



The Wonthaggi Club



Celebrating 100 Years

Seasons Greetings

Dec/Jan **CLUB NEWS**

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

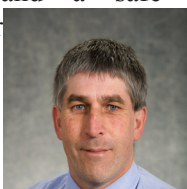
Wow can you believe it is almost Christmas, this year has passed so quick, I must be getting old. We have had a busy couple of months at the Club. The AGM has been held and we welcome David Brown to the board, David has a great deal of experience on committees, so I am sure his contributions will be of great benefit to our Club. I would also take this opportunity to thank retiring Director Kevin Hedley for his time on the Board. The spring racing carnival as always kept us busy with the Calcutta on the Monday night, congratulations to the winners Sandy Mac. The 6oz lunch on cup day and of course lady's day on Thursday; it was great to see so many well dressed patrons enjoying themselves.

We are continuing to work towards being ready for the changes to the Gaming laws in 2012, as you will have noticed the gaming room has been expanded to hopefully accommodate some new machines. We are still working with the Golf Club to strengthen the future of both clubs and liaising with solicitors, planners and council to achieve our goal of operating 68 machines in our venue. Happy 85th birthday to Kevin Cooney on the 26th November. Kevin a well respected 50+ year Club member celebrated his birthday in the Members bar, was it hard to blow those sparklers out Kev?

There will be plenty happening in your Club over the Christmas – New Year period, so watch the web site and notice board so as you don't miss out.

Merry Christmas and a safe and prosperous new year to one and all.

Alan Bolding
President



CHRISTMAS TRADING HOURS

The club is open normal hours throughout the holiday season excluding christmas day.

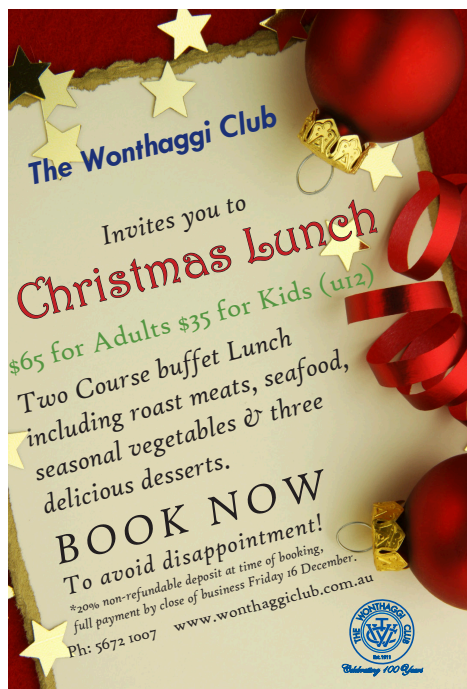
Christmas day opening hours:
Members bar 10am - 12pm

Christmas Luncheon from 12pm onwards

FUNCTION PACKAGES

At the Club we have a variety of function packages to suit every need & budget. Please contact Bec our Catering Coordinator or one of our friendly reception staff who will assist with your enquiry or visit

www.wonthaggiclub.com.au



CLUB COURTESY BUS

The Club's 12-seat bus is available for hire. For further enquiries or bookings please phone the Club on 5672.1007.

C H R I S T M A S RAFFLES & PROMOS

WEDNESDAY'S ALL VENUE RAFFLE

\$1 per ticket

6 x Meat Trays

**Draw seen on internal TV at 6.30pm
Tickets sold from strips, prizes in form of meat tray, winners published in members' bar, gaming cashier & on Club website.

WEDNESDAY'S UP TO \$1000 GOLD MEMBERS JACKPOT DRAW*

*Draw seen on internal TV 5.30pm - 7pm
*Gold Members ONLY *Be present to win*

THURSDAY'S RAFFLE

6 x Meat Packs

**Drawn 12.15 - 1pm*

Member Meat Packs

**Draw 5.15 - 6.15 in the Members' Bar*

CHRISTMAS RAFFLES

Friday 2nd December

\$1 per ticket 18 x Turkeys

5 x 2kg Prawns

Friday 9th December

18 x Xmas Hams

5 x 2kg Prawns

Friday 16th December

8 x \$100 Gift Cards

5 x 2kg Prawns

Friday 23rd December

6 x Crayfish

10 x 2kg Prawns

**Draw seen on internal TV at 6.45pm
Tickets sold from strips, prizes in form of meat packs, winners published in members' bar, gaming cashier & on Club website

SUNDAY CHOOK RAFFLE

**Draw 5pm - 6:30pm in the Members' Bar*

CLUB EVENTS CALENDAR

MANAGERS REPORT

On Monday night 28th November, our Board signed a lease agreement for "The Clubhouse" at The Wonthaggi Golf Club. This will mean that as of 1st February 2012, we commence operation of all things related to the Clubhouse including Bistro, Bars, Gaming and Functions. An arrangement currently exists with the Golf Clubs caterer to tenant the kitchen until the end of February, which we will honour and either negotiate our own terms and continue to outsource cooking roles, or will employ catering staff directly. This negotiation is yet to come before the Board. While the Golf Honour Boards will remain on display, The Wonthaggi Club will be responsible for all Clubhouse income and expenses, and will offer total 20% discount to Gold Members and 10% to Silver Members on each Bistro and Bar spend. This has been well considered by the Board, and fits into our strategies for growth of membership, improvement of facilities, breadth of services, and makes for a sound business decision, based on conservative budgetary forecasts. In other updates, we have a full suite of entertainment on offer in weekends throughout December, and we are now booking acts for January also. One month ago Sammy launched a new menu with all featured deserts now 100% homemade, and a range of lighter dished including entree serving sizes for all pastas. In recent times we have been fully booked in the Bistro and have had to keep a waiting list for those who haven't booked ahead. Please keep this in mind next time you plan a dinner out to make sure we have one of you brand new tables waiting for you when you arrive. After the success of last year's Centenary Celebrations, we are now planning to hold The Club Ball each February in conjunction with the clubs anniversary. Please Saturday 18th February 2012 to celebrate our 101st year. On behalf of everyone at The Wonthaggi Club, I wish you all a safe and merry Christmas, and look forward to a happy and prosperous new year.

Cheers

Steve Curtis



WONTHAGGI WORKMENS
CRICKET CLUB

Christmas Party

SUN 18TH DECEMBER
STARTS 12PM

FEATURING:

- * Jumping Castle
- * Bungee Run
- * Santa
- * FREE BBQ
- * Drinks At Bar Prices
- * FAMILY DAY

McMahon Reserve Wonthaggi
Everyone Welcome



CALENDAR

December 2011

1st- Sami V

2nd- Marty Box 7-10pm Acoustic Guitar

3rd- Tom Green Local Artist

6th- Christmas 6oz Lunch All Welcome

8th- Sami V Local Artist

10th- Lionel Loves Vinyl 70's, 80's. 90's & today

15th- Sami V Local Artist

16th- Local Business Christmas Party

17th- Geordan Gullock & Josh Hooke

Local Artist

30th- Long Gone Daddy's Old Style Rock n Roll

31st- DJ Cara T

See Website for More Details and more entertainment

throughout January



SUNDAY NIGHT \$15 ROAST DINNER THREE FRESHLY COOKED MEATS TO CHOOSE FROM	MONDAY NIGHT \$15 PARMAS YOUR CHOICE OF TOPPINGS AND SIDES
TUESDAY NIGHT \$15 SEAFOOD FIVE TANTALIZING SPECIALS CHANGING WEEKLY	WEDNESDAY NIGHT DOUBLE DISCOUNT GET AN ADDITIONAL 10% OFF ALL MEALS
THURSDAY NIGHT \$15 STEAK + SAUCE ADD ANY SIDE SERVE FOR ONLY \$2 EXTRA	MON-THURS LUNCH \$12 LIGHT LUNCH GREAT VARIETY TO CHOOSE FROM

CHRISTMAS 6OZ LUNCH

Fantastic Christmas themed Luncheon starting from 11:30am Tuesday 6th December.

Everybody welcome! Come join the fun!

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