



# ANNUAL REPORT 2022

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# Board of Directors

## 2022-2023 Listing

Ingleburn RSL Sub-Branch Club Limited  
Executive 2022-2023

### Standing Left To Right:

Aileen Christie	Director
Ray O'Neill	Director
Jason Ellsmore AM	Director
Tony Rogers	Director
John McCarthy	Director

### Seated Left To Right:

Glenn Cushion	Chief Executive Officer
Terry Goldsworthy	President
Warren Verity	Vice President
Geoff Grimes	Director



# Notice Of Annual General Meeting

## Annual General Meeting

Notice is hereby given to members of the Annual General Meeting of the Club which is to be held in the Bardia Room of the Club 70 Chester Road Ingleburn on Thursday 20th April 2023 commencing at 8pm.

## The Agenda

1. To confirm the minutes of the previous Annual General Meeting held on Thursday 28th April 2022.
2. To receive apologies.
3. To receive and consider for adoption the President's Annual Report.
4. To receive and consider for adoption the Statement of Financial Performance for the year ended 31st December 2022, and the Statement of Financial Position as at 31st December 2022, together with the Auditor's Report thereon.
5. To announce the result of the Ballot for Directors and declare Directors elected in accordance with the triennial rule.
6. To consider and vote upon the Ordinary Resolutions as set out below.
7. To deal with any other business that the meeting approves of, of which due notice has not been given.

## Voting for Directors

Election Voting for Club Directors will take place in the Club foyer and will be conducted by Australian Electoral Company during the following times:

Friday	14th April 2023	10am to 8pm
Saturday	15th April 2023	10am to 8pm
Sunday	16th April 2023	10am to 8pm
Monday	17th April 2023	10am to 8pm
Tuesday	18th April 2023	10am to 8pm

Election results will be declared at the Club's AGM held on Thursday 20th April 2023.

## First Ordinary Resolution

- (a) That pursuant to the Registered Clubs Act the members hereby approve and agree to expenditure by the Club in a sum not exceeding (\$90,000) over the following 12 months until the next Annual General Meeting of the Club for the following expenses subject to approval by the Board of Directors:

- (i) The reasonable costs of Directors attending seminars, lectures and other educational activities as determined by the Board from time to time.
  - (ii) The reasonable costs (including travel and accommodation expenses and other reasonable out of pocket expenses) of Directors attending meetings, conferences and trade shows conducted by ClubsNSW, the Clubs Directors Institute, the Club Managers Association, RSL Clubs Association and the Leagues Clubs Association and such other conferences and trade shows as determined by the Board from time to time.
  - (iii) The reasonable cost of Directors attending any other registered Clubs for the purpose of viewing and assessing its facilities as determined by the Board as being necessary for the benefit of the Club.
  - (iv) The reasonable cost of Directors and partners of Directors attending any Club, Club industry, community, or charity functions as the representatives of the Club and authorised by the Board to do so and the reimbursement to Directors of reasonable out of pocket expenses when representing the Club at these functions.
  - (v) The reimbursement of reasonable out of pocket expenses incurred by Directors travelling to and from any additional or special Board meetings or other duly constituted meetings of any committee of the Board.
  - (vi) The reasonable cost of a meal and beverage for each Director before and after a Board or committee meeting on the day of that meeting when such meeting coincides with a normal meal time.
  - (vii) The reasonable expenses incurred by Directors either within the Club or elsewhere in relation to such other duties including entertainment of special guests of the Club and other promotional activities approved by the Board on production of documentary evidence of such expenditure.
  - (viii) The reasonable cost of Directors entertaining guests whilst they are on duty at the Club provided such entertaining is limited to meals, beverages, and internal shows.
  - (ix) The reasonable cost of supplying Directors with a Club blazer, a Club tie, trousers, and a Club shirt.
  - (x) The provision of designated car parking spaces for Directors in the Club's car park.
- (b) The members acknowledge that the benefits in paragraph (a) are not available for members generally but are only for those who are Directors of the Club.”

### **Notes to Members on the First Ordinary Resolution**

1. The first Ordinary Resolution is to have the members in general meeting approve various expenditure by the Club for Directors including to attend seminars, lectures, trade displays and other similar events to be kept abreast of current trends and developments which may have a significant bearing on the Club and for other out of pocket expenses. Included in the First Ordinary Resolution is the cost of Directors attending functions as representatives of the Club and the costs of their spouses/partners also attending those functions.

### **Second Ordinary Resolution**

- (a) That the members hereby approve the payment of the following honorariums to the Directors of the Club for services as directors of the Club until the Annual General Meeting in

2024:

- (i) President - \$10,000.00; and
  - (ii) Directors other than the President - \$5,000.00 each.
- (b) Such honorariums to be paid by monthly or other instalments as the Club and President and the Club and each Director may agree from time to time.
- (c) If the President or a Director only holds office for part of the term, the honorarium shall be paid on a pro-rata basis.”

**Notes to Members on the Second Ordinary Resolution**

1. The Second Ordinary Resolution is to have the members in General Meeting approve honorariums for the Directors of the Club for duties to be performed by them until the next Annual General Meeting. However, the honorariums will be paid on a pro-rata basis which means that a Director who only holds office for part of the year will only receive part of the honorarium. The honorarium proposed this year for the President is \$10,000 and for Directors is \$5,000 which is in recognition of the many hours of voluntary service provided by the President and the other Directors in attending to the Club’s business.

**Third Ordinary Resolution**

That the members approve Ingleburn RSL Club adsorbing, to a maximum of \$500, the catering cost of the wake of any Life Member of the Club held at the premises of the Club.

Procedural Matters in relation to all the Ordinary Resolutions

1. To be passed each ordinary resolution must receive votes in its favour from not less than a simple majority of those members, who being entitled to do so, vote in person at the meeting.
2. Under the Registered Clubs Act, members who are employees of the Club are not entitled to vote.
3. Proxy voting is prohibited by the Registered Clubs Act.

**Note to members regarding financial queries.**

Members who wish to raise any queries or seek information at the Annual General Meeting about the Financial Report or other matters pertaining to the affairs of the Club, are asked to give the Chief Executive Officer notice in writing of their queries or requests by Friday 14th April 2023. This will enable properly researched replies to be prepared for the benefit of Members.

Dated: 15th February 2023

By direction of the Board

Glenn Cushion  
Chief Executive Officer



# President's Report

Once again, I am pleased to submit my annual report for the trading year ending 31st December 2022.

I am incredibly proud that your Club has enjoyed the most successful trading year since becoming a licenced Club in 1956.

The Club has concluded the year with a very sound balance sheet, a bank balance to be proud of and entirely debt free.

The audit report and statement of accounts in this journal display the financial success resulting in a trading profit of \$5,525 million and an EBITDA percentage of 28.94%.

The Ingleburn Bowling Club has also performed well, and this is pleasing.

It goes without saying that these results would not have been possible had it not been for the loyalty and patronage that has been forthcoming from the dedicated members and their families that continue to support both Clubs and on behalf of the Board of Directors, I extend my sincere thanks to everyone for your continued support.

Since reporting last year, we are well advanced in planning for both Club houses' future. New facilities will allow us to provide upgraded facilities and amenities for members, plus additional space for entertainment and functions. Unfortunately, however, we still have nothing to show to members for the Ingleburn RSL Club as at the time of writing.

This exercise is highly complex, and when dealing with local government and related agencies and regulators, the wheels tend to turn very slowly.

At the moment, we are awaiting DA approval from Campbelltown City Council in relation to the plans for the construction works at the Ingleburn Bowling Club to commence. We hope this work will get underway mid-year or as close to this time as possible. Plans are on the noticeboard at both clubs.

Consideration is still being given to the possibility of either significant renovations of the RSL Club or relocation on-site with the construction of a new Club House. Legal, town planning, building and feasibility advice is still being sought regarding this matter which involves complex planning and compliance, financial capacity, licencing regulators and Council.

Once the required approvals have been given, plans and concepts will be displayed for members' information and consultation.

We, the Board of Directors of both Clubs, are extremely fortunate to have the services of a totally professional, dedicated and loyal CEO in Glenn Cushion. Glenn and his team have worked tirelessly throughout the year to achieve this year's financial success, delivering on the Board's strategic plan, and our sincere thanks go to everyone involved in making it all possible.

Ingleburn RSL Sub-Branch President Graham Toll has advised that he will not run for re-election, and I would like to take this opportunity to congratulate Graham on his service as Sub-Branch President during his time, particularly with respect to the Memorial Park and display area. We wish Graham well for the future and offer congratulations to Patrick O'Grady, the newly elected President, as we continue to support the RSL through our Sub-Branch.

Our Management Team at Forster Sunseeker (Brad and Maria) left during the year, and a replacement team in, Steve and Karen, have taken the management role. They have settled in well and continue to provide members with an enjoyable experience when visiting Forster.

I take this opportunity to thank Brad and Maria for the great job they did while managers.

Most areas of the Club have recovered from the trials and tribulations of Covid, particularly the catering section, which continues to be visited by members under the watchful eye of Rob and Lisa, the caterers who are forever providing an excellent service to members and their families. Thank you both, Rob and Lisa.

To each and every member of the staff in both Club's and Tabatinga, thank you sincerely for your dedication and friendly service provided to members. It does not go unnoticed and is much appreciated.

Again, Members, thank you for your support and ongoing patronage, and I look forward to enjoying your company in the Club.

I would also like to thank each member of the Board for their support and dedication over the past year and your attendance at so many Board Meetings.

In closing, it has been a pleasure and an honour to be your President of this great Club, and I look forward to enjoying your company sometime soon at the Ingleburn RSL Club or the Ingleburn Bowling Club.

**Terry Goldsworthy**  
**President**



## CEO's Report

2022 has been our first full year of trading without lockdowns since the COVID-19 pandemic crept up on us in the later part of 2019 and the early part of 2020. The challenges and difficulties we experienced throughout the past two years were always top of mind in every decision made by the Board of Directors, Management, and staff team. Their consideration, integrity, adaptability, resilience, and tolerance have been inspirational and lasting over these past couple of years. It has been such a positive experience to work with the Board, management, and staff team in such challenging times.

The financial results and performance achieved by our Club in 2022 are pleasing and continue to allow us to plan and execute the Board's strategy. The 2022 results and details are in this edition of the annual report.

In September 2022, all ClubGRANT applications went online. This is now a streamlined process for anyone in the local community to submit a submission for a ClubGRANT. We have contributed over \$418,000 (cash and in-kind support) in community projects and ClubGRANTS (Full details can be found in this report). The Ingleburn RSL Club also launched the School Scholarship Program in our local area, with 12 schools taking up the Scholarship Program where monetary support was given to high achieving year (6) six and year (12) twelve students to assist them with their ongoing educational costs and transition to high school or further development at the end of year 12.

In August 2022, regrettably, we said goodbye to our Sunseeker Managers Brad & Maria Ross and, at the same time, welcomed new managers Steve & Karen Carey. Thank you, Brad and Maria, for the stellar job. Welcome to Steve and Karen, who have been doing a fantastic job and settled in nicely as our new Sunseeker Managers.

Ingleburn Bowling Club renovations will get underway in 2023. The work will transform the Bowling Club after decades of serving the community in its current form. The community and bowler's support is appreciated. We look forward to delivering a vastly improved facility with capabilities well beyond the current offering.

We are making headway with our master planning and concepts for the Ingleburn RSL Club. The enormity and potential of the site are remarkable and require significant consideration and diligence. During 2023 we will begin to share with members the Board's vision for the Club and our land with an eye on the future and diversified opportunities. The Club's strategic plan and sustainability into the future underpins our planning to deliver a club of the future where our members and the community can all belong.

Congratulations to our 2022 Staff Member of the Year – Louis Altoft. An incredibly popular win amongst Louis's peers and well deserved. Louis joined our team because of the amalgamation with Ingleburn Bowling Club. We are richer as a team with Louis as a member. Well done, and thank you, Louis.

Director Vince Vincent, who served on the Board of Directors for 16 years, was not re-elected to the Board in 2022. Vince served as a Director and Treasurer making a significant contribution to the success of our Club. I take this opportunity to thank Vince for his support and wish him and his wife Sue well in the future.





President Terry Goldsworthy congratulation CEO Glenn Cushion on his Life Membership at the 2022 Annual General Meeting.

On a personal and humbling note, I was honoured with a Life Membership of Ingleburn RSL Club at the Annual General Meeting held in April 2022. This privilege is not lost on me and is one I will always cherish and be grateful to have received. I sincerely thank President Terry Goldsworthy, the Board of Directors, and the members for nominating, endorsing, and voting for the Board's nomination endorsement. Thank you all.

The leadership team, duty management team, administration team, staff and our contractors contribute to our delivery every day and I acknowledge and thank everyone for your commitment and connection with each other, our members and the community.

Thank you to Graham Toll and his Sub-Branch Executive and Management Team for their cohesive working arrangement with our Club. Graham completed his three-year term as President earlier this year.

We congratulate and welcome Patrick O'Grady as the new President of Ingleburn RSL Sub-Branch. We look forward to an ongoing and positive working relationship with Patrick, his executive, management team and the members of Ingleburn RSL Club-Branch.

I want to thank The Board of Directors of Ingleburn RSL Club for their time and commitment to making our Club the place to belong. Their inspiring teamwork lays the foundation for success and a bright future, underpinning our values and purpose. A special thank you to the Club President, Terry Goldsworthy, for your ongoing support and leadership that never wavers and always puts people first.

I take this opportunity to share our vision; *We aspire to be the destination of choice for recreation, entertainment, and a place to belong. Where every experience is individual and exceptional, whilst always honouring and remembering the spirit of service.*

Finally, thank you to all our members, the community, our staff, the catering teams at both venues and the other stakeholders who continue to support Ingleburn RSL Club, Tabatinga, Ingleburn Bowling Club and Sunseeker Forster.

The success of our businesses always depends on you; for that, we remain grateful. The Board, Management and Staff of Ingleburn RSL Club, Ingleburn Bowling Club and Tabatinga will continue to connect with and support our community. This is what we do.

**Glenn Cushion**  
**Chief Executive Officer**

# Sub-Branch Report

I would like to start with thanking the members of the Sub Branch for allowing me to be their President for the last 3 years. We have seen a lot of change, the biggest was the sale of our land and building to the Club Ltd.

We have come through Covid and are now back to normal, holding all our commemorative services and functions, it has been great seeing Sub Branch members attending the services along with the public. It was more pleasing to see the large turnout of schools and two schools agree to supply guest speakers and both groups did an outstanding job. As a Sub Branch we are proud of our Community Links Program where we interact with some 16 schools and several childcare centres, we look forward to that continuing into the future.

There are several members I need to thank, the Executive Committee consisting of the two Vice Presidents, Patrick O'Grady and John Lees, Secretary Gramae Mossman, Treasurer, John Beer and Barry Daley and our Park Manager Paul Gribble. The other members of the Committee Margret, Arthur, Tony, Ken, Will and George. The three Trustees Brian, Gordon and Peter who have ensured that we have done the right thing with Sub Branch funds. Those members who attend on a regular basis on Tuesday morning working in the Office or in our Memorial Garden/Park area should also be very proud of their efforts and congratulated.

A reminder to all who wish to visit the Memorial Park and pay their respect that entre can be gained by signing for the gate key at the front desk in the Club or you can attend any Tuesday morning between 0900 hrs and 1200 hrs.

By the time this report comes out the Sub Branch will have held its election for a new Committee, and I know we will be in good hands into the future, I wish them all the very best.

There are three members I would like to thank specialty, the first being John Beer. John has been the Treasurer of the Sub Branch for over ten years and he has always ensured the Sub Branch has been in a very sound position. He ensured that the Sub Branch sale was completed and that all the funds were invested in the best way possible. We wish John all the very best in retirement as the Sub Branch Treasurer. The second person is Arthur Jervis who has been on the Committee for over 40 years and has been a committed member serving in several appointments, again thank you Arthur for your advice and guidance. Lastly, Ken Wheeler who has been a Committee member for over 10 years and has been the backbone of our funeral service to our past members, this is no easy task dealing with families and funeral directors and following up with internment of ashes in the park, well done Ken. All three members are retiring from the Committee, I am sure you will join me in thanking them for their service.

The Sub Branch is in the planning stage of seeking permission to replace the pavilion in the park with a new building to meet today's requirement so hopefully soon you will see some progress on our site.

I would like to pass on my thanks to Terry Goldsworthy, President of the RSL Club Ltd, the CEO Glenn Cushion and his team for all the assistance the Club has given to me and the Sub Branch over the last few years. A special thanks to Rob and Lisa for their support in all our functions and their team of happy workers.

To all members of the Sub Branch I wish you all the very best as I am standing down as of the 5th March 2023 in my role as President and wish the Sub Branch all the very best going forward.

**Graham Toll**  
**President**

# ClubGRANTS Year Summary

Organisation	Purpose	Total Cash	"Total In-Kind"	Category
Macquarie Fields High School	B3- Community Education Programs	\$29,000.00	\$-	CAT 1
Ingleburn RSL Sub Branch	A5 - Veteran Welfare Services	\$1,721.58	\$-	CAT 1
Kids of Macarthur Health Foundation	C1 - Early Childhood Health Or Child And Family Services	\$25,000.00	\$-	CAT 1
Learning Links	B3- Community Education Programs	\$113,700.00	\$-	CAT 1
Mater Dei Foundation	A4 - Aged, Disability, Youth Services	\$9,800.00	\$-	CAT 1
Campbelltown Australian Football Club Inc	C5-Health Promotion Initiatives	\$15,000.00	\$-	CAT 1
Koori Kids	D3 - Community Enterprises	\$400.00	\$-	CAT 1
Gallipoli Scholarship Fund Inc	A5 - Veteran Welfare Services	\$8,000.00	\$-	CAT 1
Bankstown South West Division of Sydney Legacy	A5 - Veteran Welfare Services	\$6,905.46	\$-	CAT 1
Disaster Relief Australia	A6- Victims of Natural Disasters	\$50,000.00	\$-	CAT 1
Sebastian Foundation	A4 - Aged, Disability, Youth Services	\$6,000.00	\$-	CAT 1
RSL Lifecare Limited	A5 - Veteran Welfare Services	\$5,000.00	\$-	CAT 1
Campbellfield Public School	A2 - Child Protection/Child Care	\$7,349.00	\$-	CAT 1
GI Cancer Research Institute	C3 - Drug & Alcohol, Palliative Care, Women's Health. Aboriginal Health/Dental Services	\$1,000.00	\$-	CAT 1
Beyond The Badge	D3 - Community Enterprises	\$7,500.00	\$-	CAT 1
Antegra Leppington Social Club	A5 - Veteran Welfare Services	\$3,000.00	\$-	CAT 1
Veterans Benevolent Fund	A5 - Veteran Welfare Services	\$20,000.00	\$-	CAT 1
The Disability Trust	A4 - Aged, Disability, Youth Services	\$6,238.00	\$-	CAT 1
The Northcott Society	A4 - Aged, Disability, Youth Services	\$4,676.00	\$-	CAT 1
Child Abuse Prevention Service	A2 - Child Protection/Child Care	\$4,840.00	\$-	CAT 1
Rainbow Crossing Incorporated	D3 - Community Enterprises	\$5,000.00	\$-	CAT 1
Sector Connect Incorporated	A1- Family Support/ Emergency Or Low Cost Accommodation	\$5,000.00	\$-	CAT 1
Auspice Campbelltown DV Committee	A1- Family Support/ Emergency Or Low Cost Accommodation	\$5,000.00	\$-	CAT 1
Chattogram Club Australia & Rotary Club of Ingleburn	A1- Family Support/ Emergency Or Low Cost Accommodation	\$5,000.00	\$-	CAT 1
Kids of Macarthur Health Foundation	C1 - Early Childhood Health Or Child And Family Services	\$5,000.00	\$-	CAT 1

Shae Gibson Women's Cancer Support Fund	C3 - Drug & Alcohol, Palliative Care, Women's Health. Aboriginal Health/Dental Services	\$2,500.00	\$-	CAT 1
Sector Connect		\$2,200.00	\$-	CAT 2
Ingleburn RSL Physie Inc	A- Sport	\$6,874.15	\$-	CAT 2
Mets Baseball Club Inc	A- Sport	\$5,000.00	\$-	CAT 2
Ingleburn Photography Club	D- Community Activities	\$400.00	\$-	CAT 2
Lansdowne District Women's Bowling Association	A- Sport	\$1,500.00	\$-	CAT 2
Ingleburn RSL Cricket Club	A- Sport	\$14,610.00	\$-	CAT 2
Club Liverpool	D- Community Activities	\$250.00	\$-	CAT 2
RSL & Services Clubs	A5 - Veteran Welfare Services	\$5,500.00	\$-	CAT 2
Ingleburn Netball Club	A- Sport	\$3,850.00	\$-	CAT 2
Ingleburn RSL Euchre Club	A- Sport	\$1,525.00	\$-	CAT 2
Ingleburn Legacy Widows Club	E- Club Facilities		\$1,500.00	IN KIND
Minto Public School	E- Club Facilities		\$300.00	IN KIND
Narellan Jets	E- Club Facilities		\$75.00	IN KIND
Campbellfield Public School	E- Club Facilities		\$300.00	IN KIND
The Ingleburn Lions	D3 - Community Enterprises		\$312.00	IN KIND
Ingleburn Photography Club	E- Club Facilities		\$4,200.00	IN KIND
Star Walking Inc	E- Club Facilities		\$1,200.00	IN KIND
Beautiful Minds	E- Club Facilities		\$3,000.00	IN KIND
South Western Sydney TPI	E- Club Facilities		\$1,500.00	IN KIND
Penrith Bowling & Recreation Club	E- Club Facilities		\$770.00	IN KIND
Passfield Park School	E- Club Facilities		\$960.00	IN KIND
Kentlyn Public School	E- Club Facilities		\$200.00	IN KIND
Probus Club of Ingleburn	E- Club Facilities		\$3,450.00	IN KIND
Minto Cobras JRLFC	A- Sport		\$1,000.00	IN KIND
St Johns Park Bowling Club	E- Club Facilities		\$770.00	IN KIND
St Clare's Catholic Primary School Parents & Friends Association	E- Club Facilities		\$60.00	IN KIND
Vietnam Veterans Federation	E- Club Facilities		\$100.00	IN KIND
Rotary Club Of Liverpool Inc	E- Club Facilities		\$7,200.00	IN KIND
Ingleburn Bulldogs Hockey Club	E- Club Facilities		\$300.00	IN KIND
Waratah Pre-release Unit	E- Club Facilities		\$2,080.00	IN KIND

**2021-2022 Total Community Support  
Cash & In Kind \$418,616.19**

# Summary of Financial Statements

The financial statements and other specific disclosures have been derived from Ingleburn RSL Sub-Branch Club Limited full financial report for the financial year ended 31st December 2022. Other information in the Summary of Financial Statements is consistent with the Company's full financial report.

The Summary of Financial Statements does not, and cannot be expected to, provide full an understanding of financial performance, financial position and financing and investing activities of the Company as the full financial report.

A copy of the Company's 2022 Annual Financial Report, including the independent audit report, is available to all members, and will be sent to members without charge upon application to the Company's Secretary Manager.

## Directors' Report

Your directors present their report on the Club for the financial year ended 31st December 2022.

### DIRECTORS

The names of directors in office at any time during or since the end of the year are:

Terry Goldsworthy	Ray O'Neill	*Vince Vincent
Warren Verity	Geoff Grimes	Tony Rogers
Aileen Christie	Jason Elsmore	*John McCarthy
*Resigned 28th April 2022	*Appointed 28th April 2022	

Directors have been in office since the start of the financial year to the date of this report unless otherwise stated.

### PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES

The principal continuing activity of the Company consisted of: Maintaining a Licensed Club for Members.

### MEMBERS

The number of Members of the Club registered in the Register of Members at the date of this report is 18,903 (2021 – 20,936), a decrease of 9.7%:

	2022	2021
Honorary Life Members	11	12
Service Members	205	196
Social Members	18,547	20,633
Life Members (Bowling Club)	7	-
Bowls (Female)	31	31
Men (Male)	102	64
	<u>18,903</u>	<u>20,936</u>

### OPERATING RESULTS

The Net Profit from Trading for the year amounted to \$9,078,484 (2021 Profit \$2,333,245) with \$150,372 Provision for Income Tax (2021 - NIL), after charging depreciation of \$2,247,438 (2021 - \$2,008,356), and receiving NSW JobSaver \$NIL (2021 – \$398,896), and the NSW Small Business Grant \$NIL (2021 – \$13,636). No other grants were received.

## REVIEW OF OPERATIONS

Movements in significant items of Revenue are as follows: -

	2022	2021	Increase/ (Decrease)	%
Poker Machine Net Profit	13,455,120	7,836,312	5,618,808	71.2
Bar Net Profit	466,913	261,663	205,250	78.4
Overhead Operating Expenses	19,228,738	12,746,943	6,481,795	50.8

## FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS

A Development Application (DA) has been lodged with Campbelltown Council for a refurbishment/extension at Ingleburn Bowling Club. The club is also considering planning and building options at Ingleburn RSL Club. At this time no firm decision has been made or committed to.

## OBJECTIVES

### Short term

Providing for members and guests a social sporting club with all the usual facilities of a club and to assist generally in the promotion and propagation sports and a meeting place for community groups. Other short term objectives are as follows:

1. To continue to provide a high level of members facilities.
2. To remain proactive in dealing with continual changing industry legislation.
3. To increase Club membership.
4. To increase the Club's awareness in the local community.
5. To remain profitable and reduce financial debt.

### Long Term

To sustain our position as the leading provider of a social entertainment in Ingleburn to ensure our long term support of sports and the wider community in that region and beyond. Other long term objectives are as follows:

1. To maximise and further endorse the Club's R.S.L. traditions.
2. To further upgrade members facilities in line with market trends and member expectations.
3. To remain profitable with the vision to diversify the Club's assets into other streams of income where viable.
4. To continue to provide the members and the community with a social and recreational Club.

### The entity strategies for achieving the short and long term objectives were:

Principal strategies inc:

1. Maximising advantage from our property holdings,
2. Maximising advantage from marketing opportunities,
3. Providing a broad range of activities and events,
4. Maintaining high customer service standards,
5. Continuing to market the Club to the broader community,
6. Ensuring the Club's human resources remain trained and committed to the Club's objectives,
7. Increasing membership to ensure the Club's income levels continue to grow, and
8. Reviewing the continual performance of the Club to ensure objectives are being met and that the existing objectives remain valid.

### How these activities assist in achieving the objectives

The activities carried out by the Club during the year assisted in achieving the Club's objectives by ensuring that the Club's income streams remained consistent. The completion of upgrading facilities also added to the Club's ability to achieve its ongoing objectives.

### Performance measurement and key performance indicator

Performance is assessed regularly against relevant internal and industry benchmarks enabling assessment as to whether strategic initiatives have been effective in achieving company short and long term objectives. To further ensure the Club's objectives are being met the following performance measures are in place:

- Key Performance Indicators are monitored in areas such as beverage, gaming, and human resource costs.
- Industry comparisons are also reviewed on a regular basis.
- Overall business EBITDA is reviewed on a regular basis.
- Club objectives are also reviewed to measure as to whether they are being met within reasonable timeframes.

### Members Limited Liability

In accordance with the Constitution of the company, every member of the company undertakes to contribute an amount limited to \$2.00 per member in the event of the winding up of the company during the time that he/she is a member or within one year thereafter, being \$37,806 (2021 - \$41,872).

### AUDITOR'S INDEPENDENT DECLARATION

The Auditor's Independent Declaration for the year ended 31st December 2022 has been received.

Dated at Ingleburn this 28th day of February 2023

In accordance with a resolution of the Directors

**TERRY GOLDSWORTHY**  
President

**WARREN VERITY**  
Vice President



# Information On Directors

Name	Position	Meetings Called	Meetings Attended	Responsibilities	Experience
Terry Goldsworthy	Chairman	14	11	Chairman of the Board Chairman of Sub-Committees	Director 20 years
Warren Verity	Vice President	14	14	Building & Future Planning Committee Disciplinary Committee Remuneration Committee Publicity Officer and Presentations	Director 16 years Previous exp. 9 years
Vince Vincent	Treasurer	5	5	Disciplinary Committee Audit Risk & Compliance Welfare Officer Clubs NSW Delegate (Alternate Delegate)	Director 16 years
Geoff Grimes	Director	14	13	Building & Future Planning Committee Audit Risk & Compliance Membership Committee Clubs NSW Delegate Remuneration Committee	Director 9 years
Ray O'Neill	Director	14	13	Building & Future Planning Committee Disciplinary Committee Remuneration Committee Sports Council Delegate	Director 17 years
Aileen Christie	Director	14	12	Bowling Club Delegate ClubsNSW Delegate	Director 2 years
Jason Elsmore AM	Director	14	11	Disciplinary Committee Sports Council Delegate	Director 2 years
Tony Rogers	Director	14	11	RSL Services Club Delegate	Director 2 years
John McCarthy	Director	9	7	RSL Services Club Delegate	Director 1 year

# Auditor's Independent Declaration

In accordance with s 307C of the Corporations Act 2001, I am pleased to provide the following declaration of independence to the directors of Ingleburn RSL Sub-Branch Club Limited. As the audit partner for the audit of the financial report of Ingleburn RSL Sub-Branch Club Limited for the year ended 31st December 2022, I declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief, there have been no contraventions of:

- i. The auditor independence requirements of the Corporations Act 2001 in relation to the audit, and
- ii. Any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the audit.

DATED AT SYDNEY .....  
THIS 1ST DAY OF MARCH 2023

**HARLEY, RUSSELL & DAY**  
Chartered Accountants

**GARRY WILLIAM DAY**  
Registered Company Auditor

# Discussion & Analysis

## STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

The entity's total revenue has increased by \$9,824,071 (57.4 %). Whilst operating expenses have increased by \$6,475,795 (50.8 %) resulting in a net profit after tax of \$9,078,484 (income tax: \$150,372) and (income tax: 2021 - NIL).

Individual items that have impacted the 2022 result include:

Net clearances from poker machines increased by \$9,275,938.  
 Gaming duty increased by \$2,546,827.  
 Interest received increased by \$96,427.  
 Bar sales have increased by \$974,902.  
 Bar Cost of sales has increased by \$301,972.  
 Bar Gross Profit percentage increased from 58% to 62%.  
 Entertainment, marketing, and promotional costs increased by \$547,150.  
 Employee benefit expenses increased by \$2,191,565.  
 Depreciation and amortisation expenses increased by \$239,082.  
 Donation expenses increased by \$91,112.

## STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

The entity's net assets have increased by \$9,078,484 or 28.0% since the previous year consisting of a profit for the year.

This increase/decrease in net assets for the year is mainly attributed to:  
 Increase in property, plant and equipment of \$4,353,103, the total amount after adding back the difference for depreciation of \$2,247,438.  
 Decrease in receivables of \$102,264.  
 Increase in cash and cash equivalents by \$8,602,131.  
 Decrease in inventories by \$3,427.  
 Increase in provisions of \$602,728.  
 Increase in membership subscriptions in advance of \$47,439.  
 Decrease in the bank borrowing from the IMB by repayments of part of the loan by \$2,427,472.

## CASH FLOW STATEMENT

Operating activities provided net cash flow of \$10,287,995, an increase of \$5,176,116 or 101.2% when compared to the previous year.

Net cash used in investing activities of \$4,353,103 related to payments for plant and equipment including capital works, and renovations.

As a result of these cash flows, the net cash held during the year increased to \$8,602,131 compared to the previous year's decrease of \$731,400.

Due mainly to the sale of the Leppington property for \$6,500,000.  
 Cash at year end was \$21,263,345 compared to \$12,661,218 in the prior year.

# Cash Flow Statement

## FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2022

	2022	2021
	\$	\$
NOTE		
<b>1. Cash Flows From Operating Activities</b>		
Receipts from customers	29,630,064	18,932,816
Payments to suppliers and employees	(19,453,469)	(13,835,509)
Interest received	111,400	14,572
<b>NET CASH INFLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES</b>	<b>10,287,995</b>	<b>5,111,879</b>
<b>CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES</b>		
Payments for Property, Plant and Equipment	(4,353,103)	(1,908,356)
Write-off/(Acquiring) Right-of-Use Asset	-	370,839
<b>NET CASH OUTFLOW FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES</b>	<b>(4,353,103)</b>	<b>(1,537,517)</b>
<b>CASH FLOW FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES</b>		
Sale of Leppington	5,094,711	-
Bank Loan Repayments	(2,427,472)	(4,305,762)
<b>NET CASH FLOW FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES</b>	<b>2,667,239</b>	<b>(4,305,762)</b>
Net increase/(decrease) in cash held	8,602,131	(731,400)
Cash at the beginning of the financial year	12,661,218	13,392,618
Cash at the end of the financial year	21,263,349	12,661,218

## 2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The Summary Financial Statements have been prepared from the audited financial report of Ingleburn RSL Sub-Branch Club Limited for the year ended 31st December 2022. The audited report for the year ended 31st December 2022 is available at request from Ingleburn RSL Sub-branch Club Limited.

The financial statements, specific disclosures and other information included in the summary of financial statements are derived from and are consistent with the full financial report of Ingleburn RSL Sub-Branch Club Limited. The summary of financial statements cannot be expected to provide as detailed an understanding of the financial performance, financial position and financing and investing activities of Ingleburn RSL Sub-Branch Club as a full financial report.

The financial report of Ingleburn RSL Sub-Branch Club Limited complies with all Australian equivalents and the new- Simplified Disclosure Requirements. The presentation currency used in this summary of financial statements is in Australian dollars.

It has been prepared on the basis of historic costs and except where stated, does not take into account changing money values or fair values of non-current assets.

The accounting policies have been consistently applied by the Company and are consistent with those in the previous year.

A full description of the accounting policies adopted by the Company may be found in the Company's full financial report.

### 3. Statement of Changes in Equity

	Retained Surplus	Revaluation Asset Reserve	Total
	\$	\$	\$
<b>Balance at 1st January 2020</b>	29,629,271	406,060	30,035,331
Profit recognised in income statement for the year	2,333,245	-	2,333,245
Balance at 31st December 2021	31,962,516	406,060	32,368,576
Balance at 1st January 2022	31,962,516	406,060	32,368,576
Profit recognised on income statement for the year	5,375,032	-	5,375,032
Other comprehensive income	1,414,102	-	1,414,102
Gain on revaluation of land	-	2,289,350	2,289,350
Balance at 31st December 2022	38,751,650	2,695,410	41,447,060

### 4. Results

The Net Profit/(Loss) for the year was derived from:

	2022	2021
	\$	\$
Ingleburn RSL Sub-Branch Club Limited - Profit	8,790,096	2,615,989
Ingleburn Bowling Club - Loss	288,388	(282,744)
<b>Total Net Profit</b>	<b>\$9,078,484</b>	<b>\$2,333,245</b>

### 5. Security Deposits

The Company and Bowling Club have security deposits totalling \$10,000 with the Totalizator Agency Board.

### 6. Mutuality Principle

Ingleburn RSL Sub-Branch Club Limited calculates its income in accordance with the mutuality principle which excludes from income any amounts of subscriptions and contributions from members, and payments received from members for particular services provided by the club or association, e.g., poker machines, bar, and dining room service in the case of social clubs. The Commissioner of Taxation accepts this method of calculating income as appropriate for recognised clubs and associations such as Ingleburn RSL Sub-Branch Club Limited.

Following the recent Full Federal Court decision in Coleambally Irrigation Mutual Co-operative Limited v FCT [2004] FCAFC 250, Tax Laws Amendment (2005 Measures No. 6) Bill 2005 was tabled in Parliament on 7 December 2005 to amend the Income Tax Assessment Act 1997 to restore the long-standing benefits of the mutuality principle to those non-profit organisations affected by the Coleambally decision.

These amendments will ensure social clubs continue not to be taxed on receipts from contributions and payments received from members.

### 7. Core Assets

Ingleburn Land and Buildings at 70 Chester Road is considered to be core property, and now 8 Memorial Avenue since 30 November 2020. All other property is non-core property as defined under the Registered Clubs Act 1976 Section 41J.

# Directors' Declaration

The Directors of Ingleburn RSL Sub-Branch Club Limited declare that the summary of financial statements of the entity for the financial year ended 31st December 2022:

- (a) Complies with Accounting policies disclosed in Note 2.
- (b) Is an extract from the full financial report for the year ended 31st December 2022 and has been derived from and is consistent with the full financial report.

This declaration is made in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Directors.

Dated at Ingleburn this 28th day of February 2023.

**TERRY GOLDSWORTHY**  
President

**WARREN VERITY**  
Vice President

# Independent Auditor's Report

## Opinion

The accompanying summary financial statements of Ingleburn RSL Sub-Branch Club Limited, which comprise the summary statement of financial position as at 31st December 2022, the summary statements of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, summary statements of changes in members' funds and statements of cash flows for the year then ended and related notes, are derived from the audited financial report of the company at the year's end for the financial year. We expressed an unmodified audit opinion on that financial report in report dated 1st March 2023.

In our opinion, the summary financial statements for Ingleburn RSL Sub-Branch Club Limited derived from the audited financial report of Ingleburn RSL Sub-Branch Club Limited for the year ended 31st December 2022 are consistent, in all material respects, with that audited financial report, on the basis described in Note 2.

## Summary Financial Statements

The summary financial statements do not contain all the disclosures required by Australian Accounting standards - Simplified Disclosures and Interpretations. Reading the summary financial statements and the auditor's report thereon, therefore, is not a substitute for reading the audited financial report and the auditor's report thereon.

## Directors' Responsibility for the Financial Report

The Directors are responsible for the preparation of a summary of the audited financial report on the basis described in Note 2.

## Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility to express an opinion on the summary financial statements based on our procedures, which were conducted in accordance with Auditing Standard ASA 810 Engagements to Report on Summary Financial Statements.

DATED AT SYDNEY  
THIS 1ST DAY OF MARCH 2023

**HARLEY, RUSSELL & DAY**  
Chartered Accountants

**GARRY WILLIAM DAY**  
Registered Company Auditor

# Profit & Loss Account and Other Comprehensive Income

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2022

REVENUE FROM CONTINUING OPERATIONS	Notes	2022	2021
		\$	\$
Sale of Goods		2,645,174	1,670,272
Rendering of services		23,807,986	14,126,603
Other Revenue		605,347	1,431,561
Total Revenue from continuing operations		27,058,507	17,228,436
OPERATIONAL COSTS			
Cost of Sales		(1,502,441)	(701,896)
Donations		(126,800)	(35,688)
Directors' expenses		(101,760)	(63,692)
Employment Benefits expenses		(6,379,953)	(4,188,388)
Entertainment, marketing and promotional costs		(1,158,513)	(611,363)
Poker machine licences and taxes		(5,487,063)	(2,940,234)
Occupancy expenses		(346,136)	(233,191)
Other expenses from ordinary activities		(4,126,072)	(3,972,491)
Total Expenses		(19,228,738)	(12,746,943)
Earnings before borrowing costs, tax, depreciation and amortisation		7,829,769	4,481,493
Depreciation and amortisation		(2,247,438)	(2,008,356)
Borrowing Costs		(56,927)	(139,892)
Profit before Income Tax		5,525,404	2,333,245
Less Income Tax Expense Relating to Ordinary Activities		(150,372)	-
Net Profit after Income Tax		5,375,032	2,333,245
Gain on Revaluation of Land	8	2,289,350	-
Other Comprehensive Income	9	1,414,102	-
Total Comprehensive Income Profit/(Loss) for the year		9,078,484	2,333,245



# Statement of Financial Position

AS AT 31ST DECEMBER 2022

	2022	2021
	\$	\$
Cash assets	21,263,349	12,661,218
Receivables	450,700	553,264
Inventories	86,335	89,762
<b>TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS</b>	<b>21,800,384</b>	<b>13,304,244</b>
<b>NON-CURRENT ASSETS</b>		
Property, Plant & Equipment	21,586,717	19,481,053
Intangibles	987,663	987,663
Investment Property	-	5,094,711
<b>TOTAL NON-CURRENT ASSETS</b>	<b>22,574,380</b>	<b>25,563,427</b>
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>44,374,764</b>	<b>38,867,671</b>
<b>CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>		
Payables	873,413	2,620,060
Provisions	1,607,415	1,191,670
Borrowing	-	610,440
<b>TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>	<b>2,480,828</b>	<b>4,422,170</b>
<b>NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>		
Provisions	446,876	259,893
Borrowing	-	1,817,032
<b>TOTAL NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>	<b>446,876</b>	<b>2,076,925</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>2,927,704</b>	<b>6,499,095</b>
<b>NET ASSETS</b>	<b>41,447,060</b>	<b>32,368,576</b>
<b>EQUITY</b>		
Asset Revaluation Reserve	2,695,410	406,060
Retained Profits	38,751,650	31,962,516
<b>TOTAL EQUITY</b>	<b>41,447,060</b>	<b>32,368,576</b>

# The Ingleburn Lions

The Lions Club of Ingleburn was established in 1962 and this year we will have been serving our local community for 60 years.

Lions celebrated 100 years of service to the world on 7th June 2017. Over 1.4 million members in over 46,000 Clubs spread over 200 countries had cause to celebrate this momentous occasion. INGLEBURN LIONS are looking to build up our membership and grow our Club from good fellow citizens to help and assist whenever they can. Lions International are the ONLY charity organisation in the world that has a seat on the United Nations. This is for Humanitarian purposes only.

Over the last year our involvement in various local events increased with the demise of Covid. We have been active raising funds through many assorted activities. Our project of collecting food for the hungry via our food cage at Woolworths Ingleburn is continuing. Our food cage collects approximately \$12,000 of food each year which is distributed to the needy via the St Vincent De Paul network. We are in the process of placing a second food cage at Woolworths at Minto Mall. Over the years we have also collected and despatched over 70,000 pairs of glasses to the recycling centre for grading and distribution to needy people.

We also acknowledge the support given to our Club by the Board, Management and Staff of the Ingleburn RSL Club, the RSL caterer and his staff and Campbelltown City Council.

In the last year, because of your support, we have been able to:

1. Make donations to various local charities and schools;
2. Assist Campbell House School; and
3. Provide various levels of support to other worthy organisations.

We have been actively involved, and continue to be involved in:

1. Supporting our local community wherever possible,
2. Providing assistance to local charities and organisations,
3. Collecting food for distribution by St Vincents de Paul,
4. Collecting used spectacles for use by people in disadvantaged countries,
5. Collecting used stamps with the proceeds to help disadvantaged people, and
6. Donating new reading and educational books for the school libraries in our area

For any enquiries please contact Lion Wayne Franshaw on 0431 200 398



# Legacy Widows

After a quiet 2021 for Club activities, due to periods of pandemic lockdown, it was a much more social start in 2022. However, many of our members were no longer able to drive themselves to meetings or functions. We resolved to address these issues so they could enjoy fellowship outside their homes.

We had previously had some assistance in 2021 with transport to and from the IRSL Club for meetings by the IRSL Sub Branch bus, but due to public liability issues we could no longer use this transport. However, we were able to obtain a maxi taxi service funded by Legacy so our less mobile members could attend meetings in 2022. This year our ladies have been picked up from their homes by the maxi taxi and been able to enjoy fellowship and companionship as well as attend meetings with their Ingleburn Legacy Widows Club friends. They also enjoy purchasing their own lunches or snacks at the Coffee Shop or Bistro, on their monthly outings, for the Legacy meetings.

President Rosslyn Travers and Anne Milliss attended the ANZAC Day Dawn Service on the 25/4/2022 and laid a wreath on behalf of ILWC members at the Ingleburn IRSL Memorial Park. Other members attended the ANZAC Day March in the CBD and Hyde Park, and commemorations in other places or at home by television.

Some members also enjoyed a special Mother's Day Morning Tea organised by Sydney Legacy at Camden Valley Inn in May. Other members attended a special morning tea at Liverpool RSL hosted by the Legacy-Liverpool-Fairfield Friendship Group.

The ILWC held the very successful Xmas In July Luncheon and Annual Christmas Luncheon at Ingleburn RSL and were once again very pleased with the catering provided by IRSL Catering. Our member Lyn Cotter was also commended for the wonderful range of Xmas prizes and decorations she organised for the events.

President Rosslyn and Secretary, Yvonne Stapleton attended the Legacy Changeover Luncheon for the Bankstown, South West Sydney Legacy Group in July 2022. Legatee Allan Rawlinson stepped down from the Presidency after 11 years of sterling work and is now the Secretary of the B/SWS Legacy Group. His support has been appreciated.

ILWC members appreciated the opportunity provided by IRSL Club to sell Legacy memorabilia on the premises, for the Annual Legacy Week major fund raiser from 30 August – 3 September 2022.

ILWC members enjoy the facilities and outstanding support provided by the IRSL Club and look forward to continuing this positive relationship in the future.

**Yvonne Stapleton**  
**Secretary**

# Pipes & Drums

Once more our year started with an engagement of a Citizenship ceremony on Australia Day on behalf of the Campbelltown Council.

On 17th March the band played at the Citizenship for St. Patrick's Day at Circular Quay. This was followed on the Sunday for the march for St Patrick's Day. On 21st March our second citizenship for the year for the Campbelltown Council.

In April Bundanoon in Brigadoon Highland Gathering was cancelled due to the state of the field, we still played with an impromptu display at the Hotel.

Following on the 10th April we attended the pre Anzac Day Service at Padstow RSL. This year on the 16th of April we were part of the Pipe Bands of Sydney who were invited to play and entertain the crowds at the Royal Easter Show. On 21st April we attended a service for Anzac Day at Liverpool Hospital which brings our engagements to Anzac Day Services, starting with the Dawn Service at Ingleburn RSL, from there we joined the street march at Campbelltown, and following that the street march at Camden. In the afternoon we played at Campbelltown RSL, Ingleburn RSL and Camden RSL. At the end of April we played at the Ingleburn Alive festival.

During May our first engagement was the service for the Coral Balmoral Remembrance, and Berry Celtic Festival at the end of the month.

In June we played at the Thirlmere Steam Festival and another Citizenship, as well as one in July.

In August there was the small mini Bundanoon again at the hotel. On the same day we had 3 Citizenships for the Council. On the 18th August the Vietnam Vets Service was held at Ingleburn RSL. On the 12th at West NRL Club we played at entertainment for Flood Relief. Also on the 27th and 29th August four more Citizenships.

September 17th was the Campbelltown Feast at Minto, and also another Citizenship.

October 31st was the memorial of Beersheba, and another 3 Citizenships.

November 4th was the Fishers Ghost festival. The 11th November was Remembrance Day at Ingleburn RSL, on 21st another Citizenship, and 23rd at Ingleburn we entertained the View Club.

On the 19th we played at the service for H.M.A.S. Sydney. And lastly in December 19th, we played at 2 Citizenships.

**Janice Parsons**  
**Band Secretary/Pipe Sergeant**

# Euchre Club

Well another year has come and gone, I hope you all had a Merry Xmas. I wish each and every one of you a happy and prosperous new year.

Our President Mr Colin O'Rourke has lead us to another successful year. During the year we all enjoyed our competitions that we played, but unfortunately we can only have a few winners. The winners and runners up are as follows:

## JANNICE CUNNINGHAM SHIELD

Winners	Tony Rogers & Tereapii Matara
Second	Carolyn Walker & Colin O'Rourke

## PRESIDENT'S CUP

Winners	Tereapii Matara & Barry Elworthy
Second	Louise Abdilla & Sue Cunningham

## CLUB CHAMPION

Winners	Michelle Best & Brandt Mattiuzzo
Second	Louise Abdilla & Paul Gerard

## ANNUAL POINT SCORE WINNERS

Ladies	Tereapii Matara
Men	Colin O'Rourke

3rd of September 2022 we visited Kickinn at Campbelltown for an all we could eat seafood lunch. Whilst most enjoyed the visit, there were some who enjoyed the prawns more.

On the 12th November we all visited Ingleburn Bowling Club for some barefoot bowling and lunch. We had loads of fun and it was a great day out.

Our Christmas party, which was held at the Ingleburn RSL Rick Maddern Room and was a great success, and I am sure everyone enjoyed the night. Our winners were handed out their competition trophies on the night.

I would like to thank the CEO, Glenn Cushion, President and Board of Directors, Robert Montgomery and staff of Ingleburn RSL for all their support throughout the year.

Any person out there wishing to join us please do so, if you want to learn, we will teach you. We meet Tuesday Nights at 7:00 pm in the Rick Maddern Room, Ring 0409 028 447 for more information.

**Richard Moore JP.**  
**Secretary**

## Bridge Club



Bridge is an addictive card game, so be warned! It takes only a few minutes to learn the basic principles and a novice can be playing to a basic standard in a very short time. It's a game to fine tune the old grey matter and keep the head computer agile. Once hooked, you won't be able to stop.

We have around 60 members, spread over a broad skill level ranging from novice to experienced. The Club meets every Tuesday morning at 10:00 am for regular play in the Bistro dining room. We offer a coaching day on the third Wednesday of the month and we host regular competitions and fun days.

There is also social events. We celebrate the Club's birthday party midyear and enjoy a Christmas party at the end of the year.

So if you're interested in joining us, contact Ingleburn RSL Club or the committee members listed below.

We are a warm, friendly bunch, willing to encourage new starters or share hints and tips between accomplished players alike. On the fun days we play with lucky dip partners and instant scoring.

New members of all standards are always welcome, from beginners to expert.

Anyone wishing to join our Club can contact the our President, Fay Cashel on 0418 485 804 or our Secretary, Wayne Hillier on 0400 517 725. Further information can be found at:

[www.ingleburn.bridge-club.org](http://www.ingleburn.bridge-club.org)

# Toastmasters

Ingleburn Toastmasters Club has conducted over 840 meetings at Ingleburn RSL since 1986. We are grateful for Ingleburn RSL's support.

Toastmasters provide a supportive and positive learning experience in which members are empowered to develop communication and leadership skills, resulting in greater self-confidence and personal growth.

The Toastmasters Pathways programs in communication and leadership streams help people improve their skills in small steps by giving guidelines for speeches and Club participation roles. Once completed, members have the opportunity to achieve higher awards through following more advanced communicator and leadership opportunities.

Our meetings consist of Table Topics which are impromptu speaking topics. We also have prepared speeches which are constructively evaluated to help people improve. All facets of Club participation are encouraged.

A variety of contests are held through the year with winners going on to represent their Club at Area/District Competitions.

Our Executive for 2022/2023:

President – Nerissa Adams

Vice President Education – Peter Harper

Vice President Membership – Sanket Purohit

Vice President Public Relations – Bryan Graham

Treasurer – Julia Perry

Secretary – Francis Tenny

Sergeant at Arms – Osvaldo Marques

Visitors are always welcome to come along to our meetings held on the 1st, 3rd or 5th Monday each month for a 7:30 pm start, where you will be warmly welcomed. Our meetings run for two hours. Alternatively drop us a line at [ingleburntm@hotmail.com](mailto:ingleburntm@hotmail.com) or call Peter Harper, our VP Education on 0414 618 157 or Nerissa on 0417 495 395.

# Photography Club

Fortunately, 2022 turned out to be a better year than the previous two challenging years and the 19 March saw Ingleburn Photography Club celebrate its 8th anniversary of its formation.

Thanks to revised health orders, members were able to venture out to photograph various events and venues. Although the latter part of the year saw events deferred or cancelled due to unfavourable climatic conditions making grounds unsafe.

The highlight of our year was the Interclub Challenge between the Ingleburn Photography Club, Macarthur Photographic Society and St George Leagues Club Photographic Society. The Macarthur Photographic Society hosted this event, which was presented on Tuesday 16 August. Although both of the other Clubs are quite strong and have a larger membership base, the competition was fierce with a mere 13 points between first and third places. The results were as follows:

Ingleburn Photography Club	464 points
St George Leagues Club Photographic Society	466 points
Macarthur Photographic Society	477 points

We introduced a junior membership for those up and coming photographers. This was warmly received and required a change to our constitution. We embraced our first junior member into the fold.

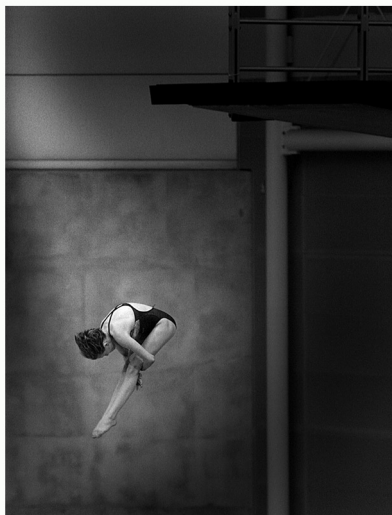
All members were challenged again to enter the Sutherland Shire National Exhibition of Photography. Three members took on this challenge which proudly resulted in a total of 13 acceptances with John Alessi proudly awarded a silver medal. This is most encouraging and members were more than pleased with their results. I am proud that they gave it a go and had success at national level. This also a good sign of support for one of the few Australian national exhibitions. It also helps improve their photography, is very gratifying and they are also inspired by the other accepted and awarded images.

Both John and I continued to be kept busy “paying it forward” by providing presentations and judging competitions. This year alone we judged an international interclub competition, a national exhibition, interclub competition, eight monthly competitions and three annual awards. We also prepared a “Sports Photography” presentation for Wollongong Camera Club and a “Monochrome Images” presentation for Hawkesbury Camera Club.

Our Annual Awards was held at our End of Year Celebration in November whereby the photographers having shown consistent results were rewarded. This is a tally of competition point scores throughout the year. We also had Mark Kelly, Professional Photographer, choose an Image of the Year from the monthly first place winners.

Members were also entertained by a review of the year’s outings to various events and a Year in Review showcasing a collection of images from each competition entrant.





**Image of the Year:  
“Diving”**

*by John Alessi, AAPS*

The results for 2022 are as follows:

Annual Point Score Competition

1st Place 96 points Leanne Alessi

2nd Place 83 points John Alessi

3rd Place 66 points Richard Li

Image of the Year

“Diving” by John Alessi

Impressive trophy plaques were awarded to each of the above recipients with a perpetual trophy for the Annual Point Score First Place. Macarthur Camera House graciously donated a canvas 12 x 18 inch print voucher worth \$95.00 for the recipient of Image of the Year.

We acknowledge the support of Macarthur Camera House again this year. This partnership has provided sponsorship support and offered a multitude of benefits to members. We embraced their generosity.

Although our membership number totalled 17, the Annual General Meeting, normally held in November, was postponed. Given the low attendance at that meeting, a quorum for the annual general meeting was not met.

The committee of the Ingleburn Photography Club would like to extend their gratitude to our guest judges and presenters for sharing their expertise and of course, the Board of Directors, Management and Staff of the Ingleburn RSL for providing Club facilities and their support.

**Leanne Alessi, EFIAP/Silver, EPSA, GMAPS, EMFCC  
President**

# Probus Club



The Probus Club of Ingleburn Inc. is a social club for retired and semi-retired people and part of the international association of Probus Clubs.

The core values of Probus are fun, friendship and fellowship. 2022 has been our first full year of meetings and activities without the disruption of covid isolations experienced during the previous two years.

Our membership has grown during the year to 99 members and the attendance at our monthly meeting held in the Bardia Room at Ingleburn RSL Club on the first Wednesday morning of the month, has increased to approximately 80.

Each meeting begins with morning tea and lots of chatter and concludes with an invited speaker. Speakers from local associations, such as Dr Denys Cato, Area Counter Disaster coordinator in SW Health Services to retired Pharmacist and Rotarian, Dianne North representing the international voluntary plastic surgery aid association Interplast have been warmly received & supported by members this year.

Many social, cultural and travel activities, planned by Committee members have been greatly appreciated by members throughout the year. From the walking and games mornings (introduced this year); to theatre stage productions; to 'day' bus and train outings to Bowral, Mt Wilson, the northern beaches to 5 day trips to the Bathurst area and Canberra for Floriade have been very well supported, greatly enjoyed and full of fun and fellowship together.

Eating out is a great favourite with members and coffee 'n chat mornings, pub lunches, Christmas in July at Gledswood Estate and The Little Snail restaurant lunches are always well attended and 'hugely' enjoyed.

Many members stay for lunch at the Club after each meeting and we concluded the year with a wonderful Christmas meeting followed by a lovely lunch provided by Robert and his staff from the Club and entertainment by local artist, Guy Walton.

**Barbara Wimble**  
**President Ingleburn Probus Club**



**Our Purpose**  
*To connect with and support our community*





**OUR VALUES**



**PEOPLE**


**TEAMWORK**

**INTEGRITY**

**BELONGING**



**OUR VISION**



*We aspire to be the destination of choice for recreation, entertainment and a place to belong. Where every experience is individual and exceptional, whilst always honouring and remembering the spirit of service.*



