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From The President



Brian Luscombe

Our commemorations officer, Bob Gannaway, has been working with Yarra Ranges Council and Healesville Historical Society in developing a suitable commemorative installation inside the Memorial Hall.

Of course the Memo, as we know it started life as the original location of the RSL. It was called the Soldiers Memorial Hall. This was exchanged with the Council of the time, to become the Memo, and the RSL was relocated to its current location. In our foyer you will see some photos of the RSL's construction at our site now. We look forward to the installations unveiling. We'll keep you informed.

What a fantastic milestone for our oldest Member, Mr Roy Clarke who turns 100 years of age.

Roy, born 3rd September 1918 and the father in law of our General Manager, is WW2 Veteran who enlisted in the Army but transferred to the Air Force to go into Signals. He was based on Groote Eylandt intercepting Japanese communications in South East Asia and New Guinea.

Roy worked in the leather industry most of his life and his passions were Golf, his wonderful model railway and his garden. Sadly, Val, Roy's soulmate of over 75 years passed four years ago. The RSL will be hosting Mr Clarke's 100th Birthday celebration for his family, Carolyn, Ron, Lorraine and their families and friends coming from overseas and interstate to celebrate this momentous occasion.

Congratulations Roy, from all your friends at Healesville RSL.

Vietnam Veterans Day is almost upon us and I urge you all to come down to Lilydale Cenotaph on Sunday August 12th at 10:30 am. T

hen with November just around the corner Remembrance Day will be here. As always the service will be at the RSL. We are always after volunteers to assist with the selling of poppies during the lead up to November 11th so if you want to help generate funds for the support of veterans and their families, then we'd love to have you.

I look forward to seeing you all at the Club over Spring.

Brian



Roy Clarke with his mother



News

DVA online services are joining myGOV.

Supported by the myGov platform, DVA's MyService is being improved to become DVA's online channel providing a simpler and faster way for veterans and their families to interact with DVA online.

From 30 July 2018, DVA veterans and their families will need to register with myGov and link to DVA to access DVA services online.

Medals are often bought in to us to see if they can be repaired, replaced or mounted. We can assist



with identifying medals that may have been awarded, where to get replacements and how to get old medals restored or mounted.

Support Services may be accessed by all returned and serving Services personnel but did you know that this extends to the family of those who have or are serving? We can assist with a wide range of support op-

tions from help with DVA, legal financial or estate planning advice to crisis counselling mobility aids, transport to medical appointments, home help and modifications to name a few.

Our Support Officers, Carol Ralls, Brian Luscombe and the team are always available to confidentially talk and assist.

Just call 5962 5017





Get to know us.



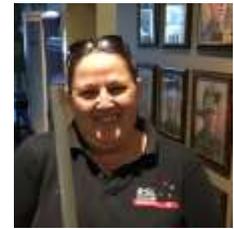
Kylie – Bistro

Favourite Movie:
Julie & Julia (drama/comedy)
My favourite eating:
All seafood's
If I joined the circus I would be:
Too sensible to join
I hate this but wished I loved it:
Brussel Sprouts
Funniest place fallen asleep:
Always in my bed



Cassie – Reception

Favourite Movie:
Only You (comedy/romance)
My favourite eating:
Pasta
If I joined the circus I would be:
Knife Thrower
I hate this but wished I loved it:
Watermelon
Funniest place fallen asleep:
Under a table at a wedding



Rowena – Services

Favourite Movie:
Hidalgo (action/adventure)
My favourite eating:
Chinese
If I joined the circus I would be:
Big cat trainer
I hate this but wished I loved it:
Flying
Funniest place fallen asleep:
Across two chairs at a party



Join A Group

Want some company with like minded people? Want to follow a passion?
The RSL has many groups that would welcome new members. Just ask our friendly staff and we can help.

- Bingo
- Mah-jong
- Poker
- Valley Vets
- Fun Club
- Bridge Club
- Golf
- Probus
- Lions
- Pony Club

- Monday & Thursday nights (Mondays resume Sept.)
- Tuesday afternoons
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- Last Wednesday of the month
- Thursday mornings
- Monday afternoons
- Last Sunday of the month
- Ladies - 2nd Friday Mens - 2nd Thursday
- 3rd Wednesday of the month
- 4th Wednesday of the month



Meeting Venue

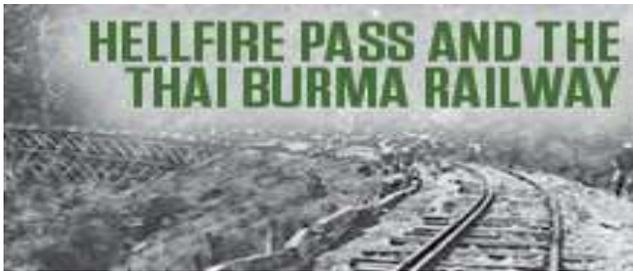
Healesville RSL is a great place to hold a work or group meeting. We can cater to groups of 6 to 60. Food options from breakfast thru to dinners. We have white boards, great wi fi connectivity, projectors and flip charts that will make your next meeting a success.





THE SPIRIT LIVES 2014 - 2018

Significant Commemorations 2018 courtesy AWM



75th Anniversary of Hellfire Pass and the Thai Burma Railway
Tuesday 16 October



Centenary of the First World War Armistice
Sunday 11th November

Sir John Monash

Monash sculpture unveiled 100 years after the battle of Hamel

On the centenary of the First World War battle of Hamel the Australian War Memorial has dedicated a commemorative sculpture of General Sir John Monash, who planned and directed the successful action.



The sculpture depicts Monash wearing his civilian suit, medals, and Returned and Services League badge.

As commander of the Australian Corps he led the Australians during their most successful actions of the war. Many consider Monash to be one of the greatest commanders of the First World War.

Courtesy AWM

REMEMBRANCE DAY

WE FORGET

November 11

**Remembrance Day Service
Healesville RSL Memorial
Commencing at 10:45 am**

POPPY APPEAL

Buy a Poppy to show you remember.





Sunday August 12th
Lilydale Cenotaph
cnr Maroondah Hwy & Clarke Rd.

March: Assemble 10:30am Service Road at 318 Maroondah Hwy.
Service: 11:00 am
Fellowship with refreshments at Lilydale RSL post service.

2018 **VIETNAM VETERANS DAY**

Member Cards

Members are reminded that lending or allowing others to use your card is prohibited. Staff will refuse to serve a guest who is using a Members card.

Your Membership card is specific to you. RSL Rewards points acquired in any RSL venue will be added on your card.

As a Member you should be encouraging others to join our RSL. We have many Membership options available.



Is golf your sport?

WIN a Luxury Trip for 2 to the US Masters 2019!

Swipe your card any day in August to enter the draw.

Terms & Conditions apply



Winners Are Grinners

**RSL Rewards
\$20,000 Cash Prize**

Was won by Mr R. Prisow of Rye RSL, Plus 10 x \$50 cash door prizes were won by Healesville RSL Members at the Tuesday night live draw.

RSL Rewards Invictus Games Trips to Sydney Won By:

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| S. Rickland | Bairnsdale RSL |
| C. Nash | East Malvern RSL |
| R. Elliot | Rosebud RSL |
| G. Honan | Mentone RSL |
| P. Maisano | Bendigo RSL |

Footy Tipsters Final Count

**SUNDAY 9TH
SEPTEMBER
2.30PM**

**Scores Talled For
Last 5 Rounds**

Happy Hour Prices



MEMBERS DRAW \$3000

EVERY FRIDAY
7pm - 8.30pm
\$1500 CASH
\$1500 POINTS
MUST BE PRESENT TO WIN

This could be you!

Swipe your card on any finals match day for your chance to win 1 of 5 DOUBLE PASS packages to this year's Grand Final!

Terms & Conditions apply



Did you know that you can purchase a Gift Voucher for that special occasion?

Use your points or pay by CC or cash, we can make a voucher for that special person or event.



Around The Club

TV upgrades were undertaken on the two televisions in the Lounge. The old ones weren't able to keep up with the technology we now use. We installed a 60cm and a 40 cm TV to enhance your viewing of any event shown.

The Deck Emergency Door will be fitted with an **exit alarm** this month.

Some people are using this door in the smoking area to let friends into the venue or to enter/leave the RSL themselves.

Members are reminded that this door is an emergency exit only.

Lifestyle Village development continues to be worked on behind the scenes. The main issue we face with the proposed development is that our land has a flood zone overlay. We believe we can address this to the satisfaction of the concerned authorities but time and work will tell. More as we progress.

Lakes Entrance RSL was kind enough to host one of our staff in July. We wanted to view their operation of a RSL with Motel to see what we could learn that might be useful for our development. It was also good experience for our staff. Thanks to Nick and the team at Lakes entrance RSL.

Congratulations are in order for one of our supervisors, Kim.

She is expecting her third child to join Bella and Jackson towards the end of the year and so will be on maternity leave. Congratulations to Kim and Michael and family. We look forward to baby cuddles.



Australian Gaming Expo is on in August. Lisa and Cassie will be heading to Sydney to investigate Member Loyalty Programs and the latest trends in Hospitality and Gaming.

Memorial Plaque

"You silent tents of green, We deck with fragrant flowers; Yours has the suffering been, The memory shall be ours"
— Henry Wadsworth Longfellow.

You may have seen the small plaques around the base of our Memorial.

These plaques recognise past **Service's personnel who were** either members of Healesville RSL, lived in Healesville or had an association with Healesville through family.

There are service men and women who have been the services but are not more formally recognised because of having served in a time of Peace.



Healesville RSL memorial recognises all who have served our country in times of conflict or peace.

They are available for our members to purchase and place in remembrance of a beloved family member.

There is a standard format used with name, rank, service number, service emblem, birth and death date.

If you would like to preserve and honour a family member on our Memorial then please drop by Reception to pick up a form and make the necessary arrangements.

You can even arrange a small family service when the plaque is placed.



Got Free Time?

Do you have a couple of hours a week free?

Do you like talking on the phone and engaging people?

Can you type one finger or better into a computer?

Would you like to help your RSL grow?

If the answer to any of these is

yes, then **we need you**.

The RSL is seeking to develop a data base of retirement villages and nursing homes so that we can advise them of our social events and activities.

What's involved?

Coming into the RSL so you can research and call a list of retirement villages, nursing homes

and social groups and discover the contact details of their social planner. This is then entered into our data base.

If you think you can help then please contact Cassie on 5962 5017 or email her at

reception@healesvillersl.com.au



BLOOMING MARVELLOUS

Spring Rabble

TICKETS \$2 EACH
OR
3 FOR \$5

WINNERS DRAWN
AUGUST 31ST

FATHER'S DAY

Sunday 2nd September

- Roast Carvery Lunch
- Free Drink for Dad
- Raffle Prizes

Book today

*Conditions Apply



Have You Tried Our New Wines?



Craigmoor Cuvée Brut

A traditional non-vintage blend of select premium parcels of grapes. Fresh and elegant, an ideal aperitif.



Craigmoor Cuvée Rosé

Delightfully fresh and bubbly rose style that will put a sparkle in your day.

200ml \$8.00



La Gioiosa Prosecco

Outstanding crisp, dry, yet fruit-driven Prosecco that tastes as good as the very smart bottle looks.

200ml \$7.50 750ml \$45.00



Fiore Moscato

Refreshingly spritzy, with lifted exotic aromas of roses and sweet spice, lychee and grapes. Low alcohol with a hint of sweetness. Simply delicious.

200ml \$8.00

