

Canterbury Hurlstone Park RSL Subbranch

(Email only)

July 2021

Secretary's Newsletter

Well, for all our Sydney Metro members out there, here we go again with lockdown caused by the Delta version of COVID 19. I hope everybody is staying fit and well during these unusual and difficult times.



VALES

We shall remember them"

The following have recently passed since our last Member's Meeting:

- 08 Jun John Pedemont aged 98
- 30 Jun Lloyd Birdsall aged 97
- 09 Jul Eve Taylor aged 95

Commemorations – At this stage we plan to commemorate both VP Day and the Vietnam Veterans' Day on Sunday, 15th August. This will all depend on the Government COVID restrictions on the day and the ability for the Club to hold an event that soon after shutdown.

Member's Meeting – The next Members Meeting is not scheduled until Sunday, 24th October followed by a Luncheon. Remember that you MUST book a seat for both the meeting and the luncheon. I will inform you of the details before this date.

General News

Committee Resignations –

 Frank Mingare has been on the Committee for many years and has decided to hang up his boots citing personal reasons. The Executive, Committee and I am sure all Members of this Sub Branch thank Frank for all his efforts and wish him and his family good health.

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• I will be resigning as your Secretary at the end of this year. My tenure was never going to be a long one as Roberta and I have always wanted to escape Sydney for the North Coast. We hope to do this in the next couple of years. Thank you for all the support I have received during my time.

My resignation will cause a casual vacancy until the next voting AGM to be held in March 2023. It is therefore suggested that an interim Secretary be appointed by the Members at the next available Member's Meeting. This will enable me to commence training so there is a smooth and seamless transition by 31 December 2021.

Welfare – Your President, Ken McIntyre has been laid up after having a knee replacement. By all reports, he is progressing well and should be discharged from the Alwyn Rehab Hospital by the end of this week.

Sub Branch Rules – Formally known as Bi-Laws. I have produced a one-page form outlining some Rules that are specific to our Sub Branch. These will be tabled for discussion with a motion at the next Member's Meeting. I will have a draft placed on the Sub Branch website under the subheading 'About Us/News' for those with access to view.

Current Membership Numbers:

160 Members

2 Life Members

15 Auxiliary Members

1 Associate Members

Please note that I am unable to post to those members that do not have email addresses as I cannot access the Sub Branch Office so I will place this Newsletter on our website under the subheading About Us/News'.

More information and future up-dates can also be found on the Sub Branch Website at:

https://www.chprslsubbranch.com.au/

Please let me know if there is anything that you would like included on the website as it is a great way to stay informed.