

**Elizabeth & Salisbury Sub Section**  
**of the Naval Association of Australia [SA] Inc.**  
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**Normal Bar Trading Hours: - Wednesday from 7:00pm - Midnight; Friday from 3:30pm – Midnight**  
**Saturday from 1:00pm – 6:00pm; Sunday from 4:00pm – 8:00pm**

**Closing times may be earlier than normal depending on the Nos at the club**

**Normal Bar Trading hours is suspended on the following Saturdays as the Club is booked for Club Functions.**

**Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> September See Battle of Britain Anniversary for details Entry by Ticket only**  
**Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> October S.A. Section of Naval Association State Conference Bar Hours to be advised**  
**Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> October See Trafalgar Lunch Anniversary for details Entry by Ticket only**

**All Membership Fees are Due as from the 1<sup>st</sup> January every year. Have you paid yours yet?**

**Fees for Membership renewals are as for the following categories:**

**Ex- Naval Members \$25.00 Associate Members \$20.00 Club Members \$20.00**

**A Joining Fees of \$5-00 applies to all New Members**

**Elizabeth Navy Club & RAFA 1200 Club**  
**Newsletter Vol 3 - August 2009**  
**COMING EVENTS AT OUR CLUB**

**GARAGE SALE**

**SATURDAY 29<sup>th</sup> AUGUST 9am – 1pm**

We are now accepting any gear for the next Garage Sale taking place at the Club on Sat 29<sup>th</sup>. Anyone with anything you no longer want or need we'll take it off your hands. The only criteria is that it must be in serviceable condition, that is clean & in full working order, any clothing must be clean & serviceable, if it is thread bear or stained then toss it out. A good measure to apply, is if you would not buy it or use it because of its condition, then TOSS IT OUT, otherwise as long as it is complete, clean & works properly, it's OK. While we will take just about anything I'm afraid this time we must say **NO TV's or Computers & Printers etc** as we still have some to try & get rid of & as everyone is upgrading ready for the new digital age TV, we have been swamped with these & they are becoming more difficult to sell, so unfortunately we have to say no to these items at present. As for computers they too are very slow movers & we do not have the storage space for these larger objects, which is why we had to ask everyone to hold off bringing gear to the club until now because we have a lot of gear already at the club left over from the last garage sale. We can accept things for the garage sale now anytime the club is open, & I will be at the club on

**(Garage Sale Notice continued)**

Monday & Thursday Morning from 9am till Mid-day. We are setting up on Thursday Morning, Please make sure you have your gear at the club by Thursday 27<sup>th</sup>.

**Do not bring gear on Saturday 29<sup>th</sup>**

**RAFA 1200 CLUB**  
**BATTLE OF BRITAIN**  
**CELEBRATIONS & REUNION**

Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> September

Commencing at Mid-day

Cost is \$5 per person

The RAFA have extended the invitation for this day to all over the age of 18years of age There will be a Sherry Reception at Mid-day & a Buffet Style Lunch at 1pm

There will be entertainment during the course of the afternoon.

The Tickets are now available at the Club & can be purchased from the Bar Staff.

Don't be disappointed, Don't leave it too late to book & pay for your tickets.

Any enquiries regarding this function should be directed to Frank Scott RAFA Secretary on 8258 7535, or John Colquhoun at the Bar

**SATURDAY 10<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER**  
**NAVAL ASSOCIATION S.A. SECTION**  
**STATE CONFERENCE**

On this date the Elizabeth Navy Club will be hosting our Associations State Conference. Unfortunately for our members this means that until the Conference Business Session is over the Club will not be open for Normal Saturday Bar Trading Hours. However once the Business Session is completed we certainly will be opening the Bar. When we have more information as to how long this is expected to take we will promulgate the Bar Hours at the Club so keep your eyes & ears open for this notice to be displayed

**SATURDAY 24<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER**  
**ANNUAL TRAFALGER LUNCH**

As in the past couple of years we will commence this day at Mid-day with a Sherry Reception & then following up with Lunch at 1pm. The cost for this day will be \$15:00 per person. There will be entertainment during the course of the afternoon as well.

We require all bookings for this function to be in with money up front by close of business (8pm) on Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> October. It is important that we know how many & who is attending this function by this date & no later so we can organise Nos for the caterers. No bookings will be accepted after Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> October so make sure you get your Tickets early. It would be a shame to have to cancel this function at the last minute due to a lack of participants as nearly happened with our earlier Function Feb 28<sup>th</sup> Capt Waller Lunch, when we had confirmed bookings for 7, at 8 days before the function. Caterers require 1 weeks notice for how many are to be catered for & if the Nos fall below that you still have that No to pay, & so this is the reason why we have had to ask for all moneys to be paid in advance, because we have been let down so many times in the past.

I implore all to give this date lots of early consideration & organise your Tickets early. For those who have attended before you are assured of good value for your money, you won't get the same value at any other place except here. Tickets will be available from the start of October via our Bar or call Keith on 8252 1351

**SUNDAY 29<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER**  
**XMAS LUNCH AT THE CLUB**

The cost for our Xmas Lunch will again be set at \$15 per person. You'll get all the Xmas Trimmings & if your lucky we might even be able to request a special visit by Santa. All you lucky ladies might be able to hop on his lap & make your special wish if your good girls. Again we will also run the Giant Xmas Raffle during the course of the afternoon, & who knows you might be lucky enough to win yourself a prize or 2. The day will commence at Mid-day with the Bar opening & Lunch will commence at 12-30. Tickets will be available at the Bar by the beginning of November, & so again I say don't leave it too late to get your tickets as Nos will be limited. Don't be disappointed by leaving the purchase of your Tickets until near the closing date because they may well sell out before that date. Those who have been before know full well what sort of value for there money they get & will be ensuring themselves of a seat by getting there tickets as soon as they become available. The Giant Xmas Raffle will also go on sale before the end of October. Don't forget Tickets are a mere \$15 each for the Xmas Lunch so make sure you get yours early, as the Nos will be limited

**SUNDAY 13<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER**  
**CHILDRENS XMAS PARTY**

I will be sending the nomination forms out with this Newsletter. All children nominated must be under 13Yrs of age at Xmas 2009. The cost remains at the usual \$12-50 per child nominated. This is open to all Financial Members of the Navy Club & RAFA Members who had paid their Membership Fees before the end of June 2009. Children Nominated must be your direct family not Nieces & Nephews. The Nomination forms must be returned to the club with all money paid by close of business on Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> October. Nomination forms will not be accepted after this date. If you do not receive a nomination form with your newsletter, & you believe you are entitled & would like to nominate your child then give me a call (Keith 8252 1351) & I will organise one for you.

**Other Functions being held within the Naval Association & Sub Sections (Branches)**

**Merchant Navy Day:** - The Beachvale Sub Section, McKinna Rd Christie Downs conducting this Service on September 3<sup>rd</sup> at 11:00am. RSVP by 24<sup>th</sup> Aug to Reg Davies on 8382 1927.

**Adelaide Sub Section Annual Lunch:** - This is being held on Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> September, at the Land of Promise Hotel. Cost is \$25:00per person. Contact & time details on our club notice board.

**Navy Week:** - The Memorial Garden Service takes place on Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> October at 11:00am at the Naval Memorial Gardens, Sir Edwin Smith Ave, Nth Adelaide (opposite the Cross of Sacrifice where the Anzac Day Service is held). This will be followed by a BBQ that will be hosted by the Royal Australian Navy Headquarters Division at the Memorial Gardens. Cost of the BBQ =????

**SPECIAL URGENT NOTICE**

The Position of Club Cleaner is becoming vacant very soon. Anyone with an interest in taking over this position should contact the President – Keith Fry in the first instance, either at the club on Wednesday Evenings or by phone to 8252 1351. It is preferred that it will be taken over by a member of either the Navy Club or the RAFA Club. Any applicants must be able to handle an industrial style polisher / scrubber, & be willing to carry out the duties before the time for the normal bar trade hours & any other times as determined by Hall Bookings & Club Functions. There is also a requirement of being able to move tables & chairs. The person should have a reasonable knowledge of cleaning requirements such as how to strip & polish tiled floors, & pride themselves on their work, & cleaning habits.

Should there be no applicants from within the membership then we will have to consider farming this position out to a contractor which will cost a considerable amount of money, & also bring along more complications as well. If this happens it will affect the club in many ways including the prices at the Bar. For many years various members have carried out these duties & in doing so have helped us to be able to keep our overheads down which also includes the Bar Prices. Various Presidents & their Wives (including myself & my wife) have stood in at times so we do know what the job entails & how long it should take if done to a good routine, but unfortunately due to health & an overload of jobs at the club already this is no longer possible or viable for this President & Wife any more.

Payment of Membership Fees at the Club. As Treasurer I have investigated the possibility of members paying their membership fees via Electronic Payment Transfer that is via Internet Banking. This means that if you have the Internet you can pay any money via Your Bank A/C to any other Bank A/C as long as you have the BSB & Account number that you are transferring to. As Treasurer I do this when paying the clubs Brewery Account & also when Paying our Member Capitation Fees to our National & State Branches. Providing you keep your Anti Virus Software up to date & don't allow anyone else access to your internet banking details it is safer than sending a cheque or money order via normal post which can just as easy become lost, & then you have the added problem of having to cancel cheques etc. I've been there & done that. It's a real pane in the Butt.

If any Members would like to consider this as a means of paying their next Membership Fees for 2010 come to the club & speak with me or give me a call or even send me an email & I will discuss the details further with you about what should be done as a means of having proof of your transaction & what would be required from our end so I know who is transferring money & for what purpose the money is for.

Recently a Bus load of us went on a trip to the Skycity Casino in Adelaide & had a Winter Xmas Lunch, all for the mere cost of \$8 per person. How cheap was that, excellent I say? A day out with lunch provided & if you were game & luck was on your side & had a win on the pokies like some I know, it ended up costing you nothing & to top it off you earnt the club a Bonus rebate of \$50. Thanks to all who went along this day. I Hope you were lucky.

Don't forget our Friday Meals at the Club on the 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday each month. These commence at 5:30pm & last orders are taken at 6:15pm. Our ladies provide an excellent meal & I doubt you'll get the value anywhere else with a Main Meal for a mere \$6 & Dessert for just \$2. Children's main meal is half price.

**See you at the coming club functions if not sooner. Regards to all. Keith Fry, Navy Club President**