

Rowers Reel



What's happening @TheRowers?

In Conversation@The Rowers: the 110 year History of Mosman Rowers

Well over a hundred members and friends enjoyed a very special evening celebrating the remarkable 110 year Anniversary of Mosman Rowers in Mosman Bay.

Our thanks to Local historian and Club Member, John Dansie, Ms Donna Braye, Mosman Local Studies Librarian together with Mosman rowing 'royalty', Australian former national and world champion, Olympian Stephen Evans OAM, discussed the rich history of the beautiful Mosman bay and Mosman Rowers sharing their research, stories and memories. Many thanks also to Simon Menzies for his role as MC.

It was a great evening with many recollections of the 'good old days'.



Mosman Rowers acknowledges that our Club is on Cammeraygal country

Reminders

See full details in this newsletter:

- **Jazz@The Rowers is back: Tuesday 7th Dec at 6pm**
- **Kids Xmas party Sunday 12th December 2 – 5pm**
- **Members Xmas party Saturday 18th December from 4pm til late**
- **2022 Mosman Rowers heritage calendar: perfect Xmas gift**
- **All your favourites: Wed Trivia; Thurs Live Music; Friday Xmas Meat Raffle; and weekly specials**
- **The return of festive Sunday Roast with all the trimmings! Every Sunday from 5pm**
- **We are still recruiting - chefs and teamleaders**



President's Message



To all our wonderful Mosman Rowers Members,

December is super busy at the Rowers. As mentioned previously, 2021 marked the 110 Years anniversary of the Rowers in Mosman Bay. We enjoyed a very special *InConversation@The Rowers* this week with guest speakers Local historian and Club Member, John Dansie, Ms Donna Braye, Mosman Local Studies Librarian together with Stephen Evans, OAM, Olympic and national champion rower from Mosman Rowing Club

A long time member and local printer Mr Brian Hall, from Print Direction researched and has produced a very special 2022 Calendar to celebrate this anniversary. The calendar is a perfect Xmas gift or stocking filler – and it offers you a chance to win free membership for the year. All you have to do is buy a calendar (or several) and have a copy of the special number(s) with you at the Members Xmas party on December 18th. You just have to be present when your number is drawn. Our sincere thanks to Brian for this great production.

Monthly *Jazz Tuesdays@The Rowers* is back and starting from Tues 7th Dec with a prix fixe dinner deal and Jazz entry included.

Remember, our Christmas treat - fun for Members' kids this coming Sunday 12th December from 2 – 5pm in the lower level of the Club. Santa is back! There will be kids entertainment plus prizes for best dressed - Christmas theme of course! [Please ensure to book](#) and provide details of the children (names and ages) attending so Santa has a little pressie for the good boys and girls.

Plus, the Members only Christmas party will be held Saturday 18th Dec, 4pm – late. It will also be a celebration of our 110 years with a special Members Happy Hours, Christmas goodies and live music. Again, [bookings recommended](#).

Other news, we have just received two new grants – a Community Building Partnership grant to put solar panels on the Club, many thanks to Felicity Felicity Wilson, MP and funds to install a Fishing Platform with thanks the NSW Recreational Fishing. Both are exciting projects. The fishing platform will give us much needed water access. The solar panels will continue our plan to become as Green as possible and contribute every way we can to positive climate action.

Stay safe, and see you down at the Club again, very soon.

Regards,

Kathrina Doran, President

Dining & Drinking @The Rowers

Your favourites have returned - all you have to do is [book](#), turn up, relax and enjoy

Tuesday Monthly **Jazz@The Rowers** is back. Starting Tuesday 7th December. We are just delighted to welcome back the truly fabulous Michael Connors Quartet,

This month featuring Helen Fenton, a mainstream jazz vocalist specialising in swing music from the 40's 50's, in the style of Ella Fitzgerald, Billy Holiday, Sarah Vaughn, Frank Sinatra, Mel Torme. Jazz Standards & The American Song Book and all the songs from the big band era. Also has a latin/bossa nova and pop repertoire.

To celebrate we have a prix fixe special dinner deal and Jazz entry included - \$44 for members \$49 non members. [Bookings recommended.](#)

Wednesday at 7.30 pm - Trivia with a Twist - the best Trivia in Mosman, and we say, the best in Sydney! Bring your best brains trust and join Trivia Master extraordinaire John Ed for loads of fun and prizes. No entry fee. And now with the return of the dinner special - our delicious Rowers pies ! \$20 members \$25 non-members, includes a house drink.

Thursday 6 - 8pm Live Music with our local legend Jimmy, playing favourites plus his originals plus a \$12 cocktail menu

Friday Special Xmas Meat & Veg Raffle 5.30 - 6.30pm - includes **Xmas hams!** and Live Music.

Wednesday to Friday come down early for Happy Hour, with \$6 wines & local beer, \$12 Tommy's Margarittas and \$6 Reuben Sliders

Sunday Music returns in December with \$25 jugs of Sangria and new 'Cheap bites' menu. And This Christmas, The Rowers is opening Archie Bear, downstairs, every Sunday **from December 5** for lunch and dinner offering a **festive Sunday Roast with all the trimmings!**

[Bookings available](#) from 5pm, our Roast of the Day will feature all the festive favourites. Those who enjoyed the roast last Sunday said it was simply fantastic.

We are also taking bookings for:

Christmas Eve offering some seriously cheerful specials including \$3 oysters and Laurent-Perrier champagne specials. Enjoy Christmas trimmings and the works, with carols playing of course.

Boxing Day - enjoy relaxing by the Bay, indulging in more \$3 oyster specials and a long, leisurely lunch or dinner after a hectic lead up to Christmas.

New Year's Day. After too much time spent in lockdown during 2021, say goodbye to the last 12 months, and celebrate looking forward to a new year. Enjoy more \$3 oysters and Laurent-Perrier champagne specials.

For Bookings to all our activities, see ['What's On'](#)

Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat	Sun
Archie Bear 8am - 3pm Cafe only	Archie Bear 8am - 3pm Cafe only	Archie Bear 8am - Sunset	Archie Bear 8am - Sunset	Archie Bear 8am - Sunset	Archie Bear 8am - Sunset	Archie Bear 8am - Sunset
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		Events: Happy Hour	Events: Happy Hour	Events: Happy Hour		Events: Live Music
		Trivia 7.30pm	Live Music 6-9pm	Meat Raffle 6.30pm		Sunday Roast of the Day
		Pie Special		Live Music 5-8pm		

General Managers Update

We have been busy planning the festive season see details in this edition. We can't wait to celebrate the year that was with our dear members.

Sangria Sundays are starting every Sunday 3 – 6pm. We hope to see you there to enjoy the live music and great times.

This Christmas, enjoy Sunday Christmas roast dinners. Don't miss our festive Sunday roast with all the trimming

Christmas Eve we're offering some seriously cheerful specials including \$3 oysters, Christmas trimmings as well as carols playing of course. On Boxing Day, indulge in our \$3 oyster special and settling in for a long, leisurely lunch or dinner.

Finally, New Year's Eve and New Year's Day we will be open 11.30am – 7.30pm. [Bookings open for lunch and dinner.](#)

We hope to see you down at The Rowers soon!

Plan the perfect event @The Rowers

Contact our Events Co-ordinator for help planning your Christmas parties, small business workshops and meetings; Family gatherings, Weddings, Birthdays, Life Celebrations. Rowers is the perfect venue for a very special day. Wonderful views, matched with great service, food and wines!

We have several options for spaces, style of event, matched with very competitive beverage packages.

Bookings are filling fast so contact our very helpful Events Co-ordinator Jasmine Scales on

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Weekly Member Classes@The Rowers are back in the Gallery

Yoga Classes Monday 10.30am, 12pm and 2.30pm
Contact Adri Simoes: yoga2u2day@outlook.com

Vintage Fitness Tuesday 9am, Wednesday 8:15am & 9am, Thursday 9am. Contact Andrew Fisher: andrew@vintagefitnessandhealth.com

Mums&Bubs Friday 9am and 10am
Contact Emily Reynolds : em@barrewiththem.com

Tango Tuesday 7 – 8.15pm - start date coming soon.
Contact Carlos Costes: carloscostes@yahoo.com.au

Pilates Wednesday 12pm.
Contact Fiona Malone
fiona@theeloquentbody.com.au

Community Choir Thursday 10.30 am
Contact Joanna Weinberg:
joanna.weinberg@bigpond.com

Life Drawing Thursday 6 -9 pm
Contact: Nafisa nafisa.naomi@icloud.com

Mahjong Tuesdays 12- 4pm
Contact Carole: Carole.boyden@gmail.com

Bridge Thursday 1- 4 pm
Contact Alison Brookes:
alisonannbrookes@gmail.com



Christmas@The Rowers

Kids Christmas Party

Gather the little ones and join us in Archie Bear on 12 December for our annual Kids Christmas Party. There'll be roving kids entertainment, Christmas themed food and drink specials, a very special visit from Santa and prize for best dressed Christmas theme!

[Bookings essential](#) - RSVP on our website and ensure you provide details so Santa's helpers can organise something special for the little ones.



Member's Christmas Party

It's the member event of the year! Join us on December 18th from 4pm til late in The Rowers Bar for our annual members' Christmas Party. There'll be live entertainment, Christmas treats, Members Happy Hour and more! [RSVP your place!](#)

Jobs@The Rowers

If you or members of your family would like to join the team, we are still recruiting. We need more Chefs with experience, Bar and wait staff. This is the reason we are not able to be fully open Monday and Tuesdays.

If you are looking for a permanent or a holiday job with a fabulous view, contact info@mosmanrowers.com.au

2022 Calendars

Celebrating the 110 year anniversary and history of Mosman Rowers. Purchase in the Club or order online.

Don't forget to keep your unique number inserted in the calendar - your number could be called at the Members Christmas Party on December 18th to win a great prize! Just make sure you bring your number with you (or purchase one at the Christmas Party!) and are present when your number is called.



Committees@The Rowers

If you love being a Member of the Club perhaps you would also enjoy becoming more involved and help to plan things and making some new friends?? New Volunteers always **most** welcome.

Contact our Committee convenors to get an idea of what is needed:

Building Committee: Timion Rosso

Risk & Governance: Nathan Blair

Social Committee: Linda Holub

Sports Committee: John Leydon

Email: Membership@mosmanrowers.com.au - please note which committee you wish to contact.