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ANZAC DAY 2022 - LEST WE FORGET

ANZAC Day on Monday 25 April 2022 marks the 107th anniversary of the landings at Gallipoli.

Tweed Heads & Coolangatta RSL Sub-Branch invites the community to come together at Chris Cunningham Park beside Twin Towns for the Dawn Service, the ANZAC Day March and the Main Service. Details and times are listed below. For updates, check the <u>Sub-Branch website</u>.

Tweed Heads & Coolangatta RSL Sub-Branch President Dr John Griffin said close to a million Australians served in World War II.

"The number of surviving World War II vets has declined significantly over the past few years as we would expect. Our Sub-Branch has 256 members over 85 years of age.

"It's encouraging though to see increasing participation on ANZAC Day by veterans who served in recent conflicts and peacekeeping operations and those currently serving in our Defence Forces, supported by their families.

"We hope to see thousands of people of all ages at the services this year, coming together to ensure the deeds and sacrifices of our veterans are honoured and never forgotten," said Dr Griffin.

ANZAC DAY CEREMONIES

Monday 25 April in Chris Cunningham Park, Tweed Heads.

ORDER OF DRESS

Members are requested to wear a shirt with collar, slacks and medals, coat optional.

DAWN SERVICE 5.55AM

Assemble at 5.45am on the road in Wharf Street near the children statue, with a short march into the park with the service commencing at 5.55am. Twin Towns Main Reception will be open for those who wish to purchase breakfast at Flame Bistro (\$15pp) after the Dawn Service.

MAIN SERVICE 11AM

PARADE

Assemble from 10am in Boundary Street. March off at 10.30am turning left into Wharf Street, Tweed Heads and proceeding to the

memorial in Chris Cunningham Park, Tweed Heads for the 11am commemoration service.

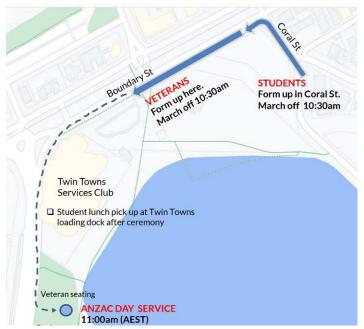
CHILDREN'S PARADE

Assemble from 10am near Jack Evans Boat Harbour then form up in Coral Street at 10.15am. March off at 10.30am behind the veterans.

SUB-BRANCH MEMBERS LUNCHEON

Following the main service, a luncheon will take place for Tweed Heads & Coolangatta RSL Sub-Branch members (only) and their families /carers. The venue will be the River Room on Level 3 at Twin Towns. Tickets are \$20 per person and must be pre-purchased from the Sub-Branch by 18 April.

ANZAC DAY MARCH ROUTE



THE OASIS, A NEW PLACE FOR THE Whole family at club banora

Preliminary designs reveal some of the most popular elements from the early days of Oasis will be 'reinvented and modernised' to suit a new generation of Banora residents.

The pool bar will return, along with outdoor dining and a splash pad for the youngest of Club visitors. There will also be a large outdoor play area for kids. The existing Olympic pool will be retained and a new 'learn to swim' centre built.

A giant outdoor screen which can be viewed from the lawn and dining area is also part of the plan. Parents can relax with a drink and a meal and watch the footy or a movie, while the kids play.

Diners will be able to order meals from Slice and Fork to enjoy outdoors and an area has been allocated for additional food trucks and popup dining on weekends and holidays. This will add to the diversity of food choices at Club Banora, which was a strong message in the research.

Twin Towns CEO Rob Smith said that after the planning process was announced, there was some concern about the new direction. PLANS ARE ON THE DRAWING BOARD TO TRANSFORM THE 35-YEAR-OLD OASIS POOLS COMPLEX AT CLUB BANORA INTO A NEW OUTDOOR MEETING PLACE, WITH A WAVE OF CONTEMPORARY FEATURES AND FACILITIES TO CATER FOR KIDS OF ALL AGES, AND PARENTS TOO.

The Board is pleased to now be in a position to share the exciting plans for the future.

"Before we could discuss the plans, we needed to let the consultants undertake their work and present their recommendations, ensuring that the plans were also the right fit for the local community.

"We engaged a highly regarded market research consultancy that specialises in hospitality venues to undertake analysis and conduct surveys locally, to enable us to gain insight into why some locals came to Club Banora, and why some didn't.

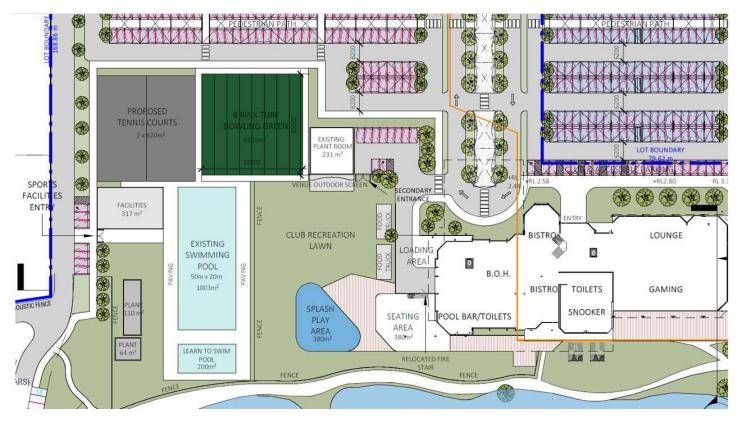
"We've learned more about the key drivers of visitation to Club Banora and what we could do to broaden its appeal to new markets, while still retaining the already popular features of the Club.

"Oasis is the end result of this research; a family-friendly facility that will be more in tune with the needs of the emerging and young, dynamic Banora and Tweed communities," said Rob.

There is still a large amount of work to be performed in assessing the older aspects of the facility and then the Club can commence detailed planning.

It is hoped the Development Application for Oasis will be submitted to Tweed Shire Council later this year. The Club anticipates the project will commence in 2023.

Work on the retail component of the Banora Masterplan is still underway. The previous plan is being updated to reflect the findings of the Land and Environment Court and better suit the changing demography of Banora Point. This may take some time to finalise





MEMBERS VOTE ON NAME CHANGE

AT TWIN TOWNS ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING ON TUESDAY 17 MAY, MEMBERS WILL BE ASKED TO VOTE ON SPECIAL RESOLUTIONS RELATING TO THE REPLACEMENT OF THE EXISTING CONSTITUTION AND THE MODERNISATION OF THE CLUB'S NAME.

Regular updating of the Constitution ensures the Club remains at the forefront of governance, management practices and compliance requirements. The Registered Clubs Act has been updated and these changes now need to be reflected in the Twin Towns Constitution.

Rather than deal with many individual changes, the Board agreed the best option was to replace the entire document.

Along with the changes to the Constitution, members will also be asked separately to consider a second Special Resolution to change the name of the Club to better reflect the contemporary position the Club holds in the community.

Twin Towns Community Club

Special resolution 8 (f) refers to a change of name to Twin Towns Community Club.

In the new Constitution, the objects have been changed to reflect the broader group who provide public service, objects which signify Twin Towns' community involvement beyond just the exservices community.

Regardless of whether the members support the change of name, this new objective goes further and is more respectful of all those who serve in the community.

Chairman Brian Brown said the new name solidifies Twin Towns' role in the community. "We are not just an RSL Club, we are bigger and broader than that."

"Twin Towns is constantly out there in the community. We give over and above back to the community, we also have our own Twin Towns Community Foundation, set up specifically to fund and assist community projects.

"We offer ongoing financial assistance to community organisations and individuals in need and strongly support the Tweed Heads & Coolangatta RSL Sub-Branch, based here at the Club, and nothing in

that regard will change," said Brian.

"It will always be Twin Towns, Twinnies, the RSL Club. We know people will continue to call it whatever they like," The Board agreed there has always been confusion amongst the general public about the relationship between Twin Towns, the 'Services Club' part of the name, and Twin Towns' connection with the RSL Sub-Branch.

Tweed Heads & Coolangatta RSL

Sub-Branch President, Dr John Griffin, expects RSL members will understand and appreciate the name change, acknowledging that confusion has always existed, even amongst their own members.

The Board believes the proposed name takes Twin Towns beyond the Services Community to the entire community.

"It will always be Twin Towns, Twinnies, the RSL Club. We know people will continue to call it whatever they like," said the Board Chairman.

"But as it has done for the past 65 years, Twin Towns will continue to stand alongside its community, and if members agree, the name Twin Towns Community Club will say it all."

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ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING NOTICE

TUESDAY 17 MAY 2022, 7PM

CLICK HERE TO LOGIN TO THE MEMBERS PORTAL TO VIEW THE MEETING NOTICE, ORDINARY & SPECIAL RESOLUTIONS & OTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATION RELATING TO THE AGM.

TWIN TOWNS DIGS DEEP TO SUPPORT LOCALS AFFECTED BY FLOOD CRISIS

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF TWIN TOWNS SERVICES CLUB VOTED UNANIMOUSLY LAST MONTH TO DONATE \$200,000 TO THE SALVATION ARMY FLOOD APPEAL, WITH ONE SPECIAL REQUEST: THE DONATION IS USED TO PROVIDE MUCH-NEEDED SUPPORT SERVICES FOR PEOPLE IN THE LOCAL TWEED AND NORTHERN RIVERS COMMUNITIES.

The Board acknowledged that the unprecedented floods left many local people displaced and in desperate need of assistance.

More flooding rain brought another wave of destruction in late March and Twin Towns Board Chairman Brian Brown said many families are struggling to get back on their feet.

"Some of Twin Towns' staff have been affected by the floods, along with many of our members.

Some of their homes were literally picked up by the floodwaters and swept away. They have nothing.

⁴⁴ It's heartbreaking to hear their stories but also heart-warming to see the true community spirit at work, locals helping locals, giving up their time and resources to do what they can for their neighbours.⁹⁹

"Providing the necessities they need to return to their homes is at the heart of the Salvation Army's work in our area," said Brian.

The decision to donate the large sum of money to the Salvation Army's Flood Appeal was based on the Salvos track record and previous donations made by the Club to bushfire, flood, drought and cyclone appeals.

"At least 98 percent of money raised by the Salvation Army will be spent on relief and support services on the ground for those affected by the floods.

"The cost of governance, auditing, and reporting is capped at no more than two per cent of funds raised, which means almost all of the donation can be distributed by the Salvos where it's needed most," said the Twin Towns Chairman.

One of Twin Towns local clubs, Juniors in Fraser Drive, also chalked up some damage bill during the floods. Although Twin Towns is in the final stages of preparation for rebuilding this Club, the Board weighed up the options and decided to keep the doors open for its large following of local members.

Brian added that the Salvation Army Flood Appeal donation has come from funds earmarked for the Cudgen Leagues Club Amalgamation which did not proceed.

"This money was set aside late last year for community purposes and within a few short months, the opportunity has arisen to do just that.

"The Board was extremely happy to see some of the Cudgen funds repurposed to such a worthwhile cause," said Brian.

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Derek Brown from the Salvation Army gratefully accepts a cheque for \$200,000 from Twin Towns Deputy Board Chairman, David Phillips.



Twin Towns responded to an urgent call-out for mattresses for residents of Mullumbimby who wanted to return to their homes to continue with clean-ups but their bedding had been destroyed. A truckload of new mattresses from Twin Towns resort supplies was quickly on its way.

In 2020-2021, Twin Towns distributed Club grants totalling \$1.4 million and the Club's philanthropic arm, Twin Towns Services Community Foundation, contributed an additional \$270,793 to financially support junior sport, charitable organisations and medical research.

Chairman Brian Brown said that throughout its history, Twin Towns has provided financial assistance to many major disaster relief funds, responding as quickly as possible to emergency situations both in Australia and overseas.

In late March, the Club also donated the Twin Towns Showroom, ticketing, staging and staff required for a comedy fundraising event, 'Stand Up for Flood Relief'.

Hosted by well-known Northern Rivers comedian Mandy Nolan, the line-up included Ellen Briggs, Kitty Flanagan, Wil Anderson and Tom Gleeson.

The concert was a complete sell-out, with over 1,000 people braving another night of flooding rain to attend the fundraiser.

More than \$60,000 was raised on the night for those on the ground, working face-to-face in the community: It Takes a Town, Mullumbimby Neighbourhood Centre Emergency Hub, and Ballina Community Emergency Hub.



DRA TEMPORARY HEADQUARTERS

Disaster Relief Australia (DRA), an organisation which unites the skills and experience of Australia Defence Force veterans and emergency services specialists, temporarily moved their Incident Management Team to Twin Towns during March.

The Club provided large private office space, free of charge. From their new local base, the volunteer veterans were able to coordinate their recovery operations in the flood affected communities across the region.





The end of February couldn't come soon enough. Covid restrictions would be lifted, life as we knew it was returning to some form of normality; at least, that was the plan.

Fast forward a few days and look what happened. One of the worst storms imaginable hit our local area - the Northern Rivers and southern Gold Coast. The ferocity of the rain and hail which accompanied the storm was unbelievable. These conditions continued to drench our region for several more days and nights, leaving very few areas undamaged.

The number of individuals and communities impacted by this catastrophic event is unimaginable. I doubt we will ever truly know how many are still suffering the traumatic effects in the aftermath of these floods.

The real costs cannot be measured in dollars and cents alone. You can replace the physical parts of communities such as buildings and infrastructure, but you cannot repair the feelings of hopelessness and emotional fear that will take years to overcome. For some, the pain may never go away.

If you are aware of a member of your family or community that is feeling this way, please seek help for them from one of the many professional counsellors who are trained to assist in times of emotional uncertainty.

Many Twin Towns staff and Club members are also residents of the areas affected. Our thoughts are with you and your families as you attempt to return to life as usual in the months and years ahead.

The Board of Twin Towns has provided a cash donation to the Salvation Army to support the recovery in our local area. We are also assisting in other ways where possible.

During March, the Club provided Disaster Relief Australia with office space from which they could coordinate their emergency response teams. The work done by thousands of volunteers involved in the massive clean-

TWIN TOWNS BOARD CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

> up should not go unnoticed. For some, their commitment to providing support and logistics to those in need often put their own safety at risk.

> What decisions will Local Councils, State and Federal Governments make to prevent or minimise the impacts of flooding in these areas in the future? I understand the difficulty of changing the definition of floodprone areas or moving people from their current locations, but the question must be asked. How many times must local communities be confronted with these catastrophic events before someone makes the difficult decision that rebuilding in these flood ravaged areas is no longer a viable option.

Images across the media during this time was confronting. Pain and anguish were etched on the faces of residents trying to find a safe place to shelter. Where do these displaced people find refuge until their homes and communities are rebuilt, if that ever happens? The powers that be need to act now.

The Tweed Heads & Coolangatta RSL Sub-Branch will hold their Dawn Service on 25 April at 5.55am and the Main Service at 11am. Both services will be held at Chris Cunningham Park at Tweed Heads.

The service has not been held for a couple of years due to restrictions on gatherings. Please come along and be part of the service and pay tribute to our service personnel.

Many internal clubs conducted their AGMs last month, some for the first time in two years. It was great to see the members turn up and support their committees and become involved in the management of their particular club.

The Twin Towns Services Club Annual General Meeting will be held on Tuesday 17 May at the Main Club in Wharf Street at 7pm. I look forward to seeing you there.

Until next time.

Brian Brown



FOUNDATION ASSISTS POINT DANGER MARINE RESCUE

A DONATION OF \$13,500 FROM THE TWIN TOWNS SERVICES COMMUNITY FOUNDATION HAS GIVEN POINT DANGER MARINE RESCUE THE KICKSTART THEY NEEDED TO FURNISH THEIR NEW BEACHFRONT COFFEE DECK AT DURANBAH BEACH.

Previously, Marine Rescue volunteers raised funds from the sale of drinks and icecreams from their Point Danger landmark headquarters high on the hill.

While renovations of this building are underway, the team moved their

operations to their beachfront clubhouse below at Duranbah.

Twin Towns Deputy Chairman David Phillips said Marine Rescue had temporarily lost their ability to fundraise for their organisation.

"The team at Marine Rescue came up with a brilliant idea to better utilise the outdoor area at their Duranbah beach clubhouse.

"They developed a space where locals and holidaymakers could enjoy a morning coffee, watch the surfers and soak up the view from their deck.

"What was missing was sturdy outdoor furniture that could withstand the elements, and umbrellas to protect their guests from the sun. They soon discovered that none of this was cheap," said David.

"We were happy they reached out to the Foundation for assistance.

"This goes beyond providing some money to buy outdoor furniture. This donation has helped provide the tools Marine Rescue needed to create a sustainable income steam for this financially challenged, notfor-profit organisation," said David.

The Community Foundation members believe the concept and location of the coffee deck couldn't be more perfect. Add to that the enthusiasm and commitment from Marine Rescue volunteers and they believe it will be a winner.

Call in for a morning coffee at D'bah and check it out.



WE'RE LOOKING FOR STARS

Twin Towns is hiring and now is the perfect time to kickstart a career with a leader in the club and entertainment industry. You'll be working right on the border of Qld and NSW, with some of Australia's best beaches and surf breaks right on the doorstep. Twin Towns is offering an attractive salary paid weekly, uniforms supplied and paid training.

Are you up for the job? You'll need to be fully vaccinated, have your NSW RSA, and Twin Towns will take care of the rest. Don't miss the show!



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Saturday 26 March 2022

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\$2.8 MILLION LIFE-CHANGING KENO WIN AT CLUB BANORA

A Wollongong man returned from a holiday at Tweed Heads last month with more than a tan. He also took home the \$2.8 million 10-spot Keno jackpot he won at Club Banora on Saturday 26 March.

The decision to go out for some food landed him at Club Banora, and the decision to play a game of Keno landed him with the life-changing win.

Driving back to the holiday home, they saw that the Keno 10 Spot had gone off at Banora. They weren't sure if it was them but eventually it clicked, and he says they went 'crazy'!

Congratulations from everyone at Club Banora on taking out the biggest win EVER at one of Twin Towns three Clubs.

The second biggest Keno win was a \$2.3 million 10-spot jackpot at Juniors a few years back. Could it be time for a hat trick? With both Banora and Juniors landing a big Keno win, could it be Twin Towns' turn next?

BEST CASE SCENARIO

THE WEEKLY FINALISTS IN TWIN TOWNS BEST CASE SCENARIO \$100,000 CASH GIVEAWAY ARE BEGINNING TO LINE UP WITH TWELVE LUCKY MEMBERS ADDED TO THE LIST IN MARCH.

During April and May, three more finalists will be drawn every Saturday, one from Twin Towns, Club Banora and Juniors.

There are plenty more chances to be amongst the 36 finalists at the major draw at Twin Towns on Saturday 28 May. On the night, twelve names will be drawn and each gets the chance to open a briefcase and share in the cash.

One briefcase will hold the major prize - a massive \$50,000! Another member will win \$20,000, one \$10,000, two \$5,000, three will win \$2,000 and four will win \$1,000.

Members earn one ticket per day in the weekly draw with their first bar purchase. Tickets must go in the barrel at the Club where the purchase was made or there will be a redraw.

The barrel closes at 5.30pm on Saturday at all Clubs, ahead of the draw at 6pm. The barrel will then be cleared so time to start again for the next week.

If you are at the draw and your name is called, you have four minutes to let staff know and you'll win a \$1,000 EFTPOS card. Members who aren't present will be contacted by the Promotions Department.

What would you do with your winnings? The best thing is it's cash, so you get to choose your own best case scenario. *See website for full terms & conditions. NTP/03459 <image><section-header>

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CLUB BANORA Graham McLachlan Juniors Julie Smith 26 MARCH TWIN TOWNS Stuart Ellison Club Banora Jirayuka Buttelman Juniors Scott Wratten

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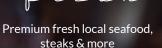
EVERYONE, ESPECIALLY QUEENSLANDERS, WILL BE PLEASED TO HEAR THAT TWIN TOWNS, CLUB BANORA AND TWIN TOWNS JUNIORS ARE OPEN EVERY DAY OVER EASTER, INCLUDING GOOD FRIDAY. MAKE THE MOST OF THE EASTER FOUR-DAY LONG FUN-FEST AT YOUR FAVOURITE CLUB.

Lunchtime, dinnertime or anytime at Twin Towns!





Bistro-style family dining Every day, lunch & dinner



steaks & more Good Friday & Easter Saturday



Perfect to share around the table Every day, lunch & dinner

Harbour ERRACE

Waterfront dining & drinks daily, BBQ smoker lunch Easter Saturday & Sunday

AMPGOS

Express cantina-style Mexican favourites Good Friday, Easter Saturday & Sunday

TAVERN

Generous pub-style meal-deal specials Every day, lunch & dinner

Authentic Asian cuisine Good Friday, Easter Saturday & Sunday



Coffee, snacks, sweet treats Every day, lunch & dinner



Café style, drinks, snacks Every day, 9.30am until late

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Buffet breakfast daily

SLICE^MFORK

CLUB BANORA Every day, lunch & dinner



TWIN TOWNS JUNIORS Every day, lunch & dinner

EASTER ENTERTAINMENT AT TWIN TOWNS

GOOD FRIDAY 15 APRIL

Twin Towns Showroom 2pm & 8pm Killer Queen, Lap of the Gods Tour

The Stage from 4.30pm 8 hours of free live music & dancing The Abby Skye Band from 9pm

1st on Wharf Tavern Friday Happy Hour (See page 12)



EASTER SATURDAY 16 APRIL

Twin Towns Showroom 8pm The Best of the Bee Gees With Colin Smiley Petersen

The Stage from 4.30pm 8 hours of free live music & dancing The Abby Skye Band from 9pm

CLICK HERE TO MAKE SHOWROOM BOOKINGS ONLINE

* The Stage & Harbour Terrace Balcony are 18+ venues

EASTER SUNDAY 17 APRIL

Twin Towns Showroom 2.30pm Vegas Rayz + Joel Turner

Harbour Terrace Balcony 2pm Sunday Session with Distraction

The Stage 6.30pm The Abby Skye Band



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If you're looking for the perfect spot to chill out with a few drinks, where kids are welcome and there's a dedicated outdoor playground for them too, Club Banora ticks all the family-friendly boxes. Club Banora is known for its cool, relaxed vibe and first-class sports and leisure facilities. There's golf, bowls and tennis, Slice & Fork for bistro-style dining, and free live entertainment on Saturday nights. Club Banora is located just five or so minutes' drive south of Twin Towns. Visitors are always welcome.

FREE LIVE ENTERAINMENT SATURDAYS FROM 6PM-10PM

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DAVID BARRY Solid Gold Duo

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HARVEY & HARVEY WINKWORTH STREET Street Café Solid Gold Duo

Entertainment was correct at the time of printing but may be subject to change without notice







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Every Friday and Saturday there's EIGHT hours of back-to-back **FREE** live music, from 4.30pm right through to the early hours.

See <u>www.twintowns.com.au</u> for full entertainment guide.

APRIL GIG GUIDE

Wed 6th 1pm TONY & PATTI

Fri 8th 4.30pm

HARRY J HART

Fri 8th 9pm RUNES

Sat 9th 4.30pm NATALIE GAUCI

Sat 9th 9pm AGENT 77

Sun 10th 2pm HARRY J HART (Harbour Balcony)

Wed 13th 2pm LITTLE STEVIE & THE TAIL FINS

Fri 15th 4.30pm CHRIS BENT

Fri 15th 9pm

Sat 16th 4.30pm REMEDY

Sat 16th 9pm ABBY SKYE BAN

Sun 17th 2pm DISTRACTION (Harbour Balcony) Sun 17th 6.30pm ABBY SKYE BAND

Wed 20th 2pm TOMMY MEMPHIS

Fri 22nd 4.30pm MARCUS HARTUNG

Fri 22nd 9pm **TO THE SKIES**

Sat 23rd 4.30pm WEAR THE FOX HAT

Sat 23rd 9pm TO THE SKIES

Sun 24th 2pm JAM WITH MARIA FROM THE FROCKS (Harbour Balcony)

Wed 27th 2pm INDEMAND

Fri 29th 4.30pm ROBBIE FRY

Fri 29th 9pm CHESTER

Sat 30th 4.30pm AGENT 77

Sat 30th 9pm GUILTY ADVOCATES

Show & Stay Packages

Show & Stay packages are available for most shows at Twin Towns. For one inclusive price, enjoy overnight accommodation in a Deluxe Room, two tickets to your selected show and full buffet breakfast at Signatures.

For more packages, go to www.twintowns.com.au

BUDDY'S BACK The Buddy Holly Show Friday 22 April From \$438 (2 people)

NEIL DIAMOND SUPER HITS Starring Steve Cummins Friday 29 April From \$349 (2 people)

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

MIRUSIA Songbird (matinee) Sunday 8 May From \$419.80 (2 people)

JOHN PAUL YOUNG 50 Years Young The Anniversary Tour Friday 13 May From \$368 (2 people)

ARC - LET IT BE LIVE Thursday 19 May From \$369.80 (2 people)

VANESSA AMOROSI Friday 20 May From \$350 (2 people)

WORLD OF MUSICALS Saturday 28 May From \$409.80 (2 people)

Hotel & Apartments

From 1 June 2022, all Twin Towns Show & Stay packages will be at The Sebel Twin Towns.

THE AUSTRALIAN EAGLES SHOW Saturday 4 June From \$360 (2 people)

SPINNING WHEEL Featuring Jeff Duff & The Great Southern Band Saturday 18 June From \$369 (2 people)

STRASSMAN The Chocolate Diet (MA 12+) Sunday 19 June From \$369.80 (2 people)

SIMON & GARFUNKEL Through the Years Wednesday 22 June From \$369 (2 people)

ICONS IN CONCERT Saturday 2 July From \$460 (2 people)

THE TAP PACK Sunday 3 July (matinee) From \$408.80 (2 people)

HUMAN NATURE Friday 8 & Saturday 9 July From \$429.80 (2 people)

onditions apply. Subject to availability.



Easter eggs, pony rides, cuddly animals, face painting and loads of free stuff for the kids – Club Banora and Schweppes are turning it on 'big time' at this super-dooper Easter Kids Day on Sunday 17 April.

The fun starts from 11am and runs through to 2pm. The Easter Bunny and his playful offsider Alice will make a special appearance with a basket of eggs to share around. There will be a free soft drink and frozen Sunkist for the kids and it just keeps getting better!

It will be cuteness overload at the Animal Farm and two loveable ponies will be onsite, champing at the bit to take the kids for a spin around the grounds.

Invite your family or friends to celebrate Easter outdoors in the sunshine at this giant 'play date' for kids of all ages.

Make the most of the Schweppes promotion by purchasing a glass or jug of soft drink and you might win an Annual Theme Park Family Pass. See below for details.

Make this Easter Sunday the easiest ever and head to Club Banora for this fabulously free family day out.





EVERY FRIDAY THERE'S MORE THAN \$1,500 IN VOUCHERS TO BE WON

from leading retailers including Coles, Woolworths, Bunnings, JB Hi Fi and Ampol. Final draw for a \$200 EFTPOS card.

Tickets on sale at 5pm, drawn from 6.15pm. MEMBERS GET DOUBLE TICKETS WHEN THEY PURCHASE \$5 WORTH OR MORE.



WIN \$50 IN MEMBERS ADVANTAGE POINTS OR A \$50 TWIN TOWNS GIFT CARD TWO TO BE WON EVERY FRIDAY FROM 4PM. Proceeds to Junior Sports. Tickets at the door.



TICKETS ON SALE 4.30PM; DRAWN FROM 6.30PM Tickets \$1 for 6 numbers | members buy \$5 worth 6 get double tickets





THE HAPPIEST HOURS on good friday

FRIDAY HAPPY HOUR AT 1ST ON WHARF TAVERN AT TWIN TOWNS HAS PROVED SO POPULAR WITH MEMBERS AND LOCALS, TWIN TOWNS DECIDED TO KEEP IT GOING ON GOOD FRIDAY.

Happy Hour drink prices are easy on the wallet and guaranteed to put a smile on your dial. A schooner of draught beer will set you back just \$5. Selected bubbles, red or white wine are \$5 too.

Spend a day at the beach on Good Friday, then roll into the Tavern for Happy Hour from 4pm to 6pm. Grab some dinner while you're there. All your favourites are on the menu.

Make Good Friday Happy Hour your Easter catch-up with friends or family. There's live sport on the MEGAscreen and always loads of atmosphere. Outdoor seating is available too.



Slip into 1st on Wharf Tavern nice and early on Sunday 10 April to grab the best seats for this UFC blockbuster between Alexander Volkanovski and the Korean Zombie.

Although Volkanovski has never been one to get involved in the usual trash-talking, that doesn't mean the Aussie won't defend himself when he's been disrespected.

Like when the Korean Zombie branded him "the most boring champion ever". Two years on and Volkanovski, who still has the belt around his waist, has never forgotten it.

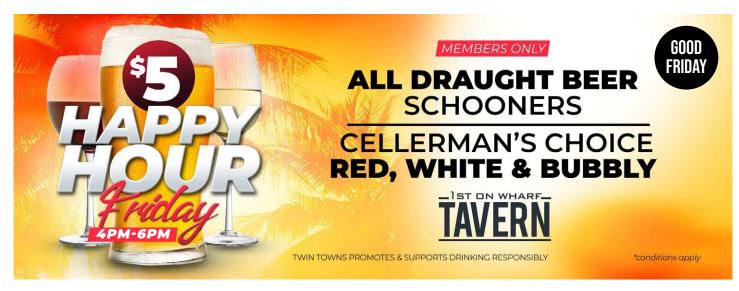
And here's what we know about the Korean Zombie. His name is Jung Chan-sung, who's said to have been a natural fighter from a young age. Bullied at school for his slight build, his aunt took him to a local gym when he was 14 to toughen him up.

Jung trained in kickboxing, before moving onto judo and Brazilian jiu jitsu.

At 18 he joined the Korean Navy and excelled in taekwondo. The final switch to MMA came two years later and he has been fighting professionally since 2007.

He earned the Zombie nickname because of his ability to walk forward and fight aggressively, no matter the situation. Jung is renowned for his toughness and never-say-die attitude in the octagon.

This UFC fight simply has to be enjoyed amongst a big raucous crowd at the Tavern, cheering on the Aussie, soaking up the atmosphere and sharing a few jugs. Don't miss your chance to get amongst the action as it all unfolds on the 5.4 metre MEGAscreen! Starts at 12pm.



BLOKES, BOOKS AND BEERS

BLOKES, BOOKS AND BEERS AT 1ST ON WHARF TAVERN GOT OFF TO A FLYING START IN MARCH WITH A GREAT ROLL-UP OF 'BLOKES' GETTING TOGETHER FOR A FEW BEERS AND A CHAT ABOUT THE BOOKER PRIZE-WINNING BOOK, SHUGGIE BAIN.

Blokes, Books and Beers is on again on Wednesday 27 April from 7pm to 8.30pm. The get-togethers are designed for members and locals seeking connection with other men and the support that comes with a social chat amongst friends.

Twin Towns Staff & Customer Care Ambassador Marty Thompson shared some insight into April's book, Plum.

"Plum is a funny yet deeply moving novel by awardwinning writer and director, Brendan Cowell.

"It's about Peter 'The Plum' Lum, a 48-year-old, former NRL star, who lives with his son and girlfriend in Cronulla.

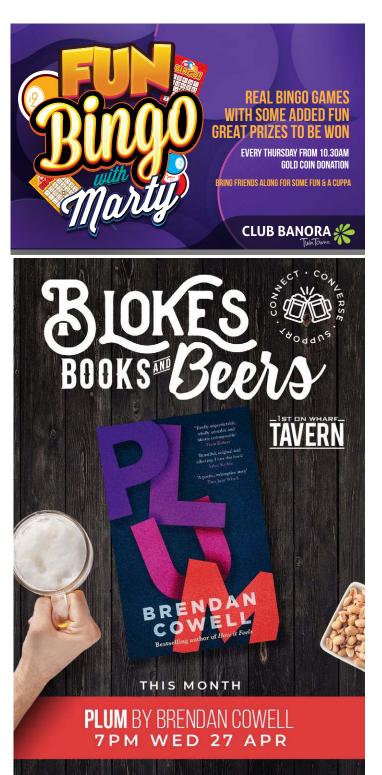
"Life is pretty cruisy until one day he suffers an epileptic fit and discovers he has a brain disorder, the result of the thousand-or-so head knocks he took on the footy field over 20 years.

"He's forced to make some changes or face dire consequences. Along the way, Peter discovers he's a poet. It's definitely full of surprises," said Marty.

It's not a pre-requisite to read the book each month, there are no set rules, no age limits, and it's all about time well spent. Participants can purchase a beer or whatever they like from the bar and settle in to enjoy the conversation with the group.

Come along to the next Blokes, Books & Beers night at the Tavern and meet the crew. It's all about about enjoying a relaxing night amongst friends.





A MONTHLY READING GROUP FOR MEN. Designed for conversation, connection and support. Open to all male club members and local residents. 1st on wharf back lounge - 4th wednesday of each month

Contact Marty m.thompson@twintowns.com.au or 5599 0271



A MODERN DAY RAT PACK WITH WORLD CLASS TAP THEY SING, THEY DANCE, THEY JOKE, AND THEY NEVER DISAPPOINT!

Direct from sold out concerts and rave reviews at the Sydney Opera House, Edinburgh and London's West End, Australia's hottest new tap dance sensation is coming to Twin Towns for a special matinee performance on Sunday 3 July.

Inspired by famous crooners, the Rat Pack, The Tap Pack picks up where Frank Sinatra, Dean Martin and Sammy David Jnr left off.

Oozing old school cool in their slick suits, and equipped with sharp wit and mesmerising dance steps, The Tap Pack fuses modern-day with comedy and favourite music from the '50s through to the noughties. The show features some of Australia's finest tap dancers, tapping up a storm to songs from Sinatra to Sheeran, to Bublé and Beyoncé.

LIMITED **VIP EXPERIENCE** <u>TICKETS</u>

AVAILABLE

Limited VIP Experience tickets are available. These include a premium seat, exclusive access to sound check, meet and greet with the cast and a souvenir poster.

<u>Book now</u> for The Tap Pack at the Twin Towns Showroom, Sunday 3 July, 2.30pm. Tickets from \$64.90 + booking fee. VIP Experience \$89.90 plus booking fee.

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Use your NSW DISCOVER vouchers or PARENT vouchers for Showroom ticket purchases. <u>Click</u> to book tickets online using your voucher. If you are using multiple vouchers or require assistance to book, call 1800 014 014.

Entertainment was correct at the time of writing but may be subject to change without notice.



BACK TO THE TIVOLI 25th Anniversary Special

Tuesday 12 April, 11am Tickets \$15 + booking fee

Popular variety show Back to the Tivoli first hit the Twin Towns stage in 1996 and will celebrate their 250th performance in the Showroom. This special concert features popular vocalist Robert Jeffreys, comedian Al Showman, Australia's best juggler Cody Harrington and awardwinning pianist Shelly White. <u>Book now.</u>



KILLER QUEEN Lap of the Gods 2022

Friday 15 April, 2pm & 8pm Tickets \$42 + booking fee

Since starting out as a local Queen cover band in Brisbane, the Killer Queen Experience has evolved into an international touring show. Frontman John Blunt is legendary for his portrayal of Freddie Mercury, having played his role in docudramas and Legends in Concert in Vegas. <u>Book now.</u>



THE BEST OF THE BEE GEES With Colin Smiley Peterson

Saturday 16 April, 8pm Tickets \$59 + booking fee

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Drum protégé and child actor, Colin 'Smiley' Petersen, was the official fourth essential band member of the Bee Gees. This show presents first-hand stories and a catalogue of hits including *Massachusetts*, *To Love Somebody*, New York Mining Disaster and I Started a Joke. <u>Book now</u>.



VEGAS RAYZ + JOEL TURNER

Sunday 17 April, 2.30pm Tickets \$30 + booking fee

'The Band That Brisbane Built' has matured into the Vegas Rayz. This new musical tour de force brings together an amazing pedigree of radio and recording stars, young musicians and Brisbane fans. Joining the show is world Beat Boxing Champion, Joel Turner. <u>Book now</u>.



BUDDY'S BACK The Buddy Holly Show Friday 22 April, 8pm

Tickets \$29 + booking fee

Who better to perform the biggest hits than Scot Robin, the dynamic vocalist who played the lead role in the smash hit musical, Buddy, the Buddy Holly Show! Hear all the greatest hits including *That'll Be the Day, Heartbeat, Peggy Sue, Raining in My Heart, Rave On, Maybe Baby* and *Oh Boy*! <u>Book now.</u>



NEIL DIAMOND SUPER HITS Starring Steve Cummins Friday 29 April, 8pm

Tickets \$35 + booking fee

Join multi-award-winning Australian entertainer Steve Cummins for a journey back to the '70s with songs like Sweet Caroline, Cherry Cherry, Cracklin Rosie, Kentucky Woman, Solitary Man, Beautiful Noise, I'm a Believer, Crunchy Granola Suite and I Am I Said. <u>Book now.</u>



OH WHAT A NIGHT! Tribute to Frankie Valli & The Four Seasons

Saturday 7 May, 8pm

Tickets \$55 + booking fee

This exhilarating, family-friendly musical revue thrills the audience with great choreography, boundless energy, humour and timeless classics, including Sherry, Big Girls Don't Cry, Walk Like a Man, Can't Take My Eyes Off You, and Who Loves You. Book now.



JOHN PAUL YOUNG 50 Years Young The Anniversary Tour

Friday 13 May, 8pm

Tickets \$59 + booking fee

From pop icon to ARIA Hall of Famer, John Paul Young became the soundtrack for the Countdown generation and beyond. JPY went on to be the unofficial co-presenter alongside Molly Meldrum on ABC's Countdown and has remained at the forefront on the Australian music scene since the '70s. <u>Book now.</u>





MIRUSIA Songbird Mother's Day Special Sunday 8 May, 2.30pm

Tickets \$54.90 + booking fee

This spectacular concert traces Mirusia's humble beginnings as an aspiring young singer to international soprano sensation, touring stadiums with the King of the Waltz, Andre Rieu. Mirusia will perform a selection of much-loved classics, along with songs from her personal songbook. <u>Book now.</u>



ARC LET IT BE LIVE Thursday 19 May, 7.30pm Tickets \$79.90 + booking fee

Following sold-out tours of Abbey Road Live, ARC will present the final Beatles album – Let it Be - in all its glory. Kram, Darren Middleton, Mark Wilson and Davey Lane will once again faithfully and lovingly bring another brilliant Beatles creation to life on stage. <u>Book now.</u>

VANESSA AMOROSI

Friday 20 May, 8pm

Tickets \$50 + booking fee

Vanessa's dynamic vocals and stellar songwriting have seen her sell over two million records worldwide. After six critically acclaimed albums, 16 ARIA and APRA nominations and her unforgettable megahits Absolutely Everybody and Shine, Vanessa returns with a new album and a national tour. Book now.

COMING SOON



WORLD OF MUSICALS Saturday 28 May, 7.30pm Tickets Adult \$79.90; Concession \$74.90; Under 15 yrs \$59.90 + booking fee

EAGLES Junda Ronstadt Story In Concert



EAGLES SHOW Special guest The Linda Ronstadt Story Saturday 4 June, 8pm Tickets \$55 + booking fee



SPINNING WHEEL The Music of Chicago & Blood Sweat & Tears Featuring Jeff Duff & The Great Southern Band Saturday 18 June, 8pm Tickets \$45 + booking fee



STRASSMAN The Chocolate Diet (MA 12+) Sunday 19 June, 6pm Tickets \$59.90 + booking fee

LAST CHANCE TO WIN A NEW CAR FOR A \$10 KENO TICKET

To celebrate Keno's three-decade milestone, Keno and ClubsNSW have been giving away five fantastic \$30,000 Volkswagen T-Cross Cars and there is still a chance to win one. Spend \$10 or more on a Keno ticket before 16 April for a ticket in the draw. Visit Keno, scan your ticket via your phone and you're in with a chance. Random winners are drawn each week.

Click here for full terms and conditions and details on how to enter.

