and Executive Manager-Facilities, Simon Melham took the Board of Directors for a tour of the auditorium renovation site. Boden Construction has worked extremely hard and fast to commence demolition of the old auditorium and function space in preparation to commence building of our new Auditorium and function space. We look forward to welcoming members back to the space for their future functions towards the end of 2024.

While we are aware of the disruptions this may cause throughout the Club in certain areas, we would like to take this opportunity to thank our extremely understanding members. While the opening of the new area seems far away, we hope to be discussing this in the very next Journal which is only around the corner.



Left-Right: Demolition of the Function Centre foyer; inside the Whitlam Theatre; Revesby Workers' Club directors on a tour of the construction site.

HEART OF THE NATION – DEFIBRILLATORS IN THE COMMUNITY

As outlined in our previous Executive Report, Revesby Workers' Club Ltd provided funding to Heart of the Nation in the 2023 ClubGRANTS scheme to implement several life-saving Automated External Defibrillators (AEDs) within the local Community in locations where they can be accessed by community members on a 24/7 basis. When determining where to place these AEDs, we needed to consider things such as accessibility and a location that is highly populated. In light of this, we are putting a call out to our members and community to determine if any businesses, schools, local churches, or residents would be interested in acting as guardian of an AED.

What is involved

Should we receive expressions of interest, we will select approximately 4 recipients (to fund further defibrillators in future ClubGRANTS programs) and arrange for Heart of the Nation to install an AED for you. We would ask that you as a "Guardian" of the AED help maintain the integrity of the device noting that a guardian is not responsible for any damage, simply ensuring the AED is well kept and report any damage that may occur so Heart of the Nation can assist you in the maintenance of the device.

Community Responders

Should anyone express interest in housing an AED and want to be further involved, you may wish to become a "Community Responder". By downloading the Heart of the Nation app, you would be set up to receive alerts when an AED is required nearby and can deliver the life-saving machine to a local in the community and potentially save their life.

How do we get involved

If you are interested in finding out more about the Heart of the Nation program and how you can participate, please contact Alysha Green at alyshag@rwc.org.au.

Daryl Melham AM
President

Scott Bennetts
CEO



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Baden Kirgan Director

Since I joined the Workers' Club Board in 2020, one of the things I've enjoyed most is being the liaison director for my sub clubs.

The sub clubs are the sporting and social groups who wear our colours and represent us in activities like soccer, netball, cricket and swimming. There are also clubs centred around non-sporting pursuits like gardening.

Some of the sub clubs are older than the Workers' Club itself – many of the 240 foundation members came from local sporting clubs like soccer, cricket and golf, and brought those clubs into the Workers' when it was founded in 1962.

In many registered clubs, the directors have little to do with their sub clubs. Relations between the club and sub club are managed by staff. The sub clubs rarely, if ever, hear from a member of the board let alone see a director at one of their meetings.

At the Workers' each director is assigned several sub clubs. I look after the Netball, Men's Golf, Little Athletics and Revesby Writers sub clubs.

Directors are expected to meet with the sub clubs regularly and provide a conduit between the board and the sub club members. This keeps the concerns of the sub clubs front and centre for the board.

There are so many sub clubs in the Workers' that you can pretty much pick any sport and we have a sub club for you. But one area where we might be lacking a bit is in the arts.

We have our wonderful Revesby Writers who meet on the first Saturday of every month. Every meeting each member brings a new piece, usually on an assigned theme, to read to the group. It's a great way for local writers to keep going and get feedback on their writing.

When I was a kid we had a Revesby Workers' Youth Drama Club. Run by Noelene and her husband, there was junior kids and senior kids classes on weekends. The students would learn acting and confidence skills and build towards a performance in the school holidays. Once or twice a year they put on a pantomime that was on every day for a week during the holidays. These were extremely popular with parents struggling for holiday activities (and the kids loved them too).

I'd love to see more arts groups come to the club. Acting, music, reading, painting, film, book clubs – I'm open to any ideas. Communities can't live on sports alone – we need more places where members whose interests lay elsewhere can find other like-minded people.

They can start small – many of our sub clubs are just a group of people meeting once a month in a room to talk about their common interest. But if enough people join, the club has many ways of supporting and helping groups grow. I'd love to see the Club with as many arts based sub clubs as we have wonderful sports sub clubs.

If you have any ideas, please email me at badenk@rwc.org.au.

Director Reports



Daniel Kurtz Director

Hard to believe we are now in May, what a start to 2024.

It's now been 7 months since being elected as a Director at Revesby Workers' Club and I still pinch myself and feel extremely honoured to represent such an iconic brand, an organisation that has members and staff at the forefront of every decision that is made.

One of my first official events was the Seniors Christmas Concert held in the Auditorium on the 12th December 2023. What a great afternoon joined by over 400 members with first-class entertainment in what was one of the last events in the Auditorium as we once knew it.

With all function rooms being closed for most of the year due to major renovation and refurbishment we are looking forward to the new look with works due for completion in October 2024.

2024 has seen many great community initiatives take place either by our Revesby Workers' staff or some of our Sub Clubs that are all run by dedicated volunteers.

Congratulations to Christine Butters, President of Revesby Workers' Little Athletics, and the team of volunteers on the opening of their new facility at Kelso North, a venue that will serve for many years to come.

As many of our Summer Sports wrap up our Winter sports are in full flight Revesby Workers', Netball, and Football (Soccer) just to name a couple.

Revesby Workers' Football Club which I'm the Liaison Director has teamed up with Sydney FC to run a Program dedicated to Girls 12 to 15. The program (She Can) is not all about Football,

it also covers many topics that face young women and provides them with guidance and skills in Communication, Leadership and Confidence.

I joined Club Staff recently attending a Club Wide Meeting lead by our Executive Manager, People & Culture, Sharyn Buhagiar, who provided key updates with the team and some refresher compliance training.



March Club Wide Staff Meeting.

Thank you to everybody that visited the Club and attended our ceremony to pay respects on ANZAC Day it was truly a fantastic turnout and one of my favourite events on the calendar.

This issue of the Journal covers so many great events happening throughout the club. I'm looking forward to continuing to catch up with members around the club over the coming months.

The Board of Directors



Daryl Melham AM
President



Christine Butters
Vice President



Christine Benham
Director



Baden Kirgan
Director



David Raper
Director



Linda Downey
Director



Daniel Kurtz
Director

Our Club Community

INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY #IWD2024 | WRAP UP

This March marked our fourth annual International Women's Day event, held at the vibrant Miss Iggy's. Beyond celebrating women, the annual event also raised funds to support Biyani House – Revesby Women's Shelter. As part of the Women's Community Shelters network, Biyani House offers short-term and emergency services to women in need, providing a safe environment for them to rebuild their confidence, self-esteem, and take control of their lives. With the support of our partner **Leagues Club Australia**, event sponsors, board members, and attendees, Revesby Workers' Club is thrilled to announce that we have achieved our highest donation to date, exceeding \$24,000, to support this crucial cause.

Aligned with this year's global theme of **#InspireInclusion**, we were honoured to welcome some of the most inspirational community leaders and female sports figures as guest speakers. **Lisa Annabel**, the CEO of Biyani House, opened the event, her personal commitment to supporting women in need and dedication to Biyani House serving as a true inspiration. Followed by a panel discussion, moderated by **Debjani Sarkar**, Director of Biyani House, featured prominent voices in the field of women's empowerment - **Fariha Chowdhury**, CEO of Arise Foundation Ltd., and **Gail Clarke**, Team Leader Coach and Fashion Frenzy Sale Team member at Dress for Success. The panel shed light on the pressing need for support services for women in vulnerable situations.

We were also joined by **Carlee Millikin**, a distinguished athlete and General Manager of World Cup Legacy Programs at Football Australia, and professional A-league footballer **Caley Tallon-Henniker**, to **#inspireinclusion** for women in sports.

We thank to all who generously donated and attended, not only to celebrate the achievements of women but also to recognise the ongoing journey towards a more inclusive world.



Club directors present Biyani House with a cheque of over \$24,000 from the recent International Women's Day fundraising event.



International Women's Day 2024 event photos.

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Our Club Community Cont...

MORRIS CHILDREN'S FUND – MUSIC THERAPY FOR CHILDREN WITH DISABILITY

This year, Revesby Workers' Club supported the Morris Children's Fund to provide music therapy sessions for children with disabilities. These sessions took place weekly during the school term at George Bass School, facilitated by Rhythm Village, an organisation specialising in using music as a tool to unlock the potential and capabilities of students with special needs. Through this program, every student had the opportunity to shine, express themselves through sound and music, explore their creativity, and challenge their physical boundaries. Music has the power to transcend all abilities, and this program ensured that every child was engaged in playing instruments and experiencing the joy of creating music.



Students expressing themselves through sound and music.

BRODERICK GILLAWARNA PROJECT – SMELL, TOUCH, LOOK & LISTEN SENSORY GARDEN



New footpath and plants for Broderick Gillawarna Schools sensory garden.

Revesby Workers, via ClubGRANTS NSW, generously donated over \$25,500 to transform Broderick Gillawarna Schools Smell, Touch, Look, and Listen – Sensory Garden. This significant contribution revitalised the space to incorporate elements stimulating all senses for students with disabilities. The use of fragrant plants, textured foliage, vibrant colours, and ambient sounds create an immersive experience. A new accessible footpath was constructed to ensure inclusivity for individuals with mobility or physical disabilities. This initiative not only promotes environmental awareness but also supports academic learning, offering benefits to both students and the entire school community.

MERCY WORKS - MENTORING PROGRAM FOR REFUGEE AND ASYLUM SEEKER STUDENTS



Club Vice President Christine Butters and Club director Christine Benham with staff and guests of Bankstown Senior College.

Mercy Connect is a remarkable community support service dedicated to recruiting, training, and empowering volunteers to assist refugee and asylum seeker students (K-12/mature-aged 18-24) and adults in overcoming various obstacles to education, such as language, socio-cultural, and economic challenges during their settlement period. In-class mentoring sessions are carefully curated to enhance self-esteem and well-being, with a particular focus on boosting numeracy and literacy standards.

Revesby Workers' Club generously contributed \$10,000 to facilitate the program's rollout within the Canterbury-Bankstown area with over 200 active participants. Recently, Christine Benham and Christine Butters visited Bankstown Senior College to witness firsthand the targeted assistance provided during this crucial transition phase. The program's impact was evident in the heightened student engagement, the formation of social networks, increased confidence, self-esteem, and the potential for better life outcomes through continued education, training, and employment opportunities.

MINIFIT 2024



Top-Bottom: A large turnout of children thoroughly enjoyed the free Minifit session at Milperra Reserve.

In January, local children enthusiastically participated in our highly successful 2024 Minifit Clinics session, led by rugby league legend Anthony Minichiello! These engaging and free educational fitness sessions were fully booked, attracting an exceptional turnout at Milperra Reserve.

This year marks the sixth consecutive year that the Revesby Workers' Club has proudly sponsored this initiative, actively promoting awareness of the importance of maintaining an active lifestyle and cultivating lasting, healthy habits. Designed by Anthony Minichiello, with his wealth of experience from a career in elite sports and passion for fitness, developed the program to address the pressing need for health education in today's digital age.

The program features activities aimed at highlighting the significance of health and fitness, while also encouraging children to have fun and build new friendships along the way!

SYDNEY FC DISABILITY PROGRAM

In partnership with Sydney FC's grassroots disability programs, Revesby Workers' Club has contributed \$15,000 to extend this initiative into the Canterbury-Bankstown LGA. Many children with disabilities may express interest in participating in sports but face limited opportunities to find inclusive activities and sporting organisations in their local communities. Recognising this need, the new program has been launched at Caroline Chisholm School this term, providing a platform for children to explore and develop skills through engaging in physical activities with a dedicated Sydney FC representative.

Through weekly sessions, each child is given the opportunity to participate in interactive group soccer play, specifically tailored to their abilities. These sessions not only aim to enhance physical skills but also prioritise the social well-being of the participants, fostering a sense of inclusion and belonging. By engaging in interactive activities, the children benefit from strengthening their mobility and core physical skills, while also building meaningful connections with their peers and coaches.

The program uplifts these remarkable children by providing opportunities for personal achievement and creating a supportive and inclusive environment, allowing them to thrive and excel both on and off the field.



Children participating in Sydney FC's grassroots program.

SYDNEY FC SHE CAN PROGRAM



In alignment with International Women's Day and the #InspireInclusion movement, the Sydney FC Foundation's "She Can" program has been launched in the Revesby Workers' Football Club with members of the 12-15 Girls team.

This program aims to dismantle the barriers faced by young girls during their early teenage years, a period that often sees a high dropout rate in organised sports, particularly in comparison to young boys of the same age.

Through both theoretical and practical approaches, the 8-week project seeks to enhance retention rates in sports and provide more opportunities for girls to enjoy the benefits associated with participation in sports.

Our Club Community Cont...

REVESBY WORKERS' LITTLE ATHLETICS CENTRE

This season, Revesby Workers' Little Athletics has again had a record number of registrations, with over 400 keen little athletes registered. Our athletes range in age from our 5-year-old Tiny Tots through to our U17's age group.

This season has been a successful one in many ways. We are 75% of the way through the season and already we have had 16 individual athletes break 25 Centre records. Some of these have been very long-standing records, including Charlotte O'Leary who broke the U6 Girls Long Jump record that had stood since 1987, with a jump of 2.97m and Shea Cassilles who broke the U14 Boys 1500m record that had stood since 1990, with a blistering time of 4m 50.40s.

In December last year, we had 106 athletes compete at the Southern Metropolitan Zone Championships at Barden Ridge over 3 days. We were proud to have 81 athletes qualify to compete at the Region Championships in February and it was our most successful Region Championships on record. Our athletes achieved 25 Gold medals, 9 Silver medals and 15 Bronze medals over the two-day Championship. These results are a credit to our athletes and to our Centre Coaches, who volunteer their time to provide training opportunities for our athletes across the range of athletics events.

A notable achievement from the Region Championships is the performance of Noah Samways, who won 3 Gold medals in the U10 Boys 70m, 100m and 200m sprint events. Not only did Noah win those events, he also broke the Region record in the 70m event and the 100m event, records which had previously stood for 11 years and 14 years respectively.

RWLAC had 18 athletes automatically qualify to compete at the Hart Sports State Track & Field Championships in March, by placing 1st or 2nd in their events. Another 16 athletes have qualified for the State Championships in the "next best 8" round after all Region Championships have been completed. Our highest number is State qualifiers ever.



Charlotte O'Leary



Shea Cassilles



Regional Representatives 2024



Noah Samways

Our staff

CLUB WIDE STAFF MEETING

On the 14 March the Club held its first bi-annual Club Wide Staff Meeting with 119 staff in attendance.

The People and Culture team work tirelessly to ensure that all staff are kept well informed across all aspects of the Club business by holding two large scale staff meetings annually.



The March Club Wide Staff Meeting.

The information shared covers all Club departments, important events and developments, as well as addressing major compliance topics such as Anti-Money Laundering and Counter Terrorism Finance, Bullying and Harassment and much more. The team are never short of some practical examples to assist with everyone's understanding of procedures and policies, which always leads to plenty of laughs.



Staff scholarship recipient Ayush with Club CEO Scott Bennetts.

During the meeting the winners of the 2024 Staff Scholarship Program were announced.

This is part of the Club's ongoing commitment to the learning and development of staff, whereby each year several educational scholarships are awarded to current employees.

There were five recipients of the \$3,000 Revesby Workers' Point of Difference 'R-POD' Scholarship and three recipients of the \$500 RWC Scholarship.

As always, the Food and Beverage Team didn't disappoint, as they prepared a full menu of delicious breakfast and afternoon tea items for all in attendance to enjoy prior to the meeting commencing.



A selection of sweet and savoury treats on offer at the Staff Meeting.

HAYDEN AND HUNTER

In July last year, we sadly farewelled Marijana a much-loved team member of the Revesby Workers' Club family who passed away only 4 short weeks after the birth of her beautiful twin boys, Hunter and Hayden.



Twins Hayden and Hunter.

Following such a tragedy, the Club promised to look out for her sons and in October of last year proudly presented Marijana's husband, Nick, with a cheque of \$26,000 to assist with the costs of Hunter and Hayden's future education.

REPRESENTING HER HERITAGE



The Club wishes Alyssa every success and knows she will do her heritage proud.

Alyssa Kiraz, from the Club's Food & Beverage team, has successfully been selected to represent her heritage of Lebanon in the Touch Football World Cup Tournament, held in England this July.

She has been playing touch football for 10 years now at a State level and after a difficult selection process, Alyssa, alongside her sisters, was overwhelmed and honoured to receive the news of her successful appointment to the International team.



AMPOL STATE OF ORIGIN

AUSTRALIA'S GREATEST SPORTING RIVALRY IS BACK!

With the 2024 Ampol Men's State of Origin Series kicking off on Wednesday, 5 June at Accor Stadium. The Maroons are riding a wave of back-to-back Series wins, however the Blues enter 2024 with a new coach and scores to settle.

Make sure you don't miss a minute of the action.

Men's State of Origin Series

Game 1:
Wed 5 June | 8pm
Accor Stadium, Sydney

Game 2:
Wed 26 June | 8pm
Melbourne Cricket Ground

Game 3:
Wed 17 July | 8pm
Suncorp Stadium, Brisbane

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AMPOL WOMEN'S STATE OF ORIGIN

The 2024 Ampol Women's State of Origin is expanding to a three game Series for the first time ever. Real elation. Real agony. Real rivalry. Don't miss a minute!

Women's State of Origin Series

Game 1:
Thu 16 May | 7.45pm
Suncorp Stadium, Brisbane

Game 2:
Thu 6 June | 7.45pm
McDonald Jones Stadium, Newcastle

Game 3:
Thu 27 June | 7.45pm
Country Bank Stadium, Townsville

THIRSTY THURSDAY



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FOOTY SEASON SPECIALS*

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THEMED TRIVIA



THURSDAY
16 MAY



THURSDAY
6 JUN



THURSDAY
20 JUN



THURSDAY
4 JUL



THURSDAY
18 JUL

SUNDAY is FUN DAY

EVERY SUNDAY 3PM - 6PM



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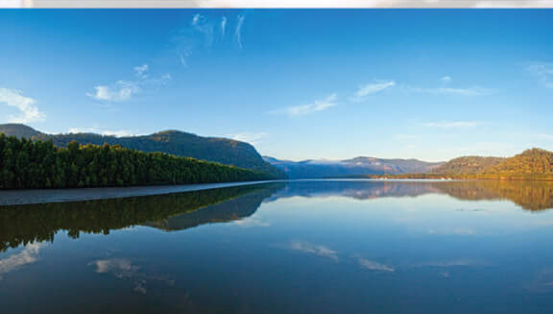
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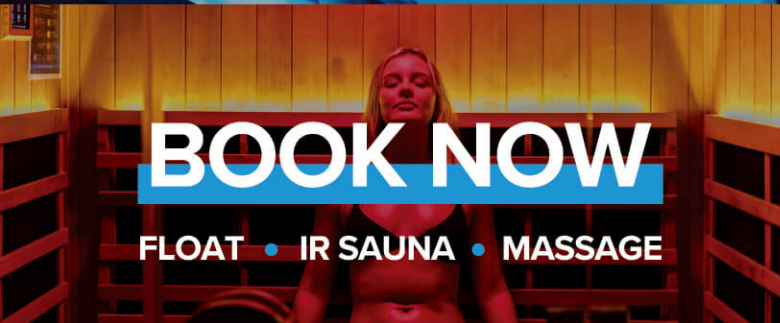


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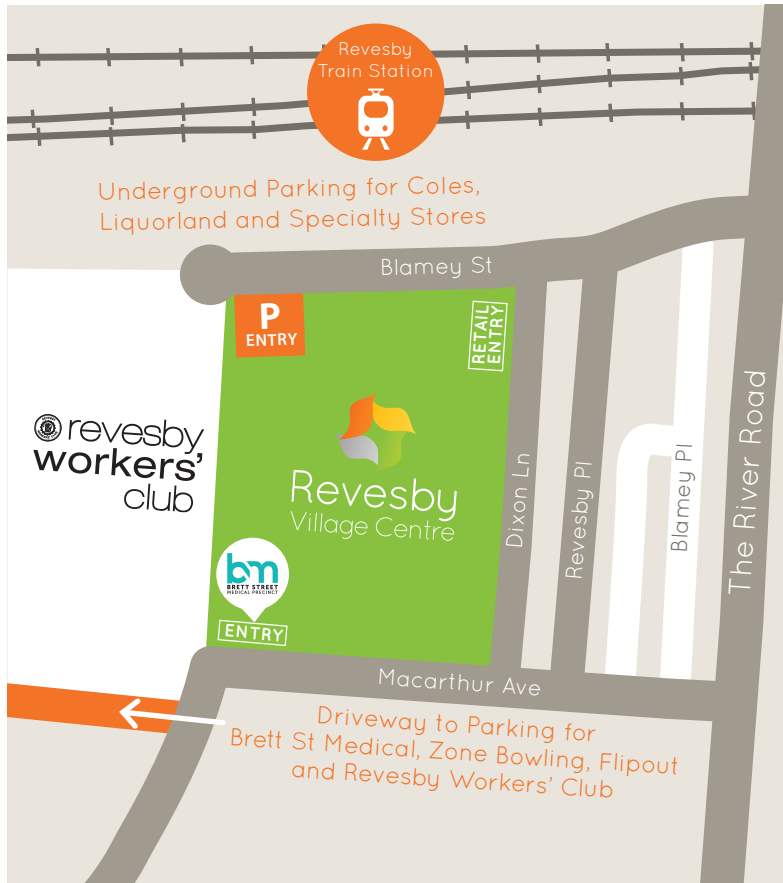
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ATHLETICS (SENIOR)

Liaison Director: Christine Butters

Illawong Revesby Workers athletes have been competing hard at the last few competitions of the season and for some it has been the best preparation into the National Championships being held in Adelaide this year.

In January 2023 Anthony Valenta broke the previous Pole Vault record with a leap of 4.00m the previous record stood for 17 years. On the 28th of March Anthony cleared a new height of 4.30m breaking his own record.

Save the date for Saturday April 20th 2pm as we kick off our Winter Cross Country season. The 5 first courses have been decided with a lovely run at Como a quick outing across the bridge and back. 2km at 2pm, 3km at 2:30pm and the 5km and 10km at 3:00pm - you can walk or run!

Week 2 will be at Taren Point, End of Alexander Avenue, corner of Smith Street, Week 3 The Ridge, Recreation Drive, Barden Ridge. Week 4 Yala Road, Yala Road Tennis Courts and Week 5 The Needles, Down the fire trail from the corner of Woronora Road and Mt Carmel Place Engadine.

If anyone would like to join the fun, our Community memberships are \$15 enter via the link www.revolutionise.com.au/illawongrevesb/registration/

Cassandra Dooley
Publicity Officer

AUSTRALIAN NATIVE ORCHID CLUB

Liaison Director: Linda Downey

Are you interested in growing native orchids. Our club meets in the McArthur room at 7.30 pm on the fourth Wednesday of the following months March until November.

Annual membership is \$10 per year.

We hold a plant raffle at each meeting and have occasional guest speakers.

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There are two orchid shows planned, the first will be on Sunday 6th September in the RWC atrium and the second on 12th October again in the atrium. We acknowledge the support from the RWC board members.

For more information contact Ian Lawson on 0459276648

BOWLS – LAWN (MENS)
Liaison Director: David Raper

May 24 - We have social bowls on Wednesday and Saturdays, ladies are welcome. Bowls start at 1pm on the respective day although members are asked to be at Spence St 30 minutes earlier. Green fees are \$12.00 per game. Our ladies play on Thursdays at 9.00 for 9.30am. We are also concluding the Pennant Competition on 11 May. The Club competed in two grades this year. The Club's internal Mixed Pairs will also commence on Sun 5 May. RWC Sub Club Day 19 May, an activity where we welcome members from other Revesby Workers sub clubs to come and experience the game of bowls. It's a great opportunity to try the game out if you feel you may have gone past your prime with your current sport. Bowls is very competitive and strategic with only two skills to conquer; they are line and length!

Jun 24 - We continue to have social bowls on Wednesday and Saturdays, ladies are welcome. Bowls start at 1pm on the respective day although members are asked to be at Spence St 30 minutes earlier. Green fees are \$12.00 per game. Club Mixed Pairs rounds continue on 1 and 2 June. The Bowling Clubs Presentation Day will be held on Sat 22 Jun 24.

Jul 24 - We continue to have social bowls on Wednesday and Saturdays, ladies are welcome. Bowls start at 1pm on the respective day although members are asked to be at Spence St 30 minutes earlier. Green fees are \$12.00 per game. Our ladies play on Thursdays at 9.00 for 9.30am. Our District Zone hasn't put their timetable out and there may be additional activities that will be provided on the Club notice Board in 2 Spence St., Revesby.

BANKSTOWN STROKE SUPPORT GROUP
Liaison Director: Christine Benham

22 May 24 - David Coleman MP, Member for Banks is addressing our group from 10.45 to 11.15. From 11.30 we have a speaker from Bankstown Hospital talking about medication after stroke.

26 Jun 24 - Prof Mark Parsons will update us on the current statue of the

NSW Stroke Ambulance and other stroke related research and projects that our group could participate in.

24 Jul 24 - Prof Kate Scivener is talking to us about the HiWalk stroke research initiative and how our group can assist with that.

Tony Finneran

BOWLS – LAWN (LADIES)
Liaison Director: David Raper

Our year continues to be enjoyable, friendly and yet competitive. The Club Fours championship was won by Maureen Higgs, Joanne Jackson, Jan Pennell and Ellie Atme. The runners-up were Lyn Gallant, Fay Haddon, Norma Grey and Betty Graham. Well-played ladies.

The final of the Mixed Fours was finally played. In a competitive game, Sandra Weekes, Betty Graham, Peter Shean and Dave Raper defeated Ellie Atme, Elizabeth McFarland, George Atme and Laurie Wilson on a very hot afternoon.

The Club Triples was won by Rhonda Schomberg, Fay Haddon and Pat Tate with the runners-up being Julia Henry, Noeline Hanley and Ellie Atme. Well-played ladies!

The Club Minor Singles will be played next and our Consistency competition will be played in May. The Club Mixed Pairs will also be played May. Open pennants commenced in February with some of our ladies playing in the 7s.

Twilight bowls was very popular with our ladies. It was a really enjoyable competition which was a lot of fun, usually followed by a meal with fellow bowlers and, of course, the raffle. With daylight saving finishing we will have to wait till October to resume this challenge.

We are always happy to welcome new bowlers. Coaching is provided for new bowlers. We play on Thursday mornings, but we also have the opportunity to enjoy a game of bowls with the men on Saturday and Wednesday afternoons. If interested, please contact our **President Dianne Oliver (0412 738 420)** or our **secretary Pat Tate (0408 006 404)**.

See you on the green!

Maureen Higgs
Publicity Officer

CRICKET
Liaison Director: Christine Benham

Another season done and dusted! It was disappointing that we fielded no

junior sides this season, but this reflected the overall decline in numbers in the district. We did have 6 children participate in the Blasters program for littlies! We had 6 senior teams this season, which made us the largest senior club in the District. While nominally each team was full, we could have done with more players, as not every player is available for every match.

Our 6th Grade side, which was essentially a team new to our Club performed very well and did our Club proud. They finished 2nd on the ladder, and won the major semi-final, taking them directly into the Grand Final. They played their Grand Final against Panania East Hills RSL and just didn't score enough runs in the match. We congratulate Zak and the team on a great first season with The Workers and look forward to another great season starting September.

The other five senior sides were unable to finish in the top 4 of their ladders, but represented Revesby Workers Cricket Club admirably. Thank you to Ryan/Paul, Danny/Richard, Thomas, Will and Mark for all your efforts with your teams and for playing with the right attitude. Very proud of you all.

The 2024 Masters Cup (Over 35s Super 8s) is due to run from May until the end of July at Vale of Ah, and promises to be loads of fun, as usual. Hopefully, the ground will hold up well following the early April downpour.

We look forward to holding our Presentations during winter and will start signing on for the next summer comp. from 1 July on-line – just visit the "Play Cricket" site and enter your postcode – Revesby Workers Cricket Club will be one of your options, which I hope you will choose!

Christine Benham
Secretary

DARTS CLUB
Liaison Director: David Raper

It's with sadness to let you all know about the passing of one of our darts club life members, Terry Semlitzky, on 7/1/2024. Terry was a foundation member of the darts club when the darts club formed in 1973 and has been on the committee since day one, holding various committee positions over the last 51 years. Vice President 1973-1975, President 1976-1996, Secretary 2009- 2023, Publicity Officer 1975-2023 along with other positions along the way. Terry was always heavily involved in competition darts captaining a team in the Monday comp for decades and he also won his fair share of club championships along the way. One of his

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claims to fame was winning the first ever Bankstown open in 1979. Terry was always involved in our annual Newcastle Workers' trips and hasn't missed one in 50 years; it will be sad not to see Terry's face on the bus for this year's trip in August as he always added a bit of fun with the guitar and sing alongs on the trip. Terry was an asset to the darts club over the last 50 years and will be sorely missed by all. R.I.P Terry 29/10/1943 – 7/1/2024

Also, on another sad note we say goodbye to another old member Graham Cavill. Graham passed away on 2/3/2024. Graham played competition Monday nights for Revesby for quite a few years and also played in the Revesby Tuesday night comp for numerous years as well and he and his wife Christine use to come to Revesby social nights frequently as well. We extend our best wishes to his wife Christine and all his family as well. R.I.P Graham 5/1/1955 – 2/3/2024

On 4th of February, we held our AGM and our 2024 committee was elected

President: Dean Semlitzky

Vice President: Brian Smith

Secretary: Paul Sillato

Asst. Secretary: Brian Smith and John Savage

Treasurer: Sue Semlitzky

Asst. Treasurer: Dean Semlitzky

Darts Captains: Drew Gregory and Brian Smith

Vice Captains: Tony Martire, Phil Cornford and Ron Tindall

Publicity Officers: Dean Semlitzky and Paul Sillato.

Congratulations to the new committee, we are looking forward to an exciting year of darts ahead.

6/4/2024 saw our 3rd annual Sharky memorial darts day down the bowling club, and it was a terrific day as per usual with 50 players making up a great competition and lots of fun was had by all. Our Annual Newcastle weekend trip will take place on the 3rd and 4th of August which will see Revesby try to defend the A grade, B grade and the coveted guzzlers cup trophies. We are still trying to find a date for our competition day against Wattle grove Hotel but I'll let everyone know once its sorted out.

Our club championships are coming up later in the year and the singles championship will be held on Sunday 8th September and the doubles championships will be held on Sunday 13th October, and our next meeting will be Sunday 2nd June and we will hold a social darts event after the meeting.

Thursday socials have been attracting good numbers, since we started back this year there has been a few 180's Phil Larkin

and Jun Park hit one each, Yorick Yon has hit 4 180's and two of them were in the same night. Also, a couple of notable highest pegs to Phil Larkin 128 and Kohi Kiel 155, and congratulations to Ben Lee on his highest score the other week with 160. If anyone feels like a game of darts, we hold our social night on Thursdays and players of all abilities are welcome doesn't matter if you have been playing for years or if you are a beginner just trying to start out. Games are held in the Rogues Sports Bar and names in before 8pm and the format is drawn doubles with prizes for 1st, 2nd and 3rd plus prizes for highest scores and highest pegs as well. Thanks to crazy's fix it glass highest peg prize which he donates every week much appreciated. Look forward to seeing you all down the club for a game.

FISHING CLUBS

Liaison Director: Christine Benham

It's with sadness to announce the passing of one of our Fishing Club Life Members Terry Semlitzky on 7/1/2024. Terry joined the fishing club in 1964 and held various committee positions over the last 60 years, Terry held the Reef captain position for 40 years and Treasurer for 25 years and Secretary for 15 years and Publicity Officer for 40 years along with many others positions over the 60-year span. Terry won the club championship in 1985, 1986, 1999, 2000, 2003, 2019. Terry also got the biggest fish of the year in 1986 and 2019 and the biggest snapper of the year 2019. Unfortunately, Terry hasn't been able to fish the last few years due to ill health, but he always remained an active club committee man. The fishing club has lost one of its true stalwarts.

R.I.P Terry 29/10/1943 – 7/1/2024

Our AGM was held in March and the committee for 2024 were elected:

President: Dean Semlitzky

Vice President: Michael Oh

Secretary: Dean Semlitzky

Treasurer: Sue Semlitzky

Reef Captain: Micheal Oh

Dept Reef Capt.: Dean Semlitzky

Sinker Makers: Brian Rivers and Michael Oh

Our fishing trips are every 2nd Sunday of the month out of Wollongong Harbour. We had our first trip in February we had 12 members on board, it was a good day weather wise but the fish were a bit light on that day but Micheal got a few mowies and kwan got a good snapper. Our March trip was cancelled due to the skipper being sick, but we are looking forward to our April trip and the ensuring year ahead.

If anyone wants to join up with our club

and go for a fish feel free to give us a call

Dean 0413292337

Michael 0417211962

GARDEN CLUB

Liaison Director: Christine Butters

After the long Christmas break, our first meeting in February was very well attended as expected. We all settled well at the Lawson Room, our temporary meeting place during the club's renovations.

Our first guest speaker for the year was Gavin Kleinhans, the 'Postie Geezer'. He related his adventures (and misadventures) when he circumnavigated Australia in 2022 on his 110cc postie bike. He took three months to do so to raise funds for Doctors without Borders. He still raises funds for this charity.

In March, we had guest speaker Glenn Smith, noted nature and wildlife photographer. His specialty is the flora, fauna and fungi of the Macarthur region, particularly those of Mt Annan. His slides demonstrated his expert use of light to highlight his subjects. He is also the son of lifetime member Leila!

March also marked the Garden Club's 35th birthday anniversary and also Friendship Day. Our guests were from the Fairfield Garden Club. The success of our monthly plant table made them think of reviving theirs. Our established seedlings, cuttings and seeds are all at giveaway prices (and some, simply given away!).

In April we have invited Rhonda Daniels to speak on dispelling old myths about native plants. She is expected to talk about the origin of botanical names. Using this as a guide would help in identifying and remembering species.

May will usher in Phil McGowan, ex police diver, as guest speaker. He was part of an elite group in the Queensland Police Service. Police divers put a premium on physical fitness and ability to deal with any issues in and under the water.

Our Autumn Coach Tour will be on 18th May, where we will visit the Wollongong Botanic Garden. Everyone is welcome, members and guests alike. The price is all inclusive and covers coach, lucky door prize and all meals.

In June we will welcome Colin Hollis from the Rose Society of NSW as guest speaker. He was awarded the Australian Rose Award in 2019. He is in charge of the maintenance of the rose beds in Peace Park Kiama.

July's guest speaker will be Helen Etheridge from the Stroke Foundation. It

is our country's only national organization dedicated to stroke prevention, treatment and recovery. We take this opportunity to acknowledge the hard work that Ruth does in inviting our guest speakers. It is her charm and her persuasive personality that make speakers agree to come on a Saturday morning!

Our committee members always go that extra mile to ensure that everyone finds friendship, fun and flowers during each meeting. Membership is open to gardeners and nongardeners alike. Guests are always welcome. We meet on the first Saturday of the month (except December and January) at the Lawson Room from 9.30 am and the meeting starts at 10 am sharp till 12 noon.

For more information, refer to our website rwcgarden.com

Yolanda Latif
Publicity Officer

GOLF (MENS')

Liaison Director: Baden Kirgan

The club was formed in 1961 and is a thriving sub-club of the Revesby Workers Club. The golf club currently has more than 50 members and is run by a very dedicated group of elected officers. For further information, please visit our informative website www.rwcmensgolf.org

The new golf year is now up and running and we are all looking forward to another great year of camaraderie and competition.

At the time of writing (April), the club has held eight events. One Championship, one interclub and six club events.

The first championship of the year is the Single Matchplay which is an elimination event played over five weeks. The Champion player for 2024 was Claude Poletti who defeated Mark Donovan 3&1.

We also played against our good friends from Goulburn Workers Club at Moss Vale GC for the PFA Cup. Revesby avenged last year's defeat by beating Goulburn 29.84av to 28.6av. We all had such a great time that we intend having another match in Goulburn later in the year.

The International Cup was played on 21-1-24 at Macquarie Links GC and the Internationals proved too strong for the Aussies and eventually winning 7 matches to 5.

Other club event results are:

14-1-24: Brighton Lakes-2 Ball Aggregate

Winners: S. Floyd & P. Davis 65pts
R/Up: S. Sammarco & C. Franklin 63pts

4-2-24: Bardwell Valley GC-Single Stableford

Winner: D. Heffernan 41pts
A-Grade: M. Donovan 40pts
B-Grade: S. Floyd 39pts
C-Grade: C. Franklin 37pts

18-2-24: The Ridge GC-Single Stableford

Winner: Peter Davis 44pts
A-Grade: A. Giltinan 42pts
B-Grade: M. McCarney 41pts
C-Grade: B. Mallia 40pts

24-2-24: Calderwood GC-Single Stableford

Winner: S. Floyd 48pts
A-Grade: S. Sammarco 44pts
B-Grade: D. Heffernan 38pts
C-Grade: R. Hamer 40pts

3-3-24: Antill Park GC-Single Stableford

Winner: T. Young 44pts
A-Grade: J. Mesuria 41pts
B-Grade: C. Franklin 39pts
C-Grade: B. Mallia 40pts

10-3-24: Campbelltown GC-Single Stableford

Winner: M. Petris 40 pts
A-Grade: M. McSwiney 35pts
B-Grade: C. Franklin 38pts
C-Grade: C. Poletti 39pts

We have some great events coming up in the next few months starting with the 2 Ball Best Ball Club Championship in April and later on in May, 40 golfers will be travelling to the Hunter Valley to contest the 3-day championship. This will be played at The Vintage GC and Cypress Lakes Resort x 2.

In June we will be staging the 4Ball Best Ball Championship which is also a team's knock out event. This will be run over 4 weeks.

Until next time, be happy and keep swinging.

John Varrica
President

HOCKEY (WOMENS')

Liaison Director: Linda Downey

2024 is off to a flying start! We have been working hard behind the scenes and start a new era this year!

This new era sees the Hockey Ladies move to the MSW Hockey Association competition, based at Narellan, this year. We are sad to leave the Moorebank Social comp, however we are eager to see how we go against new teams this year! This season sees a few new faces, welcome to our new Ladies! We also see the return of a few past players, including players that were part of the formative years of RWHC!

We are so excited that they are back in the Maroon and White!

This year we will be busy preparing and fundraising for our 2025 trip to Taiwan to compete in the World Masters Games. We are taking 2 teams over to compete in the +35 and +55 age groups.

On top of preparing for Taiwan, we will be looking towards our rep season with MSW, and attending the Central Coast Masters Carnival in late October.

If you are interested in playing hockey, please email us at revesbyworkershockey@gmail.com.

LADIES GROUP

Liaison Director: Christine Butters

We have been busy since returning to our regular meetings. So far, we have had our AGM in March. Thank you to our outgoing committee members and welcome to our new committee members.

Our first trip was held last week. A lovely day was had at Watson's Bay and surrounding beaches. Thank you, Carolyn for organising another great day.

On a sadder note, we had one of our members, Bev Spring pass away in January. Bev was a fundamental key person to our group.

Over the years, she held many positions within the committee from 2010 to recent times she held the positions of Co-ordinator, Assistant Co-ordinator, Guest Speaker Organiser, Social Secretary and Committee Assistant. She was so warm and caring to one and all. She will be sadly missed. Vale – Bev Spring

We look forward to more memorable days and friendships which have developed and grown within our group.

In the next quarter, we have already planned for guest speakers/visitors/activities from Robyn's Fashion, Sydney Harbour Trust just to name a few.

If you would like to join us, please do not hesitate to contact me for further information. We are always happy to welcome new members. First Wednesday of the month we have a bus trip.

Second Wednesday onwards, Group Weekly Venue, MacArthur Room Corner of MacArthur Avenue & Dixon Lane REVESBY NSW 2212 from 9:30am.

E: revesbyladiesgroup@outlook.com
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Julie Wursten
Co-Coordinator

Sports Reports

MARINE RESCUE HAWKESBURY Liaison Director: Christine Butters

Marine Rescue Hawkesbury has concluded the first quarter of 2024 during which a number of successful rescues were carried out, including a mayday received from a boat which had been thrown on to the rocks at Lion Island during a particularly rough afternoon.

The majority of rescues result from boats running out of fuel, engine failure or being stuck on the mud as the tide rapidly goes out. A reminder to everyone going out on the water to be aware of the capacity of their vessel and the weather and tide condition on the day.

The Unit also provided transport and marshalling assistance to RFS volunteers in Berowra Creek recently in a prescribed burn, the first fires in the region since 2002, helping them to successfully complete their mission.

The Unit is always looking for opportunities to fundraise and had a very successful 3 days at Westfield Hornsby wrapping Christmas presents and chatting to shoppers about the work Marine Rescue and why donations are important. Several other opportunities, including a Bunnings BBQ, are in the planning process and we look forward to meeting more members of the community and spreading the word.

ANZAC Day will see the Unit commemorate this important day at Brooklyn Park once again.

We encourage anyone going out on the water to download the Marine Rescue App. If you require assistance just follow the prompts and your call for help will be answered quickly.

Romy Hodgson

NETBALL CLUB Liaison Director: Baden Kirgan

Welcome back to all our returning members, and a huge welcome to our new players for season 2024. This season we have a total of 21 teams, a total 190 players and 11 Officials. Thank you to all our Coaches, Managers and Committee members for 2024 our club is unable to run without our volunteers.

It was great seeing our seniors back on the grounds for our first round the 6th April, 2024 unfortunately our juniors were unable to play due to the morning weather. It was great seeing all our teams play on the 27th April, 2024. Thank you to all our members that were able to attend our Opening March Past on the 27th April,

2024. All our players were excited to be back playing the sport that they love.

The netball we have watched so far has been great and we are looking forward to seeing the teams improve throughout the season

Congratulations to the following girls on making selected representative sides. Lexi Dredge & Emily Newham for making the Metro League side for Liverpool. Izzy McFarlane for the 17's Rep side for Camden. Hayley Kunde for the 17's Reps Bankstown and Metro League. Serena Dewberry for Bankstown Metro League. Sienna Borg and Caitlin Valaicovski 12's Bankstown Development squad.

Our Beanie for Brain Cancer Round was held on Saturday 15th June, 2024. Thank you to everyone who purchased a Mark Hughes Foundation beanie, a scarf or donated. All funds raised will help find a Cure.

Our Bake Sale Fundraiser was Round 10 – Saturday 29th June, 2024. Thank you to all the grandmothers and volunteers for baking yummy treats, they were all delicious.

Our Bucket Day was held on Round 10 – Saturday 29th June, 2024. Thank you to everyone for your generous donations. This year the Charity is raising funds for much needed equipment for Bankstown Hospital.

Our Photo night was held, it was great seeing all our players wearing their uniform with pride.

Thank you to our Committee for volunteering your time for 2024.

President – Julie Howard
Vice President – Margaret Williams
Secretary – Kellie McFarlane
Treasurer – Dave Howard
Assistant Treasurer – Andrew Pride
Registrar – Kerrie Pride
Umpire's Convenor – Mikayla Kent
Assistant Umpire's Convenor – Ella Martin
Coaching Co-ordinator – Chelsea Conen
Socials – Izzy McFarlane
Publicity Officer – Kristy Montgomery
Uniform & Equipment Officer – Jo Howard
Minute Secretary – Ann McLauchlain
AM Convenor – Michelle brown
PM Convenor – Vacant

Here are some dates for your diary;
Semi Finals – Saturday 17th August, 2024
Finals – Saturday 24th August, 2024
Grand Finals – Saturday 31st August, 2023
Presentation Day – Sunday 13th October, 2024

Goal Ring 2024

REVESBY WRITERS' Liaison Director: Baden Kirgan

We meet the first Saturday of the month, except January, and we are affiliated with The Fellowship of Australian Writers. We had our usual February and March Meetings.

The new executive was elected. Topics for the years meetings have been chosen, if members wish to use these topics. Our third group book was self-published in December, through Amazon. This and the 2019 edition are available from Amazon. A former member, James A. Foster, messaged us to let us know, his books were recently acquired by the State Library of NSW. Three are available in the local library also. The local Federal Member has expressed interest in attending a meeting, but is yet to visit. This year we hope to have some guest speakers and a workshop with regards to Amazon self-publishing!

John P. Coyne. President Revesby Writers Group.

If you need more information with regards to our group please contact: - Shirley Galloway 9709 4117. Please leave a message if no answer with your telephone number and I will return your call a.s.a.p.

**Shirley Galloway
Publicity Officer**

SPEARFISHING Liaison Director: David Raper

An absolutely gorgeous weekend for boating and diving up at the APCC in Port Stephens this Easter long weekend. Revesby Workers were represented by Michael and Lachlan Groves competing in the veterans and intermediate divisions. Water temperature was superb with plenty of active bait at most locations. Visibility varied however ranging from 4 mtrs to 10 plus mtrs. Neither of us saw any legal kings over the two days so no luck there. We did manage some nice flathead however. As always it's a good catch up with other divers who live well north of here from the Neptunes and Sea Lions clubs. We finished second club overall behind the Neptunes. A big thanks to all involved for their hard work to make this event happen. Looking forward to heading back up next year.

Mark Groves

GENERAL

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FIRESTONE / AUNTY EIGHT'S

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Fri-Sat 11.30am – 9.30pm

CAFE 240

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Fri-Sat 9am – 12am

PRESIDENTS LOUNGE BAR

Sat 7.30pm – 1am

BAR 240

Daily 9am – 5.30am

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Mon-Thu 5am – 10pm

Fri 5am – 9pm

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The 15km Radius

If you are not a current member and live within a 15km radius, you will need to become a member or be signed in by a member to gain entry to the Club. For a complete listing of suburbs that fall within the 15km radius, please visit our website.

Your safety, comfort & enjoyment is important to us

Persons under 18yrs of age must be accompanied by a parent or guardian at all times whilst on Club premises – including for shows.

Dress Regulations

Patrons must be presentably attired at all times. Whilst on the Club premises the following items of clothing are not permitted in the club:

- Revealing
- Dirty, unkempt, soiled;
- Offensive or gang related

AS DRESS IS SUBJECTIVE MANAGEMENT RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REFUSE ENTRY TO ANY PERSON WHO IN ITS OPINION IS NOT SUITABLY ATTIRED.

Your Conduct

Patrons' conduct must be orderly and no offensive.

Patrons who are drunk, disorderly, violent or suspected of taking illicit substances will be refused entry or asked to leave the premises immediately. \$550 on-the-spot fines can apply.

Club management reserves the right to refuse entry to anyone if, in their opinion, their standard of dress or behaviour is considered unsuitable for Revesby Workers' Club.

Getting Here & Around

Security escorts are available for your convenience 24/7. Please speak to a Duty Manager to arrange.

PARKING

More than 700 spaces are available in the multi-level Tarro Avenue Carpark.

TRAIN

The Club is situated directly opposite Revesby Train Station on the Airport & East Hills Line.

Responsible Conduct of Gambling Statement

The Revesby Workers' Group is committed to providing a consistently high standard of customer service in all aspects of our operations, including the provision of gaming. The Club will ensure the provision and use of gambling products occurs in a safe and enjoyable manner. Customer welfare and sustainable gambling shall be a high priority. Responsible gambling and harm minimisation measures will be fully compliant with the Club Gaming Code of Practice. The Club will also promote the social and economic benefits of responsible gambling and the gaming industry.



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