

# The Roaring Post



The Newsletter of the Rochedale Springwood Lions Club Inc.

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*The Lions Club of Rochedale Springwood  
celebrating 44 years of continuous service to  
those in the community who are in need of our  
help.*

## **Our Club President's Report**

Well it would be an understatement to say that this month has put our club to the test emotionally and physically and I would like to thank you all for everything you have done to get us through. It is with my head held high and a warm heart that I say, I am proud to be a member of this club.

But let's not sit on our laurels, we are in the fast lane heading towards Christmas so as of this Sunday (which I must remind the bloody Logan Council that it is Bathurst, the fifth most important day in the year) we need to get all hands on deck and work a BBQ. Please contact Nick if you, your son or daughter, or neighbour can help on this day.

Also check the calendar on BBQ'S coming up at Auto Barn and Banjos training days. The trailer raffle starts soon, which means making ourselves available for selling raffle tickets and cakes. We are also in need of extra items to fill up the trailer.

I would now like to share a letter received, which I believe demonstrates that our club knows what it means to be a Lion.

“To the stoic and amazing members of the Rochedale Springwood Lions Club.

I would like to express my admiration for you all yesterday as I had the pleasure of working with you at the Children of Courage ceremony.

Even though you were all dealing with the sadness of loosing a treasured friend and club member in Maureen you 'carried on' and made yesterday a joyous and special occasion for those outstanding children and their families and supporters.

What a wonderful tribute you all gave to Maureen and support to Greg in making the day run smoothly and in true Maureen style so I heard, providing an impressive afternoon tea.

I was immensely proud that Nick was a part of this fabulous group of people who clearly put the needs of others before themselves.

Nick has great respect and admiration for you all which I have always understood and although you don't expect thanks or recognition I wanted to let you know that on a day celebrating Children of Courage I witnessed a Lions Club of Courage, especially the amazing Greg.

Many thanks to you all for everything you do for our community.

Regards, Lucy Hegerty”

Be proud members and partners, for our actions show who we are and WE ALL look damn good. This really has more meaning to me now.



At our dinner meeting, Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> October we welcome Darren Wyer who is the President of the Amputees & Families Support Group.

One person can speak but together we ROAR.

*Lion Trevor Collins* Club President 2016-2017

**SAUSAGE SIZZLES  
at AutoBarn in Moss St**



*NOTE: We have reduced the number of AutoBarn sausage sizzles for the remainder of 2016 which will allow us to focus on selling tickets for the Christmas Trailer Raffle.*

Future Club Sausage Sizzles at AutoBarn will be held

<b>October</b> 15 <sup>th</sup>	<b>November</b> 26th	<b>December</b> 17th
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Interesting Fact: Sausages were called bangers during the Second World War because they contained so much water they exploded when fried.



Join the club.  
Make a difference.  
[www.lionsclubs.org](http://www.lionsclubs.org)

Want to join an organisation that is non profit and gives all the funds raised from various activities back to the community? Contact Lions International. We are a group of individuals who come together to raise funds that are in turn given to those in need both in our local area and to international projects that are in need. ROCHEDALE/SPRINGWOOD LIONS are always looking for new members who are willing to give as much or as little as they can. Your family always comes first in our organisation. **It's fun to be a Lion** — connect with fellow members both locally and internationally in activities that are more than just leisure or recreation. The shared experiences and achievements of Lions club members are powerful and treasured. When you join Lions, you join a global service network. So at the same time you're helping your own community, you can also contribute to Lions community efforts in other countries.

**A Lion never wonders, "What can one person do?"**



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## October 2016

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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<b>2</b>	<b>3</b> Queen's Birthday Order Christmas Cakes	<b>4</b> Cut and assemble raffle tickets	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b> Q1 Convention @ Kingscliff	<b>8</b> Q1 Convention @ Kingscliff COLLECT Christmas Trailer
<b>9</b> Q1 Convention @ Kingscliff  Logan City Council BBQ	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b> Lions Dinner Meeting	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b> Autobarn Sausage Sizzle
<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b> Commence Trailer Raffle selling	<b>21</b> Trailer Raffle Arndale	<b>22</b> Trailer Raffle Arndale
<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b> Lions Board Meeting	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b> Trailer Raffle Underwood Market Place	<b>29</b> Trailer Raffle Underwood Market Place
<b>30</b>	<b>31</b>				<b>OCTOBER ANNIVERSAR IES:</b> 4 <sup>th</sup> Maree & Graham Ramsay	<b>BIRTHDAYS:</b> 8 <sup>th</sup> : Anne Walter (Mitcham) 12 <sup>th</sup> : Judith Roberts 31 <sup>st</sup> : Lorraine McKenzie

### Important Information:

**15 October:** International White Cane Awareness Day - (White Cane Dinner)

**21 October:** 950<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Battle of Hastings

 <b>LHD Banjo Training</b> <b>October</b> 						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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<b>2</b>	<b>3</b> Lance	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b> Andrew 8:30 – 9:00	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b> Harold 8:30	<b>8</b>
<b>9</b>	<b>10</b> Harold 8:30	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b> Harold 8:30	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b> Lance 8:30 – 9:00	<b>15</b>
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<b>23</b>	<b>24</b> Andrew 8:30 – 9:00	<b>25</b> Harold 8am Last Test	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>
<b>30</b>	<b>31</b>					
<b>Important Information:</b> If we fulfill the above dates Banjo should receive accreditation hopefully at the dinner meeting in November Peter would prefer to do the trialing 8.30-9am.						

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### **DISTRICT CONVENTION - 2016 AT KINGSCLIFF**

7th to 9th October 2016 - Mark it in your diaries and note that this is in the school holidays so make your accommodation bookings as soon as possible Kingscliff Lions Club is hosting the 201Q1 Convention at the beautiful beach side town of Kingscliff. The Business sessions will be held at Kingscliff High School. Information and registration form links will be posted on this website soon

**Sunday** is back to the school for the morning with a lunch completing the weekend.

#### **Accommodation:**

Anywhere in Kingscliff or Chinderah and you will be within close proximity of the High School and Cudgen Leagues Club. **Buses** will be available for Saturday night so be sure and put where you are staying on your registration form

<http://www.lionsclubmember.com/District-201Q1/201Q1-16-Convention-Rego-Form.pdf.zip>

DG Jacko contacted me a few days ago and asked me to make arrangements for the District Convention " Broken Putter" Golf Day.

I have made a booking at the Chinderah Golf Course, Chinderah Road, Chinderah for Friday the 7<sup>th</sup> October 2016. Starting time 9.00 am for a 9.30am hit-off.

Costs- \$11 for 18 holes. Golf Buggy - \$15 ( or \$7-50 each sharing ) Pay on the day. This golf course is only about 2 km from Kingscliffe on same road.



Could all golfers participating please contact me ( Lion Don Mc Henry ) on either of the following:-  
Home phone. [07 55907352](tel:0755907352), Mobile [0427310408](tel:0427310408) or  
email- [donlo200@gmail.com](mailto:donlo200@gmail.com)  
but don't leave it until the last minute.

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Our Club Delegates and Alternates for District

Convention are: Delegates: David McKenzie, Lorraine McKenzie Alternates: Chris Richardson , Lance Roberts

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**BOARD INSTRUCTION:** We need to ensure that all persons working at a listed Club Project sign in to the provided attendance register and sign off when shift is completed. All members should seek out this register when arriving to start their shift.

**What are the duties and responsibilities of the Club Safety/Security Officer?** The Safety/Security Officer should not be allocated any other duties and he/she should take control of all safety and security matters. As to the duties of the Club Safety/Security Officer, this is up to each Club to define, but will certainly include: **1.** Safety/Security checks at sites where Projects are to take place (both prior to and during the Project). **2.** Making sure the members working on the Project are aware of any safety/security matters or issues. **3.** Reporting and recording any actions taken to ensure safety/security. **4.** Preparing clear details of all accidents that may occur. **5.** Following the requirements of Lions insurances detailed in the Multiple District Directory, including immediate notification to PDG Bob Korotcoff should an accident occur.



	<p><b>ZONE CHAIRMAN'S OFFICIAL CLUB VISIT</b></p>	<p>Our Zone Chairman also makes an official visit – at least once – this year. Our Zone Chairman (Lion Lorraine McKenzie) will make her official visit on <b>9 November</b></p>
<p><b>INTERNET LOUNGE at Trinder Park</b></p>		<p>One of our club's ongoing projects is the support of an Internet lounge at the Trinder Park Retirement village. <b>For ten years we are still providing six hours a week of support, over two days a week, all that time by Lion Chris Richardson and Lion Harold Mitcham.</b></p>

The order for construction of our Christmas trailer has been placed with Ausie Tough Trailers again. Lion Trevor is organising donations for the contents- and the trailer as well, and members are asked to seek out donations from local business houses. Lion Nick is currently organising sales venues for every weekend from October to Christmas. Tickets will be printed and a working bee is to be organised for assembling the books of tickets.



**SPOTLIGHT ON THE IMAGE OF A LION:** Remember that our Newsletter theme is again **N.O.W.** for the fourth year. If you have not asked someone to become a Lion, the best time to do that is **N.O.W.** Don't wait! **Now** is the best time. **Just ask.** . . .there is **No Other Way.**



**Asking someone to become a Lion** means that you have to talk with the person about Lions, give them a bit of Lions History, a sense of what Lions are all about, some examples of how Lions impact on people's lives on the local and international levels, and some sense of what Lions means to you and how Lions Club membership has impacted on your life.



## THE SUNNYBANK LIONS CLUB

Invites you to our

# TRIVIA NIGHT



*Saturday, 12<sup>th</sup> November 2016*

Lions Community Hall 95 Lister St Sunnybank 6.30pm  
for 7.00pm start Cost \$15.00 per

person Includes light supper

Teams: Maximum of 6 per table. Or Come alone and we can find a team  
for you

*Fun for Everyone*

Booking and enquiries:

Don: don\_hewett@iprimus.com.au or 0411 429 168

Michael: midot2@bigpond.com

**NOVELTY PRIZES**

**LUCKY DOOR PRIZE**

Proceeds towards Rescue Mission for Children

<https://rescuemissionforchildren.org.au/about-us/>



### White Cane Dinner

**Date:** Saturday 15th October **Venue:** Carina Leagues Club, 1390 Creek Rd Carina

**Time:** 7.00pm for 7.30pm start **Cost:** \$30 for 2 course meal + 2 free drinks

Tickets & transport to be purchased & organised by 17th September.



The Queensland and Northern New South Wales Lions Medical Research Foundation is now calling for nominations for Director positions. Nominations must be lodged by 20<sup>th</sup> September 2016. Elections will take place at the AGM on Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> November 2016 at the

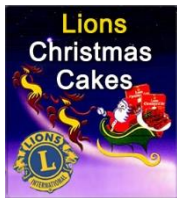
Translational Research Institute at the Princess Alexandra Hospital, Ipswich Road Woolloongabba.



**BRISBANE EKIBIN LIONS CLUB**  
**INVITES YOU TO THEIR**  
**GOLDEN JUBILEE CELEBRATORY**  
**LUNCH**

**DATE:** Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> November 2016  
**TIME:** 12 pm TO 4 pm  
**VENUE:** Yeronga Services and  
Community Club Cnr. Fairfield Road &  
Kadumba Street Yeronga.

**MEAL:** 3 course CARVERY, WINE, TEA or  
**COFFEE COST:** \$25 PER PERSON  
**THEME:** Smart Casual  
**RSVP:** Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> November 2016 Contact Our Secretary - Cheryl  
Desmarais On 0413183474 or dfcheryl@gmail.com



Lorraine McKenzie has agreed to be cake chairman this year and will store the cakes in their garage again. All members are asked to consider approaching corporate businesses and others, such as retirement villages, for orders now, so these can be added to our initial order. Large cakes **\$16** and small cakes **\$12** and puddings **\$12**. We will be offering Retail Stores our **\$2 Mini Cakes for re-sale**.

**CLUB WEBSITE**



Our Club secretary, Lion Chris Richardson, spends a lot of time maintaining our Club Web Site as well as our Facebook. Please visit these sites on a regular basis to keep up to date with Club Activities.

**[www.rochedalespringwood.qld.lions.org.au](http://www.rochedalespringwood.qld.lions.org.au)**

**We are on Facebook so check us out and “like” us if you can.**



**Do you read the District Newsletter each month?**

It's a great read that keeps you up to date with happenings in our District 201Q1. I hear that the Editor does a great job in producing an interesting & readable Newsletter.