



## Mt Barker RSL Sub-Branch—

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### PRESIDENT'S REPORT

It is with great sadness that I start my President's Report for September to advise those of you who don't know that our **Korean veteran John Mackie** passed away on his 89th birthday, Saturday, 18 August 2018. John was a true and loyal friend of the RSL and was attending until quite recently at the Sub-branch for dinner on Friday nights and at the Wednesday morning Coffee n Chat sessions. John was a member of 3RAR and served at the Battle of Kapyong in Korea. John's funeral service for those who would like to attend will be at **Kleeman's on Saturday, 8 September at 10.00 am**. Medals and decorations to be worn. There will be light refreshments for members and friends and any family members who would like to attend back at the Sub-branch after the service.

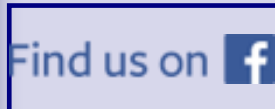


My work is continuing at Woomera with short trips home to Adelaide currently whilst we continue to engage with the boys and girls in blue pyjamas. I am however contactable at most times via mobile and email and regularly speak to members of the Committee which allows me to keep a finger on the pulse as far as the Sub-branch is concerned.

The celebrations for Remembering, Commemorating and Celebrating **Remembrance Day on Sunday, 11 November** are in full swing and there is an enormous **Street Party** in Gawler Street after the commemorative service to celebrate the Centenary of the First World War. Many of the schools in Mt Barker are holding trading tables, CWA are running Devonshire teas, Scouts, 16ALR, Army and Air cadets, Rotary, Zonta, Lions and the sporting clubs are all involved with family fun, games and beautiful food. All funds are being returned to the individual organisation to support whatever project is currently being undertaken. This will be a lot of fun, so please get on board and have some good old-fashioned fun.

Our Friday night meals are going very well with **Nicole McIntosh** as our Chef who is creating some very different meals for us, plus the good old-fashioned ones. Nicole is happy to create vegetarian meals and also provides takeaway meals. Children are more than welcome. Cost for two courses for an adult is \$20 with \$10 for children. As daylight saving will commence soon together with the warmer weather, let's get together and promote the camaraderie that this Sub-branch is quite famous for. Please see the monthly menu further in the bulletin.

Tom Addington  
President  
3 September 2018



The Mt Barker RSL would like to thank the following people/organisations for their continued support—

ANZAC Day Commemoration Fund Centenary Grant Funding 2016-2017

The Badge Group

Bunnings Mt Barker

Chop Shop



Darren Clements Photography



Harvey Norman Computers Franchise

Hills Community Radio 88.9 FM

Holland/Fielke Accountants

Kennards Hire, Mt Barker

Lions Club of Mt Barker

Mt Barker District Concert Band

The Hills Football League

Romney Park Wines

Rotary Club of Mt Barker

Shaw + Smith

Wallis Cinemas

### Forthcoming events

<b>Coffee n Chat Session</b>	Each Wednesday.	10-12 noon	Dining Room
Friday night dinners Bookings 8391.0010	Every Friday See menu last page	5.30 for 6.00 pm	Dining Room <b>\$20 for two courses</b>
<b>Next Committee meeting</b>	<b>Wednesday, 19 September 2018</b>	7.30 pm	Dining Room
<b>Murray Bridge Annual Dinner</b>	<b>Saturday, 15 September</b>	4.00 for 4.30 pm \$30 per person	Murray Bridge
<b>Next General Meeting</b>	<b>Wednesday, 3 October</b>	7.30 pm	Dining Room
<b>Meningie Annual Lunch</b>	<b>Sunday, 14 October</b>	No further details as yet	Secretary, Bob Lloyd 0417 733 156
<b>Remembrance Day &amp; Street Party</b>	<b>Sunday, 11 November</b>	Service—10.45 am Street Party—11-4 pm	Mann Street Gawler Street

### JOKES FOR THE MONTH

"A blonde goes into a coffee shop and notices there's a 'peel and win' sticker on her coffee cup.

So she peels it off and starts screaming, 'I've won a motorhome! I've won a motorhome!'

The waitress says, 'That's impossible. The biggest prize is a free Lunch.?'

But the blonde keeps on screaming, 'I've won a motorhome! I've won a motorhome!'

Finally, the manager comes over and says, 'Ma'am, I'm sorry, but you're mistaken. You couldn't have possibly won a motorhome because we didn't have that as a prize.'

The blonde says, 'No, it's not a mistake. I've won a motorhome!'

And she hands the ticket to the manager and HE reads—'W I N A B A G E L'

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I met a guy that said he played in the band at the Prime Minister's swearing in party. It doesn't pay much, but it's regular work.

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Mahatma Gandhi, as you know, walked barefoot most of the time which produced an impressive set of callouses on his feet over time. He also ate very little, which made him very frail, and with his odd diet, he suffered from bad breath....this made him a super calloused, fragile mystic hexed by halitosis.



## DINNER MENU\_2018

Mt Barker RSL Sub-branch  
23 Hutchinson Street

*We have an exciting new Chef!*

**\$20 for two courses**

**\$10 for children**

**Takeaways welcome**

***Vegetarian meals available on request***

<p><i>Friday, 7 September</i> Beef Hotpot with Potato Bake</p> <p><i>Dessert</i> Pavlova Roll</p>	<p><i>Friday, 14 September</i> Roast lamb and Vegies</p> <p><i>Dessert</i> Apple Strudel with custard</p>
<p><i>Friday, 21 September</i> Salmon and zucchini quiche with salad</p> <p><i>Dessert</i> Carrot cake with cream cheese frosting</p>	<p><i>Friday, 28 September</i> Mild Butter Chicken on Rice</p> <p><i>Dessert</i> Mango Cheesecake</p>

**Bookings essential on 8391.0010**

*Public welcome from 5.30 pm*

Menu subject to change without notice



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YEARS OF  
ANZAC  
THE SPIRIT LIVES  
2014 - 2018



**Mt Barker RSL Sub-branch**

The Club's opening hours are as follows:

**Monday**—Administration. Secretary, Treasurer and Project Officer usually in the office.

**Tuesday**—from 7.00 pm. Darts evenings. New players welcome

**Wednesday**—10-12 noon—Coffee and Chat/Men's Health Sessions.

**Friday Club**—Newcomers welcome. From 9.45 am each Friday. Cards and games played, outings arranged

**Friday nights**—Dinner from 6.00 pm. **Bookings essential for dinner on 8391.0010.** \$20 for two courses.

**Saturday BBQs**—These run fortnightly. Please keep an eye on the notice board out the front. These are great fun days, with a huge amount of laughter and camaraderie.

Please see our website on <https://mountbarkerrsl.com.au> to keep up to date with all our happenings

### **Useful numbers**

**VVCS - Veterans and Veterans Families Counselling Service: 1800 011 046**

**Vietnam Veterans Association—SA**

**Phone: 08 8232 9422**

**Fax: 08 8232 9899**

**Office hours: Mon to Friday: 09.30am-12.30pm**

**Email: [vietvetsa@chariot.net.au](mailto:vietvetsa@chariot.net.au)**

**Website: [www.vvaa-sa.asn.au](http://www.vvaa-sa.asn.au)**

**Officers at RSL SA Headquarters** Assistance from any one of these practitioners may be obtained by calling RSL SA for an appointment on (08) 8100 7300 or email [admin@rslsa.org.au](mailto:admin@rslsa.org.au).

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