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Northern Districts Sub Branch Editor Michael Fahie is still recovering from poor health. I'm sure everyone joins with me in wishing Michael all the Best and hope to see you back on deck soon.

We Need you Michael.

Temporary Editor.

Jeff Brumhead.

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GENERAL MEETINGS ARE HELD AT THE AT THE DAREBIN RSL 402 BELL STREET PRESTON 3072
ON THE FIRST SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH

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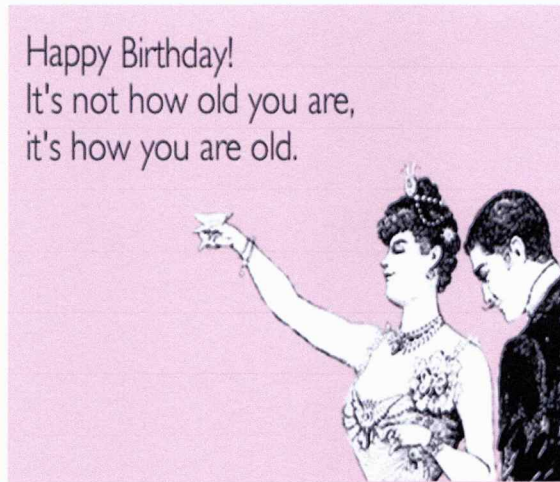
JANUARY (NO MEETING), (FATHER'S DAY) 2ND Sunday in SEPTEMBER,

OCTOBER No Meeting (Memorial Service COMMENCING AT 10.00 HOURS).

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING HELD IMMEDIATELY PRIOR TO THE APRIL GENERAL MEETING

May All Your Dreams Come True.

Best Wishes from the President, Committee and Members
To all birthday boys and girls – we hope you have a great day.



Don't get weirded out about growing older. Our age is actually the number of years the earth has been enjoying us.



Birthdays and Anniversaries

Let's celebrate the birthdays and anniversaries of our club members!

APRIL

1	Gregory (Greg)	Garde
1	Keith	Johns
1	Joseph	Kelberg
2	Geoffrey	Annal
2	Giuseppe (Joe)	Cianciarulo
4	Daryl Lynch	Lynch
9	Robert (Bob)	Hindle
29	Robert	Marshall



MAY

2	Stephen (Steve)	Petersen
3	George	Santoro
6	John	Bingham
7	Nola	Millar
8	Leonard (Len.)	Millar
8	Mark	Stewart
11	David	Fudge
15	Peter	Blight
17	Norma	McGrillen
19	Theresa	Murphy
24	John	Mansfield
26	Dorothea	Blake
26	Robert (Bob)	Stewart
30	Brian	Grinter



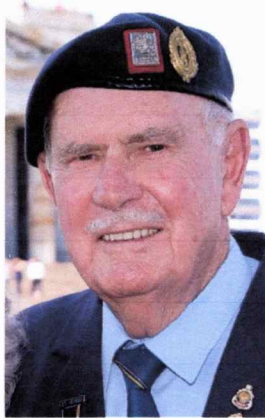
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JUNE

4	Dorothea	Blake
4	Bernard	Clifford
	Albert	
4	(Bert)	Kohte
8	Neville	Betts
9	Kevin	Seymour
9	Ian	Wright
10	Hank	Kreemers
	James	
10	(Jim)	Spence
11	Ian	Ross
12	Gavin	Blake
14	Bernard	McGrillen
	Robert	
15	(Rob.)	Canning
	Sydney	
21	(Syd)	Hawse
21	Jacqueline	Kelberg
	Don	
25	(Bluey)	Thomson

They say you lose your memory as you grow older. I say forget about the past and live life to the fullest today. Start with cake. Happy birthday.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE BUGLE DATE.



We have just enjoyed our busiest month of the year and it was great to be back attending the usual services throughout April. Hopefully we have finished with Covid restrictions.

The Darebin RSL Anzac Service was held on Sunday 17th April at the High Street Cenotaph following the March which was shortened back to commence at the Murray Road intersection. Jeff Brumhead replaced our usual Officer and Ken Coghlan conducted the RSL Service replacing the President Bob Cross. Jeff and I were proud to lay a wreath and place it at our Centenary of the Anzacs Plaque on the north internal side of the Cenotaph. We were invited to attend the RSL to enjoy refreshments including a very nice lunch. Our thanks for the invitation to attend and lay a wreath were extended to the President, Bob Cross. The next function we accepted invitations to a limited number of 4 representative was the Anzac Day Service on Friday 22nd at the Repatriation Hospital Remembrance Garden. It was a special occasion as a number of Greek Army Guards attended including two members dressed in Period Uniform and acted as the Catafalque Party. They presented exceptionally well. It was disappointing that we could have only a very limited number of members attend this special Service.

The Anzac Day March was on a lovely Autumn morning, our forming up point was in Collins Street East and at the earlier time of 9am for 9.30 step off and 10.03 for the March commencement point outside the Arts Centre. We stepped off at least 15 minutes early and there was no band within reasonable distance. We did not have a recognised Sgt Maj to ensure we were kept in line and in step. It was regrettable that 'eyes right' was not implemented at the Salute Dias and Eternal Flame. Our member Joe Hewatt had a fall with a couple of other marchers who all suffered minor injuries. At last touch, Joe is ok.

We are looking to the future as we now have the 25th Anniversary of the Sub-branch celebration and the Annual Brian Barnett Memorial Service at the Repat on Sunday, 9th October. We look forward to you being there.

I wish you every good health and happiness for the future. Best wishes.

E. Noel Blake

MEETINGS and FUNCTION DATES

MONTH	DATE	TIME	DETAILS
MAY	Sun 1 st	10.00 am – 1130 am	General Meeting.
	Tues 24 th	2 pm – 4 pm	Committee Meeting.
JUNE	Sun 5 th	10.00 am – 11.30am	General Meeting.
	Tues 21 st	2 pm – 4 pm	Committee Meeting.
JULY	Sun 3 rd	10.00 am – 11.30am	General Meeting.
	Tue 26 th	2 pm – 4 pm	Committee Meeting
AUG	Sun 7 th	10.00 am – 11.30am	General Meeting.
	Wed 17 th	10 30 am	Vietnam Vets Day Memorial (Repat.).
	Tues 23 rd	2 pm – 4 pm	Committee Meeting.
SEPT	Sun 4 th		Father's Day.
	Fri 2 nd		Breavington Memorial Service. (All Nations Park, Northcote.).
	Sun 11 th	11 am	Bitu Paka Memorial Service (Shrine).
	Sun 11 th	10.00 am – 11.30am	General Meeting.
	Tue 20 th	2 pm – 4 pm	Committee Meeting.

DECLARATION OF CANDIDATES: Returning Officer, Ian Williamson advised that:

Nominations of Candidates for election to the Sub Branch Committee closed at midnight on Friday 11th February 2022. The following nine (9) valid nominations were received:-

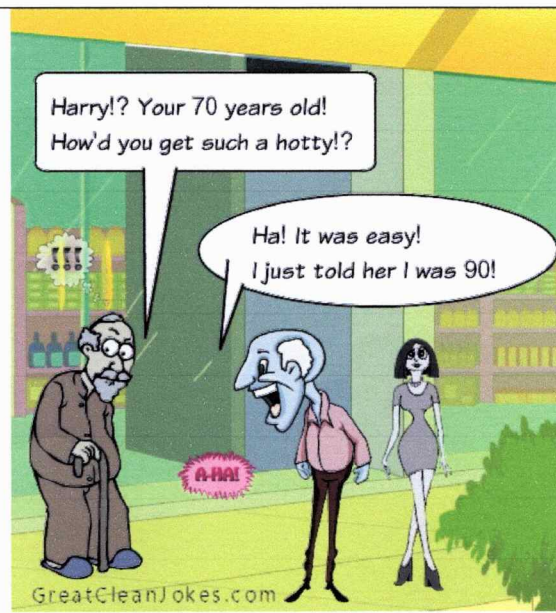
There were no nominations received for the position of Secretary.

In accordance with NSAA Constitution and the Sub Branch By Laws, the position of Secretary may now be filled as a casual vacancy until the next AGM in 2023.

For the four (4) Executive Committee positions of President, Treasurer, Vice President, Assistant Secretary and five (5) Committee positions, there being only one nomination for each of these nine (9) positions, there is no need to conduct a ballot.

I therefore declare the following members elected un-opposed to the Sub-Branch Executive and Committee nine positions for 2022/2023;

For President	E. Noel Blake.	Unopposed.
For Secretary	No Nomination.	
For Vice-President	Peter A. Blight.	Unopposed.
For Treasurer	Nola Millar.	Unopposed.
For Assistant Secretary	Jeffrey N. Brumhead.	Unopposed.
[5] Ordinary Members	Walter E. Blake.	
	Joseph Hewatt.	
	Norma McGrillen.	
	Alan E. Rundell.	
	Ian Williamson.	



REPAT. ANZAC SERVICE

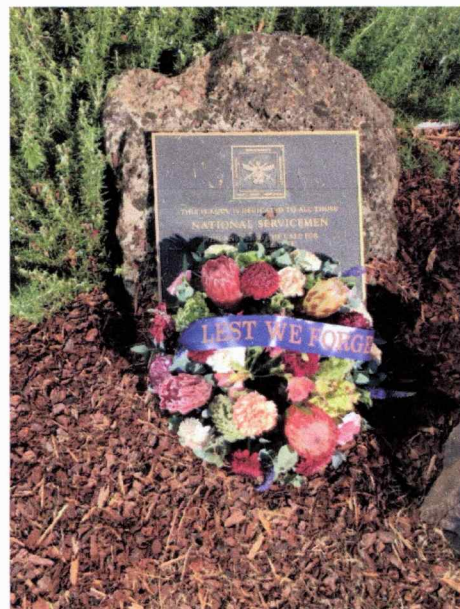
Friday 22nd April 2022.

One hundred and twenty invited people attended the Austin Health Repatriation Hospital Memorial Gardens for the ANZAC Service. Northern Districts Sub Branch was represented by President Noel Blake, Dorothy Blake, Ian Williamson and Jeff Brumhead.

Interest was created by the fact that a Greek Contingent attended identified by their uniform blue suits and their Greek National Dress, two of the latter mentioned Members conducted the Catafalque Party, their drill, bearing and slow march off over a distance of approx. 100 metres was superb.



President Noel Blake lays the wreath on behalf of the Northern Districts Sub Branch.



The Plaque dedicated to all National Servicemen and the wreath.

NATIONAL SERVICEMEN'S ASSOCIATION OF AUSTRALIA

(VICTORIAN BRANCH) INCORPORATION

NORTHERN DISTRICTS SUB-BRANCH

MERCHANDISE

BERETS	9 @ \$27.00 =	\$243.00
TIES	7 @ \$30.00 =	\$210.00
POCKET PATCHES	8 @ \$15.00 =	\$120.00
POCKET PATCH HOLDERS	8 @ \$5.50 =	\$44.00
RAIN PONCHOS	15 @ \$2.50 =	\$37.50
BERET BADGES	8 @ \$15.00 =	\$120.00
LAPEL BADGES	7 @ \$14.00 =	\$98.00
2006 LAPEL BADGE	4 @ \$14.00 =	\$52.00
THE RISING SUN BADGE	1 @ \$10.00 =	\$10.00
ENAMEL TIE BAR	2 @ \$15.00 =	\$30.00
PLAIN TIE BAR	2 @ \$10.00 =	\$20.00
PRINCE OF WALES LIGHT HORSE –		
BERET BADGE	1 @ \$10.00 =	\$10.00
NORTH WEST VICTORIAN –		
REGIMENT BERET BADGE	1 @ \$10.00 =	\$10.00
NATIONAL SERVICEMEN'S –		
HAND HELD FLAGS	2 @ \$5.00 =	\$10.00
PROUD NASHO BUMPER –		
STICKERS	4 @ \$2.50 =	\$10.00
NASHO WINDOW STICKERS	8 @ \$2.50 =	\$20.00
	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>\$1,044.50</u>

The Committee of the Northern Districts Sub Branch
offers 20% off all purchases made before 1st June 2022.

In the late-19th century, a London plumbing impresario named Thomas Crapper manufactured one of the first widely successful lines of flush toilets. Crapper did not invent the toilet, but he did develop the ballcock, an improved tank-filling mechanism still used in toilets today.



OLD FOLKS ARE

WORTH A FORTUNE

OLD FOLKS are worth a fortune - silver in their hair, gold in their teeth, stones in their kidneys, lead in their feet and gas in their stomachs.

I have become a little older since I saw you last, and a few changes have come into my life.

Frankly, I have become a frivolous old girl. I'm seeing five gentlemen every day.

As soon as I wake, Will Power helps me out of bed.

Then I go to my Lou. Next it's time for Uncle Toby to come along, followed by Billy Tee.

They leave, and Arthur Ritis shows up and stays with me the rest of the day. He doesn't like to stay in one place very long, so he takes me from joint to joint.

After such a busy day, I'm really tired and glad to go to bed with Johnny Walker. What a life! Oh yes, I'm also flirting with Al Zymer!

P.S.: The Preacher came to call the other day. He said at my age I should be thinking about the hereafter. I told him: "Oh, I do, all the time. No matter where I am, if I'm in the kitchen or down in the basement, I ask myself: 'Now what am I here after?'"

Every time you lick a stamp, how many calories are you consuming?

Answer

1/10 of a calory



I wandered thru a country town, 'cos I had some
time to spare,
And went into an Antique Shop to see what was
in there.

Old Bikes and Pumps and Kero lamps, but
hidden by it all,
A photo of a soldier boy ... An Anzac on the
Wall.

'The Anzac have a name?' I asked. The old man
answered 'No',
The ones who could have told you mate, have
passed on long ago.
The old man kept on talking and, according to
his tale,
The photo was unwanted junk, bought from a
clearance sale.

'I asked around,' the old man said, 'But no one
knows his face,
He's been on that wall twenty years deserves a
better place.

So Please Mum can you take him in, he's been
like my own brother
Raised in a Queensland orphanage he's never
known a mother.'

But Struth, I miss Australia Mum, and in my
mind each day
I am a mountain cattleman, on the high plains far
away.

I'm mustering white-faced cattle, with no camel's
hump in sight,
and I waltz my Matilda, by a campfire every
night

I wonder who rides Billy ...!! I heard the pub
burnt down!!

I'll always love you ... and please say
"Hooroo, to all in town'."

The second letter I could see, was in a lady's
hand,
An answer to her soldier son, there in a foreign
land.
Her copperplate was perfect, the pages neat and
clean
it bore the date, November 3rd 1917.

'T'was hard enough to lose your Dad, without
you at the war
I'd hoped you would be home by now ... each
day I miss you more'

'Your Kathy calls around a lot, since you have
been away,
To share with me her hopes and dreams, about
your wedding day.
And Bluey has arrived ... and what a godsend he
has been
We talked and laughed for days, about the things
you've done and seen'

'He really is a comfort, and works hard around
the farm,
I read the same hope in his eyes, that you won't
come to harm.
Mc Connell's kids rode Billy, but suddenly that
has changed.
We had a violent lightning storm, and it was
really strange.'
'Last Wednesday, just on midnight, not a single
cloud in sight,
It raged for several minutes, it gave us all a
fright.
It really spooked your Billy ... and he screamed
and bucked and reared,
And then he rushed the sliprail fence, which by a
foot he
cleared'

'They brought him back next afternoon, but
something's changed I fear,
It's like the day you brought him home, for no
one can get near.
Remember when you caught him, with his black
and flowing mane?
Now Horse Breakers fear the beast, that only you
can tame,'
'That's why we need you home son Then
the flow of ink went dry
This letter was unfinished ... and I couldn't work
out why.

Until I started reading, the letter, number three
A yellow telegram delivered news of a tragedy.
Her son killed in action ... Oh! What pain that
must have been,
the same date as her letter ... 3rd November
1917

This letter which was never sent, became then
one of three.
She sealed behind the photo's face ... the face
she longed to see.

And John's home town's children, when he went
to war,
Would say no greater cattleman, had left the
town before.
They knew his widowed mother well, and with
respect did tell,
How when she lost her only boy ... she lost her
mind as well.
She could not face the awful truth, to strangers
she would speak
"My Johnny's at the war you know ... he's
coming home next week."

They all remembered Bluey, he stayed on to the
end.
A young man with wooden leg, became her
closest friend.
And he would go and find her when she
wandered, old and weak,
and always softly say ... 'Yes dear ... John will
be coming home next week.'

Then when she died, Bluey moved on ... to
Queensland some did say.
I tried to find out where he went, but don't know
to this day.
And Kathy never wed, a lonely spinster... some
found odd.
She wouldn't set foot in a church ... she'd turned
her back on God.
John's mother left no Will, I learned, on my
detective trail.
This explains my photo's journey, of that
clearance sale.
So I continued digging, cause, I wanted to know
more.
I found John's name with thousands, in the
records of the war.

His last ride proved his courage... a ride you will
acclaim
The Light Horse Charge at Beersheba of
everlasting fame.
That last day in October back in 1917,
at 4pm our brave boys fell ... that sad fact I did
glean.

That's when John's life was sacrificed, the
record's crystal
clear.

But 4pm in Beersheba is midnight over here
So as John's gallant sprit rose, to cross the great
divide,

Were lightning bolts back home, a signal from
the other side?

Is that why Billy bolted, and went racing as in
pain ...?

Because he'd never feel his master, on his back
again ...!

Was it coincidental ...? Same time ... Same day
... Same date ...!

Some proof of numerology ... or just a quirk of
fate ...?

I think it's more than that you know, as I've heard
wiser men,

Acknowledge there are many things, that go
beyond our ken

Where craggy peaks guard secrets, neath dark
skies torn asunder,
Where hoof beats are companions, to the rolling
waves of thunder

Where lightning cracks like 303's, and ricochets
again,

Where howling moaning gusts of wind, sound
just like dying men

Some Mountain cattlemen have sworn, on lonely
alpine track,

They've glimpsed a huge black stallion
...with Light Horseman on his back.



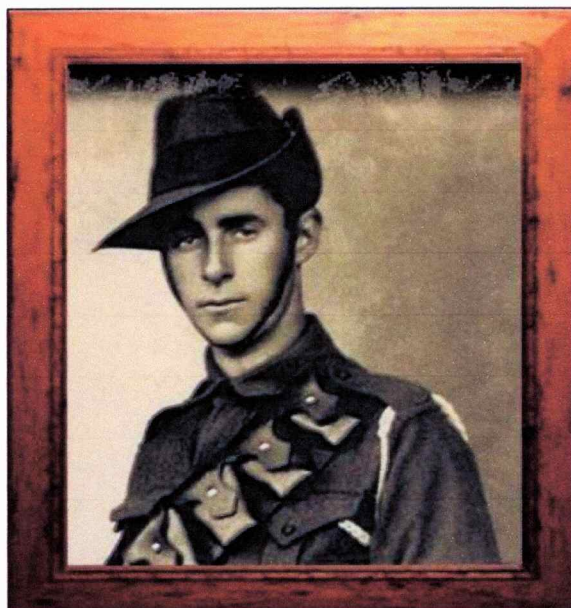
Yes Sceptics say, it's swirling clouds, just
forming apparitions.
Oh No, My friend you can't dismiss all this as,
superstition.

The desert of Beersheba ... or a windswept
Aussie range,
John Stuart rides on forever there ... I don't find
that at all strange.
Now some gaze upon this photo, and they often
question me,
and I tell them a small white lie, and say he's
family.

'You must be proud of him.' they say ... I tell
them, one and all,
That's why he takes ... the pride of place ...

_____ - _____

The Anzac on the Wall.



Lest We Forget

Replacement Memorial Plaque Dedication Service. Puckapunyal

20th March 2022

3/721897 Gunner Brian Arthur Barnett

On a very nice Autumn morning, once getting through security, we were greeted by many Army personnel who directed the visitors to the car park area and assisted at the seating area of the State Memorial Garden. The grounds surrounds were in very well groomed condition. Probably the best that I had seen it. The 5/6 RVR Pipes and Drums Band led the March which had a good number of members marching and were guided down the hill by the RSM School of Artillery, WO1 Gav. Mura. It was a good sight. The Salute was taken by Lt Col Matthew Hodda assisted by Maj Gen Jim Barry OAM RFD.

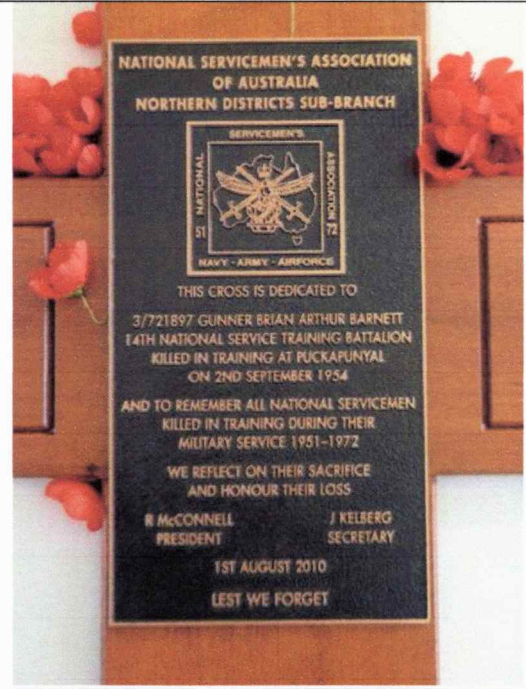
Around 30 of our Sub-branch members attended and we were pleased to welcome 22 members of the Barnett/Stevens family. The Dedication Service was exceptional, led by Chaplain Don Kaus. Noelene Stevens and her cousin unveiled the Plaque which is placed on a rock situated within an excellently constructed stone garden area. It is most impressive and everyone should be very pleased and proud of the outcome. Special thanks to Puckapunyal Base Senior Officers for their great support in contributing to the Service and providing at no cost, the construction of the Memorial Garden and the placement of the rock with the Plaque attached. We supplied the stainless steel Plaque with inscription. Our member Hank Kreemers arranged most of these works and has a great association with the Senior Officers at Pucka. Hank was MC of both Services. Thank you and congratulations Hank. Guest Speaker was a very appropriate Officer, Lt. Col. Matthew Hodda, C.O. School of Artillery Puckapunyal. We have obtained transcripts of both his addresses which were excellent and we will publish them. We have never before been blessed with the number of Army personnel wishing to help those who attended. I was fortunate, in that I was given the opportunity within the Service to thank those organisations and personnel who provided support to our Sub-branch in the long journey to attain the pinnacle in the Gunner Brian Arthur Barnett Story. The family now has comfort in knowing that the Plaque will be cared for forever in the dedicated Memorial Area within this wonderful Army facility called Puckapunyal. This is the third Memorial for Brian as the Sub-branch back in 2009 dedicated a large wooden cross with bronze Plaque that is placed in the Chapel area of the Repat. At this time we were unaware that the Army had, on the 3rd September, 1954 dedicated a plaque in memory of Brian within Pucka. It was lost when redevelopment works were carried out in the 1960's. Now we have the Replacement Plaque.

Following the Service we moved to the Cricket Pavilion to enjoy a very nice BBQ, mixed salads and sweets lunch. This was provided free, courtesy of the Victoria State Branch. Drinks were provided by the Puckapunyal Cricket Club at very reasonable cost. Of course this time was taken up by those attending to relax and enjoy the company of so many members and their family/friends from around Victoria.

All in all, the day was most enjoyable and memorable with thanks to all involved in its arrangement.

E. Noel Blake, President

GUNNER BRIAN BARNETT **MEMORIAL AT HEIDELBERG REPATRIATION HOSPITAL.**



GUNNER BRIAN BARNETT
Captions for pictures – Previous Page.

- Top Left Memorial Cross at the Heidelberg Repatriation Hospital located just before entry into the Chapel
- Top Right The Plaque on the Cross. Note the date of 2nd September 1954 is the date of the accident.
- Centre Left Plaque located on the Rock at the Puckapunyal Memorial Gardens.
As stated, 3rd September 1954 is the date that Gnr. Barnett died.
- Centre Right Shortly after the Monument was unveiled.
- Bottom Left Noeline Stevens, Sister of Brian Barnett
- Bottom Right Early photo of Brian Barnett.
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WELFARE

I have, with your support, volunteered for take on the position of Welfare Officer. I'm sure you will all agree this task needs to be a working part of our Sub-Branch

I recently spoke with Keith Dobson regarding the need to continue on with the good work where he left off. Thank you Keith for your great contribution – you will be a hard act to follow.

I have available to me the current list of members' phone numbers which will enable me to communicate with you.

You will all agree, I'm sure, that confidentiality, is very important in all issues of welfare so be assured it will be my number one priority.

Please report to me any hardships or health concerns you, your family or Nasho mates may be experiencing. Sometimes an absent member may be a sick member in need.

Harry Gehrke
(9465 7397)

PHONE TREE

There have been many changes to the phone tree following requests made on the 2022 / 2023 Membership Renewal Forms. If you are involved in the phone tree please use this as your reference and destroy all previous copies. If anyone would like a copy of the phone tree please let me know and I will send you a copy. Phone 0409 970 981 or 9435 6220. If your name is not on the list and you wish to be included, please let me know.

NSAA QUEENSLAND 70TH ANNIVERSARY OF NATIONAL SERVICE CERTIFICATE 2021

CERTIFICATE SIGNED BY THE QUEENSLAND STATE BRANCH PRESIDENT AND SECRETARY

The following list of Members who are recipients of the Certificate may collect it from our Sub-branch. The list contains past members and those who have passed on.

More information is available by contacting Ian Williamson 0419 363 871

RODNEY ANDREWS	EDWIN HICKS	DONALD THOMSON
GEOFFREY ANNAL	WILLIAM HIGGINS	GREGORY WILLIAMS
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Noel Blake to Phone these 5 Members

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