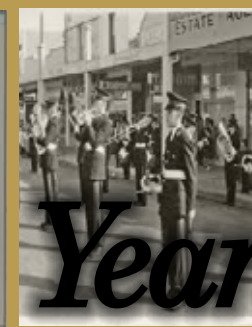
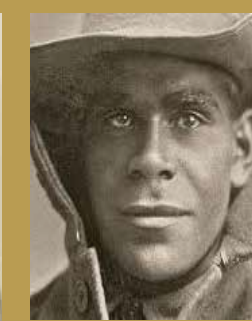


# MORSE CODE

*From humble beginnings.....*



*Celebrating 100 Years!*  
**1919 - 2019**



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Have we got a story for you!

# JERSEY BOYS

THE STORY OF FRANKIE VALLI & THE FOUR SEASONS



YOU COULD BE A

# WINNER!

Swipe your membership card on the Reception consoles between Friday 8 February & Friday 29 March for your chance to win a Weekend away in the City including:  
2x VIP tickets to Jersey Boys, Dinner at Il Bacaro,  
2 nights accommodation in a City View King Room at Westin Hotel on Collins Street & a \$250 Visa Gift Card!

*Prize includes:*

2 x VIP tickets to Jersey Boys

2 nights accommodation  
in a City View King Room  
at Westin Hotel Collins St



Friday Night dinner at Il Bacaro

& a \$250 Visa Gift Card!



# From the President's desk!

.....WELCOME TO 2019

and a significant time for the Frankston RSL. I hope you have all had a healthy and restful Christmas period as the summer progresses.

This year will be an exciting one with much celebration for the Centenary of the Frankston RSL. These celebrations are to acknowledge the servicemen and women who formed and developed the club, along with those community members who have continued to support our veterans by volunteering in many areas.

In November our band of volunteers from all sections of our membership, took their turns at shopping centres within the region to raise the incredible amount of \$58,319.60. We thank those volunteers, and seek any new members who may wish to help with a little time to raise money to assist veterans.

All of the funds raised, plus some, are spent on assisting veterans. This has increased since the Southern Peninsula Veterans Hub at Rosebud relocated to Frankston, to form the Peninsula Veterans' Hub. This is a pilot program under the guidance of ANZAC House up until July 2019, which has generated an increase in welfare spend. As we draw veterans in to assist with Advocacy claims we are finding more and more need for welfare assistance.

During my time as both Secretary and President we have seen an increased interest in our commemoration services held on ANZAC Day and Remembrance Day, from having a few hundred attend outside the council chambers, to 15,000 at the dawn service held at the Frankston Football oval in 2015. Whilst we have not

maintained that enormous figure, we still have many thousands attending these services. With the Centenary of ANZAC Services, and the development of the new War Memorial, council saw fit to provide staff and funding to make this community event a great time of commemoration for all. At the time of writing this report I am saddened to advise that the Frankston City Council have rescinded all financial support, and after 2020 all in kind support as well. I will keep you posted on the outcomes, but be assured we will continue to commemorate our veterans' service to the nation and our community.

It would appear the club has seen stable management and growth over the years, and I acknowledge the executive members who have nurtured this club to success, including 38 Presidents, 28 Secretaries and 30 Treasurers. On that note you would be aware our Annual General Meeting is coming up on the 17th March and there is a position vacant for Treasurer. It was with regret that in January I accepted the resignation of our Treasurer Peter Bromley. Peter has been an active member of the club for many years through the golf club, and for the last 8 years steered our accounts into the 21st century as Treasurer. His accounting acumen has been a great asset to the club and we thank Peter for his outstanding work and diligence.

We would welcome any member who has accounting or business management experience, and would like to be involved in the ongoing success of the club, to nominate for the position of Treasurer. For further information please speak to the President or Secretary.

In discussing positions on the committee, we welcome Kelvin Park, President of the Frankston Vietnam Veterans' Association of Australia who has been nominated by your committee to fill the current vacant committee position. We look forward to his input and assistance as we move forward in an ever changing climate of governance and veteran support.

Combined with the celebrations are some new developments around the club. This has been a painstaking process of putting together ideas to ensure the ongoing success of the business. Our General Manager Rob, and Operations Manager, Annemaree, in conjunction with the committee, have spent many hours pouring over plans and processes to finally have paperwork submitted for a Building Permit from council. The design and development is to make an enjoyable experience for all attending the venue, and in so doing will require changes for some internal organisations which have enjoyed the provision of space and assets for many years. This is all an endeavour to utilise the maximum space for the maximum members. The extent of renovations to be carried out for your benefit will be revealed at the AGM.

Finally, as a lead in to the centenary celebrations I am looking forward to having afternoon tea with three of our members who are either 100 years old (102) or about to turn 100. We look forward to celebrating together.

*Kevin Hillier* **OAM**  
PRESIDENT

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# 1919 to 1969 FLASHBACKS



1919

Inaugural meetings of the Frankston RSL held in the Commercial Chambers in Bay St.(Nepean Hwy) and then the Mechanics Hall



1920

The Frankston RSL Charter was issued on January 1st



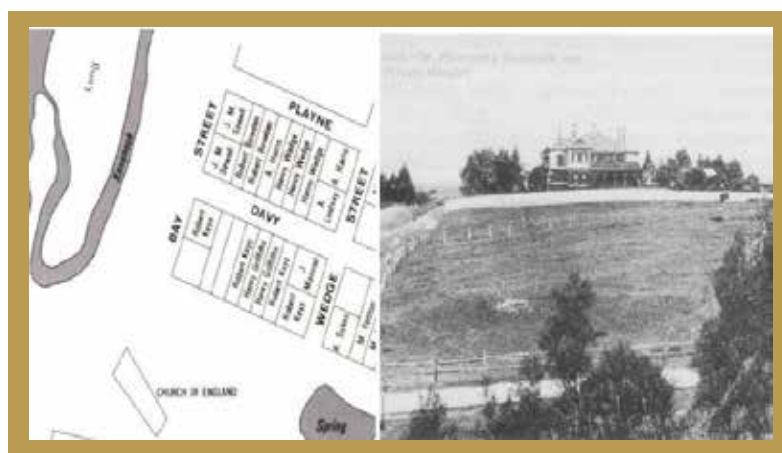
1924-5

Memorial Hall erected in Thompson St. Frankston



1925

Foundation Stone laid – Hall opened by Right Honorable Stanley Bruce Prime Minister of Australia



1952

Davey St. premises purchased



1954

Liquor Licence granted on condition that the RSL provide lawn bowling facilities



1963

Davey St. extension opened by Sir Dallas Brooks Governor of Victoria

1966  
New Bowling Green opened



Frankston RSL Cricket Club commenced approx 1948 . The RSL league was a popular one with many RSL clubs and overall Frankston RSL rated fairly well.

Pictured right is the 1951-1952 Runners Up, which also features Dr.J.F. Akeroyd. Towards the late 1980's when they struggled to get a team, Vinnie the butcher would bring up the whites from the abattoirs and ask around the club who would like to fill in for the day. The club came to an end in 1990 when they did not have the numbers.



Back Row: F.Pay M. Delaney B.Cullen Dr. J.F.Akeroyd J.Foxwell L.Nankivell T.Barrett  
Front Row: S Boldiston A.Gardner P.Barrett (V.C.) J.Calder (Capt) W.Prendergast G.H.Trott



*Did you*  
**KNOW?**.....

#### 1940's

Mr Johnson elected to the position of Secretary - Carry out all designated duties - Conducts the carnival - Salary of 8 pounds per week, plus additional for conducting carnival to be determined by Committee.

**In the 60's** the Formal ladies night was reduced to 2 per year; where ladies had to bring their own supper; pay \$1 per couple. Paid entertainment was only available on the fourth Saturday of each month.





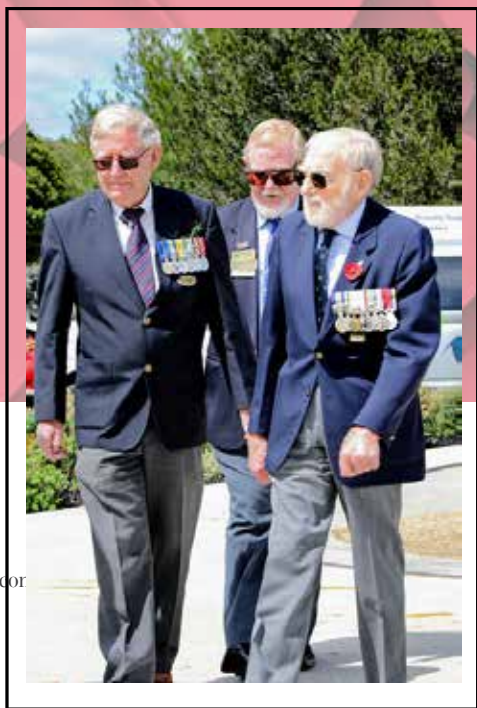
# REMEMBRANCE DAY 20







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LEST WE FORGET

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# ANZAC DAY



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25th APRIL

## **DAWN SERVICE**

6:00am at Frankston War Memorial, Beauty Park, Frankston

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## **GUNFIRE BREAKFAST**

On completion of the Dawn Service, in the park at the rear of the War Memorial. Gold coin donation

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## **COMMEMORATIVE MARCH**

10:30am - Muster at the corner of Yuille and Park Streets

11:00am - Step off and proceed to War Memorial, saluting the Flame of Remembrance as you pass.

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## **COMMEMORATIVE SERVICE**

On completion of the March at the Frankston War Memorial

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## **SERVICE MEMBERS LUNCH**

All Service members who attend the March and Commemorative Services are invited back to the club for lunch

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Plus on Wednesday 24th April at 1:30pm, there will be a school students Commemorative Service at the Frankston War Memorial





# ANZAC DAY APPEAL

## A CALL FOR VOLUNTEERS

The ANZAC Appeal is vital in raising funds to support former and serving members of the Australian Defence Forces, their Allies and Dependents when in need.

This year, the Appeal starts Wednesday 10th April and runs up until Tuesday 23rd April.

The Frankston RSL oversees merchandise selling at various locations around Frankston, and is calling for volunteers to help, for just a couple of hours, in order to make this appeal the best it can be. If you are able to help, please contact Reception via 97832288 or [reception@frankstonrsl.com.au](mailto:reception@frankstonrsl.com.au)

We encourage everybody to buy a badge and wear it with pride this ANZAC Appeal.



## CELEBRATING 100 YEARS OF VOLUNTEERS

Frankston RSL will be hosting a Special dinner to highlight Frankston RSL Volunteers over the past 100 years. Members of our many volunteer organisations will be invited to the dinner representing the full diversity of our groups today and from the past. The evening will be held Wenesday May 22nd with special guest speaker and entertainment.



**SUNDAY 17TH MARCH 2019  
10:30AM  
SIMPSON II**

## **2019 ELECTION**

The Annual Election of Office Bearers to the Committee of the Frankston RSL Sub-Branch Inc. will be held on Friday 15th March 2019 from 12pm - 7pm in the Prendergast Veterans Room at the Sub-Branch.

## **NOMINATIONS FOR COMMITTEE**

Opening Date: 10am Friday 8th February 2019, Closing Date: 5pm Friday 22nd February 2019.

## **POSTAL VOTING IS AVAILABLE TO BE USED AT THIS ELECTION**

Available from 10am Monday 25th February 2019.

## **RECEIVED BY THE RETURNING OFFICER**

No later than 6pm Thursday 14th March 2019.

## **POSITIONS OPEN FOR ELECTION**

Vice President - Service (Tenure 2 Years)

Secretary- Service/Affiliate (Tenure 2 Years)

2 x Committee Members - Service/Affiliate (Tenure 2 Years)

Please note that at a meeting of the Committee on Wednesday 9th January 2019, it was agreed that the Committee number would be 8 (4 Executive and 4 Committee)

The positions open for election are currently held by:

Vice President - John Barry

Secretary - Brent Clyne JP

Committee - Bernard Connelly

Committee - Vacant

Special note: The Committee, at its meeting on January 9th, 2019 under By-Law 10A, Sect 20, b,3 agreed to Nominate Mr Kelvin Park to the Position of Committee Member #4.

Committee duties are detailed in a publication available from the Secretary and all nominees are obliged to read and fully understand these prior to nominating, as they include all statutory requirements pertaining to the role of the Committee. An interview and competency test may be required for each nominee, and a review of the Committee Induction Manual. A National Police Check and VEDA Credit check will be required for all new nominees and to be submitted with their nominations in accordance with VCGLR Rules.

Roles of the Committee will be deemed by the Committee at the first Committee meeting after the Election.

## **NOTICE OF MEETINGS**

Notice is given of the Annual General Meeting of the Frankston RSL Sub-Branch Inc on Sunday 17th March 2019 in Simpson Room II.

*Note 1: By-Law 10A-20(m) Canvassing is not permitted for any elected position in the Sub-Branch.*

*Note 2: Any Agenda items should be receipted by the Secretary in writing prior to 1st March 2019, however items received after that day or on the day will be discussed in an open forum and therefore are not entitled to be proposed or actioned.*

# Notice of 2019 ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING



# RUSSELL

# MORRIS



HALL OF FAME MEMBER RUSSELL MORRIS. WITH FIVE AUSTRALIAN TOP 10 SINGLES DURING THE LATE 1960S AND EARLY 1970S INCLUDING SONGS LIKE "WINGS OF AN EAGLE", "SWEET, SWEET LOVE" AND "THE REAL THING" GOING ON TO BECOME ICONIC HITS.

MORE RECENTLY RUSSELL HAS RELEASED TWO ALBUMS OF BLUES AND ROOTS MUSIC THAT PERTAINS TO SOME OF THE ICONIC CHARACTERS, EVENTS AND MOMENTS IN OUR RICH TAPESTRY OF AUSTRALIAN HISTORY.

**SATURDAY 4TH MAY**

**TICKET PRICES:**

**2 COURSE DINNER\* & SHOW**

**\$60 (FRANKSTON RSL MEMBER)**

**\$66 (NON-MEMBER)**

**SHOW ONLY**

**\$36 (FRANKSTON RSL MEMBER)**

**\$40 (NON-MEMBER)**

# MORNING MELODIES

THIS OUTSTANDING TRIBUTE TO THE BIG O, ELVIS AND BUDDY HOLLY IS A GREAT NIGHT OF NOSTALGIA PERFORMED BY JOEY PIASTRINO AND HIS SUPERB 4 PIECE BAND IN 3 FULLY COSTUMED SETS!

ROY ORBISON AND THE LEGENDS IS PLAYING TO SELL OUT AUDIENCES ALL OVER AUSTRALIA AND IS A SHOW NOT TO BE MISSED.

**TICKET PRICES:**

**2 COURSE LUNCH\* & SHOW**

**DOORS OPEN AT 11:30AM**

**\$15 (FRANKSTON RSL MEMBER)**

**\$20 (NON-MEMBER)**

**TUESDAY 14TH MAY**

## ROY ORBISON & THE LEGENDS OF ROCK

*Buddy Holly*

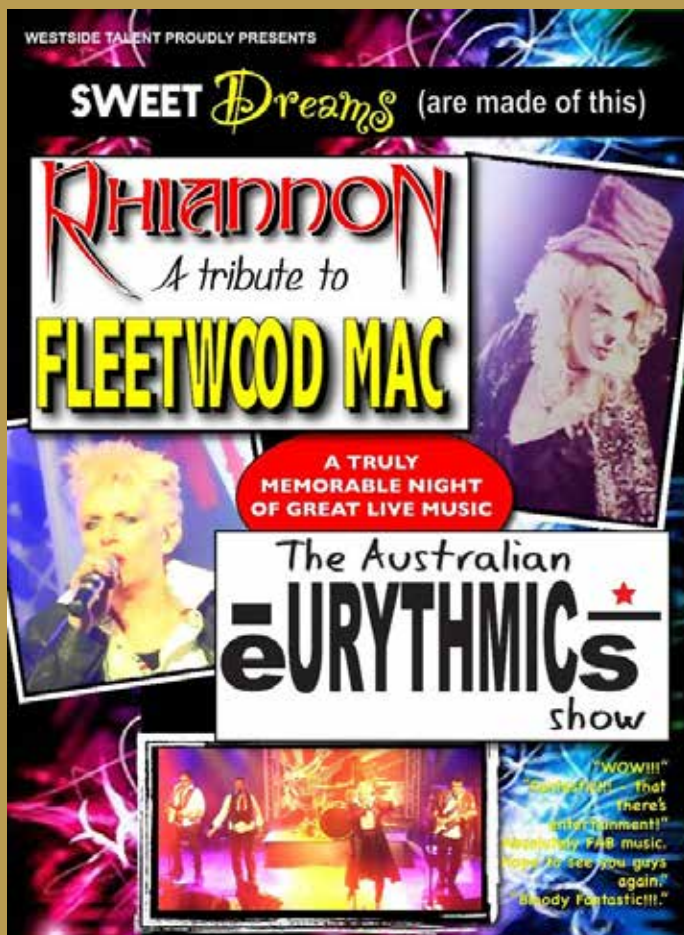
*Elvis*

*Roy Orbison*



FOR MORE INFORMATION ON OUR SHOWS, ASK OUR FRIENDLY STAFF OR VISIT:  
[www.frankstonrsl.com.au/entertainment/ticketed-shows/](http://www.frankstonrsl.com.au/entertainment/ticketed-shows/)





## FRIDAY 15 FEBRUARY EURYTHMICS & FLEETWOOD MAC TRIBUTE

SHOW ONLY - STARTS 9PM

\$30.00 FRANKSTON RSL MEMBERS

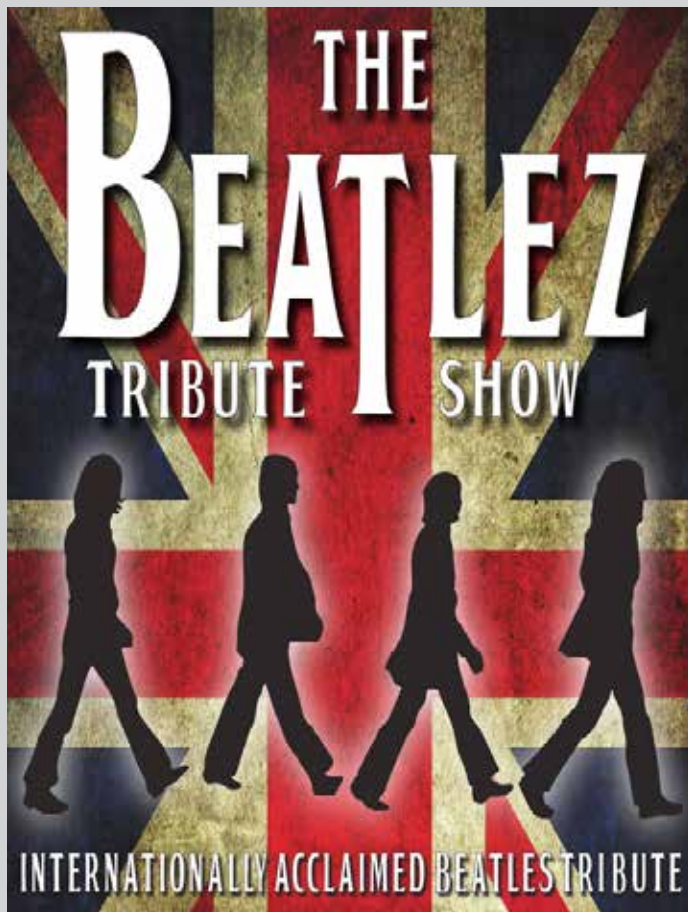
\$35.00 GUESTS

DINNER & SHOW - STARTS 7PM

\$58.00 FRANKSTON RSL MEMBERS

\$63.00 GUESTS

A Tribute to Fleetwood Mac present their incredible music in one great show. Each show features one hour of each band's classic hits, delivering the moody, organic and blues-rooted atmosphere of Stevie Nicks and 'the Mac' and the electronic, synthesizer-influenced phenomena of the 1980s headed by Annie Lennox and Dave Stewart.



## FRIDAY 1 MARCH THE BEATLEZ TRIBUTE SHOW

SHOW ONLY - STARTS 9PM

\$30.00 FRANKSTON RSL MEMBERS

\$35.00 GUESTS

DINNER & SHOW - STARTS 7PM

\$58.00 FRANKSTON RSL MEMBERS

\$63.00 GUESTS

Re-live all the classics from the early Beatlemania days including: Please Please Me, A Hard Day's Night, Help, Nowhere Man, etc.

Every BeatleZ performance is a fun packed event – A splendid time is indeed guaranteed for all!



**FRIDAY 22 MARCH**

**HOTEL CALIFORNIA**

**SHOW ONLY - STARTS 9PM**

**\$31.50 FRANKSTON RSL MEMBERS**

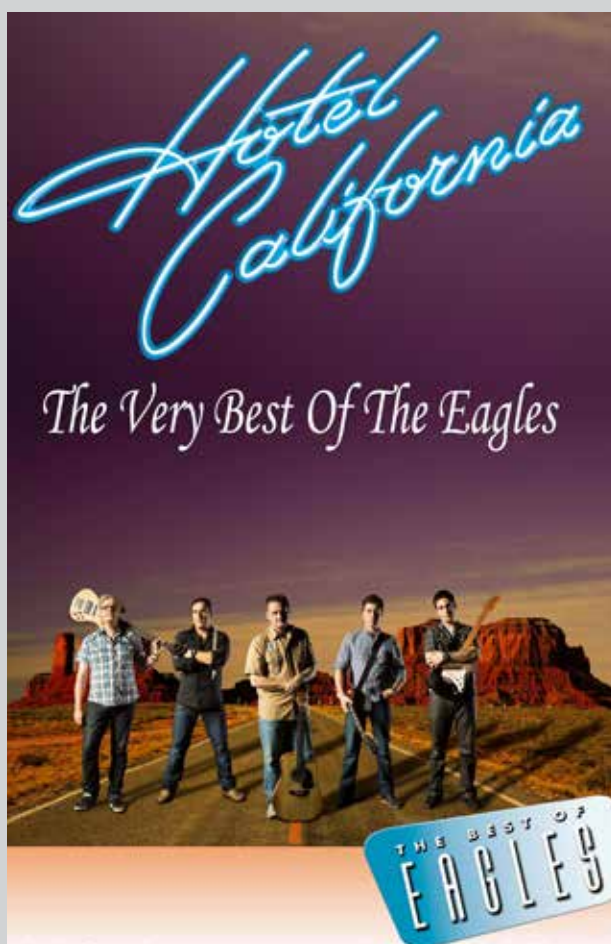
**\$35.00 GUESTS**

**DINNER & SHOW - STARTS 7PM**

**\$58.00 FRANKSTON RSL MEMBERS**

**\$63.00 GUESTS**

Hotel California is comprised of five respected, multi-talented top music industry professionals, presenting a dynamic exciting show saluting the music of The Eagles, a super group whose music has proven to have a staying power that few bands can lay claim to.



**FRIDAY 12 APRIL**

**WALKING THE LINE**

**SHOW ONLY - STARTS 9PM**

**\$30.00 FRANKSTON RSL MEMBERS**

**\$35.00 GUESTS**

**DINNER & SHOW - STARTS 7PM**

**\$58.00 FRANKSTON RSL MEMBERS**

**\$63.00 GUESTS**

The repertoire chosen to represent the Cash/Carter story over the 35 years of their careers is like an emotional roller coaster. To say Johnny Cash songs are great is an understatement. They have a richness and variety that very few artists have equalled.





FREE

## FEBRUARY

2ND - JOHN JAMES  
3RD - JAY & EL DORADO  
8TH - SINGLE INCOME  
9TH - YELLOW

16TH - RENE DIAZ  
23RD - AMBER WALKER  
24TH - HIBERNATORS

## MARCH

2ND - IAN DUCHESNE  
3RD - JAY & EL DORADO  
9TH - YELLOW  
16TH - JOHN JAMES  
17TH - HIBERNATORS

23RD - TIM HANEKAN  
29TH - SINGLE INCOME  
30TH - BABY BOOMERS  
31ST - GANGSTERS OF LOVE

## APRIL

6TH - AMBER WALKER  
7TH - JAY & EL DORADO  
13TH - YELLOW  
14TH - HIBERNATORS

20TH - JOHN JAMES  
26TH - ANDREW FORRELL  
27TH - EZRA LEE TRIO  
28TH - DYLAN CORCORAN



# FRANKSTON MUSIC FESTIVAL@ FRANKSTON RSL

26 APRIL-4 MAY

CELEBRATING LOCAL TALENT



## 'THE PIANO WIZARD'

ANDREW FARRELL

FRIDAY 26 APRIL 7.30PM  
CRACKED PEPPER  
LIVE & FREE



## THE EZRA LEE TRIO

SATURDAY 27 APRIL 7.30PM  
CRACKED PEPPER  
LIVE & FREE



## CORKY

FRANKSTON RSL'S VERY OWN!

SUNDAY 28TH APRIL 2.30PM  
CRACKED PEPPER  
LIVE & FREE



## RUSSELL MORRIS

SATURDAY 4 MAY FROM 7PM  
SIMPSON ROOM  
TICKETS FROM \$36

ALL BOOKINGS AND TICKET PURCHASES  
CAN BE MADE BY CALLING 9783 2288  
OR HEADING TO [WWW.FRANKSTONRSL.COM.AU/ENTERTAINMENT](http://WWW.FRANKSTONRSL.COM.AU/ENTERTAINMENT)  
FOR MORE DETAILS

# TRIVIA

Returns

In Cracked Pepper

21 Feb 2019 from 7pm

**FREE TO JOIN & PLAY**

Win weekly prizes

ENJOY A \$12 PIZZA ON THE NIGHT





**FREE**

# Community Fa



**SUNDAY**  
BALLAM  
11AM



**Kids Rides, Petting ZOO, Face Painting, Rock Climbing &  
Food Trucks—Seafood, Pizza, Baked Potatoes, Dess**



# Family Fun Day



**7TH APRIL**

**PARK, KARINGAL**  
**—3PM Free Entry**



## CENTRE STAGE

11am—Elizabeth Murdoch School Band

11.30am—Kids Entertainment—Charlie Silly Pants

12.15am—Kids Entertainment—Bethany Fisher

1.15pm—Navy Rock Band

2pm—Music by Dylan Corcoran

3pm—Roulette Flyover

\* Acts and times subject to change without notice

**More — All Activities are FREE!!**

**erts and Ice-Cream**





# Mother's DAY

Sunday 12th May

*High Tea*  
Saturday 11th May

*Breakfast*

Cracked Pepper - 8:30am to 10:30am

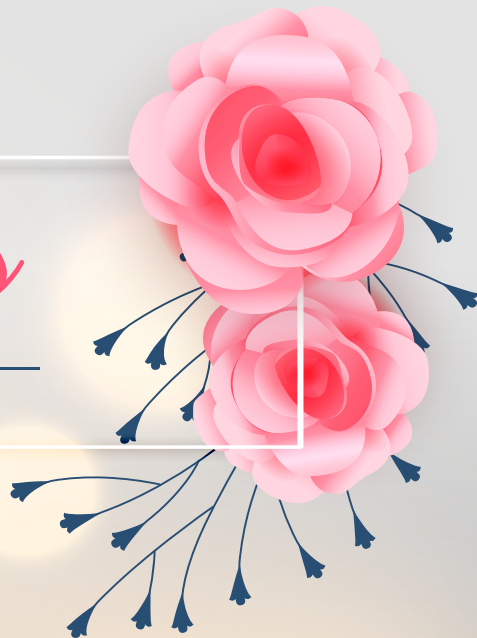
*Lunch*

Four Seasons Bistro - 12:00pm to 2:00pm

*Dinner*

Four Seasons Bistro - 5:30pm to 8:30pm

Bookings Essential - Now taken at reception or online [www.obee.com.au/frankstonrsl](http://www.obee.com.au/frankstonrsl)



*Just for Mum!*

*Just swipe your Frankston  
RSL Membership card  
for your chance to win a  
Peninsula Hot Springs &  
Hamper package  
for Mother's Day!\**

*Valued at over \$600  
\*Conditions Apply*

*Win a family photo shoot*

*For Mum!*



*Like & Share' on Facebook for your chance to win  
between 26 April & 12 May*



# \$24,000 MEGA CASH *giveaway!*

**THURSDAY 21 FEBRUARY**

**SWIPE YOUR MEMBERSHIP CARD AT THE KIOSK OR WHEN MAKING  
A PURCHASE BETWEEN 4PM AND 7PM TO ENTER THE DRAW TO WIN**

## **\$20,000!**



**PLUS EXTRA CASH GIVEAWAYS EVERY 15 MINUTES  
AND OUR COMMUNITY RAFFLE  
INCLUDING CASH & GIFT CARD PRIZES!**



*Four Seasons Bistro*

**CELEBRATING FRESH SEAFOOD  
THROUGHOUT FEBRUARY!**



**SUNDAY CARVERY  
RETURNING 5 MAY!  
12PM - 2PM**



\*MENU ITEMS MAY VARY FROM PHOTO

**DON'T FORGET OUR WEEKLY SPECIALS\***  
**MAD MONDAY**  
**TIGHTAS TUESDAY**  
**WACKY WEDNESDAY**  
**LET'S GET CLUCKY THURSDAY**  
**FAMILY FRIDAYS**  
**SOCIAL SATURDAYS**  
**SUPER SUNDAYS**

**BOOK YOUR TABLE TODAY!**

**\*VISIT OUR WEBSITE FOR DETAILS**



# CP

Pizza & Gelato

**GREAT RANGE OF NEW PIZZAS & HOUSE MADE BURGERS**



## PROMOTIONS

**TUESDAY: BURGER NIGHT - \$15 BURGERS\***

**WEDNESDAY: PARMAGEDDON - \$15 PARMAS\***

**THURSDAY: \$12 PIZZAS\* ALL DAY**

**SUNDAY: BRUNCH FROM 11AM**

**\*LIMITED MENU ONLY**



**MIX UP YOUR REGULAR GELATO WITH OUR SPECIAL MIX-INS  
ADD TO YOUR ICE CREAM IN A YUMMY WAFFLE BASKET  
CHECK OUT THE OPTIONS TODAY!**

**OPEN:**

**LUNCH THURSDAY TO SUNDAY**

**DINNER TUESDAY TO SUNDAY**



# FRIDAY COMMUNITY RAFFLES

- IN THE MEMBERS BAR -  
*supporting our local community*



## TICKETS ON SALE FROM 4:30PM

DRAWN AT 6:30PM TICKETS FROM \$2

**NOW WITH OVER \$1,500  
IN PRIZES TO BE WON!**

**MEAT, WINE, & BEER  
MOVIE VOUCHERS &  
VENUE VOUCHERS**



# Birthday Points

Don't forget to claim your \$20 in RSL Rewards Points!

All you need to do is swipe your Membership card on the black console when you visit the club in the month of your birthday, and you will instantly be rewarded with 2,000 points (equivalent to \$20.00!)



# Wednesday COMMUNITY RAFFLES

*supporting our local community*

## TICKETS ON SALE FROM 5PM

DRAWN AT 6:30PM



**EVERYONE WELCOME TO PURCHASE A RAFFLE TICKET  
FROM JUST \$2, OR SPEND \$10 AND GET \$20 WORTH OF TICKETS!**

## Meat, Beer & Wine



# WHERE'S WALLY?

**JOIN THE SEARCH!**

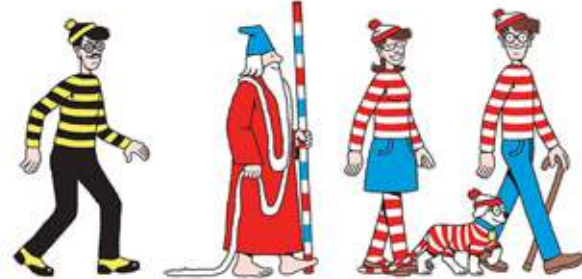
## Where's Wally Wednesdays

**MEMBERS ONLY EXCLUSIVE**

**FIND WALLY IN OUR MEMBERS DRAW AND  
WIN A JACKPOT UP TO \$1,000!**

*Plus: Free pizza, Where's Wally books, drink vouchers,  
keno kwikpiks & membership points are up for grabs!  
Every Wednesday Night!*

**6:00PM | 6:30PM | 6:50PM**





**1ST  
FRIDAY OF  
EVERY  
MONTH!**

# **MEGA RAFFLES**

**OVER**

# **\$3,500**

**WORTH OF PRIZES  
TO BE WON**

**35  
PRIZES  
TO BE WON!**

**TICKETS FROM \$2 | TICKETS ON SALE FROM 4.30PM | DRAWS COMMENCE AT 6.30PM**

**3x \$500 VOUCHERS 5x \$100 VENUE  
BEER SLABS VOUCHERS  
MEAT TRAYS WINE PACKS**

## **BIRTHDAY BINGO WITH BONUS \$500 JACKPOT!**



**HEADS DOWN: MONDAYS 11AM + THURSDAYS JULY 7:00PM**





## KIDS CRAFTS

Check our website for upcoming Kids Crafts during the school holidays

Time for your Little Digger to get crafty! Join us and embrace their artistic side....

Entry is FREE!



## MOTHER'S DAY CRAFTS

Sunday 5th May

Make mum something special for Mother's Day.

Entry is FREE!



## FUN SCHOOL HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES ●

Visit our website to check out what fun activities we have planned these Summer school holidays!

VISIT OUR WEBSITE FOR /

Frankston RSL Kids



# What's on



## COOKING WITH KIDS ●

Saturday 13th April — Learn to make YUMMY Cupcakes

**\*TICKETS ON SALE FRI 1 MARCH**

Learn how to make their own Cupcakes with our amazing Executive Chef Nathan!

**\$20 PER CHILD WHICH INCLUDES THEIR OWN CHEF'S HAT AND APRON, PLUS A TAKE HOME RECIPE CARD TO MAKE MORE.**



## DISCO

Thursday 11th April - Dress up as your favourite cartoon character or Superhero (Ages 2-12)

Loads of fun games and dancing for the little ones.

Put on their favourite Superhero costume and join us for an afternoon of fun!

Entry is FREE!

## DANCE PARTY

Thursday 18th April - (Ages 7-12)

Get ready to groove! Join us for our first Dance Party!

Entry is FREE!

● EXCLUSIVE Little Digger benefit

MORE INFORMATION



Little Diggers  
eat free\* every  
Friday night in  
our Bistro and  
Cracked Pepper  
\*with purchase of  
adult main



# OUR STARS

## Jarrold Broben - Staff Member of the Year

We had five outstanding nominations for our 2018 Staff Member of the Year with the winner being Jarrold Broben.

Jarrold has been with the team since August 2015 and in that time has become a vital asset to our group. He is immensely popular with Members and his peers because of his strong commitment to our Core Values including his service excellence and work ethic.

Jarrold always has a smile and time for others as well as holding a strong respect for the RSL Ethos.

**Congratulations JARROLD!**  
"Staff Member of the Year 2018"



## Hannah Stevens - Quarterly Management Award

No task is too small or too hard for Hannah who has assisted as Duty Manager; F&B Assistant, Marketing and general support over the past three months.

Her demeanour and multi-tasking has helped Management get out of a few tricky spots and is most appreciated.

**Thank you HANNAH!**  
"Quarterly Management Award 2018"



## Excellence Awards

Winners of our Department Excellence Awards.

Gaming & Members - Terry

Back of House - Tracey

Front of House - Kristy

Administration - Helen

Overall Excellence - Jarrold



**Congratulations on 12 months of amazing work within our club!**





# Great Friday Nights at Frankston RSL!

## **MEMBERS DRAWS**

Friday nights!  
Commences Friday 1st Feb!  
Join us in the Members' Bar for your  
chance to win \$1000!

**MEGA RAFFLES**  
First Friday of every month!  
Win a share of over \$3560 in  
prizes

## **FRIDAY RAFFLES**

Friday nights!  
Commences Friday 8th Feb!  
Join in for a chance to win a  
share in over \$1500 in prizes



# RSL SPORT



## INDOOR BOWLS

Another successful year behind us. Our last function for the year was the Xmas break up lunch held at the Mornington Golf Club. With 48 in attendance a very enjoyable time was held by all. David Rowland was awarded life membership, Andrew Cairns was club person for 2018. Natalie Pollwade was delighted to win the Xmas hamper. Antoinette Stone won the 2018 singles title. The pennant team unfortunately did not perform as well as it has.

Social bowls return on January 14th 2019. We hope to see the same level of membership next year; new members are most welcome to come along no experience necessary just come and have a great time with a fab group.

For further information contact  
Secretary David Anderson 0412118295  
President Allan Howden 0402072779



## DARTS

League ladder.

Results: Demons 2nd place | Seagulls 4th place.

Demons in grand final were Runners up.

Congratulations to both teams.

For our Xmas Breakup we had a Pizza Night..

We are having a break until January 7th 2019.

We will start our in house competition.

M.P.D.L. Darts, RSL League and Sharks start mid February.

Treasurer: Mary McGinty 9770 1510

## BILLIARDS & SNOOKER

### MONDAY - VBSA SNOOKER

Phil Roost's C Grade team with Dale (Chipa) Bolton, Matt Lee & Ronnie George had another great season. Unfortunately, they met their bogeyman opponent in the preliminary final and went down by the narrowest of margins when the GF was in their grasp. It was just not meant to be it seems. Well done to these lads who have impressed everyone with their efforts.

### TUESDAY (DAYTIME) - OVER 55's SNOOKER & BILLIARDS

Mark Dunn's Gold team & Ian Gilbee's Green team both missed the finals after hopes were high for most of the season.

Nevertheless, it was a very long & enjoyable season. Well done to all for the manner in which they compete. Lots of travelling but lots of fun too.

Frankston staged the Grand Final and received many compliments on our efforts. The final itself was riveting with the outcome not decided until the very last possible shot. Who said old people aren't exciting?

### TUESDAY (EVENING) - SOUTHERN BILLIARDS

Bill Lindsay's team, with a few first-time billiards players, finished a creditable 6th in a strong comp. The experience will hold these beginners in great stead in following seasons & other comps.

### THURSDAY - RSL BILLIARDS

Ron Phillips Hawks (9th) and Brett Porter's Eagles (6th) both missed the finals this season but had a great deal of fun doing it. Special mention to Brett for knocking in a 76 to come 2nd in the Top Break comp.

### PAT CHUNG "DUMB BASTARDS" CUP & ANNUAL PRESENTATION

This fun, social event honours the memory of one of our keenest, best and most entertaining members, Pat Chung. Pat had the habit of letting anyone & everyone know if they had missed the unmissable shot, hence the title of the Cup. We also use the occasion to present trophies for the major internal comps we run each year.

Held on Sunday 9th December, the 2018 winners were Ron Phillips & Bill Lindsay who fought an epic battle with Ronnie George & Phil Roost. The appreciative (and very judgemental) spectators willed on whoever was behind. It took considerable powers of concentration for the players to play their shots with the laughter, sly comments and cajoling coming from the sides. At the conclusion and after a very pleasant lunch, the major trophy winners were awarded, as follows

- Club Champion, Snooker – Ricky Lo. R/Up – Mark Dunn
- Handicap Champion, Snooker – Jim Murphy. R/Up – Kevin Davenport
- Club Champion, Billiards – Ian Gilbee. R/Up – Brett Porter
- Handicap Champion, Billiards – Peter Gilligan. R/Up – Brett Porter

The Section is always keen to accommodate new players, so if you are interested in anything to do with snooker or billiards at Frankston RSL, please contact Mark Dunn on 0422 304 052. Juniors and ladies are very welcome. Coaching can be provided free of charge. So onwards & upwards for 2019.



# RSL GROUPS



## VIETNAM VETERANS'

Over the past few months Frankston District Vietnam Veterans have been quite busy. We have had a couple of sausage sizzles at Bunnings, socially we have had lunches at several nearby restaurants

Our weekly coffee mornings are going very strongly with around 24 turning up each Tuesday down at the Power Centre Cafe. In October we went to Castlemaine for a few days, taking over one of the local caravan parks.

We are quite involved with Pearcedale Primary School and each year we give a perpetual plaque to a student which is called the "Caring Cobber" award this year a young man called Tait won the award, unfortunately Tait was in hospital so his friend Riley accepted on his behalf (see photo)



We also presented another plaque to the Airforce Cadets for the "Most efficient on the Field" (See photo top right).

After this, I guess, like the rest of the groups in the RSL, we will be starting to think of Christmas and taking some time off. The Frankston sub branch meets on the first Monday of the month at 7.30pm at the Frankston Rsl in the Simpson Room 2. Any Veteran or partner is more than welcome to come along to a meeting

For any information please free to contact our President Kelvin Park on 0432473039 or the Secretary Cheryl Myers on 97766600 as well as [secretary.frankston@vvaavic.org.au](mailto:secretary.frankston@vvaavic.org.au)

## PARTNERS OF VETERANS' AUSTRALIA

P.V.A. believes that there is a great need for support for all partners/carers, widows/widowers and families of Australian veterans, both now and in the future, as our defence forces continue to be deployed to areas of conflict throughout the world. We are committed to providing every support and assistance practicable for their welfare, health and special needs.

We provide a support network for partners of past and present members of the Australian Defence Force (ADF) and their Allies,

P.V.A. offers:-

Support \* Friendship \* Information \* Understanding

At our December meeting Helen Napier was issued with her 10 year certificate.

We meet on the 2nd Monday of the month at 11.00 am in the Veterans Room at the Frankston RSL.

For any information please contact Cheryl on 0409962545.

# GET MORE

from your Frankston RSL membership!

### Where can I earn points?

Members can earn and redeem RSL Reward points at participating RSLs across Victoria. If you're purchasing a meal or a round of drinks you will be rewarded! You will be rewarded for every dollar you spend, so the more you spend, the more rewards you will enjoy.

### How do I become an RSL Rewards member?

You will automatically be entitled to RSL Rewards by becoming a member of any RSL in Victoria. You need your RSL membership number to login along with your date of birth. Your membership number can be found on your RSL card.

### I'm not an RSL member; how can I join?

Simply visit our Reception and sign up to become a member. All you need to do is fill in the membership form and pay \$30.

### What can I buy with my points?

The online shop has hundreds of great products to choose from including cooking appliances, toys, outdoor equipment, iPad's, and so much more. You can also browse our range of exclusive member rewards and check your points balance from the comfort of your own home at [www.rslrewards.com.au](http://www.rslrewards.com.au)

### What if I don't have enough points to get the reward I want?

Don't worry, you can top up your purchase with credit card. Simply add the item to your basket and choose the 'points + pay' option.

### How can I check how many points I have?

You can log on to [rslrewards.com.au](http://rslrewards.com.au), or swipe your card at one of the black kiosks in the venue.

### How can I earn more points?

Make sure you swipe your card each and every time you make a purchase in the club.

### How long will it take to receive my rewards order?

As soon as you place your reward redemption you will receive an order confirmation via email. Deliveries can take approx. 6-8 weeks.

**You've probably heard about the RSL Rewards online shop - it's a fantastic way for you to redeem your Rewards points, earned at the club, for products such as BBQ's, TV's, cooking appliances and much more. Here's how it all works.**

Will I be able to see what I have redeemed my points for by swiping at the kiosk?

No. While the Kiosk will show when you have redeemed and the amount of points used it won't show what rewards your points have been redeemed on. You will be able to see your order history on the website.

### Can I only redeem my points online?

No. You can also redeem your points for a purchase within the club. Simply notify our staff member at the time of purchase you would like to use your points, and they will do it on the spot. If you don't have enough points to complete the purchase, you can top up with cash or card payment.

also swipe your card for...

food & drink discounts

entry into promotions

function room hire discount

**ONLY \$30  
TO JOIN!  
(Pensioners \$25)**





# *It's All About* OUR COMMUNITY

## COMMUNITY SUPPORT FRANKSTON - OPERATION LARDER

We are happy we could help Community Support Frankston with a total of 646 hampers which were distributed as part of the Appeal, providing assistance to 1818 people - including 965 children and 853 adults experiencing financial hardship in Frankston.



## FRANKSTON ATHLETIC CLUB - FRANKSTON GIFT



Frankston Women's Gift winner - Ebony Lane  
who is our own "Curly" Clayton's Granddaughter.  
**Congratulations!**



## AUSTRALIAN WAR MEMORIAL

The Victorian RSL's (which includes Frankston RSL) provides support to the Australian War Memorial in Canberra so a Last Post Ceremony can be conducted at the Memorial at 4.55pm each night the memorial is open.

It features a story behind one of the names on the Roll of Honour each night.

Frankston RSL General Manager Rob Morrison, along with his wife Vicki, attended a service and was very impressed with the service and the number of attendees.

More information regarding the service can be found on the AWW website [www.awm.gov.au](http://www.awm.gov.au).



## FRANKSTON TOY LIBRARY

Frankston RSL proudly support the Frankston Toy library who provide families, community groups and organisations that work with children an array of quality toys, games, activities and equipment for a minimal annual fee.

One of the largest services of their kind in Australia. They are also one of the largest provider of special needs toys and resources. For more information is available on their website [www.frankstontoylibrary.org.au](http://www.frankstontoylibrary.org.au).

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# *It's All About* OUR COMMUNITY

## *FRANKKSTON BLUES*

Frankston RSL has committed to sponsoring the FDBA premier side Frankston Blues for 2019-2020.

We are proud to support this massive organisation that has between 750 - 1000 teams playing Basketball every week.

The Blues will be led by Melbourne University star Dan Trist and coached by Blues Legend Andrew Harmes for Season 2019.

With some aggressive recruiting, there is expectation of a successful season for the Blues this season.



Pictured above: New Captain Dan Trist and Frankston RSL General Manager Rob Morrison.

## *CONNECTING 2 AUSTRALIA*

It was back in 2010 when we engaged, what was then known as Connecting Skills, to maintain and oversee our grounds. Since then we have been proud to show off the great work they continually do each week. Our partnership has grown over the years with the RSL being able to donate many pieces of equipment including mowers, hedges, trimmers, and more. We also extended our partnership some 6 years ago by funding and hosting their annual Christmas Lunch each year for their staff and clients.



## *NEW SPONSORSHIP PARTNER - PINES F.N.C.*

Pines Football Netball Club started from humble beginnings in 1964, originally as a housing commission area, for affordable housing.

The rough tough image of the 60's and 70's, has given way to a club culture, which is family and community focused. Pines today, offers a pathway to social, and serious players to enjoy and develop their Football and Netball skills in one of the strongest country leagues in Victoria.

We have become a destination club, with the hard work of many over the last 5 years. We offer seniors, reserves, under 19's, and under 17's, and have worked hard in nurturing, in particular our junior teams, to encourage young athletes to come to a club that will give everyone an opportunity.

Our 4 senior netball sides give us great pride, and we established our own courts within the Football ground last year. We begin our female football program this year. Our new lights were paid off in 2017, and we are working with council, and state government on a new building that will provide, not only female change rooms, but an improved viewing area from a second storey, overlooking the grounds and courts.

The club achieved its ultimate goal last year in becoming the Division 1 Premiers, in arguably the greatest Grand Final the 122 years of Mornington Peninsula Football League history has seen, with a 1 point win after the siren. This flag sits proudly amongst our 7 senior flags, and 15 reserves flags.



Pictured above: Mark Dunsford Pines F.N.C. Major Sponsor and Sponsorship Coordinator with Frankston RSL General Manager Rob Morrison.



# Welfare REPORT

## WELLBEING AND COMMUNITY

Since our last featured article on our new initiative, the Peninsula Veterans' Hub, I am pleased to report that our numbers continue to swell as the words get around and also, with the help of Tony, our Facebook presence is reaching out as far as the USA with some glowing reports and quality feedback. Whilst many are not Facebook fans this is now the medium that so many use to communicate especially our younger veterans and their families.

We have also been working closely with our ANZAC House counterparts to ensure that along with the emerging Hub at Warrnambool the RSL is well placed for a mid-2019 full transition of the Hub Concept with both operational and funding models as we move forward to the next generation of support.

We have also had a slight "course correction" with Welfare now being replaced with Wellbeing as some see the word Welfare with some stigma attached to it.

The Frankston operation now has 4 Compensation and two Wellbeing Advocates available to assist any in need with the complexities of recent legislation and the often-complex Transition Process for our ADF members and their families.

Whilst we strongly support our current ADF Members we also have a strong connection to our emerging ADF members via our links with the three Cadets units on the Peninsula with TSTingira based out of HMAS Cerberus training future RAN members, 406 Sqn AAFC looking after our RAAF and 36 ACU Unit our Army.

All three Cadet Units are strong supporters of both our Appeals (ANZAC and Poppy) making a significant contribution to our totals. In return we support these Units both financially and morally with attendance at their formal "Dining In" Functions and Parades.

In November and December, we attended both the Navy Dinner at Rosebud RSL and the Air Force End of Year parade and again all were tested by the Cerberus weather extremes with the exception of the Cadets and their flawless drill and all with four seasons in one hour.



These activities clearly demonstrate our crossover support for all Cadets who also assist with our Commemorative Events.



In addition to the above and unbeknown to some is that many of our Volunteers wear more than one hat and in addition to Appeals and such Wellbeing is still the core of our mission.

Advocate Tony is still most active with his passion for Mobility Aids for those in need.



As we farewelled 2018 Hub staff gathered for a "Thank you" luncheon for all the Hub supporters and Volunteers.



In December volunteers from Fish Creek RSL came to the Peninsula Veterans' HUB to pick up some well needed Mobility aids and furniture for veterans not doing so well in and around Fish Creek area.

This could not have been done without the great help of people on the Peninsula donating these items.





EAT, DRINK & BE IRISH



**SUNDAY** DRESS IN GREEN!  
**MARCH 17** GUINNESS PROMOS & GIVEAWAYS  
IRISH THEMED FOOD SPECIALS  
FREE ENTERTAINMENT IN CRACKED PEPPER

Bookings can be made by calling 9783 2288 or at [www.obee.com.au/frankstonrsl](http://www.obee.com.au/frankstonrsl)

[WWW.FRANKSTONRSL.COM.AU](http://WWW.FRANKSTONRSL.COM.AU)

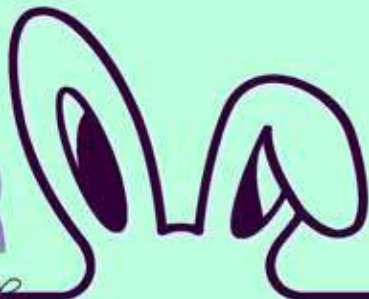
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BUY 2 PINTS OR 2 SCHOONERS OF CARLTON DRAUGHT TO SHARE  
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# HAPPY EASTER



**Easter Super Raffles**  
(Thursday 18 April)



**Easter Egg Giveaways**



**Little Diggers Colouring Comp**



**Free Hot Cross Buns – Easter SUN**  
**11AM – 12 PM & 2PM – 3PM**  
**in Star Lounge**



**BOOK A TABLE:**  
**9783 2288**

Thursday 18 April - Sunday 21 April





# *Let's get* SOCIAL





# INFORMATION <sup>RSL</sup>

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## MANAGEMENT

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 Annemaree Kelly OPERATIONS MANAGER  
 Liesl New ADMIN MANAGER  
 Lynda Leverington FINANCE MANAGER  
 Jana McKenzie MARKETING & EVENTS  
 MANAGER  
 Jodie Armitage BAR & GAMING MANAGER  
 Nathan Tracy EXECUTIVE CHEF  
 Wendy Broks FRONT OF HOUSE  
 MANAGER

## SUB-SECTION CONTACTS

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Secretary/Treasurer: Mary McGinty, 9770 1510

### GOLF

Secretary: Rick Nelson, [rick@psdpl.com.au](mailto:rick@psdpl.com.au)

### PIPES & DRUMS

Secretary: Richard Harris, 0400 103 071  
[frslpad@hotmail.com](mailto:frslpad@hotmail.com)  
 Days of play: Thursday evenings

### INDOOR BOWLS

Secretary: David Anderson, 0412 118 295,  
 Lisa DeMarco, 0418 878 892  
 DAYS OF PLAY: Monday afternoon & evening, and Tuesday

## DRESS CODE

All patrons must be dressed in a clean and tidy manner whilst in this club. The following items are NOT permitted to be worn:  
 - Caps, hats, beanies  
 - Offensive material on clothing  
 - Singlets and muscle shirts  
 - Torn or dirty clothing  
 The final decision on acceptable attire is made by the Manager on Duty.

## TRADING HOURS

### Club Trading

Monday	10am - 11pm
Tuesday	10am - 11pm
Wednesday	10am - 12am
Thursday	10am - 12am
Friday	10am - 3am
Saturday	10am - 3am
Sunday	10am - 11pm

### Reception

Monday	10am - 8pm
Tuesday	10am - 8pm
Wednesday	10am - 8pm
Thursday	10am - 8pm
Friday	10am - 9pm
Saturday	10am - 9pm
Sunday	10am - 8pm

### Four Seasons Bistro

Monday	12pm - 2pm 5:30pm - 8:30pm
Tuesday	12pm - 2pm 5:30pm - 8:30pm
Wednesday	12pm - 2pm 5:30pm - 8:30pm
Thursday	12pm - 2pm 5:30pm - 8:30pm
Friday	12pm - 2pm 5:30pm - 8:30pm
Saturday	12pm - 2pm 5:30pm - 8:30pm
Sunday	12pm - 2pm 5:30pm - 8:30pm

### Cracked Pepper

Monday	CLOSED
Tuesday	5:30pm - 8:30pm
Wednesday	5:30pm - 8:30pm
Thursday	12pm - 2pm 5:30pm - 8:30pm
Friday	12pm - 2pm 5:30pm - 9:00pm
Saturday	12pm - 2pm 5:30pm - 9:00pm
Sunday	11am - 2pm 5:30pm - 8:30pm



## IN MEMORY

HECTOR SMITH  
 WALTER STOJKOV  
 SIDNEY HOGBEN  
 SIDNEY MARSH  
 IAN LANG  
 VINCENT NORRISS  
 WILLIAM MOORE  
 ERIC ATKINSON  
 JOHN VINCENT  
 DOUGLAS PAULSON  
 BENJAMIN RILEY  
 DON HALEY  
 KENNETH BEATTIE

## AFFILIATED GROUPS

### WOMEN'S AUXILIARY

President:  
 Kaye Ruitenbeek  
 5979 2325  
 Secretary:  
 Catherine Bernhardt  
 9789 8897  
 Meetings:  
 3rd Monday of month at 1:30pm

### VIETNAM VETERANS

President:  
 Kelvin Park, 0432 473 039  
 Secretary:  
 Cheryl Myers, 9776 6600,  
[secretary.frankston@vvaavic.org.au](mailto:secretary.frankston@vvaavic.org.au)  
 Meetings:  
 1st Monday of month at 7:30pm

### Peninsula Veterans' Hub

Monday	9am - 5pm
Tuesday	9am - 5pm
Wednesday	9am - 5pm
Thursday	9am - 5pm
Friday	9am - 5pm
Saturday	Closed
Sunday	Closed

Unit 1, 18-28 Skye Rd (Cnr Farrell St and Skye Rd) Frankston VIC 3199

Phone: (03) 9783 4151

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Welfare Office Contacts:

### HUB Manager

Angela Northeast  
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### Wellbeing Advocates

Brent Clyne and Tony Grice  
 Tel: 9783 2288 Fax: 9781 2701  
 Email: [welfare@frankstonrsl.com.au](mailto:welfare@frankstonrsl.com.au)

Pension and Welfare assistance strictly by appointment

**Emergency Assistance "Open Arms"**  
**1800 011 046 (24/7)**







# EVENTS

**JOIN US THIS YEAR AS WE  
CELEBRATE OUR CENTENARY**

**17 Feb - Frankston RSL Centenarians' Afternoon Tea**

**7 Apr - Community Family Fun Day**  
FREE EVENT | BALLAM PARK | 11AM - 3PM

**22 May - Celebrating our Volunteers**  
ANNUAL VOLUNTEERS DINNER

**July - Birthday month with entertainment,  
raffles, prizes and much more!**

**18 Sep - Veterans' High Tea**

**16 Oct - Official Centenary Dinner with  
Guest Speaker Peter Fitzsimons**