



## Otello a finalist in national pizza championships

Last month, Twin Towns chef Otello Mancini headed to the Sydney Convention & Exhibition Centre to compete in the Dairymont Australia National Pizza Championships.

Otello battled it out against some stiff competition, including an army of pizza-makers from some of the best Italian restaurants, takeaway outlets, hotels, pubs and clubs across Australia. He made the cut to the 35 finalists who competed for the National title.

At the finals, Otello fielded a unique pizza creation he calls an 'Italian Star'. The four-cornered, folded pizza was loaded with four different surprise combinations – four cheese and truffle; pork cheek with pecorino and red onion; radicchio and smoked cheese; and Italian sausage with porcini mushroom and mozzarella. The pizza was served with a garnish of fresh salad and mozzarella in the centre.

Otello didn't take out the championship but he definitely showed the judges he was "a cut above" and his Italian heritage and life-long passion for all things 'pizza' shone through.

"This was the first time I competed in Australia and it was very different to similar competitions in Italy. It was a big 'level up' from others I have entered.

"In Italy, they are looking for a different kind of knowledge. They look at how well you can throw a pizza and technique is just as important as flavour. In Italy, pizza is a religion for us.

"The judges asked me to come back next year. I made it to the finals and wasn't far behind the overall winner in points, so next year, they need to look out!" said Otello.

The Dairymont Australian Pizza Championships was founded with

the aim to encourage culinary innovation within the pizza market. The competition is now firmly entrenched across Australia, giving pizza-makers a truly International competition.

It has become so popular that entries for the 2019 Pizza Championships at the Melbourne Exhibition Centre will open in August this year.

Otello is the mastermind behind Twin Towns' popular and creative range of pizzas in Flame and his authentic family recipes are a feature of the Gusti d'Italia menu.

If you spot Otello around the Club, congratulate him on an amazing effort on the national pizza stage. We can't wait to see what he cooks up for the National Championships in Melbourne in 2019 but no doubt, Otello is already planning a spectacular new pizza creation for the judges.

Twin Towns Italian star chef, Otello Mancini.

## The return of the Winemakers Dinner

Twin Towns Executive Chef Lloyd Cremer and Beverage Manager Rafael Caetano have joined forces with Brown Brothers Wines to present a Winemaker's Dinner in Harbour Fresh, featuring the 15th release of Brown Brothers' flagship Patricia range.

The sumptuous five course menu has been specially crafted by Executive Chef Lloyd to showcase the outstanding creativity and culinary expertise of his team of chefs.

Each course will be perfectly paired with one of a selection of Brown Brothers' multi-award-winning flagship Patricia range. The Patricia range is named in honour of the family matriarch, Patricia



Brown, who dedicated 60 years of her life to the growth and prosperity of the Brown family and the Brown Brothers family wine business.

As a key member of Australia's 'First Families of Wine', the third and fourth generations of the Brown Brothers family keep their 120-plus year

tradition of winemaking alive.

Guest speaker at the event is Caroline Brown, granddaughter of Patricia Brown. Caroline worked in the Kindergarten Winery in Milawa as a cellar hand for the 2013 vintage before taking up the position of Brown Brothers Public Relations Manager. She currently sits on the National Board of the Wine Communicators of Australia (WCA).

The Winemakers Dinner at Harbour Fresh is \$99 per person and seats are limited so book early. To reserve your place, call 1800 014 014.

All Winemaker's Dinner guests receive a gift box of homemade pasta and local marinated olives from the Gusti Pantry.

### Winemakers Dinner

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Oysters with passionfruit cream & Creole crab  
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Ora King salmon, kombucha pickled kohlrabi,  
green apple-curry emulsion & BBQ malted grains  
2015 Patricia Chardonnay, Tamar Valley & East Coast, TAS

#### MAIN

Saddle of venison roasted with juniper berries, beetroot mustard & celeriac  
puree with grand veneur sauce  
2013 Patricia Shiraz, VIC

#### CHEESE

Aged cheddar, toasted brioche, red pepper caramel & compressed apple  
2013 Patricia Cabernet Sauvignon, King Valley, VIC

#### SORBET

Seared strawberry, coriander & strawberry gum

#### DESSERT

Ginger sponge, carrot marmalade, cream cheese ice-cream & toasted walnuts  
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Guest speaker Caroline Brown, grand-daughter of Patricia Brown

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## BOARD CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

*"If you always do what you've always done, you'll always get what you've always got."*

Having completed the most important meeting of the year on 22 May, the Annual General Meeting including director elections, one cannot afford to relax. Consequently, it's time for Directors to proactively plan for the future strategic direction to future-proof Twin Towns Clubs and Resorts for the next generation of members.

You can't rely on past successes that ensured 61 years of continued growth for this not-for-profit community Club so we need to plan to continue to provide fabulous facilities for all concerned in the future. In fact, future planning, particularly diversity, is imperative to stay ahead in this challenging hospitality club business to ensure you are not left behind.

Major projects, development opportunities, diversity, digital technology, marketing, never-ending cost escalation, unexpected competition and basic business management are just some of the areas open for review to take this great club Twin Towns forward.

Over a full weekend in July each year, Directors and senior management give up their weekend to determine the most appropriate direction to grow the business for the benefit of members, the community and stake-holders.

Under the stewardship of CEO Rob Smith, management prepares submissions in minute detail involving each department, with emphasis on return on investment. These are presented over the weekend and open to robust discussion with Directors, based on our strategic direction and overall goals. The result is setting outcomes for the ensuing year, as well as guidelines for the future. If you fail to plan, you plan to fail, as the saying goes.

### Governance and Due Diligence

Twin Towns Clubs and Resorts' Directors are well-resourced, with qualifications at least equal to the best Club Boards in the State. Each year following our Annual General Meeting, the eleven sub-committees (which consist of three or

four Directors who report recommendations to the full Board), are moved between committees. This allows all directors to utilise their skill sets in different areas.

Call it skill sharing but basically this practice encourages governance and due diligence and builds Directors' knowledge and understanding in all facets of club governance.

Twin Towns has assets of \$167 million, turnover in excess of \$73 million, staff of 380, stakeholders, consultants and contractors, not forgetting over 42,000 members.

Considering the responsibility and liability facing Directors at Twin Towns in an industry with a myriad of regulations and Statutory Acts to abide by, following the eight ASX principles of good governance and best practice is imperative for Directors to understand and pursue.

These sub-committees generally swap around each year and cover Compliance and Risk, Audit, Insurance Risk, Workplace Health and Safety, New Projects, Nominations, Remunerations, Disciplinary, Building Strata Management (Hotel, parking and combined common areas), and Donations and ClubGRANTS (including combined LGA committees).

The Board Charter and sub-committee Charters allow for direction and qualification to commit to a best practice regime when assessing any area.

### Accor – Mantra Purchase

You may recall Twin Towns Clubs and Resorts' Board looking to spend approximately \$10 million to upgrade the Resort to bring rooms up to the rating standard members and guests expect.

Although finalisation of refurbishment costing is still to be determined, the project was put on hold until after the Commonwealth Games for obvious reasons and to await the decision of the Accor/Mantra sale involving the Foreign Investment Review Board, the ACCC and of course, Mantra shareholders.

Now all parties have agreed to the sale as of May, and we expect favourable discussions based on investment returns to take place shortly and the long-awaited refurbishment to proceed.

This Paris-based Accor Hotels

group offered \$1.2 billion for Australia's second biggest hotel chain, which operates Mantra, Peppers and Breakfree Hotel brands, comprising 20,000 rooms in 125 properties across Australia.

Accor, on the other hand, is one of the largest hotel operators internationally, covering 4,200 hotels across the world, including Novotel, Mercure, Sofitel and Ibis.

This Accor/Mantra acquisition is testament to the strength in the market, with international visitor nights up 34% over the past six years and domestic visitor nights up 27% over the same period.

Overall, this refurbishment comes down to return on investment for all concerned but certainly augers well for any investors in the Ocean and Harbour Towers.

### Club Banora Golf

Club Banora operations team under Roger Scott continue working with maintenance to keep the reduced 9 hole course in pristine condition for golfers and community play.

This year, \$88,000 was spent on rebuilding the bridge from the Halfway House Starters Office to the course across the lake with \$45k spent on a new mower as well as other ancillary equipment to benefit our golfing fraternity.

Questions are continually raised regarding the re-positioning of the fence on the 7th hole to widen the approach to the green. This issue was presented to the Consultative Committee in May.

Although this repositioning seems to be a logical solution, unfortunately the subsidence on the middle section of the course, identified as up to two metres deep in places, makes this too risky to consider.

The continuous spraying of noxious weeds in the centre of the Golf Course is leading to the eventual eradication of these weeds and in conjunction with Council, the moat drains have been extensively cleaned.

Our maintenance team do everything possible to ensure the continuity of our Banora Course and although no one wishes to acknowledge the inevitable, there is every chance that one day, under perhaps severe drought conditions, nature may have its way and it may be necessary to close this magnificent course after 35 years of terrific facilities.

Make hay while the sun shines and enjoy this course while we can!

Good health to all and I look forward to catching up around our Clubs and Resorts.

**Michael Fraser**

## FEATURED CLUB



2017 Club Banora Golf Champions – Dean Love (Mens), Pauline Ryan (Ladies) and Joe Lehkyj (Veterans).

# Club Banora Golf

Club Banora Golf Club, an internal Twin Towns club, has priority use of the Banora golf course to hold competitions.

The Golf Club is affiliated with Golf Australia, and State and District associations, allowing members to have an official Golf Australia handicap. All memberships are seven days and the annual fee is \$350 for Twin Towns members. A monthly contract payment option is available.

Veteran membership is open to men and lady golf members over the age of fifty-five years for \$20 yearly.

The Banora golf course is maintained to a high standard. It is a nine hole course with variation provided by alternate tees and the use of eleven greens. The 18 holes configuration is Par 70 for Men and Par 73 for Ladies. Men play off Blue Tees Slope rated 127 and White Tees rated 126. The Ladies Red Tees are Slope 121. The course is mostly flat and about a 7km walk during competition.

Competitions are played every day of the week. The main playing days for Men are Saturday and Wednesday. The Ladies play on Thursday with Tuesday as a second competition day. Men are also welcome on Tuesdays and some tee times are available to Ladies on Saturday. The Veterans hold their competition on Monday.

Sunday is medley day, where a good variety of team events are offered.

Golfers are supported by a local

professional who offers golf equipment including a package for new golfers, lessons and motorised carts.

In 2018, three Men's teams are playing in Northern Rivers pennant competition and the Ladies are fielding one team. Lady golfers play in many Gold Coast District events and Veteran members are regular travellers to District open days and Weeks-of-Golf in Northern NSW and Queensland.

North Estate agents are the Golf Club's major sponsor and offer special deals for Club golfers. They sponsor our Ladies pennant teams, the Club's Melbourne Cup lunch, Club Foursome Championship and lucky door prizes at Saturday and Sunday presentations.

Congratulations to all the members who represented the Club in pennant play this year. Our three men's teams played very well and again made the finals. Our ladies team went ever so close to playing for the pennant but drew their final regular season match when a win was needed to play in the final.

The Committee agreed to schedule extra green fee free days during June and July. The Captains are providing details at presentations and on our website.

Veterans are encouraged to support our annual District Event on 13 August. The \$25 entry offers golf, sandwich and a beverage.

**President Ken**



Club Banora Ladies Golf Pink Lady Day prize winners, sponsored by Go Golfing.

## Sub-Branch welcomes Peter Rudland

Tweed Heads & Coolangatta RSL Sub-Branch recently welcomed a new member, returned serviceman, Peter Rudland.

Now a qualified counsellor specialising in post-traumatic stress, Peter and his family relocated to Terranora from Western Australia earlier this year.

The 2017 Invictus Games Co-Captain and cycling gold medallist will compete in the 2018 Invictus Games in Sydney from 20-27 October 2018, alongside more than 500 competitors from up to 17 nations.

Peter joined the Army in 1989 and was discharged late last year. He served in Cambodia in 1993, East Timor in 2001 and 2006, Iraq in 1997 and 2003, and Afghanistan in 2010.

The cyclist and wheelchair rugby

competitor suffered serious spinal and leg injuries in a Black Hawk helicopter crash in Afghanistan in 2010 and says sport had played an important role in his rehabilitation.

"Sport gives me something to work towards and reminds me that no matter how bad things get, there is always somebody worse off."

The Invictus Games is an initiative of Prince Harry and is an adaptive sport event for wounded, injured and ill servicemen and women, both active duty and veteran.

Peter says he is looking forward to catching up with Prince Harry again when he arrives in Australia for the Games.

"Prince Harry is very approachable, and I've always been impressed by his genuine concern for the welfare of soldiers," said Peter.



Invictus competitor Peter Rudland

## Early reminder about your points

As at 1 July, Christmas is just 177 days away. That means you still have 25 weeks and 1 day to stack up some more Members Advantage points before they expire at the close of trade on Christmas Eve.

Previously members could convert 5,500 points for \$50 cash in the month of December; this has now ceased. This year, Members Advantage introduces a new program whereby members can convert 5,000 points for a \$50 Gift Card in a range of choices, including Coles, Woolworths and Caltex.

Perfect timing to stock up on Christmas goodies, use as a Christmas gift, or fuel up the car for the Christmas holidays. Better still, treat yourself to something special, just in time for Christmas.

If you don't have enough points to convert to a Gift Card, remember you can use your points to purchase food, beverages and entertainment at the Club. If you are a few points short for your purchase, top up with a little cash. You can do this all year round.

However you decide to spend your points, don't forget the expiry date – 24 December 2018 – and start planning to use or cash in your points on time this year.



St Joseph's army of student bowlers brought youth and enthusiasm to the greens at Club Banora.

## Students bowled over by Banora

During May, a group of 150 Year 10 students from St Joseph's College at Banora Point had the opportunity to try their hand at lawn bowls at Club Banora as part of their school sports curriculum.

Teachers said many of the kids were surprised at how interesting and competitive the game was and quickly discovered lawn bowls can be enjoyed by all ages, even kids in their teens.

Students also learnt that playing bowls can improve hand-eye coordination and some found that bowls can be a competitive sport, even for those with poor vision.

Twin Towns Board Director Ross O'Leary said it's great for the Club to be involved in the community and work with local schools on their sporting projects.

"The students were very polite, well-mannered and respectful to the volunteers who pitched in to make the lawn bowls lessons possible.

"It was a pleasure to see the kids having such a great time and their

enthusiasm for the game really made our day.

"All participating students received certificates in recognition of their efforts," said Ross.

Ross congratulated St Joseph's teachers for their work in coordinating the massive sports project. He also extended his heartfelt thanks to Club Banora's volunteers - John Hutchinson, Garry Dewberry, Ces Anshaw and

Leo Carrol – who attended every lesson and tutored the next gen bowlers.

"Barefoot bowls is free at Club Banora every day of the week and we hope these kids return for a game with their parents, family and friends," said Ross.

"I'm sure the older bowlers, and their Club Banora tutors, would be thrilled to see them back on the greens."



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## Trip to Melbourne for a Member's Furphy

Just one Furphy at 1st on Wharf at Twin Towns, Club Banora or Twin Towns Juniors could see one lucky member and a mate jetting off to Melbourne for a two night getaway, including a brewery tour at Little Creatures and White Rabbit at Geelong.

From 1-31 July, members can purchase any eligible Furphy product from one of the above venues and receive an entry ticket. Place it in the entry box and you're in the draw.

The prize will be drawn on 1 August and there will be one winning member from each of the Clubs. No need to be

present for the draw; winners will be contacted by phone.

The \$1,800 prize consists of a brewery experience for two people, return economy flights to Melbourne, private airport transfers, two-night stay in Melbourne and a \$300 EFTPOS card for the brewery canteen and dinner.

Make a pact with a mate to share the prize and double the chances of winning. Time for a Furphy!

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## Twin Towns CLUB BANORA



MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
<p><b>10.30am BINGO</b></p> <p><b>7pm EVENING BINGO</b></p>  <p><b>27 JUL</b></p> <p><b>Tommy Memphis</b></p>  <p><b>20 JUL</b></p> <p><b>Delisch</b></p>  <p><b>18 JUL</b></p> <p><b>Mat Stokes</b></p>	<p><b>10.30am BINGO</b></p> <p><b>5pm-9pm LIVE ENTERTAINMENT</b></p> <p>3rd Jason Delphin 10th Rene Diaz 17th Dave J 24th Michael Hickey 31st Vanya</p>	<p><b>10.30am BINGO</b></p> <p><b>5pm-9pm RAFFLES &amp; LIVE ENTERTAINMENT</b></p> <p>4th Rick Barron 11th State of Origin 3 18th Mat Stokes 25th Wayne Vitali</p>  <p><b>27 JUL</b></p> <p><b>Lonewolf</b></p>	<p><b>10.30am BINGO</b></p> <p><b>6pm-9pm SOCIAL NEW VOGUE DANCING</b></p> <p>5th &amp; 19th Kimberley Davis</p>  <p><b>1 &amp; 22 JUL</b></p> <p><b>Davo</b></p>  <p><b>21 JUL</b></p> <p><b>THE RETRONOMES</b></p>	<p><b>10.30am BINGO</b></p> <p><b>3pm-6pm RIPPA RAFFLE &amp; GROOVES</b></p> <p>6th Scott Whatman 13th Martin Way 20th Russell Sprout 27th Lonewolf</p> <p><b>6.15pm-6.45pm RIPPA RAFFLE DRAW</b></p> <p><b>7pm-10pm FRIDAY NIGHT LIVE</b></p> <p>6th Talk of The Town 13th Elephant Rock 20th Delisch 27th Tommy Memphis</p>  <p><b>28 JUL</b></p> <p><b>Dance On</b></p>	<p><b>7.30pm-10.30pm DANCE NIGHT</b></p> <p>7th Little Stevie &amp; The Tail Fins 14th The Dukes of Earl 21st The Retronomes 28th Dance On</p>  <p><b>20 JUL</b></p> <p><b>Russell Sprout</b></p>  <p><b>7 JUL</b></p>	<p><b>11am-12.30pm DANIELLE GOULLET PRESENTS</b></p> <p>1st Dr Love 8th Gabe Phoenix 15th Simone Nicole 22nd Ian B MacLoud 29th Patrick Oxley</p> <p><b>12noon-3pm FREE KIDS DAY</b></p> <p><b>29th July</b></p> <p>Kids' outdoor play area Face painting, balloon artist, Inflatable Obstacle Challenge</p> <p><b>5pm-8.30pm SUNDAY GROOVES</b></p> <p>1st Davo 8th Big Guy 15th Rene Diaz 22nd Davo 29th Raku O'Gaia</p>

\*Club Banora & Juniors entertainment correct at time of printing. Some entertainment or times may be subject to change.



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<p><b>FRIDAY</b></p>  <p><b>BATTERED SNAPPER</b></p>	<p><b>SATURDAY</b></p>  <p><b>ROAST OF THE DAY</b></p>	<p><b>SUNDAY</b></p>  <p><b>LARGE PIZZA</b></p>

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# From Petite Bouche to your plate

Twin Towns Executive Chef Lloyd Cremer and chef Ashley Kirchner recently visited one of the Club's valued suppliers, Petite Bouche, for a farm tour and luncheon at their Mount Nathan property.

Petite Bouche is a local arm of national suppliers, Export Fresh, who began from humble beginnings as one grower and a van supplying the Sydney Markets. They may have started out small, but their produce quickly gained a reputation for excellence.

The company has grown to encompass 12 producers around Australia and in 2012 they purchased the old farm at Mount Nathan. They transformed the property into a working farm, producing hydroponically-



grown leaves, edible flowers and gourmet vegetables. This produce became their signature Petite Bouche Range.

Petite Bouche products are used extensively by chefs

at Twin Towns in Harbour Fresh, Gusti d'Italia and for menus specially created by chefs for banquets, gala dinners and weddings.

Chef Lloyd said it was great that the Club could support

local growers and buying locally ensured the freshness and full flavour that is often lacking when produce is transported long distances.

"We have been using the Petite Bouche range of edible flowers, herbs and garnishes for the past year or so and have found their ability to supply fresh, flavoursome and hard-to-find herbs second to none.

"Attending the luncheon was an opportunity to see how other chefs used the products to their full potential and see the care and commitment this company puts into ensuring the highest quality."

Diners are likely to spot Petite Bouche edible flowers and garnishes in the perfectly presented dishes at Gusti d'Italia and Harbour Fresh.



## NAIDOC Week

Twin Towns celebrates NAIDOC Week from 8 to 15 July with a colourful lightshow on the exterior of the Club building, featuring a selection of works by renowned local indigenous artist, Christine Slabb.

The origins of NAIDOC (National Aborigines and Islanders Day Observance Committee) Day can be traced to the emergence of Aboriginal groups in the 1920s which sought to increase awareness in the wider community of the status and treatment of Indigenous Australians.

NAIDOC Week is a time to celebrate Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander history, culture and achievements and an opportunity to recognise the immense contributions Indigenous Australians make to our country, society and local Tweed community.

The screens will run for 10 minutes, every hour on the hour, from 5pm to midnight during NAIDOC Week.



The cash just keeps coming for Twin Towns members in 2018 with a brand new \$60,000 members-only promotion kicking off on 1 August!

The more you visit Twin Towns, the more entries you'll have in the draw, and the more chances you'll have to share in the \$60,000 Members Money cash prize pool.

The weekly Wednesday night draws shift between Twin Towns (four draws in August), Twin Towns Juniors (four draws in September) and Club Banora (four draws in October).

Every \$10 spend will earn one ticket in the draw. Spend \$20 and receive two tickets; \$50 and receive five tickets in the draw, etc. Entry tickets will be marked with that week's draw number so they must be entered in that week's draw at the designated venue.

Members must be present to claim the cash. If not, the draw will jackpot by \$5,000 the following week.

See August Club News for more information and if you're not already a Twin Towns member, what are you waiting for? Make sure you're a member to be in the running to win some Members Money cash.

Head to the Twin Towns App for more details about the new Members Money promotion.

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# Vale Hilary Schmidt

The Twin Towns community was saddened to hear of the passing of Hilary Schmidt on 11 June 2018. Hilary, a Life Member of Twin Towns since 2011, dedicated more than three decades to her Club and the sport of Ladies Bowls.

Hilary enlisted in the Australian Women's Army at just 18 years of age. She was posted as a Gunner to the 38th Ack Ack Battery, spotting and following the movement of planes passing through the area during WWII.

It was here Hilary met Ken Schmidt and they became engaged. Soon after, Ken was posted to the Islands and it was two and a half long years before they became married upon his return. Hilary and Ken were married for almost 70 years before Ken passed away in 2016.

Hilary's service entitled her to join Twin Towns Services Club as a full voting

member in 1983 and six months later, she joined the Twin Towns Social Ladies Bowling Club. It marked the beginning of her long association with this internal club and the sport she loved.

From 1984 to 2006, Hilary served as an accredited National Umpire and Coach, following on to become Match Chairperson 1985, Games Director 1986, Junior Vice President 1987, Senior Vice President 1988, President 1989 and Welfare Officer 1990.

Hilary was awarded Honorary Membership of the Section in 1998 and in 2010, joined with her friend Ruth Warner to become Patrons of the Twin Towns Services Ladies Bowling Club.

She was the enthusiastic Publicity Officer for the Ladies Bowls from 2000 and completed her final Ladies Bowls club notes for this edition of Club News just a few days before she passed away.



Hilary continually promoted Twin Towns as *the* club to belong to. Her impressive contribution earned her the respect of fellow bowlers at Club and District level; respect that extended to the Twin Towns Board of Directors, Management and staff.

Condolences are extended to Hilary's family, friends and fellow bowlers.

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## RSL SUB-BRANCH

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Belinda McIntosh,  
Office Administrator

## BRIDGE

The Twin Towns Bridge Club held one of their most successful congresses in May with 16 teams coming from as far afield as Ballina and the Gold Coast. Despite the strong field, Twin Towns teams achieved probably their best ever results. The team of Ian Dickison, Chris Fraser, Elsie and Ray Thorley won the event, with the team of Graham Carson, John Masters, Jim Young and Denis Magee 3rd. The 2nd placed team also included a Twin Towns pair, John and Jocelyn Steele. Two further Twin Towns teams of Di Bailey, Kay Arbuckle, Raymond Payne, Brett Crabtree and Tom Lyons, Lyn Walsh, George and Patricia Powis won the B and C grade prizes. The club is seeking the views of its members regarding playing one day a week at Twin Towns Services Club in Tweed Heads.

Chris Fraser, President.

## MASTERS SWIMMING

We are so thankful for such a great 'heated' pool now that winter is settling in. A bit nippy when you get out, but the hot showers take off the chill. What a great birthday morning last month with our 100 years young George attending with his two sons. Always lovely to see him (as he now lives on the other side of Brisbane) and seeing him encourages us to not stop and keep fit. He attempted another two world records at the Brisbane Southside Carnival on 23

June and will update on how he went in next month's Club News. The Big Morning Tea held at Barb and Dave's place (as usual) raised over \$600, so we are pleased with ourselves; better than last year! Lots of postal swims coming up for this year. Bunbury Stingers, Toowoomba Tadpoles, Vikings-Tuggeranong Trifecta and Swimming Up Hills. It's great that Dave is home after his hospital vacation and his many laps in the pool have been a great factor in his recovery. Come join us for Fitness, Fun and Friendship.

Ding Dong

## MENS BOWLS

The first of our Open Sponsor's days took place in June and was a great success. There are two more to follow in August and September and with prize money of \$1,100, they create keen competition. Thanks to our sponsor organiser, Ross O'Leary, for his organisational skills so we are able to conduct these events. Without our marvellous sponsors, we would not be able to give our Members these events and other special days which we enjoy. Pennants kick off in early July. Thanks to those members who are representing the Club and good luck! Club Championships have been meandering along since June; the participation of members left a lot to be desired. The Games Director's team did everything they could to stimulate interest but were let down by not enough participants. Come on bowlers, get behind the organisers and have a go! To those on the sick list, a quick recovery and hurry back to bowls.

Blackers

## FISHING

Welcome once again my fishing friends. I think it is safe to say that winter is giving us a little taste of things to come. Our May competition saw the usual suspects in the leadership order. Club president Rod Davis stands tall on the podium with 1 bream, 1 whiting and 10 dart. 2nd goes to Gary Hawthorne with 10 dart and 3rd John Watkins. Gary takes 2nd by weight. A total of 53 fish were caught across the competition weekend with 14 members participating. A couple of our female members gave the guys a bit of a show with some nice flathead caught in the upper reaches of the Tweed River. Great going girls. The Fishing Club is keen to take on new members so dust off that old rod and reel and join a great club with three things in mind. Good company, fun and fishing. Enquires call Rod on 07 5524 1160. Until next time fellow fishos. Tight lines.

King Fisher

## TENNIS

All juniors are invited to a Family Fun Day of tennis at Club Banora on Saturday 7 July from 9.30am. There'll be organised fun games with other young people, as well as games with parents and adults. The ball machine will be out and is always a popular treat. The Banora Club Challenge is fast

approaching; it is open to all adult tennis members and juniors over the age of 16. Sunday 8 July from 11am will see the Singles events. Sunday 15 July will be both the Ladies and Mens Doubles events. Sunday 22 July will be the Mixed Events followed with a barbeque and presentation. Please make sure that your names are registered before each event - see the notice board for further details. Tweed District Saturday Competition at Banora will be held on 21 July from 1pm. Other Clubs are also hosting this event on different dates. Lots happening.

Kerry

## SENIORS SOCIAL

The next meeting will be on Monday 16 July at 9am in the Visions Room on the Mantra side of Twin Towns. The meeting will begin immediately after the bus passes are handed out. Selling at the next meeting: a day trip on Monday 6 August going north/west; lunch at the Fox & Hound. No trip on the 23 July. Also selling an extended trip - Christmas in July; seven days and six nights 22 to 28 July; cost is \$1299; includes day trips to Blue Mountains, Sydney Harbour cruise, Car Museum, Alison Homestead and more. Come and join our trip. All trips start 7.30am. Phone calls Tuesday to Friday 10am-4pm; Membership and new members Ursula 07 5576 3785; Welfare Del 07 5534 4756; Tour & Social Organiser Dorothy 07 5590 9301.

## GARDEN

This month there will be Christmas in July luncheon at the club's restaurant which will be fun. It's the Queensland Garden Expo at Nambour from 13 to 15 July if you'd like to take a drive. You will collect great tips from free lectures on eight live stages, see plenty of plants and be entertained by the roving musicians. The July meeting will be about begonias, which bloom and bloom, thriving happily in this sub-tropical environment. July it's time for pruning, mulching, weeding and planting. The best of it is the weather is cool enough to be out in the garden for hours. Also, it's time to be planning your entry for the garden competition in September; there's a category for everyone. Visitors welcome at meetings to enjoy morning tea, guest speaker, plants, flowers and lots of raffle prizes. The next meeting is 3 July at 9.45am. For enquiries call Maria 07 5524 8234.

## SNOOKER

Another very busy month. Mid-week competition winners were Paul Thomas, Adam Waller, Ray Gocke, Joe Darby, Joe Caridi, George Hendrickson, John Themelkos, Manfred Klinger, Ryan Cretan, George Johnson and Jack Hopkins. The Sponsored Sunday Tournament on 6 May was won by Ray Wilcher defeating Joe Darby. Semi-finalists were Paul Beggs and Paul Chappell. Consolation event was won by Bryne Smith defeating Megan Fullerton. The Sponsored Sunday tournament

on 27 May was won by Graham Wilson defeating Paul Beggs; semi-finalists Peter Campbell and Paul Beggs. The consolation was event won by Ian Andersen defeating Adam Brown. The FNCSA Handicap Championships were held on 20 May with Terry Malone defeating Graham Wilson; semi-finalists Des Turner and Jack Malone; quarter finalists Ryan Cretan, Adam Brown and Steve Springer. The interclub visit to Southport was held on 24 June so see next Club News for results. Good potting.

El Presidente

## DIGGERS SWIMMING

Swimmers, mark 17 November on your calendar now as that day we are hosting the FNC and FNW Championships. Diligent Janet Henry is back in her timekeeper's chair following her jaunt to Europe but one we won't see at the pool for a while is Bruce Rogers. While walking, he suffered slight injuries after being 'nudged' by a passing car, and then followed this up with a fall resulting in a badly broken leg. Beware! Bruce is our second swimmer to suffer a broken leg as a result of putting the rubbish bins out. Members were saddened to learn that Barry Jurd has been dealt a serious hand in the health stakes and we send him our support. Also, Bryan Osborne will be taking a break to attend to health issues. Sunny Sunday mornings, and heated water, has seen good roll-ups and good times at Oasis pools. Come join us!

Bubbles

## RUNNERS & WALKERS

Members who competed in the Gold Coast Marathon event in early July did extremely well. A great event, well organised and lots of goals achieved. Thanks to our supporters and those who set up the tent and worked quietly behind the scenes. The Committee has decided not to go ahead with an extra meet on Thursday evenings as the trial did not attract large numbers. We are a friendly group of runners and walkers and new members are always welcome. We meet three times a week and cater for all ages and levels of fitness. We vary the routes and distances and like to work together achieving goals. Come run or walk with us for up to three times before you need to commit. We also enjoy social interaction outside the meets. Check us out on Facebook or our website [ttsrunnersandwalkers.org](http://ttsrunnersandwalkers.org) For enquiries, contact our Secretary Tracy Mo 0414 590 940.

## EUCHRE/500

Our games are held upstairs at Twin Towns Juniors. We have an electronic Chair Stair Lift for people who cannot manage the stairs. 500 is held on Tuesday nights and Euchre on Thursday nights commencing 7pm. Fees to play are \$3 for members and \$4 for non-members and there are prizes for placegetters as well as a

Lucky Door prize. Any visitors and new residents to the area will be made most welcome and if you wish to brush up your skills, please come along 15 minutes before our starting time. In Euchre, May winners: a tie between Jo Hortle and Tricia King and also a tie for 2nd between Max Atherton and Steve Huxstep. In 500, there was another tie for Elaine Denman and Denise Monaghan, as well as a tie for 2nd between Barbara Lewis and Judy Kenny. For all enquiries, contact Pat Lesina on 07 5534 6188.

Joker Judy

## LADIES BOWLS

It has been another busy month for the Ladies Bowls. The Championships for 2018 have been decided. The finals of the Championship Triples was won by skip Marion Munzone and 2nd Bev Morris, lead Judy Foad who defeated skip Veronica Power, 2nd Julia Johnston and lead Mavis Plant. The B Grade Singles final was won by Marlene Clark who defeated Jocelyn Gerrish. Congratulations to all the ladies. The ladies celebrated their 34th birthday on Friday 1 June. The GCTDLBA was represented by President Marilyn Bradley, Lynda Gardiner Games, and Lyn Peters Jnr Vice President. Representatives from Tugun, Robina and Tweed Heads also helped the ladies to celebrate this successful and happy day for the ladies. Now it is time to prepare for the GCTDLBA Pennant Competition for 2018 which commences in July and will continue through until October. Happy bowling.

Hilary S, Publicity Officer

Postscript: Sadly, this will be the final report from Hilary, as in the early hours of Monday 11 June, our Patron and Past President passed away. She leaves us with a legacy of Club representation and commitment from the very beginning of the TTSLBC, as well as serving both the GCTDLBA and Hamilton Bowls Club. Veronica Power, Hon. Secretary

## SOCIAL GOLF

Results 1 April: Stableford winner Matt Carmichael 17 pts; runner-up Will Salter 16c/b; a day out for the high handicappers. 8 April: Stableford winner Des Donaghy 24pts; runner-up Mick Byrne 19 pts. 15 April: Stableford winner Bill Jauncey 20 pts; runner-up Mick Byrne 18 pts. 22 April: Medal winner Wayne Woodeye 34 nett; runner-up Steve Teague 35. 29 April: Castaways 18 holes Rick Downes winner 37 pts; Bill Jauncey runner-up 36pts; nice result for Banora holding a 37 point lead. 5 May: Stableford winner Will Salter 25 pts; runner-up Steve Watkins 19. 13 May: Stableford winner Justin Hayes 21 pts; runner-up Pres Porky 18. 20 May: Medal winner Chris Harding 31 pts; runner-up Frank Watego 32 pts. 27 May: 2 Man Ambrose winners Steve Teague/Rob Sheppard 32; runners-up Dunny/Dave Kammer 33.25nett; cheers Warwick Self, sponsors of both trophies. 3 June: Medal winner Ray Mclean 34 nett; runner-up Phil Woodgate 35.

## What are you doing today?

Twin Towns has a range of sporting and social clubs.

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For more details, contact any of the internal clubs listed on this page or call 07 5536 2277.



# Five top flicks for July

A heart-warming story about friendship and perseverance, a WWII docudrama about the German occupation of Britain's Isle of Jersey, an uplifting musical, a star-studded comedy and an action-packed superhero movie are all coming to Twin Towns in July.

**Wonder** is the story of Auggie, a boy born with a genetic facial disfigurement, navigating his way through fifth grade. With solid performances from Julia Roberts, Owen Wilson and child actor Jacob Tremblay, this movie has a positive message for all ages and all walks of life.

Set in WWII, **Another Mother's Son** is the true story of Louisa Gould (Jenny Seagrove), a local shopkeeper who harbours an escaped Russian POW during the Nazi occupation of Jersey. This film portrays the bravery and selflessness of many ordinary people who risked their lives for others during that era.

Starring Hugh Jackman, **The Greatest Showman** is a feel-good musical about the life of visionary P.T. Barnum and his quest to create a unique and peculiar spectacle, labelled by many as a 'freak' show'. Zac Efron (Hairspray) also stars alongside

Michelle Williams (Brokeback Mountain). Critics say this movie is nothing short of a masterpiece.

**Daddy's Home 2** is the comedy sequel which follows Brad (Will Ferrell) and Dusty (Mark Wahlberg) and their life as co-dads. This hilarious movie introduces Dusty's father (Mel Gibson) and Brad's father (John Lithgow) as the grandfathers who also come from different walks of life. If you love a good laugh-out-loud movie, this is a must see.

Homegrown Aussie star Chris Hemsworth reprises his role as superhero god in **Thor: Ragnarok**. After being held captive on the planet Sakaar without his trusty hammer, Thor must race against time to save his home of Asgard from the evil

villainess, Hela (Cate Blanchett). This action-packed adventure is absolutely Thor-some!

**2 JULY: WONDER (PG)**  
Family/drama stars Julia Roberts, Owen Wilson, Jacob Tremblay

**9 JULY: ANOTHER MOTHER'S SON (PG)**  
War/drama stars Jenny Seagrove, John Hannah

**16 JULY: THE GREATEST SHOWMAN (PG)**  
Musical stars Hugh Jackman, Zac Efron, Michelle Williams

**23 JULY: DADDY'S HOME 2 (PG)**  
Comedy stars Will Ferrell, Mark Wahlberg, Mel Gibson, John Lithgow

**30 JUNE: THOR: RAGNAROK (M)**  
Action stars Chris Hemsworth, Tom Hiddleston, Cate Blanchett



**Entry to Twin Towns movies is \$5 for members and visitors, with members receiving their \$5 entry fee back in Twin Towns dollars.** Twin Towns dollars can be spent on food and beverages throughout any of the Clubs – Twin Towns, Club Banora, Twin Towns Juniors or Signatures at Mantra. Members can save them up for a special occasion or enjoy a coffee in Flame or Images after the movies.

**Movies screened in the Showroom at 11am & 7pm.**

# The Stage

## FREE ENTERTAINMENT JULY

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
<p><b>10.15am BINGO</b></p> <p><b>12.30pm SPECIAL EVENT</b> 16th Goodman Swings Again</p> <p><b>4pm LINE DANCING</b> Russell Hinton 2nd with special guest</p> <p><b>7pm DANCE NIGHT</b> Mark Wilson</p>  <p><b>4 JUL</b> LONG GONE DADDYS BAND</p>	<p><b>11.30am LINE DANCING</b> Russell Hinton 17th with guests Toucan Twango</p> <p><b>3.30pm SOCIAL NEW VOGUE SEQUENCE DANCE</b> Tony &amp; Patti</p> <p><b>7.30pm LIVE ENTERTAINMENT</b> 3rd The Gathering Irish Duo 10th Spin 17th Bill Jacobi 24th Mark Divola 31st Rob Rosenlund &amp; Tony Jeffrey</p>  <p><b>19-22 JUL</b> STEVE CUMMINS &amp; THE BARSTUDS</p>	<p><b>10.15am BINGO</b></p> <p><b>12.30pm ROCK AROUND THE CLOCK</b> 4th Tommy Memphis 11th Wally &amp; The Gators 18th Floorburners 25th Chi Chi</p> <p><b>4pm LIVE ENTERTAINMENT</b> 4th Customline 11th The Mustangs 18th Plumb Loco 25th Point Blank</p> <p><b>7.30pm LIVE ENTERTAINMENT</b> 4th Long Gone Daddys Band 11th Little Stevie &amp; The Tail Fins 18th Dukes Of Earl 25th The Retronomes</p>  <p><b>11 JUL</b> WALLY &amp; THE GATORS</p>	<p><b>10.15am BINGO</b></p> <p><b>12.30pm SOCIAL NEW VOGUE DANCING</b> Patti Bond</p> <p><b>7.30pm LIVE ENTERTAINMENT</b> 5th Jellybean Jam 12th Mix City 19th Steve Cummins &amp; The Barstuds 26th Pink Zinc</p>  <p><b>26-29 JUL</b> PINK ZINC</p>  <p><b>12-15 JUL</b> MIX CITY</p>	<p><b>11am DANIELLE GOULLET PRESENTS</b> 6th Simone Cutting 13th Kiara Rodrigues 20th Rodney Vincent 27th Christopher Booth</p> <p><b>4.30pm LIVE ENTERTAINMENT</b> 6th Remedy 13th The Street 20th Triple J's 27th Captain Wow</p> <p><b>9pm LIVE ENTERTAINMENT</b> 6th Jellybean Jam 13th Mix City 20th Steve Cummins &amp; The Barstuds 27th Pink Zinc</p>  <p><b>5, 6 &amp; 8 JUL</b> JELLYBEAN JAM</p>	<p><b>10.15am BINGO</b></p> <p><b>4.30pm LIVE ENTERTAINMENT</b> 7th Rock Salt 14th Wear The Fox Hat 21st The Funkwagnells 28th Tripickit</p> <p><b>9pm LIVE ENTERTAINMENT</b> 7th SOUL'D 14th Mix City 21st Steve Cummins &amp; The Barstuds 28th Pink Zinc</p>  <p><b>15 JUL</b> DEZZIED STINGRAYZ</p>	<p><b>2.30pm LIVE ENTERTAINMENT</b> 1st Social New Vogue Dancers Workshop Weekend 8th Rockks 15th Dezzie D &amp; The Stingrayz 22nd Devils Kiosk 29th The Root Note</p> <p><b>7pm LIVE ENTERTAINMENT</b> 1st Virtuosity 8th Jellybean Jam 15th Mix City 22nd Steve Cummins &amp; The Barstuds 29th Pink Zinc</p>  <p><b>18 JUL</b> DUKES OF EARL</p>

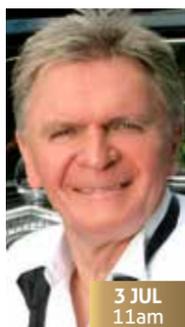
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# The Showroom

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## JULY-AUG DAY SHOWS

Unless otherwise noted, tickets \$7 members, \$12 non-members  
tickets on day of the show \$10 members, \$15 non-members



**3 JUL**  
11am  
JOHN MCSWEENEY  
Live in Concert



**4 JUL**  
11am  
THE KINGS OF COMEDY  
Starring Brett Thomas, Kenny Graham, Rick Allison, Bobby Bradford & Al Showman



**17 JUL**  
11am  
THE POPERA SHOW  
Starring Daniel Mallari



**18 JUL**  
11am  
VARIETY SPECTACULAR  
Mischief, Music & Mayhem  
Starring Deana Peher, Dave Mitchell, Peter Simpson, Souolutions & Showgirls



**24 JUL**  
11am  
ALL MY LOVING  
The Complete Beatles



**6 JUL**  
8.30pm  
PETE MURRAY  
Heartbeats Tour  
Tickets \$45



**7 JUL**  
8.30pm  
EVERLY BROTHERS AND FRANKIE VALLI & THE FOUR SEASONS  
Starring The Robertson Brothers & Simon Brook McLachlan  
Tickets \$49



**20 JUL**  
8.30pm  
NORMIE ROWE  
With Special Guest Tony Worstley  
Tickets \$42



**28 JUL**  
8.30pm  
BAY CITY ROLLERS  
Starring Les McKeown  
Tickets \$65



**11 AUG**  
8.30pm  
BRITISH INVASION  
Rob Caudill as Rod Stewart  
Jeff Duff as David Bowie  
Lance Strauss as Elton John  
Tickets \$39



**25 JUL**  
11am  
THE LEGENDS OF COUNTRY  
Starring Scott Dann, Lee Conway & Samantha Dann



**31 JUL**  
11am  
DUSTY AND THE DIVAS  
Featuring Sharon Rowntree



**1 AUG**  
11am  
THE FABULOUS SOUNDS OF THE SIXTIES SHOW



**7 AUG**  
11am  
THE GIRL FROM OZ  
Starring Shelly White  
Back by Popular Demand



**8 AUG**  
11am  
THE LEGENDS OF SWING MEETS UNFORGETTABLE NATALIE COLE  
Presented by The Les Wilson Swing Force Band  
Featuring Cherryn Lomas



**17 AUG**  
8pm  
NEIL DIAMOND SUPER HITS SHOW  
25th Anniversary Tour  
With 12-Piece Band & Special Guests  
Tickets \$29



**18 AUG**  
8.30pm  
HERMAN'S HERMITS  
30th Anniversary At Twin Towns  
1988-2018  
Tickets \$39



**24 AUG**  
8.30pm  
THE FORTUNES  
Live In Concert  
Tickets \$35



**25 AUG**  
8.30pm  
ELVIS: AN AMERICAN TRILOGI  
Direct From The USA  
Tickets \$50



**31 AUG**  
8.30pm  
SYDNEY COMEDY FESTIVAL SHOWCASE 2018  
M15+  
Tickets \$37

# RED25 Twinnies Crew



Twin Towns Bar Supervisor, Bec O'Brien, says she'd often thought about donating blood but just never seemed to get around to it. After finally making an appointment at the Red Cross Blood Bank, she was sad to learn that only 3 percent of the population donate blood each year.

"Donated blood only lasts up to 42 days, which is part of the reason why it's so important to keep donations coming in, particularly throughout winter when stocks become low due to the cold and flu season."

So Bec thought she would try and get the Twin Towns staff involved.

The Australian Red Cross have a program called RED25, which allows organisations to donate

as a group, keep tally of their donations each month, and keep track of the number of lives saved through those donations.

Bec is now the coordinator of Twin Towns' RED25 group of eight staff members, known as the 'Twinnies Crew'. It's Bec's mission to encourage more staff, family and friends to get involved with the Red Cross Blood Service and she is looking forward to seeing the 'Twinnies Crew' RED25 group grow in numbers and donations.

"We made our first group donation at the end of May and will continue to donate every three months to help support this great cause.

"Every donation is special and can help save three lives. The Twinnies Crew is



Bec O'Brien with Red Cross Blood Service Community Relations Officer (Lismore to Southport), Scott Morrison, a former staff member at Twin Towns.

extremely proud to have already helped save 24 lives, just from our first donations," said Bec.

If you or your workplace would like to donate or register in the RED25 program, call the

Australian Red Cross on 13 14 95 or jump online and head to [www.donateblood.com.au](http://www.donateblood.com.au)

Bec said that raising awareness about donating blood is vital for the continued success

of this very important community service.

"It only takes one hour to help save three lives. It feels amazing to be able to give such a precious gift to someone in need," said Bec.



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