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Please address general correspondence and subscriptions to the Secretary.

All cheques are to be made payable to the 'Retired Customs Officers' Association of WA Inc.

Membership

RCOA welcomes new members of former Customs officers. Current membership is 120

The membership fee for former officer & spouse or single is \$10. An application form is included on the inside back page of this Newsletter.

Annual subscriptions are due on January 1st each year. Please check your address label for your current financial status.

Planned Events 2019

👋 Tues December 3rd
Christmas Lunch @ Market
City Tavern, Canning Vale

Planned Events 2020

👋 Tues February 4th AGM &
Lunch @ Market City Tavern



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Christmas Lunch @ The Market City Tavern

Bannister Road, Canning Vale (in the Atrium inside)

Tuesday December 3rd 2019 @ 12 noon

Classic Roast Buffet

Entrée: Pumpkin & Cauliflower Soup OR Potato & Leek Soup & bread roll

Main: Roast Meats, Yorkshire Pudding with Gravy

Vegies: Roast Potato & Pumpkin, Cauliflower au gratin, Steamed Carrots, Peas & Corn

Salads: Garden Salad, Creamy Potato, Bacon & Egg Salad, Coleslaw

Dessert: Fresh Fruit Platter, Cheesecake

Cost: \$25.00 per person

RCOA Members \$20.00pp (subsidised)

Fully Licensed (pay as you order)

Tea & Coffee available from the bar, pay as you order as it is not included in above prices

Bookings & payment for the luncheon to be made **by Monday November 25th** please.

We will only confirm numbers on those who have paid in advance

Those who have advised they are attending to date are:

Bev Perrin, Ray Treen, Bob & Robyn Stone, Bernie & Hazel Webb

Annual General Meeting—Tuesday February 4th 2020

@ The Market City Tavern, Bannister Road, Canning Vale

Time: Socialise at 11:00am in the Atrium

Meeting to commence @ 11:30am sharp

Lunch approx 12:00pm

Fast 'n' Fresh Lunch Menu \$12.95

(Includes salad & dessert bar) pay as you order on arrival

- * Chicken Kebab 12" - char grilled chicken breast with lettuce, tomato, cheese & sweet chilli aioli
- * Calamari & Chips—with sweet aioli sauce
- * Fish & Chips—grilled or fried, with tartare sauce
- * Steak Toastie—tomato, cheese, caramelized onion, served with steak fries
- * Beef Guinness & Mushroom Pot Pie—with flaky pastry & steak fries

Or you can select from any of their menus, view their full menu list here:

<http://www.marketcitytavern.com.au/>

Bookings due by Friday January 25th 2020



Birthdays

Wedding Anniversaries

January

Jacqui STEWART	3
John SORENSEN	7
Ron JARVIS	7
Gus WATSON	13
Tim PILKINGTON	14
Carol MOREY	16
Astrid NORGARD	19
Jan HALL	20
Peek BELL	24
Trevor SMART	26
Caroline BROOK	26
Mike SODING	27
Rob STEWART	27

February

John PATRONI	1
Mary TOY	2
Lisa KITNEY	4
Margaret JARVIS	4
Rose THUNDER	9
Shaun BOYLAN	12
Sheila SHEPHERDSON	16
Treasur D'CRUZ	18
Terry DAVIES	18
Joan HOROCKS	20
Dennis ALDRIDGE	22
Jim BAIRD	23
Pam EDWARDS	26
Ron BECK	27
Tony MCCUBBIN	28

March

Bob DANKS	4
Geoff THUNDER	5
Ted ELLIOTT	6
Paula SINCLAIR	10
Warrick GATES	13
Robyn WOLSKI	13
Ron SAKER	13
John WAIGHT	21
Suz GREEN	21
Malcolm PLANT	22
Kerry COLEMAN	26
Maina HERON	27
Rod SPENCER	27
Dannal HOROCKS	27
Kathleen WARD	27

January

Ron & Judy KING	2
Kevin & Sheila SHEPHERDSON	13
Ian & Shirley McDONALD	14
Greg & Helen BARTROP	16
Steve & Jenny SMALLWOOD	20
Wayne & Melody MITCHELL	23
Linda & Ken GIBSON	28
Phil & Peek BELL	28

February

Greg & Lisa KITNEY	4
Geoff & Rose THUNDER	6
Gordon & Rosemary MARSHALL	8
Bob & Margaret DANKS	19
Wayne & Lyn DALE	25
Jacky & Paul HUBBARD	25

March

Bob & Chris DOUGLAS	2
Rob & Jacqui STEWART	2
Peter COSTANTINO & Narelle	5
Dannal & Joan HOROCKS	8
Suz & Brian GREEN	15
Geoff & Robyn WOLSKI	18
Lance & Nita BLACK	27
Jim HUNTER & Carol MOREY	27

Birthdays

Wedding Anniversaries

May

Narelle WALSH	2
Neil HOPKINS	3
Ros GATES	9
Julia STOREY	10
Bob MARTIN	12
Vicki ELLIOTT	13
Graham CRUTTENDEN	13
Sandra RICHARDS	16
Peter COSTANTINO	19
Emma DAVIES	20
Les FREEDY	21
Jennie LEWIS	22
Con GREENWOOD	25
Melody MITCHELL	26
Dennis WHITESIDE	27
Colleen SORENSEN	27
Paul HUBBARD	28
Frances FOSTER	28
Richard BROOK	31
Greg KITNEY	31

June

Richard COLEMAN	7
Brian LUCAS	7
Nita BLACK	11
Roslyn BOYLAN	12
Sarah PLANT	13
Terry EMERSON	14
Phyllis SMITH	18
Yvonne PAGE	23
Greg BARTROP	28
Karen PATRONI	28

July

Hedda LAMERS	5
Sue SWEET	9
John RICHARDS	9
Les HERON	9
Ron DYER	13
David ATKINSON	14
Christopher CORNISH	15
Gary BYRNE	17
Roly SWEET	18
Sue HOPKINS	26
Max GERREYN	27
Shirley McDONALD	28
Kevin SHEPHERDSON	29

May

Ros & Wendy BLACKALL	3
John & Sandra RICHARDS	7
Terry & Emma DAVIES	25

June

Ted & Vicki ELLIOTT	3
Malcolm & Sarah PLANT	4
Ron & Margaret JARVIS	4
John & Colleen SORENSEN	5
Max & Sherman GERREYN	8
Jack & Stella EARNSHAW	11
Les & Maira HERON	18
Rod & Denise SPENCER	26

July

Brian & Kathleen WARD	4
Bob & Sue MARTIN	8
Renee & FLYNN	12
Roy & Noelene TREEN	16

Birthdays

July

Hedda LAMERS	5
Les HERON	9
Sue SWEET	9
John RICHARDS	9
Ron DYER	13
David ATKINSON	14
Christopher CORNISH	15
Gary BYRNE	17
Roly SWEET	18
Sue HOPKINS	26
Max GERREYN	27
Shirley McDONALD	28
Kevin SHEPHERDSON	29

August

Geoff WOLSKI	2
Mary O'NEILL	3
Chris DOUGLAS	6
Mike HRABAR	8
Tina GAUSDEN	8
Ken GIBSON	9
Elsie CROWE	10
Geoff SMITHER	11
Jack EARNSHAW	14
Wayne DALE	18
Jacky HUBBARD	18
Wayne MITCHELL	19
FLYNN	25
Brian D'CRUZ	25
Leanne MIFFLIN	29
Margaret DANKS	29
Kerry MCCUBBIN	31

September

Jennifer STOKES	3
Brian LOWE	7
John KINSELLA	8
Paul FITZGERALD	9
Beverley FERRIN	9
Stella EARNSHAW	10
Bernie WEBB	19
Val SNEDDEN	19
Ian JAMIESON	19
Marie ALEXANDER	21
Jon EDWARDS	24
Jack ELEY	24
Susan ARMSTRONG	28
Gordon MARSHALL	29

Wedding Anniversaries

July

Brian & Kathleen WARD	4
Bob & Sue MARTIN	8
Renee & FLYNN	12
Ray & Noelene TREEN	16

August

Shaun & Roslyn BOYLAN	29
Tony & Kerry MCCUBBIN	31

September

Treasur & Brian D'CRUZ	6
Ian & Lorraine FORREST	9
Bernie & Hazel WEBB	13
Charlie & WILLIAMS	20
Geoff & Jennie LEWIS	28

Birthdays

Wedding Anniversaries

October

Ian McDONALD	2
Karen SAYERS	6
Philip GAUSDEN	8
Shennen GERREYN	9
Peter ALEXANDER	10
Roly DIXON	11
Ross BLACKALL	13
Lee MILES	14
Hazel WEBB	22
Ken SMITH	27
Ron DE GRUCHY	28
Phil BELL	29
Sue ABBEY	31

November

Helen SMITHER	3
Bob STONE	4
Jenny SMALLWOOD	6
Norma EMERSON	11
Bob DOUGLAS	13
Ken STEWART	13
Geoff LEWIS	15
Deb HALL	15
Lyn DALE	19
Brian GREEN	19
Sue MARTIN	21
Bert DETERMES	23
Lance BLACK	23
Mark SKEELS	23
Ron KING	26
Dianne BAIRD	26
Lin WHITESIDE	27
Dennis CLEVERLY	28
Judy KING	29
Steve SMALLWOOD	30

December

Sylvia SHAW	1
Lynne WAIGHT	2
Valmai KELLY	9
Brian WARD	13
Helen BARTROP	13
Charlie WILLIAMS	14
Vic RESALI	16
Jo BARNETT	18
Pamela SODING	20
Rosemary MARSHALL	20
Ian STOREY	22

October

Ron & Wendie DYER	3
Ron & Maureen BECK	3
Jon & Pam EDWARDS	7
Ken & Phyllis SMITH	11
Jim & Dianne BAIRD	20
Richard BROOK & Caroline BROO	26
Neil & Sue HOPKINS	31

November

Philip & Tina GAUSDEN	3
Gus & Carol WATSON	4
Ian & Julia STOREY	24
Beverley & PERRIN	24

December

Terry & Norma EMERSON	12
Warrick & Ros GATES	14
John & Lynne WAIGHT	27
John & Karen PATRONI	29

Sending Money - be it for membership renewal or for an upcoming function - remember that you can send electronically to the 'RCOA of WA' Account at the Bendigo Bank - BSB 633-000 - A/c No. 160404489

RCOA - Membership Application / **Renewal** / **Update**

First Name: **Family Name:**
Partner's Name: **☎ No.** **☎ No.**
Postal Address:
E-mail address: Please add your email address (if you have one) so we can keep you up to date between newsletters.
ICE: Please insert 'Who' & 'How' to contact **In Case of Emergency**.

Our Newsletter includes a segment for publication of members and spouse's birth and wedding anniversary dates (day & month only printed) If you would like to share this detail with other members please complete the following:-

Member DOB: **Partner DOB:** **Wedding date:**

Membership \$10 per year Joint or Single x No. Years = \$

Send Newsletter by post and / or e-mail **Signature & Date** / / 2019

Tick here only if receipt required **Subscriptions to: Secretary RCOA of WA Inc. 78 Arundel Drive, Wellard 6170**

Office Use Only: Rec'd / / 2019 EFT Cash AMO Cheque No. Trans' No(s).

RCOA - Functions Booking Slip

Names Attending:

Function:	Venue:	Date:	No.		\$ p/p	Subtotal \$
Christmas Lunch	Market City Tavern	Dec 3rd 2019	<input type="text"/>	x	20.00	<input type="text"/>
			<input type="text"/>	x		<input type="text"/>
			<input type="text"/>	x		<input type="text"/>

Signature & Date: / / 2019 **Total Amount Enclosed \$**

Payment to: Secretary RCOA of WA Inc. 78 Arundel Drive, Wellard 6170

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Last but not Least

- * **Email Address**—Any of you who have an email address and are receiving Duty Freed by snail mail could you please forward it to the secretary so that we can keep you informed of news in a more timely manner. We often get advice of members passing or notice of funerals etc and would like to pass the information on immediately by email, to wait for the next issue of Duty Freed could be too late
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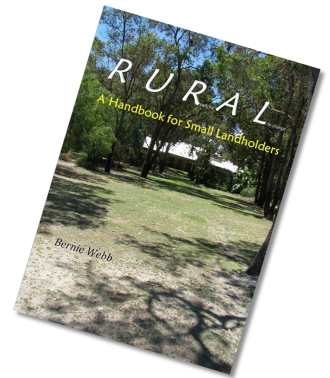
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