

Gold Coast Stock Sport Club

- HOME OF THE AUSTRIAN AUSTRALIAN CLUB -

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By Sylvia Amerstorfer, Secretary

Hi dear members and guests!



That's an "in between newsletter" as we had the **President's Cup**, our **AGM** and the **Derby Day Luncheon** since I last talked to you. Way too much to fit in one newsletter.

Today you will see photos of our boys in action at the President's Cup and I will introduce our new/old committee to you with one great addition, Colleen our new Assistant Secretary.

For all the glamorous photos from our Derby Day Luncheon you will have to wait another couple of weeks just before our Christmas Party Luncheon.

Yes, I can't believe it either ... Christmas is just around the corner and our next luncheon will be our **Christmas Party**.

BOOKINGS ARE still ESSENTIAL for our **Christmas Party**

and on our club phone number **07 5534 7099** only!

Please leave your **name** and **phone number**, **how many people you are booking for** and what **meal** you would like.

We will contact you and confirm your booking.

See you then!



FREE ENTRY
3 PINES LANE, ELANORA

MERRY
CHRISTMAS!
Christmas Party
Sun 6th Dec

With **FRITZ**
@ the **Clubhouse**
Starts
12 noon

Bar opens @ 11am
Meals from 12pm

Christmas
Cake and
Biscuit stall
at this
function

BOOKINGS ARE ESSENTIAL
Ph 5534 7099 leave your name and number
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MEAL PRICES Members \$21 Guests \$23
Includes meal coffee or tea and cake

Members	\$ 14
Guests	\$ 16



That's what we will serve for lunch
at our
Christmas Party Luncheon
on the **06/12/2020**



**Bar opens at 11am!
Meals from 12 noon**



(You will have
or gluten free

1. As always our fantastic Schnitzel
(Pork or Chicken available) **with Salads**
or

2. Roast Turkey with Cranberry Sauce and Vegetables
or

**3. There is also the choice of a
vegetarian meal or
gluten free meal**

to order the vegetarian meal
meal with your booking.)



Afterwards have Coffee or Tea
and our homemade delicious
Cakes and Tortes
(coffee/tea \$3.00 – cake/torte \$4.00)



List of contents for this Newsletter:

- A look back at our **President's Cup** on the **24/10/2020**
- **Our new committee (AGM on the 01st of November 2020)**
- Photos of our **Derby Day Luncheon** on the **01/11/2020** will be in the next newsletter

Enjoy!

The President's Cup 2020

... and the winners are:



Team Captain
Paul
Nagelschmidt

President
Roberta Raup

Leo - Werner - Hans
Team IV



The golden boys:
Leo Viehboeck
Werner Hoedl
Hans Herbst



24/10/2020



Congratulations

photos taken by Colleen Logie



**Werner - Karl
team III
runner-up!**



24th October 2020



Congratulations

and a big thank you to
all our players for a
great President's Cup
event!



**Manfred - Kurt - Stefan
team I
third**



**Why don't you come down to
the club and join us for a
game of Stock Sport?**

Stock Sport playing times:

Tuesday: 1 pm - 5 pm

Saturday: 8.30 am-12 pm (finish times approx. only)

Stock hire fee \$3.00

photos taken by Colleen Logie



Manfred



Team II



Dominic



Ingrid taking a break from the kitchen to support her hubby Werner!

Thank you Ingrid for cooking for the boys and their visitors on the day. You are a wizard in the kitchen, and thank you Barbara for making sure that the boys are looked after at their practice sessions! I know they all love you!



Team Captain Paul

Thank you Paul for leading, supporting, inspiring and representing our players!



Barbara



Ingrid

**... and
Thank
so
you
much**

**to all the
other
volunteers!**



Without all the helping hands, it wouldn't have been as successful as it was.

24/10/2020

photos taken by Colleen Logie

The new/old Committee 2020

elected at our AGM held on Sunday, 01st November 2020 ...

... with one lovely addition:



MEMBERS OF OUR EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE ARE:

President - Roberta Raup
Vice President 1 - Hans Herbst
Vice President 2 - Jenny Horsburgh
Secretary - Sylvia Amerstorfer
Assistant Secretary - Colleen Logie
Treasurer - Barbara Beham
Assistant Treasurer - Sibylle Herbst
Stock Sport Team Captain - Paul Nagelschmidt

COMMITTEE MEMBERS:

**Karl and Dagmar Karner, Hans Amerstorfer, Jim Parigros,
Leo Viehboeck, Manfred Schlueter**

I am pleased to announce that after almost six years as secretary of the club, at last I now have an assistant secretary by my side!

Welcome Colleen - thank you for joining our Executive Committee and volunteering your time and skills. It will be great to work with you!

Read more about Colleen further on!



The GOLD COAST STOCK SPORT CLUB couldn't have achieved what it has over the past years without the input, dedication and effort of all of you. Thank you and keep up the great work.

That's what our President Roberta had to say in her President's report at our AGM on the 1st Nov 2020

Ladies and Gentlemen, Members,

Welcome to the 35th AGM of the Gold Coast Stock Sport Club Inc, home of the Austrian Australian Club.

Thank you all for attending our AGM. A little later than we had planned.

Well, what can I say, 2020 will be a year to remembered. Up until March of this year, we were going great guns. Functions were well attended and we made a huge profit in the last financial year. Over \$20,000 profit. Life was great. I was so organised that I even had all menus planned for the whole year.

Then COVID!!!!!!!!!!

That 5 letter word that made the earth stand still. Our doors were shut instantly, with no more functions or dancing or singing. Life as we knew it was no longer. No meeting and greeting or hugs and kisses. We now have the elbow bumps or toe taps and sanitiser, sanitiser, sanitiser and more sanitiser. The amount of alcohol absorbed by our hands is such a waste. I know how I would take my alcohol and it has nothing to do with these. (holding up hands)

But while we were in lockdown, we managed to get a few things done that needed to be done. We had some damage to the floors from a leak in the roof. We had the parquetry floor redone via insurance and we fixed the roof. It was a perfect time to do this, as we were not using the club at all, so it worked in well. We now have a great club with new chairs and a shining new floor and we also have 2 brand new fridges (outside) to replace our older ones. How cool is that.

We also have in the pipeline, a grant application for 2 new dish and glass washers and a new sign on the front of the building. I must take this opportunity to thank our secretary (Sylvia Amerstorfer) for her hard work in preparing and applying for the grant funding and for all her other secretarial work that she does, thank you Sylvia.

Our lovely Barbara Beham, who is always here looking after the boys and making sure all our moneys get put into the bank. Shopping, for all the bits and pieces to keep us going, and everything else that you do. Thank you Barbara.

Our bar manager & president of vice, Hans Herbst and his bar assistants, Nick Brücker, Karl Karner (my offsider in the kitchen) & Steve Read. Thank you for making sure we all have a drink or two.

Our receptionist, Sibylle Herbst and Barbara Beham, who gladly take your cash and make sure you are greeted with a warm welcome. Thank you



All our hard working volunteers in the Kitchen, far too many names to mention but all worth their weight in gold as their help is invaluable. If we had to pay people to work in the kitchen, I don't even want to think about that. Thank you all, you know who you all are.

Dagmar Karner for making sure our raffles are top notch and all her helpers who sell the tickets too. Thank you

Hans Amerstorfer for keeping the computer going for our membership cards and the eftpos machine runner. Thank you.

My other vice president, Jenny Horsburgh for the member cards and for all her other work she does in making sure I look good, Thank you

Our team Captain Paul Nagelschmidt for organising the players. Thank you

For all our hard working volunteers please put your hands together. They are a great bunch for without them the club would not function.

Gemütlichkeit. A word that is hard to translate but we have it in spades here. People come here to enjoy themselves and relish in our Gemütlichkeit with our FAMILY. Others envy us and what we have, even COVID could not stop us. WE ARE STILL HERE, slightly different for now, but here, and we will continue to grow no matter how hard they try and stop us. We will persevere.

Looking forward to the next few months and hope the start of 2021 will be a good one.

Thank you all.

And now more info about our new committee member Colleen:

Colleen was born and raised on the Gold Coast. In fact, her first few years were spent just up the road in Palm Beach Avenue! Although she has no heritage in Austria, Colleen has always felt a great desire to visit the country, and has spent several White Christmases there as an adult. She joined the choir back in 2015 in order to help practise German language, as she was studying at university at the time. While her language skills haven't improved much, she loves being part of the club, and has always tried to help out with Sunday lunches when she was around. (as she has never worked in hospitality, she feels like she spends more time in the way than she does being helpful, but the friendly folk in the kitchen make her feel

welcome anyway!)

Although she was away travelling for a couple of years, she is happy to have made her way back to the Gold Coast and her favourite family: our wonderful club! Since returning last year, she has no intentions of leaving again. When she realised there was a vacant position on the Committee as Assistant Secretary, she was happy to put her hand up! She looks forward to spending many years to come enjoying all the club has to offer.



Before I say goodbye, mark Saturday, the
19th December 2020 in your calendar for our

Christmas Carols **(Carols by COVID-LIGHT)**

with **FRITZ**

See you on Sunday the 6th of December,
Dressed in **Christmas colours** if possible!

Your *Sylvia Amerstorfer*

Secretary of the Gold Coast Stock Sport Club Inc.
- Home of the Austrian Australian Club Inc.



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www.stocksportclubgoldcoast.com or www.austrianclubgoldcoast.com

visit us on Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/Gold-Coast-Stock-Sport-Club-295777913894754/>

or just google Gold Coast Stock Sport Club facebook

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Our Stock Sport Playing times are:

Tuesday 1pm to 5pm - Saturday 8.30am to 12pm –

If you want to give it a try, just visit us on any of these days!

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