

**November 2005**

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**CHRISTMAS GREETINGS**

The board wishes all members and their family a happy and safe Christmas and New Year. We look forward to seeing you sometime early in 2006 at the Annual General Meeting at a date to be advised.

**WHAT'S NEW?**

As most members will be aware, Bedroom 8 (the honeymoon suite) has an original bathroom. The board has approved renovations to this room to bring it up to the standard of the others. We are hoping that this renovation will be completed by Christmas for summer guests to enjoy.

**PRE-SEASON FUNCTION**

Unfortunately this year, the pre-season function, to be held at Pymble Golf Club was cancelled due to lack of numbers. The board found this unfortunate, as a great deal of time and effort had been put into the event. These club functions are designed to be enjoyable and relaxing where members can catch up with old friends and meet the new members.

If you have any suggestions for future club functions please email Amanda [newsletter@karralika.com](mailto:newsletter@karralika.com)

## **KARRALIKA CLOTHING**

After the successful release of the Karralika logo clothing a few years ago, we are looking into launching a new range. This will possibly include polo vests, jerseys and collared t-shirts. We will have a range of samples available for viewing at the next AGM and look forward to your feedback.

## **WEBSITE**

Remember to check out Karralika's website at <http://www.karralika.com> to keep up-to-date with news and events.

Ross Corben is currently putting together a database of members' email addresses. Please help by sending your email address and details to: [website@karralika.com](mailto:website@karralika.com)

## **NEWSLETTER VIA EMAIL**

A quick reminder you can now receive your newsletter via email. If you would like your future newsletters to be delivered this way contact Amanda [newsletter@karralika.com](mailto:newsletter@karralika.com)

## **SUMMER AT THE LODGE**

Summer is a beautiful and peaceful time in the Snowy Mountains. Currently Merryn only has a few bookings for the lodge so now is a good time to consider a summer holiday at Karralika.

For information on things to do in summer in the mountains go to [www.snowymountains.com.au](http://www.snowymountains.com.au)

## **SUMMER TARIFFS**

	Week (7 nights)	Long Weekend (2 nights)	Weekend (1 night)
Member	<b>\$125</b>	<b>\$75</b>	<b>\$50</b>
Concession	<b>\$150</b>	<b>\$90</b>	<b>\$60</b>
Non-member	<b>\$250</b>	<b>\$150</b>	<b>\$100</b>
Whole lodge 1 week	<b>\$2,000</b>		
Whole lodge for 1 weekend (1 night)	<b>\$750</b>		

Please note that summer tariffs do not include a linen service or use of the pantry (the pantry is likely to be out of stock of most items and members should bring their own supplies of food).

### ***BOOKINGS***

As in the past, booking for summer will only be accepted through the club's postal address, P O Box 57, Killara 2071. A cheque for the full tariff payable must accompany all bookings to ensure quick and easy processing. The dates that members and non-members wish to secure can only be done in this way. The booking secretary cannot confirm bookings until the full tariff has been received.

To assist the booking secretary in allocating your booking times, alternate dates, where possible, should be included on your booking form. This process provides accommodation for as many members as possible during the ski season.

Should you have any queries regarding bookings, Merryn Pearse, the booking secretary, can be contacted on 9909 2735 or by email: [pearses1@optus.net.au](mailto:pearses1@optus.net.au)

### ***BOOKING PRIORITIES***

Booking priorities are unchanged and are in this order.

- Member
- Member and up to three guests (whether family or otherwise)
- Member's family
- Other guests

There are only sixteen places available for each week.

### ***BOOKING CANCELLATIONS***

If winter bookings are cancelled 21 days or more in advance of your first day of stay, a cancellation fee of \$100 (per person) will be deducted from the tariff to be refunded.

### ***SUGGESTION BOX***

The board looks forward to your suggestions concerning any improvements to the lodge or the running of the lodge. These can be forwarded via email or post.

### ***LODGE TELEPHONE***

All phone calls are timed automatically and will tell the caller the cost of each call once you hang up. Please complete the phone log book when using the phone and on completion of your stay ensure telephone monies due are either given to the Lodge captain (winter) or remitted promptly to the Treasurer (via the Club's postal address: P O Box 57, Killara 2071).

### ***LODGE EQUIPMENT FAILURE AND BREAKAGES***

Must be reported to the lodge captain immediately they occur. Please do not attempt to repair lodge equipment yourself. The Lodge Captain should contact Roger Russell (maintenance director) who will determine what action to take.