

## ANZAC DAY CENTENARY

Anzac Day goes beyond the anniversary of the landing on Gallipoli in 1915. It is the day on which we remember Australians who served and died in all wars, conflicts, and peacekeeping operations. The spirit of Anzac, with its human qualities of courage, mateship, and sacrifice, continues to have meaning and relevance for our sense of national identity. The Wagga RSL Club welcomes you to share this momentous day with your friends and family.

- 6.00am Dawn Service** (conducted by Legacy)  
Held at the Cenotaph, followed by pilgrimage to the War Cemetary (Koorngal Road).
- 7.00am Breakfast**  
Buffet style breakfast at the Wagga RSL Club, which includes rum and milk with Wagga Men's Choir singing songs of the past.  
**Cost is \$10 per person.**
- 10.00am Marchers Assemble**  
Meet at the corner of Baylis and Morgan Streets.
- 10.30am ANZAC March**  
March commences with procession moving down Baylis Street to the Cenotaph, followed by a wreath laying service.
- 11.15am Commerative Service**  
Held in the Victory Memorial Gardens.  
Occasional address by Colonial Steve Jobson CSC, Army (Commandant Army Recruit Training Centre Kapooka).
- 12.30pm ANZAC Day Lunch**  
Held at the Wagga RSL Club.  
**Cost is \$10 per person for RSL Sub-Branch members or \$25 per person for non-members.**  
Cost includes lunch, beer, wine and soft drinks.  
Tickets available from the RSL Sub-Branch office at 26 Dobbs Street Wagga.
- 1.00pm ANZAC Day AFL/NRL**  
Gates to the ANZAC commerative football games open at Robertson Oval.  
**Cost of entry is a gold coin donation.**
- 5.30pm Sunset Service**  
Held at the RSL Club Memorial, located at the front of the RSL Club.
- 6.30pm Live Entertainment at the Wagga RSL Club**  
Duo Anna and Damo.

All ceremonies, except for the Dawn Service, are co-ordinated by The Returned and Services League of Australia (Wagga Wagga Sub-Branch).

For further information please phone (02) 6921 3528.



WAGGA RSL SUB-BRANCH

## Supporting our Veterans & Troops

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| <b>1ST PRIZE</b><br><b>ALL QUIET ON THE WESTERN FRONT TOUR</b><br><small>8 DAYS IN FRANCE FOR TWO PEOPLE INCL. \$1,000 SPENDING MONEY, FLIGHT DEPARTING FROM SYDNEY &amp; ACCOMMODATION TOUR. VALUED AT \$12,000 FROM HELLO WORLD</small> | <b>2ND PRIZE</b><br><b>WAR BIRD FLIGHT FOR ONE IN A WWII "WIRRAWAY"</b><br><small>PRIZE DONATED BY TEMORA AVIATION MUSEUM</small> | <b>3RD PRIZE</b><br><b>\$1,000 GIFT VOUCHER FROM THE GOOD GUYS</b> |
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**TICKETS \$5**

**DRAWN 1ST MAY 2015**  
8PM AT WAGGA RSL CLUB

REGISTERED CHARITY NUMBER: 11094

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*"Lest We Forget"* 



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# ENJOY YOUR CLUBS



## HAPPY EASTER!



On behalf of the Board of Directors, management and staff at Wagga RSL and Commercial Clubs, we wish everyone a happy Easter and safe travels during the holiday period. If you are in town over the Easter break, remember your clubs are open every day, so be sure to come and enjoy all that we have to offer!

## ETERNAL FLAME REIGNITED



The city's oldest World War II veteran Colin Bell, 99, had the honour of igniting Wagga's new eternal flame in February. The flame was lit during a ceremony in the Victory Memorial Gardens, bringing a crowd of more than 200 people.

The newly built eternal flame was a joint Centenary of ANZAC project by the Wagga RSL Club, Wagga City Council, Wagga RSL Sub-Branch and the federal government. The flame sits in the centre of a six-metre diameter reflection pond, surrounded with the words sacrifice, liberty and vigilance.

In his keynote address, RSL Sub-Branch President, Kevin Kerr said, 'The flame will burn bearing witness to the heroism of those who gave their lives for the freedom of the world's people during those years of conflict where our liberty was threatened. Those who fell in the heart of battle and possibly buried in distant lands, some with their names on the cross above, others only known to God in unmarked graves. This flame burns to represent the coming home of their spirit!'

## WAGGA RSL MEMORIAL PROJECT

In preparation for services commemorating the centenary of ANZAC Day, the Wagga RSL Club is rejuvenating the memorial located at the front of the Club.

The new memorial will feature three rusted steel blades standing on a sandstone base. Each blade represents the three armed forces, in proportionate size, supporting each other. The rusted steel blades, depicting the passing of time, project from the sandstone surface to represent the hardships endured.

In recognition of the 88 men who started the Kangaroo March from Wagga, each of their names will accompany a map of their journey on one of the blades. Featured on the other two blades is the official ANZAC Centenary logo and the numeral '100'.

The memorial will be officially opened during the ANZAC Day twilight service commencing at 5.30pm on the 25th of April. Feel free to join us at the ceremony.

## CLUBS RALLY TO RAISE \$7,070

The Wagga RSL Club & Commercial Club was proud to host the 2015 Clubs Riverina & South West Regional Conference. At the dinner 150 Club Managers and Directors from all across our region rallied together to raise \$7070 for The Amie St Clair Melanoma Trust.

The Trust is dedicated to raising awareness of melanoma. The Trust actively supports medical research and endeavours to provide better access to specialised care for the communities of the Wagga Wagga region.

We were proud to be able to raise such an amount of money in one night and are very appreciative of all the Clubs who contributed.



## FAREWELL JOHNNY

Wagga RSL Club President, John Keyes, will stand down from his role at the end of this month and move to Queensland with his wife to be closer to their family. John was vice president of the Club for five years before taking on the role of president for the last seven years.

He said, "The Club has been a big part of my life for the last 17 years, I love everything about it." His last official function as the RSL Club President will be the ANZAC Day march commemorating the 100th anniversary of the Gallipoli landing.

We would like to sincerely thank John for his dedication and passion of our clubs and the industry and wish him and his family all the best.

## MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING



The member for Wagga, Daryl Maguire, joined representatives from Wagga RSL and the Australian Rules Club to sign a historic Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) between local clubs and the NSW Government.

The ground breaking MoU provides stability for local clubs and the wider community over the next four years. It provides certainty, not only for clubs in the area, but also for their 335 employees, over 69,000 members and the 576 club volunteers by locking in tax rates for the next term of the NSW Government and committing to further enhancing the ClubGRANTS program.

The MoU focuses on strengthening industry viability and reducing red tape, making sure local clubs can continue to operate as community hubs, building and maintaining essential local infrastructure.

## MORE WINNERS!

February saw a number of worthy winners in our various promotions. We are so happy to have given away another \$2,000 in our Facebook Members Draw. Elizabeth Moran is our newest winner, bringing our total to over \$23,000 given away! For your chance to win, simply be a member of our clubs and like our Facebook page at [www.facebook.com/WaggaRSL](http://www.facebook.com/WaggaRSL). Check our facebook page every Monday and Wednesday for your chance to win. LTPS/14/02742

Lucky winners of our XXXX Gold Bowls giveaway were Dennis Lawson and Darren Kelly. Both men won a Henselite lawn bowls kit each, with four bowls, a carry bag and a bowls cloth, all valued at \$569! LTPM/14/03799



Elizabeth Moran, winner of \$2,000 in our Facebook Members Draw!



One of our XXXX Gold Bowls giveaway winners, Dennis Lawson.



**Mammoth Monthly MEGA DRAW**  
share in \$15,000 worth of prizes

- 40 prizes
- tickets \$1 for 6 numbers
- drawn 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of every month

Tickets on sale from 4pm at both clubs on the day of the draw. Prizes drawn from 8pm.

**SATURDAY 4TH APRIL**

**LIVE & FREE**

*The Shuffleboys*

**6.30PM, FRIDAY 17TH APRIL**  
at the Commercial Club

ONLY at the Commercial Club Wagga

**mini MEGA DRAW**

Your chance to share in **\$7,500 worth of prizes.**  
Drawn 3rd Saturday of every month

dine at wagga rsl

**BUFFET IS BACK**

\$11.50 Lunch SPECIALS

Carvery Buffet Lunch \$14.95

**SATURDAY 18TH APRIL**

**GROOVE FACTORIE**

**LIVE AND FREE**

COMMERCIAL CLUB MAIN LOUNGE @ 8PM

**THURSDAY 30TH APRIL**

**KIDS EAT FREE!**

**EVERY MONDAY AND TUESDAY NIGHT**

Children 12 years and under will receive a free kids meal with any adult main purchased. Activity bag and ice cream included with kids meal.  
Limit one kids meal per paying adult.

**ONLY AT THE COMMERCIAL CLUB WAGGA.**

commercial club logo and BAR & GRILL logo

# April WAGGA RSL

<b>WED</b>	11am Facebook Members Draw From 1.30pm Lucky Members Draw 3.30pm Grab a Wish 6.30pm – 11pm Triple Points 7.15pm Bingo
<b>THU</b>	10am – 2.30pm Triple Points 11.30am Bingo 2.30pm Calamity Kitty From 7pm Lucky Members Draw 10.30pm \$500 Jackpot!
<b>FRI</b>	6pm Friday Night Raffle – Over \$1800 in prizes From 7pm Lucky Members Draw, Live Entertainment: Justine Hogan
<b>MEGA DRAW SAT</b>	From 1.30pm Lucky Members Draw 4.30pm Losing TAB Tickets From 4pm Mammoth Monthly Megadraw From 7.30pm Live Entertainment: R&R
<b>EASTER SUNDAY SUN</b>	11.30am Cash Housie 2.30pm Calamity Kitty 6pm Market Night Raffle From 7pm Lucky Members Draw
<b>MON</b>	11am Facebook Members Draw From 1.30pm Lucky Members Draw 4pm Grab a Wish 6.30pm – 11pm Triple Points 7.15pm Bingo
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<b>FRI</b>	6pm Friday Night Raffle – Over \$1800 in prizes From 7pm Lucky Members Draw, Live Entertainment: Cathy Wall
<b>SAT</b>	From 1.30pm Lucky Members Draw 4.30pm Losing TAB Tickets From 7.30pm Live Entertainment: Patrick Almani
<b>SUN</b>	11.30am Cash Housie 2.30pm Calamity Kitty 6pm Market Night Raffle From 7pm Lucky Members Draw
<b>FACEBOOK DRAW MON</b>	11am Facebook Members Draw From 1.30pm Lucky Members Draw 4pm Grab a Wish 6.30pm – 11pm Triple Points 7.15pm Bingo
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<b>FRI</b>	6pm Friday Night Raffle – Over \$1800 in prizes From 7pm Lucky Members Draw, Live Entertainment: Amanda Long
<b>SAT</b>	From 1.30pm Lucky Members Draw 4.30pm Losing TAB Tickets From 7.30pm Live Entertainment: Jacinta Tooze
<b>SUN</b>	11.30am Cash Housie 2.30pm Calamity Kitty 6pm Market Night Raffle From 7pm Lucky Members Draw
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<b>FRI</b>	6pm Friday Night Raffle – Over \$1800 in prizes From 7pm Lucky Members Draw, Live Entertainment: Michelle Robertson
<b>ANZAC DAY SAT</b>	From 1.30pm Lucky Members Draw 4.30pm Losing TAB Tickets From 6.30pm Live Entertainment: Anna & Damo
<b>\$2000 SUN</b>	11.30am Cash Housie 2.30pm Calamity Kitty 6pm Market Night Raffle From 7pm Lucky Members Draw \$2000 MUST BE WON!
<b>MON</b>	11am Facebook Members Draw From 1.30pm Lucky Members Draw 4pm Grab a Wish 6.30pm – 11pm Triple Points 7.15pm Bingo
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# COMMERCIAL CLUB

10.30am Wish Gift 11am Facebook Members Draw 11.30am Bingo From 1.30pm Lucky Members Draw 6pm Raffle	1	
From 7pm Lucky Members Draw \$500 must be won	2	
11.30am Bingo 2.30pm Wish Gift 6.30pm Raffle – over \$900 in prizes to be won! From 7pm Lucky Members Draw	3	
From 1.30pm Lucky Members Draw From 4pm Mammoth Monthly Megadraw From 6.30pm Live Entertainment: Anna & Damo	4	<b>MEGA DRAW</b>
5pm Wish Gift 6.30pm Raffle From 7pm Lucky Members Draw	5	<b>EASTER SUNDAY</b>
10am – 4pm Triple Points 11am Facebook Members Draw 1pm Bingo From 1.30pm Lucky Members Draw	6	
From 1.30pm Lucky Members Draw 5pm – 11pm Triple Points 7.15pm Cash Housie/Bingo	7	
10.30am Wish Gift 11am Facebook Members Draw 11.30am Bingo From 1.30pm Lucky Members Draw 6pm Raffle	8	
From 7pm Lucky Members Draw \$500 must be won	9	
11.30am Bingo 2.30pm Wish Gift 6.30pm Raffle – over \$900 in prizes to be won! From 7pm Lucky Members Draw	10	
From 1.30pm Lucky Members Draw	11	
5pm Wish Gift 6.30pm Raffle From 7pm Lucky Members Draw	12	
10am – 4pm Triple Points 11am Facebook Members Draw 1pm Bingo From 1.30pm Lucky Members Draw	13	
From 1.30pm Lucky Members Draw 5pm – 11pm Triple Points 7.15pm Cash Housie/Bingo	14	
10.30am Wish Gift 11am Facebook Members Draw 11.30am Bingo From 1.30pm Lucky Members Draw 6pm Raffle	15	
From 7pm Lucky Members Draw \$500 must be won	16	
11.30am Bingo 2.30pm Wish Gift 6.30pm Shuffle Boys, Raffle – over \$900 in prizes to be won! From 7pm Lucky Members Draw	17	<b>SHUFFLE BOYS</b>
From 1.30pm Lucky Members Draw From 4pm Mini Monthly Megadraw From 6.30pm Live Entertainment: Carly & Me	18	<b>MINI MEGA DRAW</b>
5pm CMC: Royal Flying Doctors 5pm Wish Gift 6.30pm Raffle From 7pm Lucky Members Draw	19	
10am – 4pm Triple Points 11am Facebook Members Draw 1pm Bingo From 1.30pm Lucky Members Draw	20	
From 1.30pm Lucky Members Draw 5pm – 11pm Triple Points 7.15pm Cash Housie/Bingo	21	
10.30am Wish Gift 11am Facebook Members Draw 11.30am Bingo From 1.30pm Lucky Members Draw 6pm Raffle	22	
From 7pm Lucky Members Draw \$500 must be won	23	
11.30am Bingo 2.30pm Wish Gift 6.30pm Raffle – over \$900 in prizes to be won! From 7pm Lucky Members Draw	24	
From 1.30pm Lucky Members Draw	25	<b>ANZAC DAY</b>
5pm Wish Gift 6.30pm Raffle From 7pm Lucky Members Draw	26	
10am – 4pm Triple Points 11am Facebook Members Draw 1pm Bingo From 1.30pm Lucky Members Draw	27	
From 1.30pm Lucky Members Draw 5pm – 11pm Triple Points 7.15pm Cash Housie/Bingo	28	
10.30am Wish Gift 11am Facebook Members Draw 11.30am Bingo From 1.30pm Lucky Members Draw 6pm Raffle	29	
From 7pm Lucky Members Draw \$500 must be won From 8pm Live Entertainment: Groove Factorie – CC Main Lounge	30	<b>GROOVE FACTORIE</b>



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