

Next Big Events

Bong Bong 22nd – 23rd

AGM 4th December - Please consider standing for a Board position

Christmas Celebration – 18th Dec

Next Meetings	Tuesday 6th November 2018 5:30 for 6:30 pm	Tuesday 13 th Nov 2018 5:30 for 6:30 pm
Location	Highlands Golf Club	Highlands Golf Club
Program	Club Assembly	Polio FUNd Night
Speaker	Members	Trevor Fair
Intro / Vote of Thanks	Lynton Kettle	Lynton Kettle
Dinner Fee Duty	Graham Hicks	John Hoelle
Journalist	Trevor Fair	Denise Coad
Regalia Duty	Tony Glenn	Ian Johnson

If you are unable to do duty, please find a replacement and advise Trevor Fair by email: trevorf@oxleypartners.com.au



UPCOMING EVENTS

Club Assembly 6th November

Please forward any agenda items to Tony Glenn prior to the meeting

White Ribbon Day Walk

7:30 am 21st November - Bradman Oval

Bong Bong Parking & BBQ

Please volunteer your time to either parking or attending the BBQ on Friday 23rd

Bong Bong Club Meeting

Thursday 22 November, Bong Bong Race Course.

Members, partners and guests are invited to join us and have some fun.

Mary R or Ray C

Happy Hour

"Happy Hour" from 5:30pm – 6:30pm. From all reports this initiative is working well. Any feedback, next week is your opportunity

Journalist: Trevor Fair

Welcome

Manager of Mt Eymard, Deborah Luscombe welcomed all to the leafy and quiet facility of Mt Eymard.

Guests:

Trudy Schipelliti, and thank you Trudy for assisting with the hospitality.

Invocation: Brian Elliott

Mt Eymard - a Southern Highlands Icon



Built in 1929 as a country estate by Mr Howard-Smith (of Adelaide Steamship fame) and designed by Leslie Wilkinson, the building has a Mediterranean and nautical influence, the property was named New Morton. It is set on 10 acres of formal gardens and located 1 km from the Bowral CBD.

The staircase is reportedly from one of Adelaide Steamship's boats.

In 1938 a Frank Keighley purchased the Estate and renamed it Myddelton.

In 1945 it was sold to Cecily Clarke who on-sold it to the Clerks in Holy Order as joint tenants of Mt Eymard.

1952 the title of Mt Eymard was transferred to the Trustees of Blessed Sacrament Fathers as a

religious institution of training for novice priests. The main lounge room was converted to a chapel and confessional. Even the original heating was so the novices would not become soft!. Hence the property was very run down and sat empty for several years until 1976 when Laurie and Kathleen O'Shannessy purchased Mt Eymard who renovated it as a conference centre.

During the 1980's AGL was laying gas pipelines through the Southern Highlands and agreed to provide mortgage finance to build the retirement cottages provided gas was used throughout.

Now enters Lynton Kettle Constructions who was the building contractor for the first 14 villas.

Today Mt Eymard comprises 72 purpose built strata titled cottages as well as 18 serviced apartments, and is managed by Australian Unity. Current facilities include 24 hr emergency call system, dining room that is open 7 days week, an indoor heated swimming pool, a library and in home respite.

Ken Adams also worked on the building and was engaged to re-install central heating. Once the pipes etc had been commissioned the Fathers threw a big Christmas party for all involved. It was the biggest party Methodist Ken had ever been to.

A bit of trivia - the RC of BM met in the dining room for numerous meetings.



Announcements

Rod Aistrophe

- Mens' Health Info Sessions - The SHN has agreed to insert the flyers promoting the November sessions in the paper. Brian Ritson has printed the flyers and the Club has contributed \$500 towards the printing.

Ian Johnson

- RAWCS project is currently being developed. Depending on progress it may be necessary to be allocated a new project number.

Ian Langford

- Will be away for 4 weeks, so if you need the services of a Treasurer, please see Ian ASAP.

Ray Coulton

- Bong Bong Race meeting is on 23rd November. Looking for volunteers to assist with marking out, parking BBQ and pack up. Roster is being circulated.

Brian Pattinson

- Dream Cricket - Bowral. A big thank you to all who volunteered, and made the day a great success. Special thank you to Ken Adams who competently managed the activities schedule.

Photo of the Week



Breakfast Club enjoying a vego meal??

Men's Health Information Sessions Timetable

- Aged Care – 5th November
- NDIS – 12th November
- Stroke Foundation – 19th November
- Lifeline – 26th November

Free Community Information Sessions November 2018

**Southern Highlands
Men's Health Month**

Women Warmly Welcome

LOCAL Organisations will be talking about enhancing the health of men (and women) in the Southern Highlands, during the month of **NOVEMBER**

Aged Care	<i>With a Little help from my friends</i>	Monday 5 th November
NDIS	<i>Help is on the way</i>	Monday 12 th November
Stroke Foundation	<i>The beat goes on</i>	Monday 19 th November
Lifeline	<i>Breaking the Silence</i>	Monday 26 th November

WHEN: Four Mondays in November at 6pm (Sharp)-7:30pm
WHERE: St Jude's Anglican Church Auditorium,
Bendooley St, Bowral
Plenty of parking, wheelchair access, light refreshments available.
FURTHER INFORMATION: Tom Carroll: 0419482208, or
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