

# **Beaumaris RSL Sub Branch**

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# April 2019 MEMBERS NEWS

#### **Dear Member**

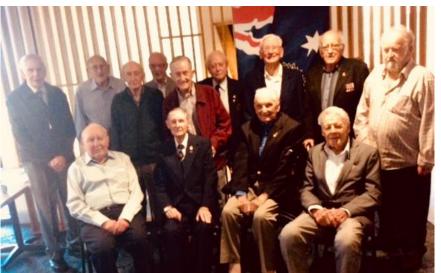
I am honored to be your President again for the next 12 months as is your committee (unchanged). We are now entering a very important phase of our business planning which we want you to be part of through these information updates and members update meetings. During my Presidents report at the AGM I informed attendees of the invitation we have received from the Mentone RSL regarding a financial arrangement and the discussions we have had to date.

I am pleased to report that significant progress has been made and we are confident a proposal will be able to be presented to the RSL Victoria Board meeting in late May. The key components of the plan include BRSL providing access to a portion of our Building and Patriotic Funds in return of fixed income and the transfer of our operational debt obligations.

The Mentone arrangement does not change our plan to secure a long term lease at the BSC with the Bayside Council and build our Members Lounge and Library as an extension to the Banksia Room. The proposed purchase and operation of the Beaumaris Welfare House also remains unchanged.

#### **WW2 Veterans Lunch**

Jim Spotswood made a passing remark to our Welfare Officer Peter Corlfeld regarding the possibility of getting our WW2 vets together for a lunch. Peter had a chat to Jane Lapa our Membership Officer and voila! the lunch was born. With 13 of our WW2 Veterans and over 60 attending it was a terrific afternoon indeed. Vocally Wild led by the great Sue Beasley sung the tunes including a special arrangement for the Beaumaris RSL WW2 vets.



After extremely favorable feedback another lunch will be held later in the year. With the Women's Auxiliary's Christmas in July and December lunches and our regular Stand-To evenings our calendar of event is certainly filling!

Standing left to right: Jack Stevenson, Bill Adams, Roy Watts, John Rendell, Jack Farrington, John Rogers, Jim Spotswood, Burke Tidex, Roy McIntosh.

Seated: John Bough, Jim Morecroft, Ralph Butcher, Brian Burton.



# Beaumaris Sub Branch AGM 10th of April

We had a good turnout for our AGM and very informative reports from the President, Secretary, Membership & Welfare Officers and the Women's Auxiliary. The committee was elected unopposed. All the information can be found in the appendix.

### **ANZAC APPEAL 2019**

A huger thanks to our Appeals Officer Andrea McCoy and her team of helpers. We had stalls at Bunnings, the Concourse and trays in local schools and businesses. Our tally will be announced in May.

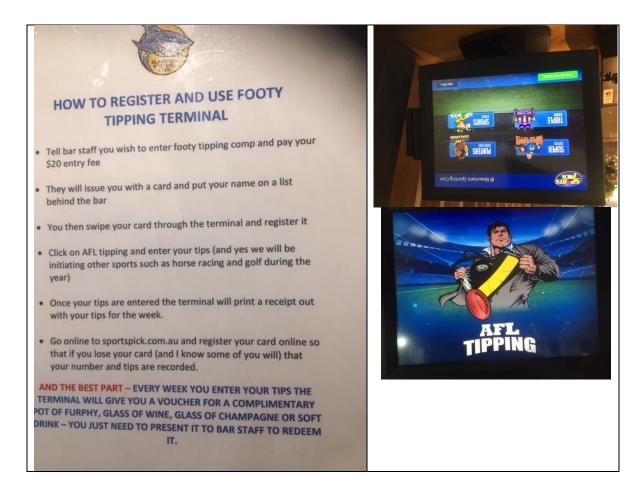


## ANZAC March and Service Sunday 21st of April

Our March will be on Easter Sunday at 2-30pm for at 2.45pm step off with the service directly afterwards. A more detailed flyer will be distributed closer to the event. Please place this important event in your diaries and encourage as many as possible to attend.

Footy tipping comes to BSC with a free weekly drink when you get your tips placed! This year the club has installed a machine on the bar to run the footy tipping comp. It is a \$20 entry fee (the photo below is of the instructions which are on the bar) and you receive a

card to manage the tips each week. As the year unfolds more sporting tipping competitions are scheduled to be run.



I hope you to see you at one of the events coming soon and of course at any of our weekly Stand To's!

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