



The CLUB CATCHUP

FINLEY RETURNED SOLDIERS CLUB

September 2024



Farewell, Winter. Welcome Spring!

Very happy to see the back of Winter for another year ~ just need the chilly winds to blow away and make way for the sunny warmth of Spring.

This month at your Club, we welcome back live music, kicking off with the brilliant Jade Camden from 6pm on the 21st.

In October we've got the hilarious Faulty Towers Dining Experience and we're hosting a fundraising event for Movember on the 30th November with special guest speaker, retired AFL legend Doug Hawkins. More details inside.

Our team of chefs have created a new Lunch Specials menu including a great selection of tasty \$12 meals, which are a great hit ~ have you tried one yet?

The Finley RSL Sub-Branch has a wonderful collection of memorabilia on display and meet once a month at the Club. They're looking for members, and if you'd like to know what they do and how you can be involved in helping preserve our history for future generations, there is more information inside.

The addition of a pool table & dart board on the Terrace Lounge has been well received ~ with cover, fans & heaters, the area is perfect for casual catchups, drinks & games with mates or an el fresco meal on a sunny day or a warm night on the deck. And don't forget your well behaved & friendly pups are welcome on the Terrace Lounge, too!

Lots more inside. See you at the Club!

Shylie
MARKETING MANAGER

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Planning a Christmas Breakup or Party? ~ get in early!

A fresh new look for our website

A message from our GM, Sharen Parmley

Music, Shows & Mos



WE'VE got some great entertainment being planned for 2024 and early 2025.

SATURDAY 21st SEPTEMBER . From 6pm

We welcome **Jade Camden** back to the Club. Jade will start with some chilled background tunes and after dinner she'll have you up & dancing ... Jade covers a great range of eras & genres from classics to current.

She's a great entertainer and we look forward to welcoming Jade to perform for you.

Call 03 5883 1366 or see staff to book your table for dinner.



THE FAULTY TOWERS DINING EXPERIENCE

is coming back to the RSC

Don't miss this fast paced & hilarious interactive show.

Saturday 19th October

\$90pp includes show & 3 courses

Tickets at reception. (strictly limited)

Tables of 10 ~ safety in numbers!

FAULTY TOWERS
Original
the Dining Experience

FUNDRAISING EVENT

Please support this event and help make a difference in in men's mental health & suicide prevention, prostate cancer & testicular cancer.

- Tickets \$55pp
- includes a two-course dinner
- guest speakers
- local and surrounding support groups
- guest participation with great prizes
- Charity Auction with local Auctioneer

Donate directly
to our fundraiser
via the QR



Enquiries / Tickets
See Reception
or call 03 5883 1366


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for Our Men



Sat. Movember 30



Special Guest Speaker,
AFL Legend DOUG HAWKINS

Around the Club ...

BISTRO



Your Chefs
(L-R) Joseph, Manish & Pawan

HOW LUCKY ARE WE to have this talented trio of chefs on our team coming up with the goods?

Constantly adding tasty new delights to tempt your tastebuds, the lads have just released their new lunch menu.

Due to its popularity, the Steak Sanga (\$24) is staying, and it's joined by Southern Fried Chicken (\$18) & Housemade Lasagne (\$20). And for just \$12, you can choose from a Chicken Burger, Spaghetti & Meatballs, Nasi Goreng, Red Thai Prawn Curry or Mixed Lentil Soup!

Lunch specials available 12-2pm, Monday to Friday. No further discounts on menu specials.

BAR



GREAT NORTHERN GINGER BEER
SPECIAL & BALTER XPA ON TAP



ON TAP ... Great Northern Ginger Beer (on tap) is on special and XPA lovers will love the addition of the delicious Balter XPA, also on tap.

And don't forget Happy Hours @ The Finley RSC:
Thur: 530-630pm | Fri: 5-630pm
Sat is twice as happy: 1230-130pm & 530-630pm
Sun: 1230 - 130pm

GAMES ROOM

A POOL TABLE & DART BOARD are the newest additions offering our members and guests another level of fun & entertainment when they visit the Club.

Access is through the Bistro. The Games Room opens on to the Dog Friendly Terrace Lounge. Drop in for after work drinks or weekend catchups & challenge your mates to a friendly game or two. (pool table is coin operated).

Smoking is permitted in the northern end of the outdoor Terrace Lounge ONLY. Signage indicates where smoking is permitted.



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WEBSITE

OUR WEBSITE is your go-to for what's on and what's going on at Your Club. And we've just given it a Spring clean and a fresh new look!

You'll find live music, shows & events; information on the ClubGrants program, you can download the latest menus, annual reports, membership applications, even this Newsletter! Send an enquiry about having a function or special occasion. There's a page dedicated to the RSL Finley Sub-Branch as well. Scan the QR code on the right to visit the site, Google search Finley RSC or type directly into your address bar www.finleyrsc.com.au

SCAN



Scan the QR Code to check
out our fresh new look
Website



The End of an Era

We close this month's newsletter with a personal message to our members from the Club's General Manager, Sharen Parmley (Walmsley)

The Finley RSL Sub-Branch needs your help.

The Returned and Services League of Australia, known as RSL, is an independent support organisation for people who have served or are serving in the Australian Defence Force.

The League was formed in 1916 in response to the lack of a unified approach with Australian repatriation facilities and medical services for those returning from World War I.

The Finley RSL Sub-Branch goes back to 1955. Its current members do an amazing job within our community as well as maintaining displays of memorabilia in the present day RS Club.

If you're passionate about helping to preserve this important part of our history and Australian culture for future generations, and can volunteer a few hours a month, please consider joining them. Meetings are held on the second Thursday of each month, 7pm during daylight savings hours & 6pm during non-daylight savings hours

If you'd like to help, or find out more contact Anne Freestone on 0428 293 922
Email: FinleySB@rslnsw.org.au

Dear Members,

After 39 years of service to Finley RSC, I have made the decision that the time has come for me to step down as General Manager. I am looking forward to spending more time with my family and embracing the next chapter of my life.

I am very grateful for my experiences over my time at the Club, it has been a great privilege. I would like to thank the Board of Directors for their guidance over this time. Also our wonderful staff I sincerely thank them for commitment to the Club, you are true legends.

It is with great confidence that I announce Matt Kook will be taking over as General Manager, effective from 1st January 2025. I hope that you will give Matt your full support as he steps into this role.

I want to take this opportunity to thank each and every one of you for your trust and support over the years. I have cherished my time here and only wish Finley RSC continued success in the future.



'tis almost the Season to be Jolly!

We know how silly that time of year is & for all you party planners ... organising the perfect event can be a stressful experience and rounding up your crew can be like herding cats. From small gatherings to 100+, Candice, our Functions Coordinator, can help you plan a memorable event, so give her a call, pop in and see her or email her on functions@finleyrsc.com.au to chat about your needs. It's not too early and the sooner you start, the better the event & the less stress for you! **win-win**

<p>FINLEY RETURNED SOLDIERS CLUB</p>	<p><i>See you at the Finley RSC</i> 03 5883 1366</p>
<p>www.finleyrsc.com.au</p>	<p>63-67 Tocumwal Street Finley NSW 2713</p>