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CLUB ACTIVITIES

**Bingo** Cancelled from Thursday 25 December 2025, until Friday 2 January 2026. Resuming Monday 5 January 2026. **Quizzame** Cancelled from Monday 22 December 2025, resuming Monday 5 January 2026.

# Our Members



# International Women's Day

## **SAVE THE DATE** Friday 6 March 2026

Imagine a gender equal world. A world free of bias, stereotypes, and discrimination. A world that's diverse, equitable, and inclusive. A world where difference is valued and celebrated.

Let's Balance the Scales with a promise that every woman and girl - regardless of background or identity – should be safe, heard, and free to shape their own lives. In 2026, too many across Australia and the world are still denied that fair go. Discriminatory laws, policies, and practices persist. Gender-based violence remains widespread, and structural barriers block too many from seeking or receiving justice.



When women and girls stand equal, families are stronger, workplaces are fairer, communities thrive, and society becomes safer for everyone.

This International Women's Day, let's Balance the Scales together. #IWD2026 #BalanceTheScales





#### Patron

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

#### Alan Ashton OAM

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.

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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.

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#### Vale Report (10 Jul 2025 - 15 Oct 2025)

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Beverley Mould	Paul Waites	Catherine Loughlin	Richard Huxley	Terry Rowland	Diane Burnes
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Christine Claxton	Robert Harris	Wayne Charlton	Claude Killick	Kenneth Ledwell	Raymond Joseph Host

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Scott Bennetts

#### Dear Members,

At the time of writing this report, preparations are underway for our upcoming Annual General Meeting (AGM). This event provides an important opportunity to reflect on the past year's activities, financials, and achievements, and to look ahead to the year to come.

#### **MEMBERS ANNIVERSARY**

We were delighted to host a special presentation event on Thursday 23 October 2025, in honour of members who have reached significant milestones in their membership journey with Revesby Workers' Club.

This meaningful occasion recognised and celebrated those who, in 2025, marked their 25-, 40-, 50-, or 60-year Membership Anniversaries with the Club. These remarkable achievements are a testament not only to the longevity of our members with the Club, but also to the strong sense of community, connection, and loyalty that has been built and sustained over the decades.

For many, Revesby Workers' Club has been more than just a venue – it has served as a place of friendship, belonging, and lasting memories. From live entertainment and dining to community events and sporting activities, our long-standing members have played a vital role in shaping the Club's story and continued success.

This annual event is a cherished highlight in the Club's calendar, providing the Board of Directors with the opportunity to formally express gratitude and appreciation to our most dedicated members. Attendees enjoyed a warm and welcoming atmosphere, a heartfelt presentation ceremony, and the chance to reflect on their shared history and contributions to the Club.

To all members celebrating a milestone this year – thank you. Your commitment, loyalty, and support remain the foundation of what makes Revesby Workers' Club a truly special community.

#### **CLUBGRANTS**

In 2025, the Club proudly hosted the Canterbury-Bankstown Local ClubGRANTS Presentation, bringing together Canterbury-Bankstown City Council, 12 local clubs, and over 60 community organisations to recognise recipients of this year's funding. Mayor Bilal El Hayek attended and addressed the presentation, acknowledging the strong collaboration between Council, local clubs, and community organisations in addressing key social priorities and delivering meaningful and lasting community benefits across the region.

Collectively, participating clubs contributed an impressive \$2.7 million to local projects and services. Revesby Workers' Club committed \$395,735 across 26 programs, providing support for community welfare, youth development, cultural initiatives, and ongoing services for victims of domestic and family violence.

These contributions form part of the Club's broader social responsibility strategy, reflecting its commitment to

community wellbeing, inclusion, and sustainable local impact. Through strategic partnerships and targeted funding, the Club continues to deliver outcomes that strengthen the local community.



Revesby Workers' Club recently hosted the Canterbury-Bankstown Local ClubGRANTS Presentation.

#### **SENIORS CONCERTS**

Senior's Concert has been an institution at Revesby Workers' Club for many years, and we are excited for the Christmas Senior Concert to be held in the Whitlam Theatre on Tuesday 9 December 2025.

With outstanding performers our seniors have the opportunity to listen to some live music and be entertained whilst catching up with lifelong buddies or newfound friends.

Such is our rush for Senior's concert tickets, we do recommend purchasing your tickets in a timely manner to avoid disappointment. Tickets for November concert attendees will be on sale from Tuesday 18 November from 3.00pm until Sunday 23 November at 7.00pm. Those members new to our Senior's concerts can purchase online or at Club Reception anytime after the above-mentioned period.

#### **REMEMBRANCE DAY**

We would like to remind all members that our annual Remembrance Day event will take place on Tuesday 11 November 2025. This important occasion offers us the opportunity to come together as a community to honour and remember those who have served and sacrificed.

Please note that this year, the event will no longer be invitation-only. All members and their guests are warmly invited to attend. We encourage you to join us for this meaningful commemoration.

#### **HEALTH MATES FOOD DRIVE**

Health Mates Fitness Centre is dedicated to giving back and supporting those in need within the community. Each year, Health Mates runs a Christmas Food Drive in partnership with Padstow Community Care, helping create hampers for local families who may be struggling during the festive season. In 2024, the generosity of club members and staff resulted in 183.5 kg of food donated, bringing support and festive cheer to many vulnerable households. Continuing this tradition, the Food Drive will run again this year to further support Padstow Community Care and the local community. Refer to page 16 for details.

#### **CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR**

As we draw the year to a close, we would like to take this opportunity to extend our heartfelt thanks to each and every one of our members for your continued support, enthusiasm, and involvement throughout the year. Your participation is what makes our club the vibrant, welcoming, and thriving community that it is. We wish you and your loved ones a safe, joyful, and restful Christmas season. May this time be filled with peace, laughter, and celebration.

As we look ahead to 2026, we're excited to continue building on the successes of this year. We have several new initiatives, events, and opportunities in the pipeline, and we can't wait to share them with you in the New Year.

Until then, enjoy the festive season, take care, and we look forward to welcoming you all back in 2026 for another fantastic year.

**Christine Butters**President

Scott Bennetts
CEO





#### **David Raper Director**

# Host Your Next Event at Revesby Greens – Venue Hire is Free!

Looking for the perfect venue to host your next party or function? Revesby Greens offers a stylish and versatile space, free of charge, making it an exceptional choice for your next celebration. Delight your guests with a diverse range of food options, including our popular Asian-inspired dishes – known for their quality, flavour and value.



Our outdoor dining area can comfortably accommodate up to 50 guests, providing a private and welcoming atmosphere. Planning a larger event? We're

The alfresco dining space at Revesby Greens.

happy to work with you to arrange times outside of regular club operations to suit your needs.

## Enquire today and make your next event unforgettable at Revesby Greens.



Our experience at The Greens was such a positive one — the venue was welcoming, the staff were accommodating, and the atmosphere was perfect for our celebration. It created a wonderful environment for both our team, friends and family, and we would be delighted to continue using the space for future events.

Beth Teaupa, Director, Panania Childcare



#### The Festive Season is Almost Here

As the holiday season approaches, you'll begin to see Christmas festivities come to life throughout the Club this November. Santa will be making his return for photos from 26 November, and our Christmas raffles will begin from 3 December—a great opportunity to enjoy the spirit of the season with fellow members and guests. We're also pleased to share that free entertainment has returned to

the Presidents Lounge, adding to the vibrant atmosphere throughout the Club. As we look ahead to the close of another year, I'd like to take this opportunity to wish all our members, their families and friends a safe, joyful, and relaxing Christmas and holiday season.

To those facing challenges during this time, please know that you're not alone—we hope our community remains mindful, compassionate, and ready to lend support wherever it's needed.

#### Proud to Serve Revesby Workers' Club

As a long-standing member of Revesby Workers' Club and now in my third year on the Board, I take great pride in the many ways our Club continues to make a positive impact. Our recent announcement under the Amplified Program, committing 10% of profits to meaningful community initiatives, reflects a strong and enduring dedication to supporting those who need it most. This initiative is not only significant in its scale, but also in its potential to create lasting change.

Our unwavering support for our **sub-clubs** remains central to who we are. These groups represent the foundation of our history and values, fostering connection, enjoyment, and lifelong friendships for members of all ages.

While gaming remains a core component of our industry, I'm proud of the Club's responsible approach. We continue to take proactive steps to minimise the risks associated with gambling, ensuring the wellbeing of all patrons remains a top priority.

Above all, I'm proud of the exceptional people and culture at Revesby Workers'. The professionalism, warmth and dedication demonstrated by our staff and management is evident in every interaction and is a true reflection of what makes this Club special.

# Reports



**Linda Downey Director** 

#### **Native Orchid Club Spring Show**

The Revesby Workers' Club Native Orchid Club held its annual Spring Show in the Club foyer during September. The display featured an array of beautifully aromatic and visually striking specimens, with several highly prized entries earning top classification awards.

A number of **Grand Championship ribbons** were awarded to club members – a testament to their dedication and expertise. Congratulations to all participants on another outstanding event.





Photos from the The Revesby Workers' Club Native Orchid Club spring show.

#### Revesby Writers Club - Annual Publication Released

The Writers Club has proudly released its latest annual edition of *The Revesby Bus*, showcasing a diverse collection of member-written works for 2025.

The publication features a range of engaging and thought-provoking pieces—perfect for those who enjoy quality local writing. If you have a story to tell or an interest in writing, you're warmly invited to attend the Club's monthly meetings, held on the first Saturday of each month in the MacArthur Room.

#### **Education Committee Update**

We're pleased to welcome several new community members to the Education Committee, and thank them for their commitment to supporting local education initiatives. With Year 12 students now completing their final classes and preparing for the HSC exams, we encourage eligible students to apply for the Revesby Workers' Club Scholarship Program. Open to students who are members or children of members, this long-standing initiative supports those pursuing further education at TAFE or University.

For application details and eligibility criteria, please visit our website.



TERTIARY SCHOLARSHIPS PROGRAM



\*APPLY NOW\* Applications close 31st Jan 2026 \*APPLY NOW\*

#### **Toastmasters Celebrates 20 Years**

Earlier this year, **Revesby Toastmasters** celebrated a significant milestone—**20 years of continuous service** to our community. This achievement reflects the dedication and enthusiasm of its members, who contribute to an engaging, supportive, and educational environment.

Congratulations to everyone involved for making the club both impactful and enjoyable.



#### The Board of Directors



Christine Butters President



Christine Benhan Vice President



David Raper Director



Linda Downe



Daniel Kurtz



Trevor Heaslip Director



John Choueifate

#### **CLUBGRANTS 2025 - DRIVING POSITIVE** CHANGE LOCALLY

Revesby Workers' is proud to be part of the 2025 Canterbury-Bankstown Local ClubGRANTS program, supporting initiatives that make a real difference in our community.

This year, 12 local clubs across Canterbury Bankstown participated in the program, with 99 organisations funded for 143 projects, totalling over \$2.7 million invested into your local community. Revesby Workers has proudly invested \$395,735.00 into 26 local programs, supporting initiatives that address a range of community needs. From grassroots programs to essential services, Revesby Workers' is committed to backing initiatives that strengthen our community and create a more inclusive, supportive environment for everyone.

• We are incredibly proud to support local organisations who work tirelessly to improve lives in Canterbury-Bankstown,

> said Christine Benham, Club VP at the 2025 ClubGRANTS presentation in September.

> ...Through these programs, we can help ensure that vital services reach those who need them most and continue to build a stronger, more connected community.

Over the past 12 months, Revesby Workers' community investment has exceeded \$2 million in both cash and in-kind support. Much of this impact has been made possible through the RWCommunity: AMPLIFIED initiative, which allows the Club to extend its support beyond the ClubGRANTS scheme. Through AMPLIFIED, the Club has been able to contribute to vital causes such as disaster relief efforts on the Mid North Coast, as well as support organisations like Georges River Life Care and Lugarno Girl Guides.

While these organisations are based outside the club's immediate local government area, they continue to provide valuable services to members of the Revesby Workers











Top-Bottom: Images from the Canterbury-Bankstown ClubGRANTS presentation held at Revesby Workers' Club.

community and the broader population. This reflects the Club's commitment not only to addressing local needs but also responding to wider community challenges, ensuring that support reaches those who need it most.

#### SUPPORTING ALL ABILITIES IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION AT KOORANA **CHILD & FAMILY SERVICES**

Koorana Child & Family Services is a community-based nonprofit providing vital early intervention and educational services for children of all abilities. From early childhood

through to the teenage years, to sibling support, 14 playgroups, and two inclusive preschools, Koorana helps every child learn, grow, and thrive—wherever they need it most.

In response to high demand and limited local services, Koorana has established its third inclusive preschool in Bass Hill. The preschool offers a play-based learning program guided by Koorana's vision: children of all abilities should have the opportunity to explore, learn, and grow in a safe, supportive environment.

Through the ClubGRANTS program, Revesby Workers', Bankstown Sports, and Canterbury Leagues each contributed \$35,000 to Koorana's new inclusive preschool, bringing the total donation to \$105,000. The funds supported essential educational and therapeutic equipment, furniture, and fittings, helping the preschool meet the needs of every child.



Koorana Child & Family Service representatives receiving their funding from Club directors during recent Club GRANTS presentation.

As part of its commitment to inclusive education, the Club also provided an \$8,500 grant to Koorana's PALS program, an evidence-based initiative that supports the social development of 4–6-year-olds. Using puppets, stories, games, and role play, PALS helps children build vital social skills and improve interactions with peers and adults.







Left-Right: The new inclusive preschool at Bass Hill.

# BUILDING MATESHIP WITH A REVESBY MEN'S TABLE

The Club has invested in supporting men's health and wellbeing in our local community with a \$10,000 grant to The Men's Table, helping to establish a new group for men in Revesby and surrounding areas.

The Men's Table is a national initiative that brings men together to share a meal and meaningful conversation once a month. Each "Table" consists of 8–12 local men of different ages, backgrounds and life stages, who meet regularly to talk about what's really going on in their lives – the highs, the lows, and everything in between.

With over 250 Men's Tables now operating across Australia, nearly 3,000 men are experiencing the benefits of connection, support, and lasting friendships through this simple yet powerful model. To kick things off, an introductory dinner known as an Entrée will be held at Revesby Greens on Wednesday, February 4. This no-pressure evening gives interested men the chance to hear about the Men's Table experience, ask questions, and connect with some long-standing members.

There are no joining or membership fees – men simply cover the cost of their own meal. Seats are limited, so early registration is encouraged via **themenstable.org/entree-nsw**.

For more information, call **1800 636 782** or email **hello@themenstable.org**.





Men's Table Revesby, helping to support men's health and wellbeing.

# AN ICONIC ACHIEVEMENT – ICON CANCER CENTRE REVESBY

In 2017, Revesby Workers' was honoured with the Health and Wellbeing Award at the Clubs NSW, Clubs and Community Awards for our "Iconic Partnership" with Icon Cancer Care. This partnership ensured the local community has access to critical, life-saving cancer treatment close to home.

Cancer remains a leading health challenge in NSW, with cases rising over 75% in the past 20 years and projected to



grow a further 20% by 2036. In Canterbury-Bankstown, lung cancer incidence is above the state average, and it remains the leading cause of cancer death.

Since opening, Icon Cancer Centre Revesby has delivered over 1,000 radiation treatments and 6,000 Day Hospital treatments since mid-2020. Medicare covers up to 90% of radiotherapy treatment costs, making the service accessible without private health insurance. However, Day Hospital treatments require private health insurance.

As a community-focused organisation, Icon Cancer Centre Revesby not only provides essential cancer treatment but also actively engages the local community through awareness and fundraising initiatives. This year, they hosted an event to raise awareness of the National Lung Cancer Screening Program with insights from Dr Megan Berry and Dr Mohsen Shafiei. Icon also supports Bowel Cancer Australia, with a dedicated Specialist Nurse onsite, and has raised over \$9,000 through recent fundraising events to promote prevention and early detection.

Several oncologists at Icon Revesby also provide care at Bankstown Public Hospital, ensuring continuity of care for local patients. As Bankstown currently lacks a Radiation Oncology department—the nearest public facility is at Liverpool Hospital—Icon is proud to offer timely, comprehensive treatment options at its Revesby centre.

For more information on services and specialist care at Icon Revesby, please head to iconcancercentre.com.au/centre/ revesby or call 02 8722 2800.





Staff from the Icon Cancer Centre Revesby.



Fundraising initiative by the staff at the Icon Cancer Centre Revesby.

#### LAWN BOWLS - MORE THAN JUST A **GAME**

The Revesby Bowling Club sub club is nearly as old as the Club itself, boasting years of promoting social connection, friendly competition, and community engagement. Currently hosted at Revesby Greens, the club offers a welcoming environment where players of all ages and abilities can enjoy the timeless sport of lawn bowling.

Lawn bowling is a low-impact sport that promotes flexibility, balance, coordination, and overall physical health. Walking along the greens and engaging in focused play also supports cardiovascular fitness and encourages gentle, regular activity.

Beyond the physical benefits, the social aspect of the sport helps players meet new friends, strengthen existing relationships, and enjoy meaningful conversation combating isolation and improving mental wellbeing.

The lawn bowls sub club isn't just about sport—it's a community. Regular competitions, social events, and casual play create opportunities for local residents of all ages to connect, share experiences, and build lasting friendships.

Revesby Bowling Club also hosts events that encourage local participation, building a sense of belonging and pride in the community, contributing to charity and community legacy!

Lawn bowling is inclusive and accessible, with programs designed for both seasoned players and beginners. For those looking to combine fitness, friendship, and fun, Revesby Bowling Club provides the perfect green to get started. Join us and experience the benefits of this engaging, social, and healthy sport.

Social games are held Wednesday, Thursday, Saturday, and Friday evenings in summer, with competitions and championships also available. Membership is \$90 (2025/26) and social games \$12-\$15. New players can enjoy ten trial

games, and groups can book coached sessions.

To find out more at revesbygreens.com.au or contact Revesbybowlers@outlook.com











Top-Bottom: Revesby Bowling Club.

# REVESBY WORKERS' CELEBRATES YOUNG VOICES THROUGH WHITLAM INSTITUTE

Revesby Workers' Club is thrilled to celebrate the achievements of young Australians through the Whitlam Institute's What Matters? Writing Competition, which this year saw a record-breaking 6,500 entries from 813 schools. The competition gives students a platform to reflect on the issues that matter most to them, share their stories, and have their voices heard.

This year's winner, Lakiah Chatfield from Coonabarabran High School, is a proud Gamilaraay young woman whose essay explored identity, culture, and the importance of genuine respect through Acknowledgment of Country. Lilyana Watson from Hurlstone Agricultural High School was also recognised with the prestigious Graham Freudenberg Award for her outstanding contribution.

Revesby Workers' recently contributed \$80,000 to support the Whitlam Institute's work in civic and citizenship education, helping young people engage with their communities and

develop the skills to shape Australia's future. By supporting programs like What Matters?, the Club is proud to invest in opportunities for students to reflect, question, and express themselves — nurturing the leaders and changemakers of tomorrow.







Top-Bottom: photos from the Whitlam Institute's What Matters? Writing Competition presentation.

# BUILDING CONNECTIONS FOR LOCAL FAMILIES – SUPPORTING MILPERRA PLAYGROUP

RWCommunity is committed to supporting programs that strengthen families and build lasting community connections. As part of this commitment, the Club has proudly contributed \$8,500 to Playgroup NSW to expand their Volunteer Training Program and provide essential operational funding to the Milperra Playgroup.

This funding ensures that local families can continue to come together each week to learn, share experiences, and build lifelong friendships. Recently, Club Vice President Christine Benham, together with Member for East Hills



Kylie Wilkinson and Clr. David Walsh, visited the Milperra Playgroup during a Monday session to see first-hand the impact of this support. At the heart of the Milperra Playgroup are dedicated volunteers, without whom these sessions would not be possible. Among them are Paul and Leanne Judge, who have been involved with the playgroup across two generations of their family. Their long-standing commitment is a testament to the value of playgroups and the sense of belonging they create, not just for children, but for parents and grandparents alike.

Volunteer-run groups like Milperra Playgroup rely on the generosity of time, effort, and community support to keep their doors open and their programs thriving. Thanks to this funding, volunteers will have greater access to training opportunities, and families will continue to enjoy a welcoming space where children can play, learn, and grow.











Top-Bottom: Cheque presentation to Milperra Playgroup.

#### REVESBY WORKERS' CLUB WALKS IN SUPPORT OF MESO MARCH

On Sunday 14 September, Revesby Workers' Club proudly joined the Asbestos & Dust Diseases Research Institute (ADDRI) for their 5th annual Meso March – an inspiring event that honours and supports people and families living with mesothelioma and other dust diseases.

Over 80 participants came together to walk, talk, and share stories, reminding one another that even through grief and sadness, no one walks alone. The club was honoured to walk alongside the ADDRI team, community supporters, and Ms Sally Sitou MP, Federal Member for Reid, whose advocacy continues to make a meaningful difference for those affected by dust diseases.

Revesby Workers' Club has been a strong supporter of ADDRI's life-changing work, most recently with a \$75,000 donation to further vital research and support services. Sending staff to take part in the Meso March was another way for us to show our ongoing commitment to the cause and to stand with families impacted by these devastating diseases.

While there is currently no cure for mesothelioma, events like the Meso March shine a light on the challenges faced by those affected and highlight the importance of ongoing research.









Top-Bottom: Photos from the 5th annual ADDRI Meso March fundraising event.



# PRIORITISING THE HEALTH & WELLBEING OF OUR PEOPLE

At Revesby Workers' Club, our people are at the core of everything we do — and their health and wellbeing remain our top priority. In today's fast-paced environment, it's easy for personal wellbeing to take a back seat to professional, family, and everyday responsibilities. That's why we are committed to creating a workplace that actively supports and encourages our team to prioritise their health and wellbeing.

We believe that when our people feel their best, they're able to perform at their best — both professionally and personally. Supporting this is not just a responsibility, but a key part of who we are.

To reinforce this commitment, we have launched our Health & Wellbeing drive — a series of proactive initiatives designed to support our employees across all aspects of their wellbeing journey. From complimentary professional health screenings to supporting various initiatives like RUOK Day and Daffodil Day, we are focused on fostering a healthy balance between work, health, and lifestyle.

The results speak for themselves: in September, 22 team members participated in our Skin Check campaign, leading to early detection and timely follow-up care — a powerful reminder of the real-world impact these initiatives can have. This is just the beginning. We remain dedicated to building a culture where our people are empowered to live healthier, happier, and more fulfilling lives.



Left-Right: RUOK Day and Daffodil Day.



# CELEBRATING 40 REMARKABLE YEARS - FAREWELL TO VID BENKOVICH

In 1985 — the year Australia celebrated Neighbours, an America's Cup win, and John Farnham's chart-topping success — Revesby Workers' welcomed a young chef who would go on to dedicate 40 years of service, loyalty, and culinary excellence.

From day one, Vid became a cornerstone of the kitchen, known not only for his skill — from signature sauces to much-loved roasts — but for his humility, generosity, and constant smile. His presence shaped more than the meals served; he helped build the camaraderie, care, and culture that define the Club today. His recent retirement celebration drew a room full of colleagues and friends, reflecting the deep respect and affection he has earned. As he steps into a well-deserved next chapter focused on his health and family, we thank him for four decades of outstanding service and friendship — a legacy that will long inspire those who follow.









Photos from Vid's farewell.

# STANDING TOGETHER AGAINST GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE

Each year from 25 November to 10 December, the global community marks the 16 Days of Activism against Gender-Based Violence — a movement driving awareness and action since 1991. At RWC, we proudly stand with this cause. Since May 2025, our Purple Friday's initiative has seen staff wearing purple every Friday as a visible show of support for survivors of domestic and family violence and a stand against gender-based violence in all its forms. During the 16 Days, this commitment will continue as we promote a culture of respect, safety and equality. The colour purple will remain a quiet but powerful symbol across our spaces, reflecting our pledge to raise awareness, support those impacted and drive meaningful change.

As a club and community, we are playing our part in building a world free from gendered violence, where all women and girls can live safely with dignity and respect. More information will be shared in the next Journal.



#### Make your Christmas even more memorable with a 'Photo with Santa'.

Whether it be the entire extended family, just the kids, or your fur baby, we make the entire experience hassle-free.

The Club's photography set, located in Brett Street foyer, never disappoints. In an easily accessible, relaxed friendly environment, free on-site parking and a convenient online booking system to ensure your spot is secure for your visit with the Big Man.

## WHAT WE OFFER

#### **SANTA SET**

Every year the set is revitalised to give your family a new and exciting Santa experience.

## PROFESSIONAL PHOTOGRAPHY AND SANTA TEAM

Scene to Believe is a leader in capturing memorable moments for your family.

#### **INSTANT PRINT PHOTOS**

Your chosen photo package will be conveniently printed and packaged instantly in Club.

#### **PHOTO PACKAGES**

Offering a variety of packages to suit your family's requirements and budget.

#### **ONLINE BOOKINGS**

Convenient and easy to use. Select your preferred Date, Time, Photo Package and Book. Don't worry if you need to make a change, this can also be done via the email link sent when booking.

#### **PAWS WITH CLAUS**

Your fur babies use the main Santa Set, giving everyone plenty of room to jump in.

#### **SENSITIVE SANTA**

These session times are available before the Club opens to ensure a quiet space for children.

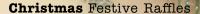
#### **FREE ONSITE PARKING**

No need to worry about rushing with our free multilevel onsite parking facility, giving you plenty of time to enjoy other facilities and services within the Club.

Full photo package details, session dates, times and bookings are available at rwc.org.au



**BOOK YOUR SANTA PHOTO NOW** 



# **CHRISTMAS**

# DELICIOUS HAM & PORK

WIN \$12,000

Sunday 7, 14 and 21 December

70 Hams and Pork at each raffle, valued at over \$4,000!

Raffles held in the Presidents Lounge Tickets on sale from 4pm | Raffle commences from 6pm

# CHRISTMAS

\$10,000

worth of TOYS to be WON!

Wednesday 3 and 10 December

80 toys at each raffle, valued at \$5,000

Raffles held in the Presidents Lounge Tickets on sale from 5pm | Raffle commences from 7pm





CHRISTMAS RAFFLE TICKET BONUS

Spend \$20 on Raffle Tickets and receive another \$20 of Raffle Tickets for FREE!





This festive season, we'll take the stress out of your Christmas celebrations. Whether you prefer dining out or enjoying a delicious meal at home, we have the perfect options to make your holiday special.



Join us at Firestone Kitchen for a festive buffet that promises to delight every palate.

Indulge in traditional ham and roasts, fresh seafood and an array of delectable desserts. For those seeking global flavours, our buffet also features a variety of international dishes, ensuring a diverse and satisfying dining experience.

Firestone Kitchen is perfect for larger gatherings and those who love variety!

\$165 PER ADULT

(Includes a Kids Meal selected from Menu. Available for 12 years and under only)

Bookings and Menu available online at **rwc.org.au** or at **Club Reception**.









#### CHARCUTERIE

Chef's-selection of Cured and Smoked Meats
Marinated and Fresh Vegetables
Mixed Marinated Olives
Selection of Dips

#### SALAD

#### **Pumpkin Salad**

with wild rocket, dried cranberries, fetta, toasted walnuts and pomegranate glaze

#### **Bavarian Potato Salad**

with seeded mustard, mayonnaise, bacon pieces and fresh chives

#### **Traditional Seafood Salad**

tossed with fresh herbs, celery, in a creamy mayonnaise dressing

#### **Cold Mediterranean Octopus Salad**

with green beans, cherry tomato, baby capers, kalamata olives, red onion , fresh dill

#### **Spiced Pearl Couscous Salad**

with lentils, sweet potato, almonds, sultanas, eggplant, herbs and an Israeli spice blend

#### SEAFOOD

with fresh lemon and an assortment of dressings

Freshly Shucked Australian Oysters
Sustainably Sourced Australian Prawns
Cooked Blue Swimmer Crab
Balmain Bugs
Green-Lipped Mussels

#### CARVERY

Maple Glazed Ham

Traditional Honey Roasted Turkey Breast

Roast Mustard Crusted Striploin

#### MAINS

Market Fish
with fresh lemon, dill and tomato salsa

#### Seasonal Greens

with olive oil and salt flakes

#### **Roast Carrots**

with honey and thyme

#### **Roast Pumpkin**

with garlic and rosemary

**Cheesy Potato Bake** 

**Fried Rice** 

**Vietnamese Chicken Curry** 

Mongolian Beef

**Nepalese Vegetable Curry** 

#### **DESSERT**

#### Gelato Cart filled

with local gelatos and sorbets from The Gelato Factory by Charlie

### Warm Christmas Pudding with brandy custard

**Traditional Trifle** 

**Individual Cakes and Petite Tarts** 

Wall of Donuts

**Seasonal Fruit** 

**Chocolate and Lolly Buffet** 

Individual Pavlovas

with seasonal toppings

#### COFFEE & TEA

Selection of Herbal Teas
Freshly Brewed Hennessy Coffee
Bite Size Coffee Treats



Relax and let us do the cooking for you to enjoy at home.

We'll prepare everything you need, so you can just pick it up, heat and serve. Each Christmas at Home pack includes a full festive menu of cold fresh seafood and hot traditional roast menu items, as well as delicious pudding, fruit and pavlova for dessert.

\$125 PER ADULT



No Child Pricina Available)

Available for Pre-Order online at rwc.org.au or at Club Reception

Limited packages available – secure yours early to avoid disappointment!



Every year the Clubs' foyer plays home to a very special Christmas Tree, the 'Workers' Giving Tree'. Supporting the local Padstow Community Care Christmas Appeal, we invite all members, guests and staff to participate.

Simply purchase a gift for a child and donate this to the Giving Tree

#### THINGS TO REMEMBER when purchasing a Gift

- All gifts must be new.
- Gifts do not need to be wrapped. This helps identify which child your gift would most suit.
- We appreciate gifts for all ages, from babies to teenagers and through to adults.
- Rolls of paper are also a great option, so the recipients can wrap the gifts for Christmas day.
- Shopping Gift Cards are also a good option, if you are unsure what to get.

Gifts can be dropped off from Friday 7 November until Monday 1 December 2025. We encourage you to all get involved and help us make someone's Christmas just a little bit more special this year.

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#### Friday 7 November until Monday 1 December 2025

Health Mates is again coordinating a Christmas Food Drive. Your generous donations will be used to create festive hampers for families most in need this Christmas.

Here are tips to help select your donation;













Choose non-perishable foods with long expiry dates.

Where possible choose brand name products and special items to celebrate Christmas.

# FIRESTONE KIDS Cooking Class

Calling all mini chefs! Join us at **Firestone Kitchen** for a deliciously fun cooking class where kids aged **6**+ get to create their very own **authentic hand-made pasta** – just like the pros!

#### What's Cookin'?

In this exciting, hands-on session, kids will:

- Mix and roll your own pasta
- Squeeze your own tomato and assist with preparing a big pot of tomato sauce
- Make your own garlic bread

And of course... enjoy eating their own hand-made pasta!

When: Monday 12 and Tuesday 13 JanuaryTime: 9.30am to 10.30am (Arrival 9.15am)Where: Firestone Kitchen (Alfresco Terrace)

**Age:** 6+ years

Tickets: \$30 (Limited Numbers)



# dunty Eight's KIDS COOKING CLASS



Let your kids explore the vibrant world of Vietnamese cooking!

Get your aprons on and join us at **Aunty Eight's Vietnamese** for a fun-filled, hands-on cooking experience just for kids aged **8 to 13**! Whether your child is a budding chef or just curious about food, this class is the perfect intro to the delicious world of Vietnamese cuisine.

#### What's On the Menu?

In this class, kids will learn to make Vietnamese favourites like:

- Fresh Rice Paper Rolls with a selection of fillings
- Fried Pork Wontons with dipping sauce

All recipes are beginner-friendly, delicious, and fun to make!

When: Monday 19 and Tuesday 20 January

Time: 9.30am to 10.30am (Arrival 9.15am)

Where: Café 240

**Age:** 8-13 years

Tickets: \$30 (Limited Numbers)

#### What's Included:

- · All cooking materials and ingredients
- Apron & chef's hat to use during the class
- Certificate of completion

Private Classes for 10 available on request.

To enquire email functions@rwc.org.au.



# LET'S CELEBRATE SIFTE STATE MONDAY 26 JANUARY

#### Australia Day at Rogues Sports Bar – Let's Celebrate the Aussie Way!

This Australia Day, Rogues Sports Bar is the place to be for a true-blue celebration. Whether you're catching up with mates or just want to soak up some great vibes, we've got you covered all day long.

First up, our legendary **Pints for Schooners** deal is back! That means you can grab your favourite beer from our entire tap range at schooner prices — just don't ask for Guinness, it's the only one that's off the list. Perfect for keeping the drinks flowing without hurting your wallet.





If you reckon you're an Aussie trivia champ, get yourself over here by 3.00pm for our **True Blue Aussie Trivia**. It's a fun way to put your Aussie knowledge to the test, have a laugh, and win some awesome prizes. Whether you're a footy fanatic, a movie buff, or just love a good yarn, there's something for everyone.

And don't forget to satisfy your sweet tooth with some classic Aussie desserts in Cafe 240. We're talking Lamingtons and Pavlova — the perfect way to finish off your day of celebrating.

So, round up your crew, bring your best Aussie spirit, and let's make this Australia Day one to remember!









Celebrate love in the most delicious way.

Treat your special someone to a romantic evening at **Firestone Kitchen**. Share one of our indulgent platters from the **'To Share'** menu, and as a sweet bonus, we'll shout you both a dessert from **Café 240**.

Great food, good company, and something sweet to end the night – what more could you ask for?

#### **TO SHARE MENU**

#### Souvlaki Platter \$85

grilled marinated lamb (4) and chicken skewers (4), garlic dip, hummus, tzatziki, mediterranean salad, chips and Pita bread

#### Fisherman's Platter \$135

panko crumbed calamari (6), grilled garlic prawn skewers (6), battered hoki fillet, smoked salmon, grilled octopus with warm olive tomato caper salsa, tartare sauce, mixed leaf garden salad and chips

#### Butcher's Platter \$150

grilled 300g pork cutlet, lamb souvlaki skewers (4), whole Thai BBQ chicken, chips, Pita bread, tzatziki, Nam Jim and salad



FIRESTONE





FRIDAY 20 - SINDAY 22 FEBRUARY

Step into a weekend of vibrant tradition, festive energy, and good fortune as we celebrate the **Year of the Horse!** 

#### God of Wealth —

Catch the God of Wealth roving through our **Gaming Lounge** from **7pm to 10pm**, spreading luck, smiles, and maybe even some lucky surprises!

Friday 20 – Sunday 22 February

#### – Lion Dance Spectacular –

Don't miss the roar of the drums and the energy of our Lion Dancers – a powerful way to usher in prosperity and good fortune.

Friday 20 February | 9:00pm - 9:20pm

Bring your friends and family and join us for an unforgettable Lunar New Year celebration, filled with tradition, excitement, and the chance to start your year with luck on your side.











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This is the 60th Super Bowl, the championship game of the National Football League for the 2025 NFL season.

The game is scheduled to be played 10.30am AEDT, pre-match coverage from 9am on Monday 9 February at Levi's Stadium in Santa Clara, California.

The Superbowl has a reputation for putting on memorable halftime shows with notable performers. This year's halftime show will be headlined by the Grammy Award winning Puerto Rican artist, Bad Bunny.

The party kicks off from 9am to get your pre-game fix

Don't miss a minute of the action with over 20 dedicated screens and two 158-inch LED Walls



# ROGUES

# **SUPER BOWL PARTY PACKAGE**

The Super Bowl Party Package with exclusive Rogues FOOD & BEVERAGE Feast. Food package includes unlimited Wings, Pizzas and Other Bar Snacks, all delivered to your table.

Beverage package includes draught beer, house wine and post mix soft drinks. The **FOOD & BEVERAGE Feast** package commences from **10am** and concludes at the start of the final quarter.

# \$100<sub>PP</sub>

(PLUS \$2 TICKET FEE)

Tickets are sold per seat and tables will be shared.

Visit roguessportsbar.com.au for more information or to Book online now.

Beverage Package excludes pints. Beverages outside the package period and the inclusions may be purchased.

# WIN JERSEY OF YOUR CHOICE JUST BY BOOKING\*

\*Conditions apply.







Rogues Sports Bar is an 18+ venue and practices the responsible service of alcohol.

# Catch all the action of the Super Bowl LX 2026 on the big screen

**Every \$5** spent on any Food & Beverage item receives an entry! **Enter Monday 9 February | 1 9am to 1pm** 

Terms and conditions apply: This is a Members Only Promotion. Receive an entry for every \$5 spent in one (1) transaction on any Food and/or Beverage item from Café 240, Firestone Kitchen & Bar, Aunty Eight's Vietnamese and Bar 240. See rwc.org.au for full details.







# THE MELHAM FUNCTION CENTRE

For More Info Contact Us



Planning an event? The Melham Function Centre can be tailored to suit any occasion or event. Combined with professional event management services and a highly trained culinary team, we can provide a range of options to meet your needs.

The function centre features three purpose-built, flexible event rooms that can seamlessly combine into a single space, thanks to convenient operable walls. It also includes a pre-function area with a stylish dome skylight and a

well-equipped bar, as well as a versatile outdoor terrace that offers soft natural light to the surrounding interiors or serves as an ideal backdrop for an evening cocktail party.

The Whitlam Theatre is a state-of-the-art venue, equipped with top-tier audio, visual, and lighting systems. It boasts three marble bars, theatre-style seating in the Gallery, three well-appointed dressing rooms, and a stage designed for live performances, complete with a motorised extension.



A modern facility with family friendly indoor and outdoor dining space, comfortable lounge, fully equipped bar and outdoor sporting facilities providing the essential space to meet the needs of our local community.

**TRADING** Wednesday: 11am - 9pm **HOURS** Thursday: 11am - 9pm

Friday: 11am - 10pm Sunday: 11am - 5pm

Saturday: 11am - 10pm

# Dining at Revesby Greens

Delicious food. Relaxed atmosphere. Great company.

Whether you're catching up with friends, enjoying a family meal, or simply treating yourself, **Revesby Greens** offers a relaxed dining experience with something for everyone.

## **NEW Chef's Specials\***

American Pork Ribs chips and salad	\$38
Seafood Basket chips and salad	\$28
Duck in Plum Sauce	\$28
Szechuan Chicken or Beef	\$28
Szechuan Prawn or Combo	\$32





\*Available Wednesday to Sunday Lunch and Dinner. Each meal includes either a draught beer, wine or soft drink.

#### **DAILY LUNCH SPECIALS** ARE ALSO AVAILABLE.

Check out the full menu in the Club or online.



#### PLAY BOWLS - \$12 Wednesday 1pm, Thursday 9.30am, Saturday 1pm



#### KIDS EAT FREE\*

Every Thursday 5:30pm - 8:30pm



#### **BILL BULLARD CHARITY RAFFLE**

Friday 7pm (Ticket sales from 6pm)



#### **ACOUSTIC ARVOS** (Starts September) Saturday 5pm – 8pm



\*Terms and Conditions apply. Revesby Greens practices the responsible service of alcohol.



This Christmas, skip the stress of cooking and let us treat you to a relaxed, festive feast with stunning waterfront views at Mooney Mooney Club.

Choose Your Christmas Experience
Gather your loved ones and enjoy one of **two** delicious dining options:

# Three-Course Christmas Menu \$110 per person

A classic, seasonal selection featuring entrée, main, and dessert

(Includes one (1) drink per person)

#### Entrée

#### Fresh Tiger Prawns

cocktail sauce and lemon

#### **Antipasto for One**

assorted cured meats, marinated chargrilled vegetables, olives and crackers

#### **Grilled Vegetables Skewers (V)**

mushroom, capsicum, onion, zucchini and halloumi

#### Main

#### **Grilled Duck Breast**

creamy mash potato, grilled Dutch carrots with an orange jus reduction

#### Slow Cooked Pork Ribs

smokey BBQ sauce, grilled sweet corn and coleslaw

#### **Lamb Rack**

creamy pea risotto with a red wine jus

#### **Grilled Salmon**

kipfler potatoes, peas, cherry tomatoes and salsa verde

#### **Dessert**

#### Strawberry Pavlova

berry compote, chantilly cream and passionfruit coulis

#### Mango Cheesecake

mixed berry coulis and fresh berries

#### **Seafood Platter for Two \$300**

A beautifully presented platter of fresh seafood, and dessert

(Includes one (1) drink and choice of dessert)

**Sydney Rock Oysters** 

**Fresh Cooked Tiger Prawns** 

**Cured Salmon** 

**Grilled Market Fish Fillet** 

**Half Lobster Mornay** 

**Seared Scallops** 

**Hoki Fish Fillet** 

Served with chips, mixed leaf salad and seafood sauces

#### Kids Menu \$25

(12 years and under. Includes a juice and scoop of ice cream)

**Nuggets and Chips** 

Fish and Chips

Spaghetti Napolitana

V = Vegetarian

**Bookings are essential.**Call **9985 9244** or Book Online





# HAWKES

# Sip · Unwind · Indulge

#### at Mooney Mooney

Nestled on the lush lawns and overlooking the picturesque greens and majestic waters of the Hawkesbury River, **Hawkes at Mooney Mooney** is your perfect escape for a day of relaxation and indulgence. Whether you're looking to enjoy a casual brunch with family, savour a long lunch with friends, or simply unwind with a glass of sparkling wine in hand, Hawkes offers an experience like no other.

Join us Thursday to Sunday to indulge in our delightful menu, featuring a range of mouthwatering dishes like our Egg and Bacon Sliders, Breakfast Burrito, Fluffy Pancakes, and signature Fish & Chips. For seafood lovers, we offer the freshest Local Oysters and a succulent Lobster Roll that will transport your taste buds straight to the coast. If you're after something light and zesty, try our vibrant Avocado & Corn Salad – perfect for those sunny days by the water. Whether you're here for a family outing where the kids can run and play or a laid-back afternoon with the ladies, Hawkes at Mooney Mooney is the place to be. Enjoy the sunshine, sip on something refreshing, and indulge in the best of local food and stunning views.

#### Come for the food, stay for the view.

Trading hours:

Thurs 11:30am – 3pm (Lunch only)

Frid 11:30am – 8pm (Lunch & Dinner)

Sat & Sun 8am - 8pm (Breakfast to Dinner

















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#### **Contact Us Today**

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#### **Operating Hours**

 Mon – Thu
 5am – 10pm

 Fri
 5am – 9pm

 Sat & Sun
 7am – 7pm

#### LABOUR DAY HOLIDAY HOURS

Monday 6 October

8am-12pm 3pm-7pm

Please enquire at Health Mates or view our App for scheduled classes on this date.

Off-Peak members are welcome at any time on the above date.



#### Wanting to start exercise, but not sure where to begin?

Many people wonder if they're "fit enough" to start or worry they won't know what to do when they get to our gym. You're not alone!

This is where group classes are perfect. They're designed for every fitness level, whether you're just beginning or looking for a new challenge. Our instructors will guide you, encourage you and offer options to suit your pace. Remember, we're all in this together: you don't need to be fit to start, you just need to start!

Here are 5 amazing benefits of group exercise classes:

- **1. Motivation & Energy Boost:** surround yourself with people who inspire you. The music, the energy and the encouragement push you further than you might go on your own.
- **2. Expert Guidance:** our highly experienced and qualified instructors will show you the right moves and ensure you're training safely and effectively.
- **3. Structure & Variety:** each class is designed to give you a balanced workout without having to plan a thing, from strength and cardio to flexibility and fun.
- **4. Community & Connection:** group classes bring people together. You'll meet like-minded others, share the journey and feel supported every step of the way.
- **5. Results & Consistency:** it's easier to stay on track when you know a class is waiting for you. The accountability and enjoyment mean you'll keep coming back!



# What Classes are BEST for ME?

With the variety of classes we offer, there is certainly something that will be right up your alley. Here's just some of what we have to offer. Enquire with us to find out about our full schedule of classes and how they can help you.



#### Cycling

With our ALL NEW dedicated cycle studio, you're guaranteed a workout like never before! We've taken cycling to a totally new level, incorporating bikes that provide direct feedback, dynamic interaction and futuristic lighting. You'll be sure to forget about the workout and focus on the fun! Cycling is a great way to improve your fitness, burn serious fat, plus strengthen your lower body... all with zero impact.

#### **Strengthen & Tone**

Resistance training has so many benefits, from improved tone, metabolism, strength, posture, bone density and confidence. Try Load Up, our barbell focused class, or to target trouble areas, give Booty Burn or Abs Blast a go.





#### **Mind & Body**

Think Pilates, Yoga & Stretch classes. All focus on releasing tight areas, improving posture and balance, plus de-stressing your mind and body. Who doesn't need this!?

So why not take the first step? Book a class today and discover how energising, welcoming and rewarding group exercise can be. Better still, if you've never tried us out we've got a special **FREE** class pass offer (read on).

# THREE to be *free*

Try any **3 classes for FREE** between **1 – 30 November 2025** and you'll qualify for a **\$0** joining fee on any of our Direct Debit memberships!

It's simple:

- Just attend 3 classes
- Get fit and have **fun**
- Pay \$0 joining fee if you want to keep coming!

To Get Started: We will direct you to the most suitable classes to begin. Visit or call our friendly team on 8707 6930 to get ready for your first FREE class.



The Fine Print: Offer valid for first-time Health Mates users only. If you're 18+, you must be a memb To qualify for \$0 join fee, attend 3 classes between 1 – 30 Nov '25 & join up by 8 December 2025.



# Revesby Village Centre







Your Smile Matters | Find us on level 1



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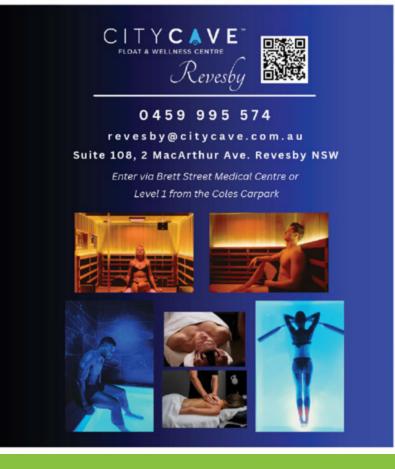




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#### AUSTRALIAN NATIVE ORCHID CLUB Liaison Director: Linda Downey

The Orchid Club holds two shows during the year September and October with many plants on display.

The venue of the Atrium of the Revesby Workers' Club proved to be a fantastic venue this year and the Club would like to express its sincere thanks to the board of the RWC for allowing us to have the use of the this fine venue. Several office bearers from rival Sydney clubs mentioned how they would dearly love to have a similar venue rather than the church halls etc that they had to make do with.

During the shows a good number of visitors kept the members and sales table busy, with the ease of parking and the nearness of the railway line a greater number of people attended this year's show.

If anyone reading this journal is interested in joining this sub-branch club they will be made most welcome. Meetings are held in the Clubs McArthur room at 7.30pm on the fourth Wednesday of each month between March and November. We have various guest speakers and monthly plant raffles.

Membership fees are \$10 per year.

Further information can be obtained from lan Lawson President/Secretary on 0459 276 648

#### **BANKSTOWN STROKE SUPPORT GROUP**

#### Liaison Director: Christine Benham

**26 Nov** - We have the District CNC stroke nurse updating the group about developments in stroke treatment.

**Dec -** our Group members celebrate at our Christmas function.

Jan 26 - no meeting is scheduled for January.

#### **Tony Finneran** Treasurer

#### **BOWLS - INDOORS (LADIES)** Liaison Director: David Raper

With the year flying by we are starting to look at planning our wonderful annual Christmas party. A shout out and well wishes to some of our members who are going through health issues but hopefully will be back to celebrate end of year with us.

#### Weekly winners and runners up July to end September 2025:

2nd July

1st M.Rogers: C.Sorrenti 2nd M.Halls: A.Cornale

#### 9th July

1st P.Land: M.Rogers: A.Cornale 2nd L.Seckold: C.Packwood

#### 16th July

1st M.Halls: J.Hansen 2nd C.McDonald: D.McLean

#### 23rd July

1st P.Merrill: L.Seckold 2nd P.Land: M.Rogers: D.McLean 30th July

1st A.Córnale: P.Land: L.Seckold 2nd M.Rogers: C.Sorrenti

#### 6th August

1st P.Land: L.Seckold

2nd C.McDonald: J.Moon: M.Rogers

#### 27th August

1st M.Rogers: P.Land: C.Packwood 2nd P.Merrill: C.McDonald: C.Sorrenti

#### 3rd September

1st M.Halls: P.Land 2nd M.Williams: L.Seckold

#### 10th September

1st M.Rogers: C.McDonald 2nd M.Halls: L.Seckold: P.Merrill

#### 17th September

1st F.Rochecouste: M.Rogers: A.Cornale

#### 2nd P.Merrill: M.Halls 24th September

1st D.McLean: M.Halls

2nd A.Cornale: M.Rogers: C.Sorrenti

Congratulations to all the winners and runners up.

If anyone is interested in coming along on any Wednesday and see what it is all about just call me or pop up to the Auditorium and have a chat.

**Connie Sorrenti** – Secretary 0409677755.

#### **Marie Rogers**

We would like to congratulate and acknowledge one of our long- term members who received an award by the Marathon Clinic at Smithfield for 30 years running their marathons. Marie has runs this 5km marathon 9 times per year. Marie's bio of runs/marathons leaves us in

her first marathon was the Sydney to Surf in 1988 which she has run 10 times the London Marathon Warrumbungle Marathon Gold Coast half marathon – 25 years straight and of course the one she is still doing the 5km Smithfield marathon.

Marie is in her early 80's is a brilliant bowler and a wonderful person. She does us all proud.

#### **BOWLS – LAWN** Liaison Director: David Raper

Our 2025-26 bowling year got off to a great start with the Club Minor Singles

being won by Adrian Hart and Steve Schomberg was the runner-up. The Midweek Minors saw Ray Fitzpatrick defeating Noeline Hanley. Congratulations to all players.

Maureen Higgs, Sue Semlitzky and Ellie Atme entered the Regional Triples competition and with a great effort reached the finals. Even though the team was well-supported by our wonderful cheer squad, we were defeated by a formidable St Johns Park team. A number of our men entered the Regional Triples competition but unfortunately, they were not successful.

It was good to see several bowlers entering the Regional Fours. Despite great efforts, none of our teams were successful this year. However, it was pleasing to see Peter Chown reaching the semi-finals of the Regional Over 60s Singles.

In September, our AGM was held, the first since amalgamation. Members had the opportunity to raise issues, and the new committee was elected. Our President is Geoff Went with Dianne Oliver and Ray Fitzpatrick taking on the Vice-President positions. Our secretary is Peter Went and Ellie Atme is our treasurer. The other Management Team members are Elizabeth McFarland, Laurie Wilson, Denis Gallant and Pat Tate.

This was also an historic day for our club as the AGM was followed by the finals of the Club Men's and Women's Singles being played simultaneously. Both games were exciting and close. At the end of the day, the Men's Singles champion is Dave Raper with Peter Shean being the runner-up. Our Ladies Singles champion is Clare Chown, who defeated Sue Semlitzky. Congratulations to Dave and Clare who will go on to represent the Club at the Regional Champion of Champions contest.

We have two teams currently representing the club in the Regional Women's Pennants competition. We are playing teams from Ingleburn, Padstow, Picnic Point, Cabramatta and Mount Lewis.

Our Spring Triples carnival was a wonderful success once again this year. Great bowling, a lovely lunch and lots of fun with raffles and tombola contributed to the success of the day. Pleasingly, one of our Workers teams won the day. Congratulations to Gail McQuiggin, Leanne Kelly and Steve Jessep.

Our Members Presentation Night was well-attended with many of our bowlers' receiving awards. Notably Elizabeth Griffin and Peter Shean shone on the night but congratulations to all the winners and runners-up.

The final of the Club Triples was a real nail biter with the two teams tied after 25 ends. The extra end was played, and Fay Shean, Sue Semlitzky and Adrian Hart were declared winners with Ross Graham, Betty Davidson and Peter Shean having to settle for runners-up. Well-played! Congratulations also to Leanne Kelly and Jan Thompson who performed well in the Regional Rookie Pairs.

What else is happening? The Club Veteran Singles is underway, and the Club Mixed Pairs will be played in October. The Turnaround Triples and the Club Men's and Women's Pairs will be played in November. The Club Mixed Fours will be played in December.

Our last event for 2025 will be the annual Olsen's Christmas Triples event. Many clubs will join us for the day. This will be a competitive and fun day with lots of Christmas cheer.

Social bowls is played on Wednesday afternoons, Thursday mornings and Saturday afternoons. Friday Twilight Bowls is played during daylight savings. All welcome to join us for this - experienced and inexperienced alike. Bowls are available if you would like to give it a go.

If you are interested in joining our bowling club, you are most welcome. Coaching will be provided. Our focus, apart from being the best bowlers we can be, is social. Interaction and enjoyment. If you would like to join us, please contact Geoff Went (0407 204 139) or Dianne Oliver (0412 738 320) for further information.

Wishing all our members and supporters a blessed and wonderful Christmas and a happy and interesting New Year. See you on the green.

#### Maureen Higgs Publicity Office

### **CRICKET**Liaison Director: Trevor Heaslip

The senior teams commenced their seasons in early September with mixed results. Regrettably, again we have no junior teams for season 2025-26, despite many attempts to promote the sport. The Blaster program for little kids, fine for toddlers but not much use for anyone else, is about to start.

We have been delighted this season to have grown our number of senior teams to four teams. All teams have good numbers and are working together to ensure we field full teams when possible.

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Three of the teams are playing in the top three grades.

We encourage anyone looking to play in senior grades to contact us – Ray or Chris on 9773 7157 – we can always accommodate additional players. Park cricket, like we play, is fun for everyone!

Following on from winning the Third Grade Premiership in 2024-25, our Old Boys team, which plays in the winter Masters Cup, became back-to-back premiers in that Super 8s competition in 2025. Congratulations to Al Willmore and the team. By the time you read this article, we will be heading down the path to the 2025-26 finals series.

We hope you make the most of your summer and enjoy some beach cricket with family and friends!

#### Chris

#### FOOTBALL (SOCCER) Liaison Director: Daniel Kurtz

Revesby Workers' Football Club again have had another great year on and off the field.

Once again, we hit the ground running with our Trial games in February and March, with Round One kicking off in April 2025. Despite a Wet end to the season, we managed to complete all rounds and our final series for season 2025.

#### Key Achievements this year for the Club.

- Starting Our Very Own Junior
   Development Program that has
   successfully completed 3 programs
   under the watchful eye of Club TD
   Kenny Dunne.
- We Held a Coach education session in May.
- Welcomed some New Sponsorship partners.
- The Completion of our Canteen and Toilet Renovation on the back of our funding grant success.
- On the Field we had 34 Teams with over 500 Players.
- 17 out of 21 Competition Teams making the final Series.
- 5 Minor Premierships.
- 7 Team Making the Grand Final
- 5 Premierships

I want to Thank the Team at BDAFA for ensuring we maintained a Final Series with the wet end to the season it was certainly not looking good, the Board and the office worked around the clock to ensure we got the games on.

I want to thank the RWC for their ongoing support of the Football Club.

To our Coach and Managers, I can't thank you enough for all your hard work throughout the year.

Last, but not least, the Committee I can't thank you enough for all your hard work throughout season 2025.

RWFC held its Senior Presentation Night 20th September at RWC and enjoyed a night of celebrations. Congratulations to all our Major award winners.

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F	Patron's Trophy	AAM7				
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_	John Morgan Trophy	6 Green				
	Kon Piniros O/35 Memorial Trophy	Keith Donnelly				
(	Senior Sportsperson	Conrad				
1	Archbold					
_	Junior Sportsperson	Colbolt Walsh				
	Senior Manager of the Year	Sam Stanley				
_	lunior Manager	Karen				
	Chrostowski of the Year					
	Senior Coach of the Year	Danny Bartora				
_	Junior Coach of the Year	Craig Ridgwell				
١	Volunteer of the Year	Mitch Wise				

Our Junior Presentation was held on Sunday 28th at Marco Reserve where we had plenty of Food and entertainment for all our Junior Members.

As we shift our focus to summer football, we again will be hosting All Age Ladies Competitions throughout Summer at Milperra Reserve starting mid-October.

On Behalf of RWFC I would like to thank all our members for season 2025 and wish everybody a Great Summer Break.

#### Dan Kurtz President

### **GARDEN CLUB**Liaison Director: Christine Butters

Last September the Garden Club launched its first (and hopefully not last) Photo Competition. Members entered more than a hundred entries of flowers, gardens, garden visitors, and vegetables. Many thanks to Glenn Smith, professional flora/fauna/fungi photographer for acting as judge. Our gratitude goes to Helen Miller who sorted out entries and to Bunnings who donated \$50 vouchers for the winners. The Garden Club also

provided prizes for the runners-up.

Our guest speaker for that month was David from the Native Orchid Club who covered several topics on native orchids. He also invited us to visit the current native orchid exhibit which was on display that very same day near the club reception.

In October we had guest speaker Gillian Lewis from the National Maritime Museum who traced the history of the pearling industry in Australia. Many members wore pearls as requested the month before as a group fun activity!

November's guest speaker will be Richard Sterling, horticulturist from Bunnings. This will be a great chance to find out more ways to enhance our gardens.

In December we will round up another successful year with a Christmas Family Buffet consisting of a selection of hot and cold dishes. There will also be live entertainment, lucky door prizes and of course, great company.

We take this opportunity to thank everyone for contributing to this club's continuing success. May the coming year bring only the best to one and all! Happy Holidays!

There will be no meeting in January. Monthly meetings will resume in February as well as on the first Saturday of each month. Registration starts at 9:30 am for the 10 am to 12 noon meeting. For more details, refer to our website

rwcgarden.com

## GOLF (MENS') Liaison Director: Trevor Heaslip

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. Visitors are welcome to come and have a game with us to see if they would like to join our club.

For further information, please visit our informative website

#### www.rwcmensgolf.org

Our last report ended on the 22nd of June and since then, our club has contested many great events including the 2025 4 Ball Best Ball Championship and as we speak, we are in the middle of our Club Championship which is over 4 rounds.

The 4BBB Championship was played over 4 rounds and the father and son duo of Mitchell Floyd and Steve Floyd

were up against the highly fancied high handicappers, Peter Davis and Rossco Hamer. After a few postponements, the final was played at Campbelltown Golf Club. It was a tight battle with Steve and Mitch Floyd winning on the last hole of the match. Congratulations on a great victory boys.

Other results to date were: 29-6-25 - Hurstville GC - 2 Ball Multiplier - Winners - Craig flint & Troy Young - 59points 6-7-25 - Cabramatta GC - Stableford -Mark McSwiney [16] 41pts 19-7-25 - The Ridge GC - Stableford -Rossco Hamer [24] 38pts 26-7-25 - Stonecutters Ridge GC -Stableford – Peter Davis [22] 41pts 17-8-25 - Camden GC - 2 Ball BAM -Peter Davis & Joy Mesuria 61pts 14-9-25 - Campbelltown GC - Stroke -Craig Flint [22] 64 nett 21-9-25 - Macquarie Links Gc - Stroke -Bob Mallia [21] 71 nett 28-9-25 - Brighton Lakes GC - Stroke -Joy Mesuria [13] 70 nett

We now look forward to crowning our 2025 club and handicap champions with the last round to be played at Woodville GC. Also, we have the Lawson Cup in October against Blacktown Workers Club to be played at Springwood GC.

In November, Our club travels to Highlands GC for the much-anticipated annual match against Canberra Labour Club. We will make a weekend away of the event and are looking to redeem ourselves after a few defeats in the last few years.

We also have the Presidents Cup and Guzzlers Cup in November as well as the final event for the year being the Christmas Day Ambrose combined with party and awards presentation.

Until then, keep happy and keep swinging.

#### John Varrica President

### **NETBALL CLUB**Liaison Director: Christine Benham

What a fantastic season 2025 has been for Revesby Workers' Netball Club.

This year we had 19 teams, plus a strong team of umpires without whom we could not compete. We were very proud to see our own Ella Martin awarded the Umpires Convenor of the year.

We had four teams in Net Set Go, where our littlest players learn the skills of netball

while having a heap of fun, and 15 teams in the Juniors and Senior competitions. Of those 15 teams, we are very proud to say we had 12 teams in the semi & preliminary finals.

We also had 7 teams in the Grand final

Team 1: Division 2 - Premiers
Team 4: Division 5 - Premiers
Teams 5: 15/16B's - Premiers
Teams 6: 15/16B's -Runner's Up
Team 12: 12B's - Premiers
Team 13: 12C's - Premiers
Team 15: 10A's - Runner's Up

We would like to say a huge thank you to all our amazing coaches, managers and committee members who volunteer their time to help make sure every week runs smoothly.

We had a fabulous presentation day where we got to celebrate the achievements of all our teams. A big congratulations to all those players who received years of service awards, Committee Trophies, Umpires Awards, and Junior and Senior Sportsperson Awards.

**5 years Continuous Service Award** Brianna Anderson, Breanda Au Duong, Bonnie Lonsdale, Oviya Mahboubi, Hannah Thompson

10 years' Service Award Haylie McFarlane, Tempesst Irons, Kerrie Pride 25 years' Service Award Mikayla Kent

30 years' Service Award Margaret Vidler

Presidents Trophy 12Cs (Team 13)
Vice Presidents Trophy 12B's (Team 12)
Senior Sportsperson Hayley Kunde
Junior Sportsperson Haylie McFarlane
Kathleen & John Cook Coaching
Encouragement Award Sharon Vaporidis
Modified Trophy Team 17 - 8 Years
Committee Trophy Team 1, Div 2
Senior Umpire Encouragement Award
Jo Selman

Junior Umpire Encouragement Award Caitlin Brennan

We would also like to congratulate Ella Martin, who received the association's Umpire Convenor of the Year Award.

Best of luck to all our netballers trying out for Representative Teams for 2026. We can't wait for next year's season to begin. Keep an eye on our socials for all the upcoming dates.

#### **GOAL RING**

## SWIM CLUB Liaison Director: Christine Benham

Revesby Workers' Swim Club's 2025 winter season continued to be jam-packed with events and achievements resulting in great momentum for our summer season commencing October 2025.

#### Metro Southwest Clinic Invitations

Chayse Hannan and Maxwell Murphy, where both selected to take part in the 2025 Metro Southwest Achievers Squad (9-16yrs) held 6 September. Aiden Miller and Riona Endo were selected to take part in the 2025 Metro Southwest Senior Target Squad Clinic (13-17yrs) held 31 August. Both days were a success with all swimmers learning valuable swimming skills and techniques by Accredited Coaches.

Marli Broughton was selected to be a part of the 2025 Metro Southwest National Pool Squad, with the clinic being held 28 September. In late July 2025, Marli also brought home a gold medal in the 16 years 50m butterfly event at the Australian School Sports Nationals Swimming Championships in Brisbane! We are all so proud of her and her achievements. She continues to inspire our younger generations to strive to be the best.

Nate Robertson and Jennifer Tzikas have been selected as part of the 2025 Metro Southwest National Open Water Squad with the first clinic to be held 7 December.

### Success at the 2025 Senior and Youth Short Course State Championships

The NSW Senior State Short Course Championships held 22-24 august saw 15 of our finest swimmers compete with the best in the state. The results included 20 top 10 finishes, and the following medallists

Thomas Valassis winning gold in the boys 14&O 800m freestyle, Silver in the boys 14&O 1500m freestyle and bronze in the boys 14&O 400m individual medley.

Lola Pittams won silver in the Girls 14-15 100m & silver in the Girls 14-15, 200m Freestyle.

Marli Broughton brought home the bronze in the girls 16&O 100m Individually Medley.

Congratulations to all competitors!

The NSW Youth Short Course State Championships held 13-14 September saw 17 RWSC junior swimmers take the stage. With 18 top 10 finishes and to many personal best times to list, we congratulate all swimmers on their success including the following medal winners:

Jasmine Bochenek brought home the gold in the girls 11-13 200m Butterfly and a silver medal in the girls 11-13 200m

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individual medley.

Lillian Crosbie won bronze in the girls 11-13 100m individual medley and Ryder Pittams won bronze in the boys 11-13 200m butterfly.

Huge congratulations to all competitors!

#### World Champion!

Alex Hejaij proudly represented Australia at the Virtus World Championships held in Bangkok, Thailand 20-30 August 2025. He had an outstanding meet and brought home an incredible 12 individual medals and 4 relay medals totalling 9 gold 6 silver and 1 bronze. More impressively Alex smashed multiple world records including the 50m backstroke, 100m butterfly and the 4 relay events he competed in. We are beyond proud of Alex representing the country and our club. He is an inspiration to all our up-and-coming swimming champions and an exceptional role model.

#### **RWSC Inter-Club Carnival!**

To kick off the summer season RWSC held its annual inter-club carnival 27 September at Max Parker Leisure centre Revesby. There was a total of 251 athletes representing 12 clubs from around the region. Together, these swimmers racked up an impressive 1,125 individual swims, showcasing not just the depth of talent across the clubs, but also the dedication and passion these young athletes bring to the sport.

The weather came to the party too – a perfect summer day with blue skies and just enough sun to keep the pool deck buzzing. The competition in the water was fierce, with plenty of close finishes, personal bests, and standout performances. But just as importantly, the spirit on deck was electric – filled with laughter, team cheers, and plenty of support between competitors.

One of the highlights of the day was witnessing the incredible team spirit on display. Whether it was teammates rallying behind each other before a big race, or rival clubs exchanging high-fives and words of encouragement, it was clear that this event was about more than just times on the board – it was about celebrating swimming and community.

There was no shortage of competitive fire either. Each race was a battle, and athletes left nothing behind in the pool. From the juniors having their first big swim meet experience to seasoned club swimmers eyeing top finishes, every heat brought energy and determination. It was especially inspiring to see swimmers bounce back from tough

races with smiles and a renewed drive for the next event – the hallmark of true sportsmanship.

### Acknowledgement of Volunteers & Support

A special thank you must go to our volunteers, coaches, officials, and support staff, whose efforts ensured the day ran smoothly from start to finish. From timekeeping and marshalling to set-up and pack-down, every role was carried out with professionalism and care. Events of this scale simply wouldn't be possible without the time, energy, and commitment of our volunteers. Your contribution allowed the athletes to focus on performing at their best, and your presence helped create a safe, well-organised, and welcoming environment for all clubs involved.

Please accept our sincere thanks for your hard work and dedication – it did not go unnoticed and is deeply appreciated by the Revesby Workers' Swim Club and the wider swimming community.

#### Head Coach also winning!

RWSC head coach Brendan Kirkpatrick was awarded the prestigious First National Gold Medallist 2025 award for Thomas Valassis's achievements at the April 2025 Australian Age Championships. It's a moment that reflects not only the talent, but his years of dedication, passion, guidance and commitment to excellence. Brendan's guidance, belief and leadership plays a critical role in shaping a national champion and this award is a true testament to his impact in the sport. Congratulations Brendan.

#### In closing

As our swimmers return to their training to prepare for the huge summer season ahead, we wish them all the best for the area championships in October, Junor Metropolitan Championships in November and the NSW Senior State Championships and the NSW Open Water Championships in right behind it in December. Let's not forget Australian Open Water Championships in Western Australia and our very own RWSC Qualifying meet Sunday 18 January 2026 at Cranbrook School... the fun never stops. Till next time.

### **TOUCH FOOTBALL**Liaison Director: Daniel Kurtz

The 2025 summer touch football season officially commenced in early September, marking an exciting return to the field for the Revesby Workers' Club's teams. This season features two Mixed Opens squads competing in the St George Touch Football Association at Kingsgrove Park.

The RW Wolves, a team with previous experience in the Bankstown competition, has transferred across to the St George competition to face new challenges and competitors. Alongside them is the RW Werewolves, a returning team that continues to demonstrate strong commitment and skill on the field.

As of the date of this report, the two teams have yet to meet in competition, ensuring that their upcoming clash will be eagerly anticipated by players and supporters alike. In preparation for this potential showdown, the club has invested in a new set of playing singlets, designed to distinguish the teams and enhance their on-field presence when they eventually face off.

The Revesby Workers' Club remains committed to fostering a vibrant and competitive touch football environment, and the 2025 season promises to be an exciting chapter in its sporting history.

#### Greg Harris President

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 Fri
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 Sat
 9am – 1am

#### PRESIDENTS LOUNGE BAR

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**BAR 240** 

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#### **Entry Requirements**

Following the NSW Government's legislative changes relating to a Club's 5km (15km) rule, Visitors residing within this radius to the Club are no longer required to become members.

However, all Visitors and Guests of Members still need to sign in and provide their name, address and signature as per the Registered Clubs Act.

# 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, unkept, 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 non 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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