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Social & Welfare Clubs

Blacktown & District TPI Social & Welfare Club

President:	Malcolm Botfield	9872 2594	malbotfield@hotmail.com
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Committee:	Ted Cooper	4739 3074	ked46@bigpond.com.au
Committee:	Ken Ward	0427 278 495	Kennethbettyward@bigpond.com

The Club meets on the first Thursday of each month at 1.00pm at Blacktown RSL Club, 2nd Avenue, Blacktown. New members are welcome.

Hornsby & District TPI Social & Welfare Club

President:	Ray Davis	9456 4220 / 0409 123 525
Hon. Secretary:	Rod White AM RFD .	0419 477 179
Hon. Treasurer:	Dave Coleman	9499 9976
Welfare Officer:	Ray Davis	9456 4220 / 0409 123 525
Hon. Welfare Officer:	Roslyn Hutchinson	9489 3204

The Club meets the first Tuesday of each month (except November and January) at 1.00pm at the Hornsby Memorial Hall, 2 High Street, Hornsby.

Illawarra TPI Social & Welfare Club

President:	John Kiley	4228 4068
Vice-President:	Bruce Writer	4285 0829
Secretary:	Geoff Hicks	4423 2979
Treasurer:	Robin Kiley	4228 4068
Committee:	Ian Pascoe	
Welfare Officer:	Dinos Potonides	4296 5538

The Club meets on the third Monday of each month at 11.00 am at Wollongong City Diggers, Cnr Church and Burelli Streets, Wollongong.

Social & Welfare Clubs

Nowra & District TPI Social & Welfare Club

President:	Jack Doulis	0402 584 041
Senior Vice-President:	Ernie Payne	0410 415 668
Jnr Vice-President:	Howard Van Dervord	4443 2840/0419 238 024
Secretary:	Leanne Wehmeier	4443 4038
Treasurer:	Mick Carden	0402 444 315
Welfare Officer: (North)	Ernie Payne	0410 415 668
Welfare Officer: (South)	Jack Doulis	0402 584 041
	Howard Van Dervord	4443 2840/0419 238 024
Publicity Officer:	Simon Carr	4443 4038
Social Secretary:	Di Falconer	0422 298 211

The Club meets on the third Tuesday of each month at 11.00am at Nowra Veterans Wellbeing Centre, 1/19 Nowra Lane, Nowra.

South Western Sydney TPI Social & Welfare Club

President:	Keith Gorsuch JP	9825 2298
Vice-President:	Norman Crane	9825 2321
Secretary:	Maria Scragg	0417 442 830
Treasurer:	Alan Graham	0435 084 246
Social Secretary:	Terry Westerway	0422 581 946
Welfare Officer:	Rodney Hoult	4647 8010 / 0419 168 074

The Club meets on the second Tuesday of each month, except January, at different locations. Please contact one of the above for details of location.

Would office bearers kindly check details recorded for their club and advise Sara Thorne of any changes or corrections at the TPI office on (02) 9235 1466 Monday - Wednesday, 9am - 4pm or via email on office@tpinsw.org.au



Blacktown & Districts TPI Social & Welfare Club's February BBQ with the colour theme red.

Invitation: Totally and Permanently Incapacitated (TPIs) & Special Rate (SR) Veterans

The Blacktown & District TPI Social & Welfare Club's members invite TPIs/Special Rate (SR) to come and experience our club.

The club meets at 1:00 pm on the first Thursday of each month at Club Blacktown (formally the RSL club).

This invitation stands for our general meetings.

Prior to the monthly general meetings, members and wives/carers meet in the Villaggio restaurant to socialise (about 11:45am). Meetings are held in a room set aside on the day. Post-meeting members are treated to cold or hot drinks and more socialising in the Villaggio restaurant.

If attending a meeting contact Ian Brady

ibrady@bigpond.net.au to arrange a member to meet & greet you or just walk in.

The club is the most active TPI Social & Welfare Club in the state, with a different activity each month which could be a meet at a point of interest/ event or a day coach trip.

- Social events are subsidised.
- Longer 3-day country tours are also conducted once per year.
- The purpose of this invitation is to encourage TPIs to join our club and participate and socialize.
- You are encouraged to join the TPI Association of NSW to give it strength in numbers when dealing with government.

Social & Welfare Club Reports



Blacktown & Districts TPI Social & Welfare Club March lunch at the Fiddler at Rouse Hill

Blacktown & Districts TPI Social & Welfare Club

Obviously people are pleased to be making contact again after so much Covid time being locked away at home.

Our annual Barbeque at Plough and Harrow Park started the year off with so many people joining us. We had 50 people for this event and everyone wearing RED. Our lunch was barbeque chicken, salads and fruit, but the morning tea of scones, cakes and biscuits, all home-made, got everyone's attention. The urn boiled away all day so there was as much tea and coffee as anyone could drink. It is a great way for our group to catch up after being separated over the Christmas break, and it is always relaxing to sit around and just chat.

Our March outing to The Fiddler at Rouse Hill was a very damp affair. We had booked the

verandah, but it rained so heavily that day the staff moved us into one of their rooms and we were stepping over buckets trying to keep the floor dry. We were determined not to cancel our outing and it was amongst those days of extremely heavy rain, but by the time we were leaving the sun came out so it ended well. The Fiddler has a two for one meal deal for seniors during the week and our 52 members were really full by the time we had finished our lunch. Everyone was really impressed with their meal and said we should go there again which is a good advertisement.

April is always a quiet month for us with school holidays, Easter and Anzac Day so our next outing is a boat trip around Sans Souci area in May.

Any TPI and partner is welcome to join us, we always have a lot of fun and make the most of every monthly outing. We meet on the first Thursday of

the month at Club Blacktown (RSL) at 1pm followed by coffee or drinks so it is a good way to spend your afternoon. New members are always welcome.

As a final note we remember two of our members who have recently passed away, Colin Doust and Doug Brian. Colin had been a Board member with the TPI Association, The Train at St Marys and our information person at Blacktown TPI; we could always ask him any question and he knew the answers.

Doug Brian was an ex-president at Blacktown TPI and had been a member of our group for many years. Both of these members will be sadly missed and our sincere thoughts are with Pam Doust and family and Barbara Brian and family at this very sad time.

Lance and Lynne Northey

Phone: 0411 221 921

Nowra & District Totally & Permanently Incapacitated (TPI) Social & Welfare Club

Are you a Military TPI looking for social interaction? Come and join us.

We are seeking new members. We hold our meetings at the Nowra Veterans Wellbeing Centre, 1/19 Nowra Lane, Nowra, on the third Tuesday of each month at 11am as well as having social outings and lunches.

For more information contact the

Leanne Wehmeier

Secretary

Mobile: 0419 464 313.

Blacktown and Districts TPI Social and Welfare Club

Registration No: C.C.2781

ABN: 26159 824 822

The Club meets Monthly on the first Thursday of each month (except January) at Blacktown RSL Club 40 Second Ave Blacktown at 1:00pm.

Our Club membership is open to all TPI Veterans (including Veterans under the MRC receiving the Special Rate of Disability Pension), and welcomes their Carers/Wives/Partners and Friends.

To join the Club a Veteran must be a subscribing member of the TPI Association of NSW Ltd.

In addition to Monthly Meetings the Club arranges subsidised functions generally each month. These could be a Coach Trip, Luncheon, BBQ, or a meet up at a point of interest.

The Club's Welfare Officers also keep in contact through Hospital and Home visits to those who cannot make the Meetings or Functions.

A Newsletter is also distributed quarterly to all members, either by email or "snail mail"

For further Information, please contact

John Davison

Committeeman

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Blacktown & Districts TPI Social & Welfare Club March lunch at the Fiddler at Rouse Hill

Illawarra TPI Social and Welfare Club

ABN 26 063 065 721

Patron

Major-General B.W. Howard (Retired)
AO, MC

President

J. Kiley

The club meets on the 3rd Monday of the month at the Diggers Club, Church Street, Wollongong at 11:00am, unless otherwise notified. No meeting is held in January.

If you are a TPI in the Illawarra and a financial member of state branch you are welcome to come and join us.

We hold a Xmas in July and December at different locations.

If you need further information you can contact me.

John Kiley

President

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