



GOT A MOMENT

July 2026 Newsletter

Welcome to this month's newsletter.

Unfortunately, our President Doug Watts has resigned from the committee due to personal reasons. Doug and Rose will still be members so we look forward to seeing them at some of our functions. Therefore a special meeting has been called at the next month's meeting to elect a new president.

Joan Gowlett is enjoying some time away from the club with her sister-in-law Barbara so I will try to enlighten you on what is happening this month.

Happy Birthday to all the members who are having birthdays this month we hope you enjoy your day with family and friends.

For those who don't already know we are holding two bingo days on the first and third Thursday of the month and we are going to try to hold a short bingo of 10 games after the meeting on the second Thursday. Again, for those who don't know we have a members draw on our meeting day if the member is at the meeting they received \$10 if the money jackpotted they would receive the jackpot amount at the moment the jackpot amount is \$40.00 so a lucky member will hopefully receive \$40 this month. It will continue to jackpot until the members name that is drawn is present at the meeting.

For Information on the club did you know we have a podcast I speak with Rosemary on the third Tuesday of each month regarding the club. Go on have a listen it is on FM101.5 podcast let me know what you think.

We hire out the hall to different organizations have you ever tried Line Dancing this happens on every Friday morning for beginners and those who have graduated to a line dancer if you would like further information give Gloria a call on 0438607610.

We also hire out the hall to No Lights No Lycra on Wednesday evening as it suggests there are no light so you can dance anyway you like they have members of all ages going along if you want more information contact me on 0460060550 .

Of course many of you know Country Music Roundup hire the hall every second Saturday and provide great entertainment from locals and guest singers. Go along I am sure you will enjoy the time; lunch is also available if you require.

Hiring the hall is our main source of revenue and it would be great if you support our hirers as well as the club. If you would like further information on the club and what we provide our members please contact me on 0430060550 it is our only number at the moment as our landline is playing up.

I believe the trip to Esk was very enjoyable for those who attended. Unfortunately, only 14 turned up. There were other names down so it has been decided at the general

meeting in July that when you put your name down you pay \$5 if you do not go on the bus you lose that \$5. The full amount must be paid a week before the bus trip. If you are in hospital or have a valid reason for not going your money will be refunded. I am sure you all can appreciate that the bus holds 54 seats and when you only have 14 seats used the club has to pay the cost of the other 30 seats.

It is hard as we are put in a position where the other clubs come and visit us but they are all coming in one bus as most of the club only have a small amount of members going on buses. But we also have to visit them as they have visited us but we have to have a bus each time. If every one on the bus takes along a friend or family member who don't have to be members of the club it will build up the number or if you know of another organization similar to ours that would like to go please let the bus co ordinator know.

Our next bus trip is to Nanago on the 14th September this is a tricky one as they do not have a hall they use the RSL who does the catering and the lunch will cost \$25 each which means the bus and Lunch will be \$55.00 if you want to go please put your name down in the book.

At the General Meeting it was decided to hold a social morning tea for \$10.00 it will start around 9.30 a.m. there will be background music so you will be able to catch up with other member and have a chat. You will also be able to take part in the games that will be out on the table along with cards. There will be raffles, money draw, and lucky door prize so put your name down it is on the 30th July.

The committee are looking at doing a cent auction in either February or March if you can assist with any donations or know where the best place to get donations please let the committee know as we want to make this event a success, we did not have one last year. The club needs to make a profit this year and so far we are on the way to doing this so please support the committee as much as you can.

The committee would like to thank our members for the support you are giving to Bowls, Cards and Bingo along with other functions we hold. I have not been able to support the club as much as I would like to but I always have the club at heart. If you can help with setting up and cleaning up before and after our functions it makes it a lot easier for the committee remember they are volunteers. Unfortunately, the committee had to give a person a written warning regarding the behaviour and lack of respect given to other members the committee will not tolerate bad behaviour and rudeness.

Well as many of you know I am no cook so there **will not** be a recipe this month, a suggestion that was put forward is each member give a well-liked family recipe we will put together and make a club recipe and handy hints book. What do you think?

I am sure you can't wait for Joan Gowlett to get back. Have a great month.

Joan Hartland

Had to have 5 pair of Graeme's trousers taken in and 2 pair of jeans taken up the Alterations place outside house and next to the tattoo shop did a great job, drycleaner as well. Now Graeme can't complain as it would of taken me six months.