

We bid farewell to Robyn and Phil, transferred to PLR Carindale and welcome the new Managers /Caretakers Christine and John Titmus.

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Remember if you have a problem/complaints and wish support from the Residents Association. Please put it in writing and place it in Letterbox 16 or 345 email: residentsassociation@mail.com

Inside there is a form to fill in if you wish, it is not compulsory, however it would be handy if the Residents Committee had the information, this way they can provide information, messages, newsletters etc. Place in Box16 or Box345

Hand Made Cards from PLR Bargara will be offering some 'extra special' Cards at \$5 each as well as our normal ones at \$3 See them at Ocean Breeze Clubhouse display St Johns Ambulance will be in attendance on Thursday 16th August at 9:30am in the Seabreeze Clubhouse. To inform us about personal alert systems and other services available.

There will be a General Residents Meeting in August / September. The Residents Association will notify when.

There are new additions to our Resort website, it is there to give information on Movies on our DVD channel, Residents names, Meal Menus and much more.Web site: http://plrbar.atwebpages.com see John V 52.

The Women's and men's REDCLAWS Social Bowls doubles championship have been decided. Shirley V350 and Bev V75 won the Women's. Potta V116 and Barry V14 won the men's.



We all know by now that Duffy's buses have a 6 months trial, coming up Wearing Rd, which can be hailed down for pick up outside the number one Gate.

The Bus goes as far as the University. Timetables are at the Sea Breeze Clubhouse, at the bench near the Cinema door. There are two pages, one for going to Bundy and one for getting back home.

The cost for the bus is \$1.90 each way. Or \$3.80 for a day pass which allows one to go to Stocklands (Sugarland) then catch a bus to Hinkler shopping Centre, then somewhere else. Then get back home to Bargara.

The \$3.80 Day Pass is available to Concession cards only.

Pension card

Health care Card

Seniors Card

Veteran Cards

Visually impaired card holders



The PLRB REDCLAWS Social Bowls Club

There are one sponsor days in August. To be held on Sunday the 12th of August, sponsors are Bargara Bowls Shop (Maxine).

Entry fee for Sponsor Days is \$6.00 for players and \$4.00 for non players, these costs are to cover the cost of the BBQ and players money draws. The players name sheets will be at the Bowls Desk in the Ocean Breeze Clubhouse, at the appropriate times. When you write your name make sure you or someone else, has already put your name down on the players sheet.

The women's Pairs competition was completed and the women's Club champions are Shirley V350 and Bev V75. The Final was played between Shirley and Bev versus Marilyn V15 and Ev V60. Congratulations to all four ladies. The competition was very competitive and the final was competitive and played in a friendly and social spirit.

The club selected women's and men's Triples are now being played. The games have been very tight, showing that the standard of the competition is top class and all players should be congratulated for their effort



The Bar is open every Wednesday 3:30pm to 5:30 pm, Friday 3:30 to 7:00pm, Saturday and Sunday afternoon from 3:30 pm to 6:00 pm (at the Managers discretion).

Every Saturday evening there is a Lucky Villa Draw, starting at \$10.00 and if not won the prize jackpots by \$10.00. The Jackpot is drawn between 4:00pm and 6.00pm winner must be at the Ocean Breeze Oasis Bar to claim the prize.

What's Happening -∴ Saturday 4th Aug. Latin American Evening entertainment and music by a local Artist.

Friday 10th Aug. from 5:00pm Karaoke by Pete Wisman, bring your own nibbles.

Saturday 11th Aug Pete will be doing a repeat show on behalf of the "Gazebo" crowd, so anyone can come and enjoy the night, again from 5:00pm and bring your own meal.

Be entertained by Pete's singing as well as very own residents.

Saturday 25th Aug

From after 5:00pm as usual bring nibbles etc.



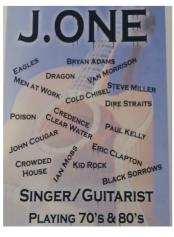
'50s to the '90s Country ~ Country Rock ~ Rock n Roll



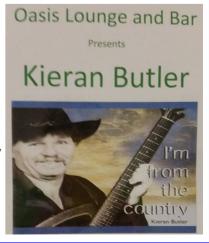
The Oasis Bar had a busy couple of weeks.
Firstly on Friday 13th July there was a farewell for Robyn and Phil who were being transferred to PLR Carindale. Robyn and Phil moved around the crowd chatting and drinking with the residents, they were cheered off later after cutting their farewell cake, thanks to Sue and Laurie.



On Saturday 14th
July we were
entertained by
J.ONE, singer
/guitarist, to coincide
with the \$100 jackpot
draw. Singing and
dancing to our
favourite songs.



Saturday 21st.
July We danced and sang along to Rock and Roll and Country music, all of us being very merry and cheerful.

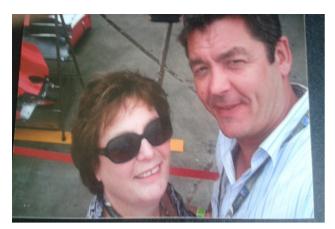




Bev defeated Marilyn V15 and Ev V60. <u>Congratulations</u> to all four ladies. The competition was very competitive and the final was competitive and played in a friendly and social spirit.

In one of the best Bowls competition played at PLR Bargara. The Final promised to be a great game and the four players did not let us down. Barry V14, Potta V116, Andy V110 and Garry V390 played a game worthy of a Commonwealth Games status. The score was 21 all after 20 ends with one end to play, then Barry played the bowl of the

20 ends with one end to play, then Barry played the bowl of the competition his team was behind Barry had to do something, so he let his bowl go, the bowl went down the rink hit the jack, the jack went into the ditch Barry's bowl hugged the jack and went into the ditch and sat on the jack game won, the crowd cheered. Well done fellas. Winners everyone. Champions Barry and Potta



New Managers/Caretakers

John & Christine would like to introduce ourselves to the residents of Palm Lake Bargara we are very happy to be back in Queensland and nearer to our family, in North of this wonderful state. John & I come to Bargara with previous Palm Lake experience and a wealth of skills and knowledge which will be put to good use managing this beautiful resort, with the best facilities in this area. We look forward to getting to know you over the next few months and hope that the community spirit of sharing and caring continues.



The culmination of 12 months of fundraising comes to a head on the 11/12th August with the "18 Hour relay walk". We have three teams this year so hopefully that will ease the burden of the relay. The day will

commence at 2pm on Saturday 11th with the opening. Everyone is invited to walk the first lap with the Survivors and carers leading. This is followed by afternoon tea for the survivors and carers. If you are a survivor of cancer please join with us for this afternoon tea, if you get out to the Agro - trend grounds by about 1pm to register that would be good.

Entry to the event is by University Drive only and is, of course, free. You will be directed where to go at the gate. If you are a survivor just say so and that you are coming for the afternoon tea, and you will be directed where to go.

The setup of the grounds takes place on Friday 10th August and if anyone would like to help please contact Graham - Villa 178 or Robbo - Villa 160. We need as many helpers as we can get to mark out the sites (approx 60) and put the rubbish bins in place plus various other tasks.

Our teams will be having a final meeting on <u>Tuesday 8th August</u> (10:30 in the old club house) to make our final plans. This years theme is "Medieval" and your costumes should now be coming together. Banners and shields are being made - it will all make for a fun time. Our site will be selling various goods (cakes, biscuits etc). So come and join us and have some fun.

PALM LAKE RESORT BARGARA RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION INC. Information Circular.

Fire/Smoke Alarms

The Management Committee would like to advise all homeowners That in 2017 the Queensland Government implemented a staged approach for smoke alarms upgrades in all dwellings.

Existing Dwellings

From 1st January 2017 -

- (1) All smoke alarms that are replaced must be photoelectric.
- (2) Existing smoke alarms manufactured more than 10 years ago, must be replaced.
- (3) Smoke arms that do not operate must be replaced immediately.
- (4) Existing hardwired smoke alarm that need replacing must be replaced with hardwired smoke alarms.

From 1st January 2022 - New legislative requirments must be met.

All smoke alarms must be photoelectric and hardwired or 10 years tamper probattery powered and all interconnected.

Smoke alarms must be installed, if and when sold, or 1st January 2027 for other dwellings in:

1)each bedroom and

2)in hallways which connect bedrooms and other parts of the house

3)if there is no hallway, between bedrooms and other parts of the house.

Additional information is available at www.gfes.gld.gov.au/smokealarms/

The QLD government provides a free service to assist homeowners with advice and a free safety pack.

Ph 137468 for a safe home visit.

Medical Aids Subsidy Scheme

The Medical Aids Subsidy Scheme (MASS) provides funding for medical aids and equipment to eligible Queensland residents who have a permanent and stabilised condition or a disability. The scheme helps people to live at home and avoid early or inappropriate residential care or hospitalisation.

Aids and equipment are subsidy funded on a permanent loan basis, through private ownership or the supply of consumables. If you pay for more than 50% of the cost for an item, you can choose to take ownership, rather than having a permanent loan. However, this means that you are responsible for all repairs to that item.

MASS General Guidelines

The MASS General Guidelines assist prescribers in submitting applications to MASS and are updated regularly to reflect new requirements and eligibility criteria. In general, clients may be eligible for assistance under MASS if they:

- are a permanent resident of Queensland
- have a permanent/stable condition or disability
- hold a pensioner concession card, health care card or Queensland Government Senior Card
- meet specific clinical eligibility criteria relevant to the aid.

Relevant application guidelines and forms for each scheme or aid/equipment provide detailed information regarding eligibility requirements. Continued



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Types of aids and equipment

Prescribers should also refer to the relevant application guidelines and forms for each type of aid/equipment:

- * communication aids * continence aids
- * daily living and mobility aids * home oxygen
- * medical grade footwear * orthoses * spectacles
- * artificial limbs * Vehicle modifications.

To find out if your eligible, contact MASS or talk to your health professional. You can also read the application guidelines and forms for each scheme for more details.

https://www.qld.gov.au/health/support/equipment/subsidies

INVITATION

A Solo Exhibition by W. (Bill) Kajtar V 256 Recipient of 2 International Photographic **Awards**



At



2nd August - 30th August 2018

Open during business hours. Please check times with theatre. Ph 4130 4100

Items for sale at reasonable prices





Welcome new residents

285 - Stan and Lenore Byers

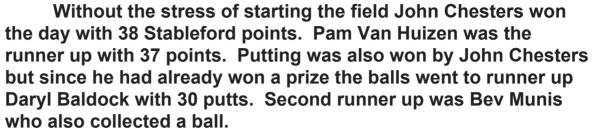
366 - Barry and Patricia Gurrieri

368 - Keith and Sue Lait

274 - Roslyn Stehbens

PALM LAKE GOLFERS

Wednesday 17th July saw 10 players on a beautiful day at Bundaberg Golf Course.



Shot of the day was made by Colleen Atherton on the par 3 14th hole to win the nearest the pin. Her shot finished less than a metre from the pin and the putt went in for a great birdie – Well done, Colleen!

Next game is again at Bundaberg on Wednesday 1st August with hit-off at 8 o'clock. The registration sheet is in the Ocean Breeze Clubhouse and new p[layers will be made very very welcome. Dust off the clubs and join in for a social round of golf on a good course, in good condition, and with great weather conditions.



If you are looking for prawns to eat or cook you can buy them from Harold Villa 41.

Cooked \$17.00 a Kilo

Medium Green \$16.00 " "

This event will be Sep 1 10:00am 3:00pm Residents are welcome to attend and we would love to have them as stall holders. No second hand stuff.

They will need to contact me on 1800 501 119 or salesbargara@palmlake.com.au to organise a stall.



If any interested groups craft, pottery, quilting, knitting, painting are interested in putting on a display or market tables please contact me. There will be a **Photo Exhibition** all weekend. Contact Geoff villa 265 if interested.



2ND SEPTEMBER 11 am to whenever?

Bring your own HAMPER, nibbles etc SAUSAGE SIZZLE PROVIDED

BAR SET UP RAFFLES, MONEY BOARDS MONSTER GROG RAFFLE

A sign on sheet will be set up next week for people attending. A free gift for all fathers and a lucky door prize

Bundaberg Council will be holding a free course for Food Handling Certificate, at one of our Clubhouse. We need at least 15 people, the more the better. This will satisfy the recommendation of the Bundaberg Council and the requirement by Palm Lake to have people using the kitchen in our facilities. More info to follow.