

RSL CQ DISTRICT NEWSLETTER JUNE 2024

The district has organised new stationery & upgrading existing policies & procedures.

The Allied Health Program has been recently amended and the District Secretary can provide a copy of the procedures and application form or it can be found on the district website.

The district office rebranding will continue & I will continue to upgrade our web site.

Other Matters

Barry Vains (Associate Director) has been working on RSL National Awards, Building Facilities Assistance Program and Good Governance Guide.

The Building Facilities Assistance Program was included in the budget in February and has now been implemented. \$50,00.00 has been set aside in the budget and will be reviewed annually.

Five Sub Branches are eligible for funding to assist them with outgoing expenses.

Finch Hatton, Gemfields, Gracemere, Emu Park & Mackay.

District Council meetings for 2024

20/07/24 – RSL Emu Park Sub Branch

21/09/24 – RSL Mackay Sub Branch

23/11/24 – RSL Clermont Sub Branch

District Executive meetings for 2024

29/06/24, 31/08/24, 26/10/24

District Council Meeting held in Mackay

On the 18th May at our District Council Meeting, Leigh Buckingham (Registrar) presented an overview of By-Law 7 – Discipline & Disputes.

Mr Bill Kernoczy presented an overview of the Charitable Objectives Fund.

Mrs Jess Tonzing updated the members of the information available on SKIP.

On Going Matters

District Website/Facebook Website address is www.rslcqdistrict.com.au .

Sub-branches are encouraged to keep providing details of events, photographs, to President, Phil Luzzi, or District Secretary, Lynette Phillips, for placing on the district website and Facebook page.

Dental and Allied Health Support Program

Dental = \$ 3259.20

Hearing = \$1250.00

Optical = \$697.00

TOTAL = \$5,206.20

Emergency Welfare Spending = 2

TOTAL SPENDING YTD = \$3549.99

Sub-Branch Support Program

Funding is available for 2024 through this program for those Sub-Branches in financial need.

Please refer to program policy and guidelines. A formal application is required.

TOTAL YTD = \$ Nil

LiveLife Alarms Program

The forms are available on the district web site.

There has been a significant increase in the annual fee for the alarms.

The annual cost is now \$75.00 per annum paid by the consumer unless other arrangements have been made by your sub branch for reimbursement.

Recharges = Nil

New = Nil

Upgrade = \$457.00

Total expenditure = \$457.00

District Charitable Objects Fund

The fund will continue in 2024 with a further \$100,000 of funds being allocated by RSL Queensland to the District. Please note that applications are limited to a maximum amount of \$10,000.00

All applications need to be on the application form and be in accordance with the guidelines.

Sub Branch financials ***MUST BE PROVIDED*** as well as ***QUOTES*** for the functions, trips away and any other event, before any application can be considered.

Sub-Branches need to ensure they familiarize themselves with this documentation before an application is made. Sub-Branches are encouraged to come up with worthy projects and apply for funding.

NOTE: COF applications will NOT be paid retrospectively. Quotes have to be provided on the application otherwise the sub branch will have to meet the out-of-pocket expenses.

Phillip Luzzi

District President

The Last Post

Membership ID	First Name	Last Name	Owner	Last Financial	Deceased Date
1564853	Maurice	Tapp	Emu Park Sub Branch Inc.	SMLIFE	25/12/2023
1019300	Daniel	McLuskey	Mackay Sub Branch Inc.	SMLIFE	22/05/2024