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VOTE TO DECIDE THE FUTURE OF CUDGEN LEAGUES CLUB

THE FUTURE OF CUDGEN LEAGUES CLUB AND ITS OPENING IN 2022 NOW RESTS IN THE HANDS OF CUDGEN LEAGUES CLUB MEMBERS

CUDGEN Leagues Club

Cudgen Leagues Club members will vote at an EGM at 9am DST on 11 December to determine whether an amalgamation with Twin Towns proceeds.

If Cudgen members vote in favour, an EGM will be called for TwinTowns members to also vote on the amalgamation.

An amalgamation means a new multi-million-dollar Cudgen Leagues Club will open its doors in 2022 and become part of the Twin Towns family of Clubs.

It will also mean the long-awaited return of dining, bars, live entertainment and everything Cudgen locals have missed since their much-loved Club was almost totally destroyed by fire in May 2020.

CEO Rob Smith said a vote for Twin Towns is the only way to fast-track construction of the new Cudgen Leagues Club.

"We have already signed a Memorandum of Understanding with Cudgen's Board and they are 'over the moon' with our proposal.

"Not only will it ensure the new Club opens in 2022, they will receive far more than they ever anticipated, plus they have the security of the Twin Towns organisation to back them up if times get tough.

"Twin Towns has also offered huge financial commitments to Cudgen Leagues Club's sporting bodies to secure their future and upgrade their facilities and grounds," said Rob.

Rob said he hopes members of Cudgen Leagues Club take the time ahead of the EGM to read through the Memorandum of Understanding as it clearly outlines their proposal and what it holds for members.

"Twin Towns funds to build the new Club, inside and out, are already committed and planning is done. "Locals will have a new two level Club in 2022. If the amalgamation doesn't proceed, Cudgen is back to square one. Planning starts all over again and we won't be a party to it.

"It could take years before Cudgen Leagues Club finally gets a new Club," he said.

CEO Rob Smith urged
Cudgen Leagues Club
members, and Twin Towns
members who are also
members of Cudgen,
to consider what Twin
Towns has brought to the
table and the benefits the
amalgamation will bring in
the future.

"If members and locals want a new Club, and they want it now, they need to get along to the EGM and vote for it," said Rob.

COOG HAS HIS SAY ON THE AMALGAMATION

Ken 'Coog' Prichard is a Life Member, former footy player, gold medallist in lawn bowls at the World Transplant Games and foundation Director and Treasurer of his much-loved Cudgen Leagues Club.

Coog has had a long and strong association with Cudgen Leagues Club since the '50s and has no hesitation in sharing his staunch support for the amalgamation with Twin Towns.

"I'd like to try and convince members it's the right thing to do. Twin Towns will guarantee the future of Cudgen Leagues Club and I strongly urge members to vote for the amalgamation.

"To me, it's just common sense. If they have to borrow the money, what's the point. The Club hasn't made a profit in years and when it did, it was only small.

"There'll be nothing left for sporting clubs, they'll need to employ a manager, and I just can't see that it's possible to do it.

"Twin Towns' offer is a good deal for everyone, the football club and all the sporting clubs. Plus the bowling side of things is guaranteed too and it could get better, depending how the new Club performs in the future.

"Twin Towns has been very professional, they've got the money behind them and they are going to rebuild our Club. If it's knocked back by members, it could be held up another year or more.

"I'm voting for Twin Towns and the amalgamation."



Cudgen Leagues Club Member, Coog Prichard.



The past 12 months have gone quickly but I won't be sorry to see the end of 2021, a year that was challenging for the entire population.

The effect on Twin Towns Clubs and Resorts was extremely difficult due to the lack of information provided by politicians. It was, at best, very confusing for our local and interstate members and visitors. The impact on our bottom line due to all this confusion was significant and it is only now starting to improve, albeit very slowly.

The Clubs were once again closed for a long period of time which caused real problems for our members and visitors in general. The farcical situation where Queensland residents were not permitted to venture across the border to visit their Club or be involved with the many internal clubs' activities once the Border Bubble was reinstated, was disappointing for those affected.

Unfortunately, Twin Towns does not have any input into Queensland Government decision-making, no matter how ridiculous.

The Development Application for the new Juniors Club has been approved by Tweed Shire Council and construction will commence in the not-too-distant future. The project has taken a long time to come to fruition but I am sure the brand-new Club will be welcomed by our faithful members.

At their recent Strategic Meeting, the Board of Directors agreed that a new Master Plan was required for Club Banora. This will replace the existing plan, approved by members over 13 years ago, which is now out of date in the current environment.

The Board has engaged a number of consultants and urban design specialists to prepare a new Master Plan that better suits the requirements of the Club Banora precinct.

When the Master Plan is completed, members will be consulted and any issues or suggestions you provide will be addressed prior to the plan being approved or implemented.

Aged care provider, Infinite Care, has expressed interest in developing a facility on the vacant land known as the golf practice area. This was approved by the members but has not proceeded at this point in time due to the COVID-19 pandemic and the Royal Commission into the aged care sector in general.

The Board has decided to approach other aged care providers to gauge their interest in developing this parcel of land. Members will be kept updated of any interest.

Twin Towns' Amalgamation with Cudgen Leagues Club will be decided at an EGM of Cudgen members on Saturday 11 December. The Boards of both Clubs are keen for the amalgamation to proceed and we hope for a positive outcome.

I hope members of both Clubs consider the benefits the amalgamation will bring for Cudgen Leagues Club and vote in favour of the amalgamation.

Construction of the Harbour Terrace balcony overlooking Jack Evans Boat Harbour is nearing completion. Large umbrellas have been installed, along with a new bar which will service the balcony.

I can imagine nothing better than sitting outdoors on the balcony, partaking of a cool beverage and a snack on a sunny afternoon, while watching the activities on the harbour. Look forward to seeing you there when it opens on 17 December.

The Board has moved forward the date when members' points will be purged. From this year on, points will be purged at close of business on 31 December.

As Christmas is almost upon us. I would like to take this opportunity to thank all members for the support you have given the Board and Management during this difficult period. We can only look forward with a positive outlook for the future.

On behalf of the Board, I wish all our members and staff a very merry Christmas and a safe, healthy and happy New Year. I hope all your wishes come true and you will be able to share this special time surrounded by family and friends.

If you have a friend or neighbour who is spending Christmas alone this year because family are unable to visit, be sure to take the time to call in, say hello and make sure they are okay.

Don't forget to cash in your points because they will be purged before you wake up on New Year's Day 2022.

Stay safe, see you next year.

Brian Brown



for you to spend.

You must use your eVoucher before close of trade on Friday 24 December.

If you're a Club Key member, upgrade to Advantage membership before 23 December and you will be eligible for the \$10 eVoucher. Get more than half your annual membership fee back in Christmas Cheer, plus other perks and bonuses throughout the year.

Mew Year's Eve AT YOUR FAVOURITE CLUB

TWIN TOWNS

Have TWICE as much fun on New Year's Eve at Twin Towns with two big bands at The Stage and two time zones to celebrate at midnight! Music from 5.30pm to 9.30pm Qld with Rock City Saints, followed by Twin Towns favourite party band, The Frocks, who'll rock you into the New Year from 10pm to 2am Qld.

CLUB BANORA

There's family fun under the stars at the Oasis Pools New Year's Eve Pool Party from 5.30pm to 9.30pm NSW. Enjoy a BBQ, live music by the pool, giant inflatables waterslides (weather permitting) and fireworks at 9pm NSW. Admission \$8 per person | \$26 for a family of four | kids under 2 years free.

TWITOMS CLUB BANORA

BANORA LOUNGE

Join the timewarp of music and fun at Club Banora on New Year's Eve from 8pm to 12am NSW with classic hits of the 70s with That 70s Show. Wear your best Seventies gear – think big hair, big flairs, hippy-style or dust off your safari suit. Stroll outside to see the fireworks over Oasis Pools at 9pm NSW.

JUNIORS

For a laid-back NYE this year at the local, head to Juniors. Have dinner at Wok Chop 'n Grill, listen to some free live music with Max Hoorn from 6pm to 10pm NSW and relax over a few NYE drinks, indoors or outside under the stars.











DINING AND DRINKS WITH A VIEW

On Friday 17 December, just in time for Summer, alfresco dining and drinks on the Harbour Terrace Balcony, with spectacular views over Jack Evans Boat Harbour and beyond, is set to be the star attraction at Twin Towns.



The best news is you will be able to order drinks and meals via your mobile device and they will be delivered to your table on the balcony. Just sit, relax and soak up the view!

On Fridays and Saturdays, order cantina-style lunch or dinner from Amigos Express. The menu has all the Mex favourites - tacos, nachos, enchiladas, and more, with your choice of fillings, salsas and condiments. Amigos also serves up healthy house-

made salads and burrito bowls.

Fridays and Saturdays, try the Mega Mates pizza deal, a giant 18-inch pizza plus a jug of beer for just \$39 for members. Regular pizzas from Flame Pizzeria are available for lunch and dinner seven days a week.

Saturdays and Sundays, a BBQ Smoker will be fired up on the balcony so you and your friends can kick back with an icy cold jug of beer (or your favourite cocktail jug) and feast on a platter of whole BBQ prime cuts, served with all the trimmings.

Here is a taste of what's on the menu. Smoked beef brisket, buttery potatoes, corn on the cob, brioche bun, crème fraîche with chives, just \$28 for regular or \$40 for a large platter. Other choices include tender Texan pork shoulder and a family favourite, low 'n' slow smoked chicken, whole or half.

There will be umbrellas and

seating in the sunshine or undercover. Live acoustic sessions are also planned for weekends throughout Summer. Check the website for details.

Bring your hat, a healthy appetite, a giant thirst and a big smile because dining and drinks overlooking the harbour is something we've all been looking forward to!

Designated smoking areas will still be available for those who wish to use them.











WIN ONE OF FOUR STUNNING 85" SAMSUNG QLED MEGASCREENS AND TRANSFORM YOUR LOUNGEROOM INTO A HOME CINEMA, JUST IN TIME FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

Imagine the luxury of watching the Ashes on your giant TV or plugging in the Xbox for some life size action on the big screen. Watching movies on Netflix or Stan will step up to an exciting new level of sound and picture quality.

The TVs, which are valued at around \$5,000 each, will be drawn on Christmas Eve so there's just a few more weeks to get some tickets in the draw.

Members can get one ticket each day they visit Club Banora or Juniors with their first purchase of

ANY beverage. It can be a beer, wine or spirit, tea, coffee or soft drink. The more days you visit, the more tickets you'll have in the barrel. Visit both Clubs on the same day to get even more entries in the draw.

The TVs will be drawn at 6pm NSW on Friday 24 December and you must be present at Club Banora or Juniors to claim the prize!

If you do win one of these two metre wide, state-of-the-art TVs, you'll be the first to agree. Size really does matter!

*Conditions apply; NTP/02265





MEGA SCREEN GIVEAWA

GET ONE TICKET IN THE DRAW EACH DAY WITH YOUR FIRST PURCHASE OF ANY BEVERAGE AT CLUB BANORA & TWIN TOWNS JUNIORS.

DRAWN 24 DECEMBER | BE THERE TO WIN!

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TIME TO GASH THEM IN

If all goes to plan and the Qld/NSW border reopens this month, we look forward to

welcoming members from both sides of the border back to the Clubs!

To ensure more members get the chance to cash in their points, this year Twin Towns has extended the final date to redeem your Members Advantage Points to close of trade on New Year's Eve. In previous years, the deadline has been Christmas Eve.

There are lots of ways to use them, whenever you visit the Clubs. Here's how.

The Pitstop terminal gives you access to physical or electronic gift cards from popular national retailers. Use them for

gifts, groceries or to stock up the fridge for Christmas. Minimum card value is \$50 (5,000 points).

Redeem points for VISA and EFTPOS cards, which can be used wherever accepted (small transaction fee applies).

Purchase a Twin Towns gift card, valid for up to three years. Minimum card value is \$20 (2,000 points). Use these for food and beverage purchases at the Clubs.

Spend your points at the Clubs ANYTIME for food, beverages and more.

Check your points balance at any point of sale, on the Twin Towns App, at the Kiosks or via the Members Portal on the Twin Towns website. Just remember to redeem this year's points before the end of 2021.

We always recommend you check the Conditions of Entry before you visit the Clubs.







IT'S BEGINNING TO LOOK A LOT LIKE

Twin Towns doesn't just 'deck the halls with boughs of holly' at Christmas time, lounges, foyers and restaurants across every corner of the Club also receive a magical, glittering makeover.

The display includes Christmas trees, wreaths and stars, giant illuminated gift boxes, Santa in in his sleigh and the four-metre high 'Big Fella' riding high on his reindeer.

Bring your phone when you visit Twin Towns and snap a selfie in Santa's chair at the top of the main staircase. Post your pic to

Facebook and tag Twin Towns when you do.

During the first week of December, the decorations also come out at Club Banora, spreading the cheer across the Clubs.

After what's been a challenging year for Twin Towns members, visitors, staff and contractors. and businesses on both sides of the border, the Board and Management hope the Christmas decorations add a little sparkle to your day. Bring on 2022 and hopefully, it's a better year for all!

CYCLE INTO SUMMER

Don't miss your chance to win a Progear E-Bike in Keno's latest giveaway, drawn at Twin Towns on Monday 3 January.

The E-Trail Electric Mountain Bike, with its luxurious gold lightweight alloy frame, powerful motor and stylish finish, will definitely be a thrill

For a ticket in the draw, just spend \$10 or more on Keno. Come January, you could be zooming into Twinnies in style on a new E-Bike with all the bells and whistles.



Lina Putzolu from the Promotions Department takes the Progear E-Bike for a spin through the Club.



See your Keno Operator to find out more

Must be 18 years or older. One entry per Keno ticket purchased. Available at a participating venue from Sunday, November 28, 2021 to Saturday, January 1, 2022. Winners drawn in venue at 10:00am on Monday, January 3, 2022 and published on www.keno.com.au.









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WOMEN LIKE US Mandy Nolan & Ellen Briggs

Friday 3 December, 8pm Qld

Tickets \$59 + booking fee

Women Like Us was born when these two comics decided to step away from the male dominated comedy scene into venues where women's stories and experiences are centre stage. These 'Real Women' tell it how it is! Book now.



THE TRAVELING WILBURYS SESSIONS

Saturday 11 December, 8pm Qld

Tickets \$59 + booking fee

The Traveling Wilburys was a supergroup, their music adored by generations of music lovers. Now, their best-loved tracks have been reimagined for Australian audiences in an unforgettable evening of sensational vocals, knockout harmonies and gargantuan guitar. Book now.



ARJ BARKER We Need to Talk

Friday 17 December, 8pm Qld

Tickets \$49 + booking fee

Australia's adopted son of comedy brings his brand-new show to Twin Towns. When he's not on stage, Arj is a regular on Australian TV shows including The Project and Have You Been Paving Attention and is one of the Melbourne International Comedy Festival favourites. Book now.



DUSTY & THE DIVAS Tribute to Dusty Springfield

Tuesday 21 December, 11am Qld

Tickets \$12.50

Relive the hits of the late Dusty Springfield and the glitz and glamour of some of the world's most famous divas from the '60s and '70s. Featuring songs from Petula Clark, Lulu, Cilla Black and Dolly Parton. Book now.



DANCING IN THE SHADOWS OF MOTOWN

Friday 7 January, 8pm Qld

Tickets \$53 + booking fee

Don't miss this 10 Piece Powerhouse band who faithfully recreate the dynamic live performances of The Temptations, Stevie Wonder, The Supremes, Marvin Gaye, Martha and The Vandellas, The Four Tops, Fontella Bass, The Jackson Five, Smokey Robinson and many more MOTOWN Legends. Book now.



SPINNING WHEEL **Featuring Jeff Duff**

Saturday 8 January, 8pm Qld

Tickets \$45 + booking fee

Jeff Duff takes on the vocal challenge of two powerful and influential bands. Blood Sweat & Tears brought songs such as Spinning Wheel and Hi De Ho. US band Chicago's songbook included Make Me Smile, Saturday in the Park and Beginnings. Book now.



THE ANGELS The Greatest Show on Earth

Sunday 9 January, 8pm Qld

Tickets \$50 + booking fee

The Angels wanted to put something big together to reconnect with their fans. And for Angels fans, it doesn't get any bigger or better than this. We're talking wall-to-wall hits - Am I Ever Gonna See Your Face Again, No Secrets, Shadow Boxer, Let the Night Roll On, We Gotta Get Out of This Place, and more. Book now.



ROCKIN THROUGH THE AGES

Friday 14 January, 8pm Qld

Tickets \$37 + booking fee

Three of the cheekiest entertainers around deliver this awesome show, especially for baby boomers! Enjoy a funfilled night of music, nostalgia, clips and TV ads, along with a 'blast from the past' of everything you loved (and now miss) from the 50s, 60s and 70s. Book now.





GOLD DUST WOMAN The Stevie Nicks/Fleetwood Mac Experience

Saturday 12 February, 8pm Qld

Tickets \$39 + booking fee

The ultimate tribute to supergroup Fleetwood Mac! Relive the hauntingly beautiful vocals of Stevie Nicks and electrifying guitar work of Lindsay Buckingham when this team of top musicians light up the stage with the timeless Fleetwood Mac classics of the '70s and '80s. Book now.



FREE NSW SENIORS' CHRISTMAS CONCERT





DINE & DISCOVER FOR \$25 OFF

NSW residents have until 30 June 2022 to use their existing DINE & DISCOVER vouchers, and an additional two \$25 vouchers will automatically appear in the Service NSW app in early December.

DINE vouchers can be used for \$25 off dining at Twin Towns, 1st on Wharf Tavern, Club Banora and Twin Towns Juniors. DISCOVER vouchers give you for \$25 off show tickets in the Twin Towns Showroom.

Harbour Fresh at Twin Towns reopens on Fridays and Saturdays from 3 December. The stylish menu features premium seafood and steaks and the popular '2 for \$99 members deal' which includes two courses for two people and a bottle of selected wine.

With the new Harbour Terrace balcony at Twin Towns opening in early December, you can use your voucher to enjoy outdoor dining overlooking the Jack Evans Boat Harbour.

<u>Click here</u> for restaurant opening times at Twin Towns, Club Banora and Juniors.

<u>Click here</u> to see the latest shows coming to the Twin Towns Showroom.

FRIDAY HAPPY HOUR AT THE TAVERN

FROM 3 DECEMBER, SWING INTO SUMMER AT 1ST ON WHARF TAVERN WITH THE NEW \$5 MEMBERS HAPPY HOUR, EVERY FRIDAY FROM 4PM TO 6PM QLD.

Happy Hour drink prices are guaranteed to put a smile on your dial! Draught beer schooners are just \$5 and selected bubbles, red wine, white wine just \$5 too.

Happy Hour steps up a notch with a monthly prize draw to win a fantastic Summer Sunday Sesh outdoor dining experience for 10 people on the new Harbour Terrace Balcony overlooking the Boat Harbour.

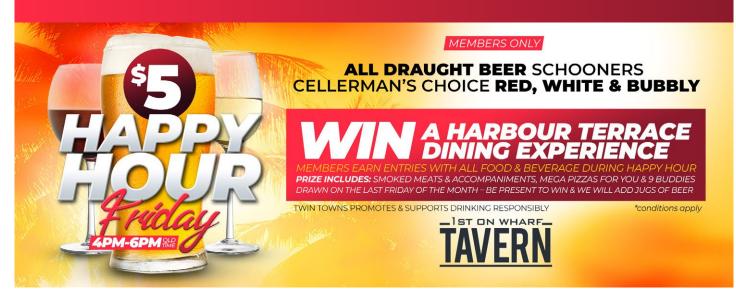
The prize includes selection of meat platters from the smoker BBQ with all the trimmings, Mega Mates Pizzas to share, and if the member is present at the monthly draw, Twinnies will throw in a few jugs of beer for the table.

Members get a ticket in the draw with every food or beverage purchase during Happy Hour.

The prize will be drawn during Happy Hour on the last Friday of the month. The first monthly draw will be New Year's Eve, Friday 31 December.

The more times you rock up for Friday Happy Hour, the more tickets you'll have in the draw, so more chances to win this awesome prize.

Give your mates or work buddies the heads up on Happy Hour and make a pact to share the prize if one of you win.

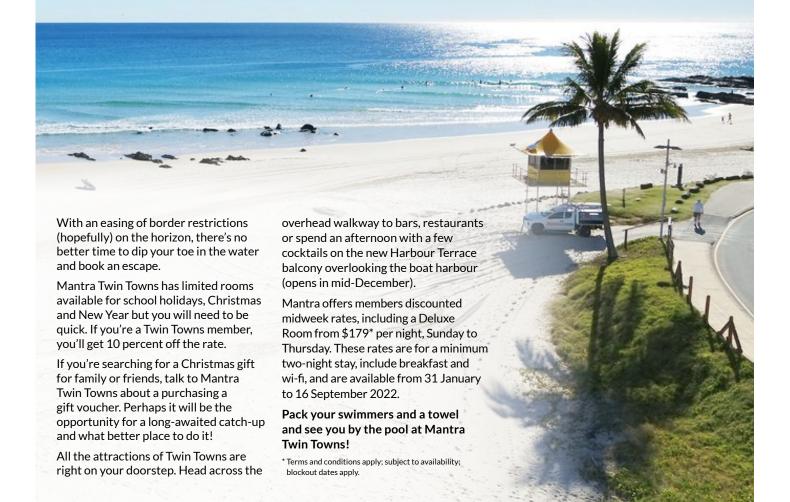




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SUMMER DAYS AT MANTRA TWIN TOWNS

IF YOUR IDEA OF A SUMMER HOLIDAY IS LAZING BY THE POOL, A SWIM AT THE BEACH, DINING OUT ON THE TOWN, SEEING A SHOW OR TAKING A RELAXING EVENING STROLL AT THE END OF THE DAY, MANTRA TWIN TOWNS HAS IT ALL!



SEE A SHOW, STAY THE NIGHT!

THE TRAVELING WILBURYS SESSIONS

Saturday 11 December From \$368 (2 people)

ARJ BARKER

We Need to Talk Friday 17 December From \$348 (2 people)

THE ANGELS

The Greatest Show on Earth

Sunday 9 January From \$510 (2 people)

ROCKIN THROUGH THE AGES

Friday 14 January From \$484 (2 people)

Neil Young's Harvest Live Tour Friday 11 February

From \$399.80 (2 people)

GOLD DUST WOMAN

Stevie Nicks/Fleetwood Mac Experience

Saturday 12 February From \$328 (2 people)

GORDON HENDRICKS

The King's Voice Friday 18 February From \$360 (2 people)

AUDIO VIXEN MUSIC & LYRICS

Saturday 19 February From \$328 (2 people)

Hotel & Apartments

BELINDA CARLISLE The Decades Tour

Friday 25 February From \$428 (2 people)

YACHT ROCK REVIVAL

Saturday 5 March From \$340 (2 people)

ANTHONY CALLEA

Saturday 12 March From \$380 (2 people)

GLENN SHORROCK & BRIAN CADD

The Two Amigos Saturday 19 March From \$368 (2 people)

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THE PIANO MEN

Direct from London's West End Friday 25 March

From \$348 (2 people)

Saturday 26 March From \$339 (2 people)

NEIL DIAMOND SUPER HITS

Starring Steve Cummins Saturday 29 April From \$357 (2 people)

OH WHAT A NIGHT

Tribute to Frankie Valli & The Four Seasons Saturday 7 May From \$360 (2 people)