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COVER SHOT:

An artist's impression of the new alfresco dining area to be built on the Bridge Road side of the club gives some idea of just how appealing the new areas will be. The work is scheduled to be finished by mid-2006.

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From the Chief Executive Officer...

New rules for a new world



John Ballesty
Chief Executive Officer

CLUB life will undergo one of its more significant changes next month when new government regulations on smoking come into play. It is the first step in a regulatory change that will mean no smoking at all in indoor areas of clubs and pubs by 2007.

For the time being we are allowed to maintain smoking in one room, and the Board of Directors has decided to make this the gaming room, since that is where the greatest proportion of smokers congregate.

The changes are driven by health concerns and Canterbury respects the motivation for them. We will, however, try to make the club as welcoming for both smokers and non-smokers as we can, and this requires a positive outlook from everybody – staff and members.

There is an extensive coverage in this magazine of the steps we will be taking. Suffice to say here that we are determined to ensure the change is undertaken as smoothly as possible and that none of our members or visitors is unduly inconvenienced.

We will welcome smokers and provide for them in the best way that we can. Ultimately

this will include breakouts into outdoor areas where smoking will be permitted.

For non-smokers, we are determined to provide air that is as clean as possible. With the bars and thoroughfares to be non-smoking from July 4, as well as our dining areas, there will be ample space for those who wish to be smoke free. In the gaming room as well, where smoking will be permitted at least until 2007, we have spent considerable funds in up-grading air conditioning and filtration systems to ensure that patrons' comfort is maintained. A non-smoking area will continue to be provided.

We hope that everybody will adapt to the new measures, and that our efforts to provide adequately for both groups will be productive. The other big change in the wind is the imminent resumption of work to renovate the Bridge Road side of the club and provide an outstanding new facility to balance the new wing currently in use. We will keep members posted on progress, but the work will start as soon as the council gives the final go-ahead, and the first stage should be pretty much under control by Christmas.

In the meantime the club continues to thrive. Patronage remains good, and the ambience of the club continues to be happy and uplifting as families and friends enjoy our services.

The annual Anzac Day commemorations at Lakemba Services club were again a recent highlight of club activity, enhanced this year by a memorial re-dedication service which drew a large attendance of veterans and dignitaries.

Moves are progressing, too, towards amalgamation with Bateau Bay Bowling Club, following a vote of approval to proceed which members gave at the annual General Meeting in February.

We continue to move forward strongly, and I hope all our members continue to enjoy our club with pride.

John Ballesty

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Chief Executive Officer

Cleaning the air: --- New smoking regulations to affect bars from July

NEW State government regulations to limit smoking in clubs will come into force in July. The new rules are part of a three-year program that will make indoor smoking illegal in clubs, hotels and other public places.

Canterbury, along with all other clubs and pubs, will have to be totally smoke free within enclosed areas by July 2007.

To accommodate the change in regulations in the short term:

- Canterbury's directors have determined that the gaming room will be the allowable smoking room under the new regulations over the next 12 months.
- Patrons will not be able to smoke in any bar area including the Sports Bar and Showroom.
- Existing restrictions which apply to the restaurants and public thoroughfares will be retained to ensure they remain non-smoking.

Directors chose the gaming room as the allowable smoking room because it is the room most frequented by smokers.

"We want to make our venue a comfortable place for all our patrons," said club CEO John Ballesty. "We have a non-smoking area allocated on the gaming floor, and we have installed more than \$60,000 worth of extra air conditioning and filtration equipment throughout the building to make the air as clean as possible.

"As the non-smoking regulations unfold, however, we also want to make sure our members and visitors who like a smoke can find somewhere suitable to have one.

"As soon as the regulations are clear as to what is allowable, we will be providing breakout areas through the rest of the building for smokers."

The health issues of the smoking debate have driven the current government attitude on smoking restrictions, and all indications

are that the process will continue.

Canterbury has taken into account the need for outdoor smoking areas in the extensions planned to begin this year, and will have extensive outdoor areas, on both ground and first floor balconies, which will accommodate smokers and will still provide a range of club amenities.

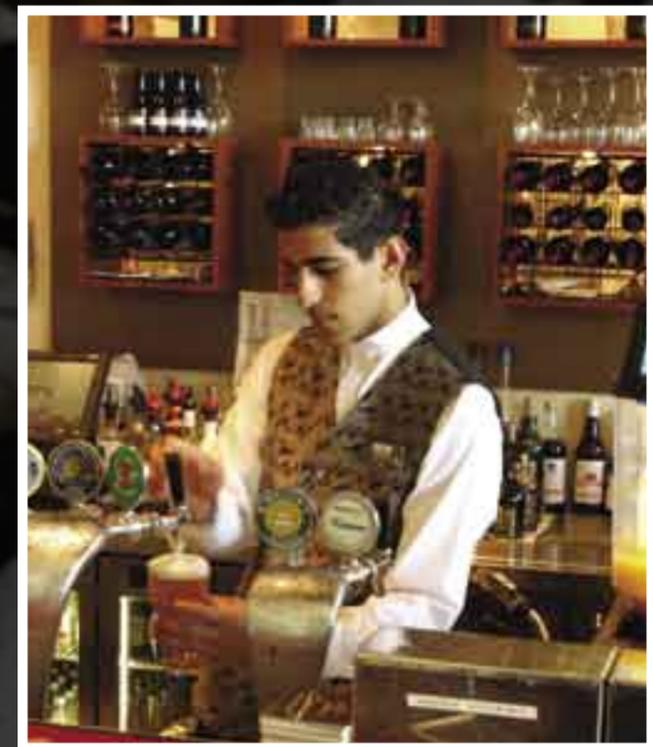
"Our aim in all of this is very simple," Mr Ballesty said. "We have smokers and non-smokers in our club, and all of them are entitled to be given the very best facilities we can give them.

"In settling into the new regulatory environment, we will seek to cater for smokers by providing breakouts and outdoor smoking areas, and we will seek to cater for non-smokers by maintaining the air inside the building essentially smoke free.

"We will work to make the regulations work."

An extensive signage and education program will be undertaken to familiarise all patrons with the new requirements handed down by the NSW government.

The effect of the new rules will be to make the entire ground floor of the building non-smoking. The regulations allow that when private functions are being held in the auditorium or Blueberry Hill, the function organisers can determine whether smoking is allowed or not allowed, provided all the attendees are there by private invitation.



Making a grand club grander



Health Club to double in size

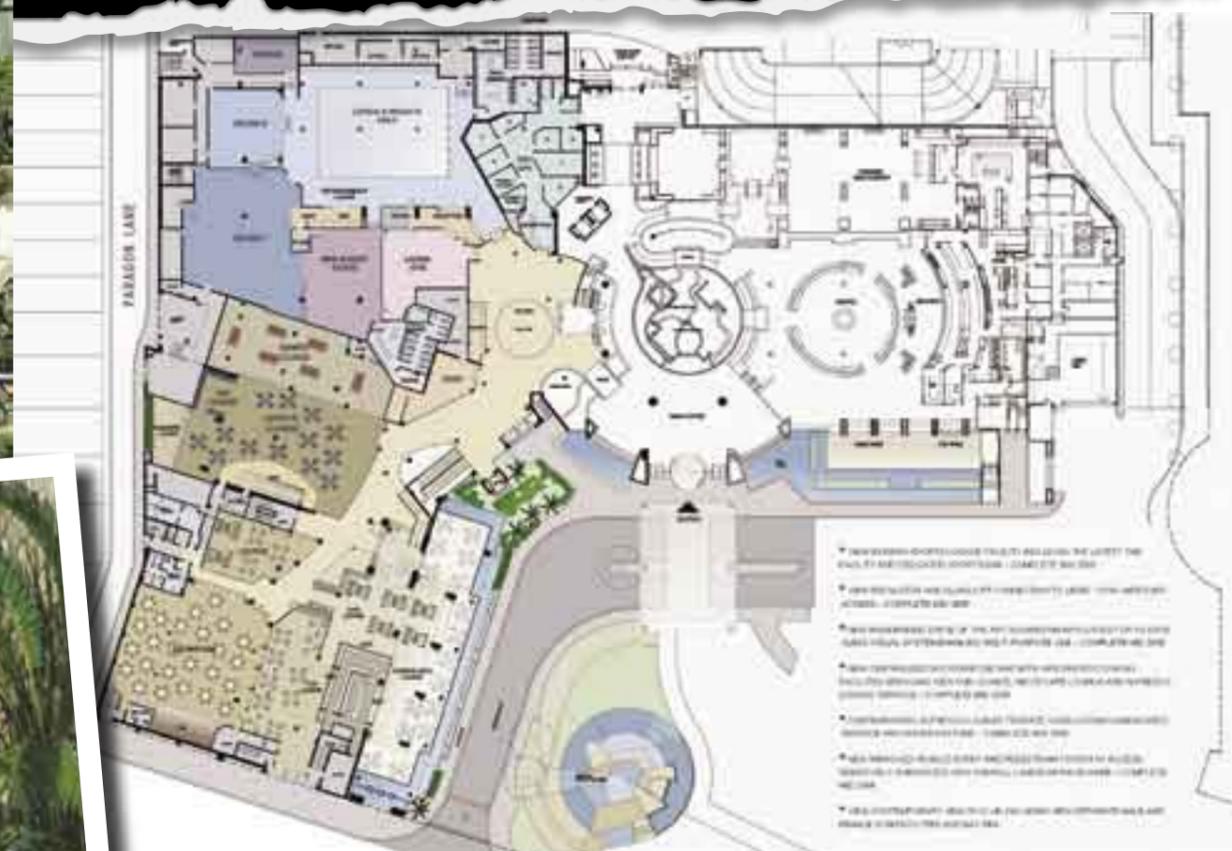


The completion of the renovation will leave the Canterbury Health Club with twice as much floor space as it has now, and a range of services to match anything in the industry. These include:

- A full Health Spa with a wide range of services
- A separate Ladies Gym
- New state of the art change rooms with a sauna in each
- A fully equipped cardio area, and three separate group exercise areas

- A Mind and Body studio for Yoga, Pilates, Tai Chi and general relaxation exercises
- A Lounge Bar, with an accent on healthy eating
- An upgraded range of group classes and educational seminars.

"It will be a very different proposition to that which we have now," reflected Canterbury Health Club manager Drew Brown. "The response to our current facility has been excellent, but this will be something else".



Work will begin this winter on the next stage of renovations at Canterbury, completing a total makeover of the "old club's" ground floor.

Members will have seen the plans and projections in the foyer or on our website, and repeated in this journal, which offer a stunning prospect of an essentially "new" club.

"Our Board has decided to do this now, while we can, to give our members a club that will serve them well into the foreseeable future," said Canterbury CEO John Ballesty. "We have tried to keep a sensible balance between what we can prudently afford and what will serve our needs for a long time to come. I think the result is something that will be absolutely out of this world."

The first stage of the work will require the bottom level of the old areas of the club to be boarded off, leaving access to the Health Club via the stairwell and the recently renovated lift. Once work starts the Health Club's group exercise classes will transfer to the

auditorium.

The ground floor work will be completed in two stages. The first stage will comprise:

- A new alfresco lounge and dining area in a landscaped extension extending out from where the old Coffee Shop used to be, providing an open air environment looking over the waterfall
- A lounge terrace on the upper floor, offering light dining and lounge facilities
- A new Showroom and Sports Lounge
- A new main members bar, built to capture the atmospherics of a traditional English pub.

This stage is due to be completed by mid-2006. The second stage will then provide a revamped Health Club on the



remainder of the ground floor space, taking in the old gaming floor and the current Cascades Showroom.

The work in all areas will be done to a very

high standard, mirroring in many respects the new wing, particularly in its external presentation.

A watercourse will surround the new building as it opens out six metres into the gardens, and extensive use of sandstone and brown marble, as well as judicious planting, will give it a five-star feel. It will be elevated above a widened club entry roadway.

The outdoor area will have a series of moveable glass walls to make it practical in all weathers.

The upstairs terrace, linked by a staircase from the lower lounge, will offer a whole new feel to the Canterbury experience, sitting above the water feature. It will be one of the more exotic areas of the club, particularly on balmy summer evenings.

The areas in which the new bar, the Showroom and the Sports Lounge will be built will have a series of varied levels, providing some raised seating with decor geared to

themed atmosphere in each area.

The project also will introduce a new escalator and an external glass lift, to link with the upper floors where a modern Function Centre is to be built once the ground floor stages are completed. The club foyer also will be rebuilt to blend with the more modern feel of the rest of the building.

As the projections on these pages make clear, it will be a different club altogether, and something to anticipate keenly.



New services as Health Club gears for change

CANTERBURY Health Club will be introducing new programs and services designed to enhance the personalised elements of the service offered to members.

A key improvement will be the establishment of a HELP DESK to assist members with their exercise questions and to ensure members are training efficiently and correctly. The Help Desk will be located in the main Gym area, with easy access for all trainers as they work.

This desk will be manned by qualified gym floor staff for the sole purpose of assisting members with all their exercise concerns as they work. Whether it be questions on weight loss or gaining muscle or injury rehab, the staff will be there to assist. If they can't find

a detailed answer on the spot, they'll do the research for you and come back with a well-resourced response to any query.

"It's another service designed to maximise the value members get from the club," offered Health Club manager Drew Brown. "We have always had help on hand, of course, but mostly at our main desk. This will make the service more immediate and more available. It is something we need for those members who want to adapt what they are doing as they do it to get the best results."

The service is one of several being introduced to the Health Club as it readies itself for a move to expansive new premises within the next 15 months. The club is expecting a membership surge as the new downstairs Health Club nears, offering a world class training facility with every modern amenity.

One of the new services being offered immediately is FAST TRACK FITNESS. It is aimed as the title suggests for those who need to get fit fast, and involves the service of personal trainers. The trainers take those in the program through action-packed training sessions

designed to reach fitness goals in quick time.

It is a high intensity program which also has the benefit of motivating members to keep going. There is no time to backslide. Fast Track Fitness is a simple device to produce results if you think any of the following applies to you:

- Lack of time to train?
- Need results fast?
- Have never used exercise equipment before and want to learn the correct methods
- Lack motivation to exercise
- Looking for that extra edge in your training?
- Want to learn the latest methods of training?

Further information is available at reception. Just ask about FAST TRACK FITNESS!

The club is also currently considering using Les Mills programs in its Group Exercise timetable. This program is popular in fitness centres world wide, offering choreographed and identifiable routines that are easily followed and highly productive.

Stay tuned for more on this exciting development.

FREE GOLF CLINIC

From Thursday 2nd June
to Thursday 23rd June
In the showroom
6pm - 8pm

With golf pro

Wayne Pollard



JUNE

ENTERTAINMENT AT CANTERBURY

FRIDAY

NIGHT BANDS

9pm TO MIDNIGHT

SATURDAY

ENTERTAINMENT

SUNDAY

CONCERTS

FROM 2.30pm

JUNE 3
TONITE'S THE NITE
with Morgan Kent

JUNE 10
COCKER DOWNUNDER

JUNE 17
THE ENORMOUS HORNS



JUNE 24
COUNTDOWN EXPLOSION



JUNE 4
Dancing from 8pm
with the **Club Trio**
Special Guest Artists 9.15pm
TREVOR T. MARTIN
and **JJ HORNE**

JUNE 11
LATIN AMERICAN DANCE NIGHT
8-30pm - midnight with
TBC Band

JUNE 18
From 8.30pm to midnight
"THE TOM JONES EXPERIENCE"
starring Jacques Renay

JUNE 25
LATIN AMERICAN DANCE NIGHT
8.30pm-midnight
with
TRIPLE IMAGEN BAND

JUNE 5
TALENT QUEST
Heat 1
with compere
Mark Kristian

JUNE 12
TALENT QUEST
Heat 2
with compere
Mark Kristian

JUNE 19
TALENT QUEST
Heat 3
with compere
Mark Kristian

JUNE 26
TALENT QUEST
Heat 4
with compere
Mark Kristian



VARIETY DAY
Thursday June 16
Francesca Brescia
Tony Mazell

REGULAR EVENTS

Salsa Dancing
Every Tuesday night
(\$5 p.p. per lesson)
7.00pm - 9.00pm

Line Dancing
Held every
Wednesday
(\$5 p.p. per lesson)
7.30pm to 9.30pm

Monster Market
Day Raffle
Each Wednesday
from 11:30am
Draw 12:30pm
WIN meat hampers,
chicken, fruit and vegetable
trays, wine, electrical goods

Wednesday Wonderland Raffle
From 5:30pm,
Draw 6:30pm
WIN meat, chickens, fruit
and veg. trays, grocery open
orders, seafood etc.

Bingo in the Showroom
Mondays -
11am & 7pm
Tuesdays - 11am
Fridays - 11am

JULY

ENTERTAINMENT AT CANTERBURY

FRIDAY

NIGHT BANDS

9pm TO MIDNIGHT

JULY 1
THE ZIPS

JULY 8
THE FAMILY VON TRAPP



VARIETY DAY

Thursday July 21
Julia Daniel
Rod Little

JULY 15
AKINGA

JULY 22
HORN STARS

JULY 29
THE ROBERTSON BROS.

SATURDAY

ENTERTAINMENT

JULY 2

Dancing from 8pm
with the **Club Trio**
Special Guest Artist 9.15pm
CARTER EDWARDS

JULY 9

LATIN AMERICAN DANCE NIGHT
8.30pm-midnight
with **BAMBOLEO BAND**

JULY 16

From 8.30pm
GREEK NIGHT
starring
ToKefi Greek Band, Ana Sevo,
John Lagoutaris,
Cyprus Community Dancers,
Bellydancer

JULY 23

LATIN AMERICAN DANCE NIGHT
8.30pm - 12 midnight
with **LOS DEL TROPICO BAND**

JULY 30

MANILA BY NIGHT
featuring Lillian de los Reyes, Luis Aguilar, Christine Nicademous Jasmine and Gemma Fitzgerald, Da Mayan Cultural Dancers and The Manila by night Showgirls

SUNDAY

CONCERTS

FROM 2.30pm

JULY 3

TALENT QUEST Heat 5
with compere
Mark Kristian

JULY 10

TALENT QUEST Heat 6
with compere
Mark Kristian

JULY 17

TALENT QUEST Semi-final
with compere
Mark Kristian

JULY 24

TALENT QUEST Semi-final
with Compere
Mark Kristian

JULY 31

TALENT QUEST GRAND FINAL
with compere
Mark Kristian

AUGUST

ENTERTAINMENT AT CANTERBURY

FRIDAY

NIGHT BANDS

9pm TO MIDNIGHT

AUGUST 5
THE KAMIS

AUGUST 12
THE ENORMOUS HORNS

AUGUST 19
THE AUSTRALIAN BLUES BROS

AUGUST 26
COOL CHANGE
The Little River Band Tribute



VARIETY DAY

Thursday August 18
Bobby Silk
Carla Maree

latin KINGS

SATURDAY

ENTERTAINMENT

AUGUST 6

Dancing from 8pm
with the **Club Trio**
Guest Artist 9.15pm
ROY COOPER

AUGUST 13

From 8.30pm -midnight
LATIN AMERICAN DANCE NIGHT
with **LATIN KINGS BAND**

AUGUST 20

From 8.30pm - midnight
ORBISON - THE TRIBUTE
starring **Dean Bourne**

AUGUST 27

From 8.30pm - midnight
LATIN AMERICAN DANCE NIGHT
with **FRECUENCIA QUATRO BAND**

SUNDAY

CONCERTS

FROM 2.30pm

Resident Compere Gerry Hatch

AUGUST 7
JACK BECKITT
FRANK GARATY
and the
DI HEATON DANCERS

AUGUST 14
SIMON BARTLETT
MERCEDES



AUGUST 21
LARRY PHILLIPS
DOROTHY BARRY

AUGUST 28
AMBER JADE
GEOFF JONES



A quick trip back to earth



A tough break . . . Sonny Bill Williams' season hits the skids



THE 2005 season has seen a mixed start for the Bulldogs. On the field the team had done it tough after securing one win from the first five games, until a victory over the Knights broke that pattern.

Many in the media had speculated the reasons for the poor start, but no one can doubt that injuries have played their part with eight members of the Bulldogs top squad ruled out through injury at different times.

Australian international players Willie Mason and Mark O'Meley will be spending extended time on the sideline due to leg injuries. Mason is due back in Round 20 and O'Meley expected back in Round 23. New Zealand international Sonny Bill Williams injured his leg in Round 4 and won't return until round 13.

Other players who have been or are currently on the injury list include Adam Perry (calf injury), Ben Harris (shoulder reconstruction), Reni Maitua (ankle injury), Brett Oliver (knee reconstruction) and Trevor Thurling (knee reconstruction).

On the bright side, a storming win against Parramatta, in which a depleted team played with much greater drive and urgency, suggested better times ahead.

The injuries meanwhile have provided opportunity for some younger players to show their wares at the top level.

Nineteen-year-old Nate Myles played strongly during the trial games and has subsequently been rewarded with a first grade spot. The former Junior Kangaroo has been at the Club for three years and has impressed the coaching staff greatly. Chris Armit, Ben Czislawski and Charlie Tonga, all new to the Bulldogs, have also performed well, garnering themselves first grade spots this year.

Sponsorship levels rise

Off the field, the Club has achieved success filling all sponsorship opportunities on their

playing strip. Bill Express and Yes Home Loans have come on board as shorts sponsors for the 2005 and 2006 seasons. They join the Bulldogs jersey sponsors Mitsubishi Electric and Auto Group who have continued their strong support of the team.

Home crowds on a sharp climb

Crowd numbers for the beginning of the 2005 season have been a revelation, not just for the Bulldogs, but for the NRL in general. After six rounds of competition the average NRL crowd was 17,899 – up 3,285 on last year.

For the Bulldogs, home crowds are at record levels with an average of 26,733 spectators for the first three home games. In fact, the crowd record for a single home club game for the Bulldogs was broken in the first round against the Dragons when 33,105 fans turned out to Telstra Stadium.



Luke Patten looks for space in the season opener against St George



Rep games

The 2005 representative season is already in full swing with the ANZAC Test and the City/Country Origin match already played. The Bulldogs had five players picked in the Test with Willie Tonga and Mark O'Meley in the Australian side and Matt Utai, Jamaal Lolesi and Roy Asotasi chosen for New Zealand.

Braith Anasta, Hazem El Masri, Brent Sherwin and Reni Maitua were selected for the City Origin team and Andrew Ryan was picked for the Country Origin side.

Fans Code of Conduct brings a better result

This season the Bulldogs have introduced a Fan Code of Conduct. This Code has raised the bar for all fans with regard to their be-

haviour and has ensured that everyone who attends a Bulldogs game will have an enjoyable experience, free from any disturbances.

The Code has been embraced by Bulldogs supporters at their first four home games this year and Bulldogs fans have received a lot of positive feedback from supporters of the away teams who attended those games.

For that small minority who come to league games just to cause trouble, the Bulldogs won't tolerate their behaviour and they'll be ejected from the ground and banned from all future NRL games. In particular the Club will be targeting foul language, intimidation, abusive chanting and racism.



Bulldogs Fan Code of Conduct

We Will

We will welcome away team fans and assist the Club deliver an enjoyable and non-threatening experience at our home games.

We will exhibit dignity, pride and poise: characteristics of the Club

We will celebrate in victory and commiserate in defeat. We will acknowledge and respect opposition fans allegiance to their own club.

We recognise the efforts of the Bulldogs players as playing to the best of their ability in an effort to win each and every game.

We will work with the Club to enforce the Code of Conduct at home and away games throughout the NRL season.

We will inform the Club of people who do not abide by the Code of Conduct and will support the Club cancelling the privileges or access to the services provided by the Club of these supporters.

We Will Not

We will not engage in activity that embarrasses or inhibits others from enjoying the viewing of a Bulldogs game.

We will not taunt opposition fans in victory or exhibit bad sportsmanship in defeat.

We will not cause or react in an abusive or violent matter, including verbal, physical and emotional abuse, towards players, officials, media, venue staff, other spectators (home or away) and others

We will not disparage other teams or their fans.

Should we wish to offer criticism of the Bulldogs Club regarding team selection, coaching, player contracts and other decisions made by the administration, we shall not do so in a demeaning or abusive manner.

We will not use foul or abusive language towards fellow supporters, away supporters, or match day officials.

We will not display banners with obscene or inappropriate messages.

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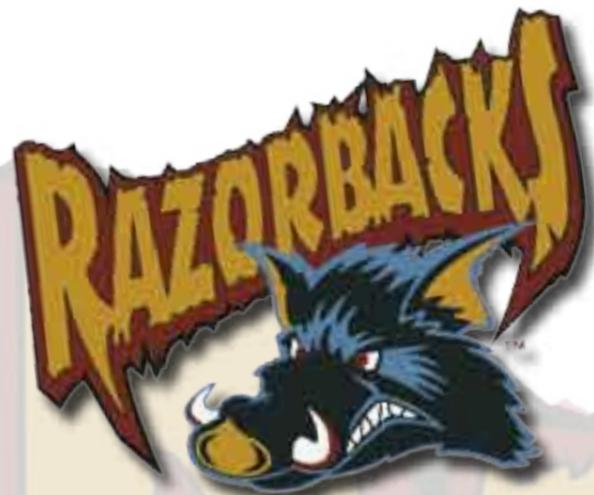
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RAZE THE ROOF

The greatest shot blocker in NBL history, Simon Dwight returns this coming season to lead the Razorbacks exciting line-up in their quest to get back to the finals. Joining Dwight from last season's Razorbacks will be the explosive Steve Markovic, Scott McGregor, Clint Reed and outstanding American import Nick Horvath.

Coach Mark Watkins is busy recruiting the remainder of the line-up with Wollongong enforcer Cam Rigby just one of five new faces to join the Razorbacks.

The Razorbacks will be out to RAZE the Roof higher in providing fans with a quality team and entertainment package in their eighth season in the Philips NBL Championship.

Home Games

The Razorbacks will play all 16 of their NBL Home games at Sydney's Olympic Park sporting precinct. Fourteen games will be featured at the Sydney Olympic Park Sports Centre (SOPSC) and two blockbusters at the Sydney SuperDome. Home to the Razorbacks for the past four seasons the Sports Centre seats 4200 spectators in comfort with everyone

guaranteed a great view of the action.

The Sydney SuperDome is one of the most exciting and innovative live entertainment and indoor sporting venues in the world. The latest in state of the art technology and leading edge design, the Sydney SuperDome offers the total event experience.

Member packages

Platinum and Gold Members receive the same benefits with the only difference being seating allocation. Check out the venue plans to see where each category will be seated.

All packages receive the following benefits:

- Your own reserved seat for 16 Razorbacks home games.
- Invitation to an exclusive Members Only Pre-Season Function to meet the Razorbacks. (Free of charge)
- Invitation to an exclusive Members Only In-Season Function with the Razorbacks. (Free of charge)
- Invitation to Razorbacks Members Dinner Nights.
- Invitation to Razorbacks

Members Golf Day.

- Invitation to Razorbacks Members Away Trip.
- Priority access to purchase tickets to Razorbacks Home NBL Finals Games.
- Exclusive Members Only Razorbacks Fixture Keyring.
- Regular Members Only Razorbacks Newsletter.
- Razorbacks 2005-06 Team Poster.
- 2 tickets to a 2006 Bulldogs NRL Home Game.

Priority period

All members from last season (2004-05) will have a priority renewal period to renew their same seats or request an upgrade. This priority period will last until 22 July, 2005. After this date there will be no guarantee that current Members will be able to retain their same seats from last season.

Easy pay

Pay for your Razorbacks Season Tickets in four interest free, monthly instalments. You pay just 25 percent upfront when you book your package with three further payments being debited to your nominated credit card on 22 June 2005, 22 July 2005 and 22 August 2005. The Easy Pay option is only available for packages of at least \$200 in value.

The Razorbacks have on offer one of the best value sporting passes for families. You can bring your family of four (two adults and two children) to the Razorbacks 16 home games for just \$630 (Gold). This works out to under \$9.85 per member per game for five great months of family entertainment.

For the larger families we have made available discounted additional child passes. The Razorbacks also have a Platinum Family Pass that provides excellent seating at just \$850 for the season (\$13.28 per game/person).

Early birds

All members that sign up their Razorbacks Membership for the 2005-06 Season by 22 June, 2005 will go into an exclusive draw to win four premium seats to the Delta Goodrem Concert at the Sydney SuperDome on Saturday July 23, 2005.



SELECT YOUR PACKAGE

16 GAME PACKAGE @ SYDNEY OLYMPIC PARK				
CATEGORY	PLATINUM	QTY	GOLD	QTY
Adult	\$320.00		\$240.00	
Child (U/16)	\$210.00		\$150.00	
Concession#	\$210.00		\$150.00	
Family (2A + 2C)	\$850.00		\$630.00	
Extra Child in Family*	\$110.00		\$95.00	
TOTAL AMOUNT:				

* An extra child can only be purchased as an add on to a family package. The child must be an immediate family member. Children prices are available for persons 16 years and under as at 31 December, 2005. # TPI pensioners, aged pensioners, invalid pensioners, and full-time students only. Concession prices do not apply to the unemployed. Proof of eligibility for concessions (photo copy) must be attached to application form and original documentation MUST be available for display on entry into the venue.

Razorbacks office: Ph (02) 9740 6259



The Atrium's new winter menu

Entrée

Soup of the Day 7.50

Grilled Haloumi Cheese with Rocket and Herb tomatoes 10

Penne w Chorizo Sausage, roasted capsicums and Tomato 9.50

Salt & Pepper Squid with lime Mayonnaise 11.00

Garlic Prawns 14.50

Seared Japanese Scallops with tatsoi and a Corn, tomato and Mint salsa, Limonolio 14.00

Sydney Rock Oysters- Natural \$14.00/\$24.00

Kilpatrick & Mornay \$15.00/\$25.00

Main Course

Crispy Skinned Barramundi Fillet w Tempura Chinese Broccoli and an Asian Mushroom Broth 24.00

Red Wine Marinated Lamb Rump on Wet Polenta w a Rosemary Jus and SD Tomato Tapenade 21.00

Pan Fried Chicken Supreme on a Vodka and preserved Lemon Risotto 19.00

Chargrilled 400g Rib Eye Steak on Roasted Garlic Mash w a Red Wine Jus \$27.00

Smoked salmon Ravioli with fried capers and a Champagne, dill cream sauce 20.00

Chargrilled veal Medallions with baby eggplant and Hummus 23.50

Fish of the day MP

Seafood platter for 2 55.00

Side dishes

Sweet potato, Spinach and pecan salad 9.50

Mixed leaf salad 6.00

Garlic Bread 3.50

Bruschetta 5.50

Steak Fries 5.00

Desserts

Rhubarb, Coconut and White Chocolate Crumble 8.00

Sticky date Pudding w Caramel sauce 8.00

White and dark Chocolate Mousse w a Vanilla Tuille 7.50

Custard Apple Crème Brulee 7.00

Vanilla Pannacotta w a Berry Compote 6.50

Atrium Sampler Plate 8.50

New chef, new ideas

CANTERBURY'S new Executive Chef Simon McNamara has worked in some very high end restaurants, and brings to the club a range of new ideas. Simon's influence already can be felt in a new Atrium menu of outstanding appeal, and in a series of specials available in the Banyan Brasserie.

Simon came to Canterbury highly recommended as an innovative chef with contemporary ideas, having been head chef at a restaurant as well regarded as Angelo's on the Bay Cabarita. A principal focus of his input at Canterbury has been to provide a seasonal focus, moving food styles according to the availability of fresh produce and the prevailing seasonal conditions.

"The result is a better variety in our offerings, and a concentration on fresh produce and the quality that goes with it," said the club's Food and Beverage manager Anthony Biasotto. "The menu turns over quite extensively four times a year and there is always something special to seize upon."

Atrium Specials

Friday Nights:

3 course menu for \$25

Saturday Nights:

Complimentary coffee with every dessert ordered



Banyan specials and promotions

The Banyan Brasserie is now two years old, and the food reflects the refinement that comes with a settling-in period. An innovation is the new Chef's Specials board, which offers a casserole, curry, pasta or fish . . . all of them on a rotating "special of the day" basis. It is hearty winter food to suit the season.

This comes on top of the daily specials of Pasta and Garlic Bread for \$8.50 (Mondays), traditional Indian, Thai or Malay Curry for \$9.90 (Tuesday), Steak, chips and salad for \$9.95 (Wednesday). The Thursday offering of two courses – soup and a bread roll and casserole entrée of the day for \$7.50 is another winner.

Additionally the Banyan is providing some winter enticements. From June to August a coffee and cake special is available for only \$5 between 2pm and 5pm. In July there is a complimentary garlic bread with every full roast, and in August a complimentary side salad of your choice goes with every main course purchased off the specials board.



A Bulldog fan on world stage

TOP Australian golfer Peter Lonard tends to wear his heart on his sleeve . . . or should we say putter. Television golf devotees would have noted the spectacular Bulldogs imagery on his long-handle putter as Lonard has traversed the fairways of the world.

The current Australian champion lists the Bulldogs as his key sporting interest (golf aside, presumably) in his official biography, and has vowed more than once to make sure he is in Sydney for a game some time this year.

Lonard's devotion to the Bulldogs goes back to his childhood, when he grew up in Campsie and like most of the local kids thought Belmore Oval was the centre of the earth. The devotion has stuck to the point that he has had the word "Bulldogs" and the football club logo emblazoned on the grip of his putter . . . a significant declaration of club support when you consider

how many TV viewers worldwide are fixed on a putting close-up. Nike and the rest pay millions for that.

If the Bulldogs attachment is a lucky charm for an old Campsie boy it is working pretty well too. When Lonard won the MCI Heritage Classic at the Harbour Town Links on Hilton Head Island in South Carolina in April, he shot to No. 25 in golf's world rankings. He picked up a tidy \$936,000 as well in his first tournament win in the United States.

Lonard's best winning streak however came in Australia at the end of 2004, when he won the Australian Open, the NSW Open and the Australian PGA in successive outings.

An old Campsie boy come good, you might say. And an international sporting star who has not forgotten his roots, taking his Bulldog allegiance with him wherever he goes and wearing it proudly.

SUMMER ENTERTAINMENT AT LAKEMBA SERVICES

WEEKLY HIGHLIGHTS AT LAKEMBA



LAKEMBA SERVICES

JULY

THURSDAY BANDS
From 7.30pm

FRIDAY BANDS
From 7.30pm

SATURDAY SHOWS
8pm to 12 midnight

JULY 1
SKYSTHE LIMIT

JULY 2
LATIN AMERICAN
DANCE NIGHT
with LATIN SOUL BAND

JULY 7
FAB TWO

JULY 8
HECKLE and JECKLE

JULY 9
KEELY GRANT CONNECTION

JULY 14
CRUSHED ICE

JULY 15
THE POWER OF 2

JULY 16
MIKE MATHIESON DUO

JULY 21
JUPITER DUO

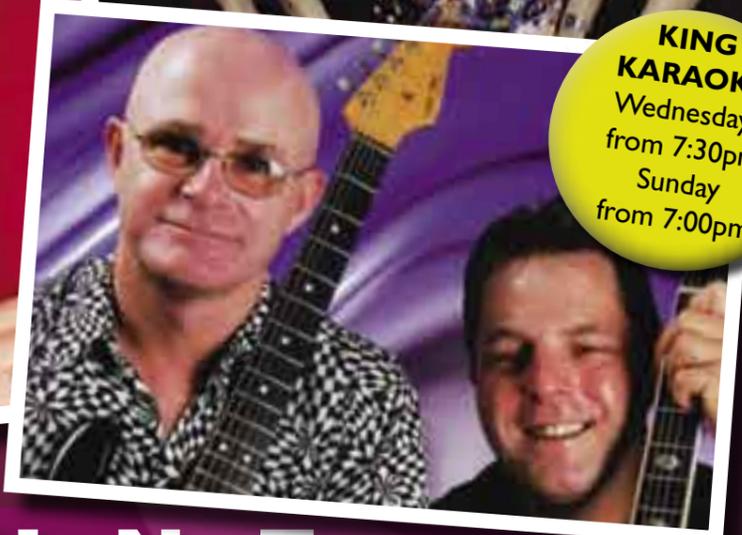
JULY 22
THE CASTAWAYS

JULY 23
GIRLS TALK

JULY 28
TURNING HEADS

JULY 29
SMOOTH OPERATORS

JULY 30
KAVA MALT



**KING
KARAOKE**
Wednesdays
from 7:30pm
Sunday
from 7:00pm



**LATIN AMERICAN
DANCE NIGHTS**
June 4, July 2 and
August 6



JUNE

THURSDAY BANDS
From 7.30pm

FRIDAY BANDS
From 7.30pm

SATURDAY SHOWS
8pm to 12 midnight

JUNE 2
JUPITER DUO

JUNE 3
KEELY GRANT CONNECTION

JUNE 4
LATIN AMERICAN
DANCE NIGHT
with LOS DEL TROPICO BAND

JUNE 9
BOY MEETS GIRL

JUNE 10
CHECK IT OUT

JUNE 11
CASTAWAYS DUO

JUNE 16
SMOOTH OPERATORS

JUNE 17
GIRLS TALK

JUNE 18
RENAISSANCE

JUNE 23
JOEY and THE BOY

JUNE 24
TURNING HEADS

JUNE 25
BLACK MAGIC

JUNE 30
TAKE TWO

AUGUST

THURSDAY BANDS
From 7.30pm

FRIDAY BANDS
From 7.30pm

SATURDAY SHOWS
8pm to 12 midnight

AUGUST 4
JOEY and THE BOY

AUGUST 5
RENAISSANCE

AUGUST 6
LATIN AMERICAN
DANCE NIGHT
with RODDY MONTEZ
and COPACABANA

AUGUST 11
KEELY GRANT CONNECTION

AUGUST 12
CRUSHED ICE

AUGUST 13
FAB TWO

AUGUST 18
MIKE MATHIESON DUO

AUGUST 19
THE WANDERERS

AUGUST 20
AMERICAN GRAFFITI

AUGUST 25
KAVA MALT

AUGUST 26
GIRLS TALK

AUGUST 27
THE POWER OF 2

REGULAR EVENTS at LAKEMBA

BINGO
Monday to
Friday 11am,
and Tuesday 7pm

**MONSTER
MEAT MART**
Every Thursday
Major Prize of \$100 &
\$150 Roselands voucher.
Tickets on sale 6pm -
Draw 7pm

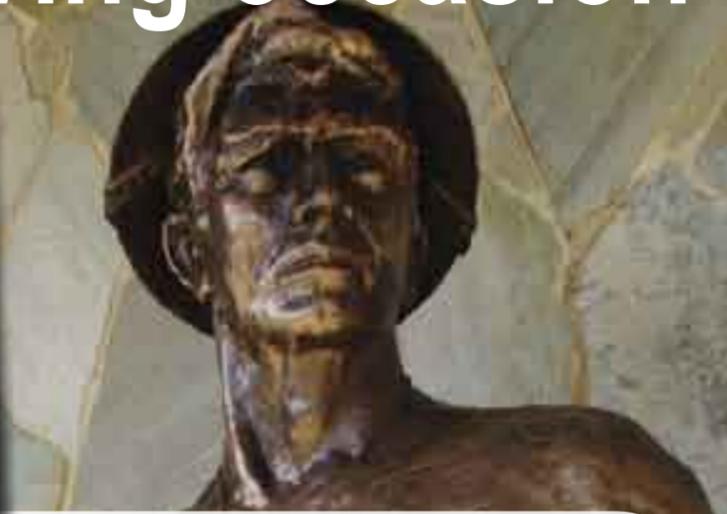
TRIVIA
Every Monday
from 7pm

**HOMEWARE
RAFFLE**
Each Sunday
Lots of Prizes to be won
Tickets on sale 4pm -
Draw 5:30pm

**KING
KARAOKE**
Wednesdays
all year round
from 7:30pm
Sunday
from 6:30pm



Lakemba's sad loss for a moving occasion



a constant worker for the Lakemba branch and remained a regular visitor to the Lakemba Services club.

ANZAC commemorations at Lakemba Services Memorial Club are always moving affairs, but this year's was special for a number of reasons.

First of all, it coincided with a re-dedication of the Lakemba War Memorial which had been re-sited in Haldon Street. A special re-dedication service was held on Anzac Sunday attended by more than 150 people, including a host of dignitaries.

Such an occasion has an emotional edge all of its own, but it was particularly poignant because of the absence of one of its prime movers – State President and Lakemba Branch President of the Legion of Ex-Servicemen and Women, Neville Henstock.

Mr Henstock had passed away just two weeks before the re-dedication, having done much to inspire it happening in the first place, then working tirelessly to see that it was an occasion done "just right".

Neville was a long-term Lakemba Services club member and a devoted worker for ex-services causes. Even when he moved to Albion Park on the South Coast, he remained

added a poignancy to the re-dedication service that was lost on none of us," offered Lakemba Services Manager Lynn Cox. "He was instrumental in the whole thing happening, and he worked very hard to make it a success. He will be very much missed around the club and Lakemba ex-services affairs generally."

The Legion and the RSL Sub-Branch were key organisers of the service. An honour guard of four local school cadets flanked the catafalque, and to reflect the multi-cultural nature of the area a Muslim student from Wiley Park Public School was one of the wreath-layers.

At both the Memorial rededication service and the Anzac March a few days later, large crowds returned to the Lakemba Services club for the traditional gathering – afternoon tea in the case of the memorial rededication and morning tea on Anzac Day.

The traditional Anzac Day march – a 7am affair – reflected in Lakemba as it has everywhere else a growing trend towards youth. Grandchildren of ex-servicemen marched proudly with their granddad's

medals, and entire families were on hand to commemorate the sacrifices of so many years ago.

When Canterbury amalgamated with Lakemba Services club several years ago, it was determined that the club would maintain the commemorative focus of the club's services commitment. That culture has only grown since, reflected in this year's events. The club is now involved with the RSL and the Legion in planning a special celebration to mark 60 years since the end of World War II.

Among those in attendance at the memorial rededication service were The Mayor Canterbury Robert Furolo; President of the RSL Don Rowe; Federal Member for Watson Tony Burke; President of the National Service Ron Brown; Legacy Chairperson Bernadette Donnelly, Ministers Fraternal Father Gary Rawson, Rev. Primmer, Rev Graham Brooks; Bulldogs League President Kevin Stewart; Bulldogs League Club Director Harry Murray.



Coffee

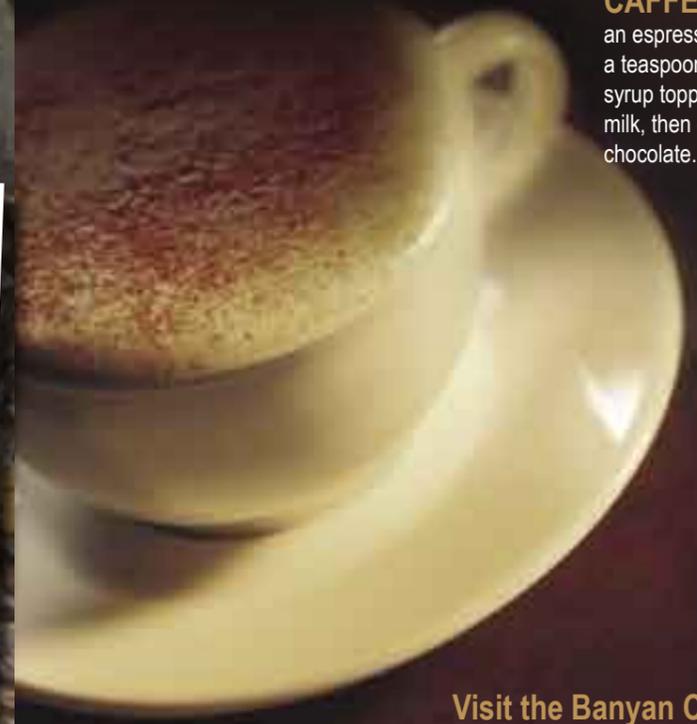
Coffee talk

Winter Special

Monday - Friday
2:00-5:00pm

Coffee & Cake for \$5.00*

* June, July & August only



ESPRESSO

a 30-35ml shot of espresso with a thick golden crema on top. Rich, full bodied and intense.

LONG BLACK

a double layer shot of espresso added to a half cup of hot water, with a thick layer of crema on top

CAFFE LATTE

an espresso topped with heated, textured milk with a thick layer (10mm) of crema on top.

CAPPUCCINO

an espresso topped with 1/3 heated milk and 1/3 milk crema, then dusted with chocolate.

FLAT WHITE

an espresso topped with heated, textured milk, with a fine layer (5mm) of crema on top.

CAFFE MOCHA

an espresso mixed with a teaspoon of chocolate syrup topped with heated milk, then dusted with chocolate.

Visit the Banyan Coffee Shop
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MONDAY



Pasta and garlic bread for \$8.00

TUESDAY



Traditional curry from India, Thai, Malay \$9.90

WEDNESDAY



Steak, Chips & Salad \$9.90

THURSDAY



2 Course - Bread roll, Soup & entree caserole of the day \$7.50

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