



L.U.O.R. NEWS

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Leichhardt Rowing Club, NSW

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The SPRING 2008 Newsletter OF THE Leichhardt Union of Old Rowers (Previously L.U.E.R.)

62nd Annual Xmas Reunion on the 23rd November 2008

Our Xmas reunion will again be a family day starting at 11am.

We invite the families of our members and visitors to join us. As usual a hot buffet lunch will be served. Children welcome and entry for them is free.

Please let Barry Moynahan (Ph: 9686 4290 / Email - philm1@bigpond.com) or Tony Potter (Ph: 9592 3258 / Email - potter@optusnet.com.au) know you will be attending (or not) as this will greatly assist our catering arrangements. We have been able to retain the services of all our capable catering staff so our meal will be as good as or better than ever. **Costs for the meal will be \$15.00 and Subs are \$5.00 - LUOR & Social members.**



Lionel Robberds and Betty Curtin
with the Ted Curtain IV – May 2008

The New Club Pontoon is progressing slowly However, recently there were 13 new pylons Installed and the way is now clear for the new Pontoon and staging to be installed when the Final approval is received from NSW Waterways. We hope that is before Xmas '08.

Welcome to LRC Social Rowers

Following on from the success at the last LUOR function in May this year we will again host the club's Social Rowers prior to the luncheon. These LUOR days are also especially held to focus on and support the Social- Non Competitive Rowers in the club.

A few row past - mini 8 - races will be held from the "stone wall to club house" with social and other members joining in - Prizes will be awarded. LUOR and club members are welcome to join in.

LUOR 400 Draw

The annual 400 Draw # 20 will be conducted in conjunction with our reunion luncheon. All Social and club members are eligible to join in and purchase a \$20.00 ticket (or more if required) - \$400.00 prize

Details are on page 2.

Congratulations Kevin Bond

Congratulations to Kevin for his election to President of the LUOR at the last Annual General Meeting of LUOR held in May this year. Having spent the last 20 years in the positions of Treasurer and Secretary Kevin was wanting to hand over to new hands at the tiller. However we were able to convince Kevin to stay in office for a while longer - now as President of LUOR. Bern Story was elected to Treasurer and Tony Potter re-elected as Secretary for another year.

L.U.O.R 400 DRAW #20

At our AGM in May it was decided that due to the continuing success of our 400 Draws we will hold another one to be drawn at our Xmas reunion with \$400 being paid to the winner.

Hopefully with the support of the Social Rowers and friends this will continue to be a successful way to raise finances so that we can continue to assist the club to add boats, oars, club enhancements or equipment etc.

Over the 20 years of its existence the "400 Draw" with the support of our members has been very good and has enabled us to provide a large amount of equipment to the club. It has included funds to 'kick start' the sewerage connection to the clubhouse, provide function tables, kitchen equipment items, and boats etc. In the past few years the LUOR has donated over \$36,000 to LRC.

Only with your continued support can we carry on this important work. Numbers only cost **\$20 each** with all the proceeds going to your old club.

Anticipating your support we have allocated you the number:

We would appreciate if you could return your payment (Cheque, money order, or cash on the day) to:

Tony Potter, LUOR, PO Box 3 Leichhardt 2040 (to reach us by Friday 21/11/08.

Extra Numbers are obtainable by contacting Tony Potter T: (02) 9592 3258 – See if you can get your friends or relatives to assist this most worthy cause.

The draw will be made at our Xmas reunion on 23-11-08. If the winner is not present on the day we will notify them by phone by Wednesday of that week.

Upcoming Events

Leichhardt Rowing Club Xmas Party

Sunday, December 14, 7:30 P.M.

NSWRA State Championships 2009

Saturday, February 7, 2009

Leichhardt R C - Annual Regatta

Saturday, March 7, 2009 at 8.30 A.M.

Iron Cove Masters (At LRC)

Saturday, May 5, 2009 at 8.30 AM

The next LUOR Social function/dinner April/May 2009

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Peter Dixon - Club member and Olympian Joined the club in 1963 and passed away aged 62 in late June 2008. He won Kings Cup 8's in '65 & '67 & Olympic 8 Silver in Mexico 1968.

Vern Reid - Joined the club in early 1980's with his son Cameron - Vern a life member, excelled in support of coaches and repairs & maintenance of club & boats. He passed away in Qld in late June 2008.

The Committee

President: Kevin Bond (T: 9790 4298)

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Treasurer: Bern Story (T: 9809 3337)

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Secretary: Tony Potter (T: 9592 3258)

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