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Hi dear members and guests! How are you?

I hope you have survived the Easter Feast without too much weight gain.

Today I would like to thank lots of people

First and most of all our **volunteers!** Volunteers are the heart and soul of our club and make a huge contribution to the success of our club. Thank you for your hard work!! Then I want to give a big Thank you to our **Committee members**, who have spent much time and effort to make the club what it is – an active, vibrant place – which people love to come to. Thank you to **all** the lovely people who tell their family, friends, neighbours and maybe even strangers about our wonderful club. Your contribution is sooo important. We need people to come to our luncheons, participate at our choir and folkdance group, and we need more Stock Sport players. Without all of you we would not exist. Be proud



But now let's talk about our upcoming AGM Meeting on Sunday the 03rd April 2016, at 10.00am sharp at our Clubhouse.

We really need you to attend and show your interest in our/your club!!!

And we need to get a quorum – a minimum number of members attending. All standing members will be re-elected, and because all positions are filled we will not take nominations from the floor on the day.

We had a fantastic team last year so it's great to have them all back with an addition of 2 new committee members.

Welcome Dianne and Peter Lehninger.

I had a chat with Dianne at the last Luncheon and she is already bursting with ideas!



A.G.M.
Sunday 3rd April
10am Sharp
@ the CLUBHOUSE
3 Pines Lane, ELANORA
SUNDAY LUNCHEON
With the
A2Z Band
Starts 12pm
Take a break and come on down to the Clubhouse and enjoy some great music, exceptional food, some wonderful drinks Not to mention our great selections of delicious cakes and tortes for all to enjoy.
FREE ENTRY

Music



I have introduced our dear Nev, the one half of the much loved Schneider Musikanten (Dorry's story will follow later) to you in my former Newsletter.



Now some interesting information about the fabulous

A2Z Duo

which will entertain us this Sunday with their great music.

Zoltan and Allan have been playing together for the last 5 years, mostly in the Gold Coast and Brisbane area.

That's what Zoltan wrote:

 ***Good day, my name is Zoltan and I would like to introduce you to my Music.....*** 

My name is Zoltan Hegedus and I have had the pleasure of playing music professionally for the past 20 years. I am a keyboard player and vocalist.

Born in Germany, from the age of twelve I started to play the piano accordion, guitar and double bass. I enjoyed playing the keyboard so much that I commenced with professional piano lessons and focused solely on playing the keyboard.

I have played in numerous bands at RSL's, Leagues Clubs and Bowling Clubs which in turn gave me incredible experience and enhanced my talents in music. "The Huns" were established in 2002 consisting of myself and four other member's. As with many bands people would come and go and we had welcomed many talented musicians to perform with us over the years and we still do to this very day, continually enhancing the entertainment we provide.

Our gigs are quite varied. They consist of ethnic clubs, private parties, Octoberfest celebrations, Weddings, company events, nursing homes, schools, so whatever mood you desire we are able to provide from mellow easy listening to vibrant, full of life parties.

Thank you Zoltan! - I will ask Allan for his biography on Sunday!



And now to a totally different topic: **GIRLS THAT IS IMPORTANT!!!!**

At one of our Luncheons I had a chat with Judy, one of our new German guests. While we were chatting away Judy looked somewhat distracted at my Dirndl. I realized it and thought something might be wrong. Maybe I had spilled some sauce on my apron..... but when I asked Judy she laughed and asked me if I didn't know the meaning of the way you knot the bow of your Dirndl's apron. I got really curious and when I came home I googled it: **that's what I learned!**



THE BOW

The side on which the Dirndl apron is tied indicates the marital status of women.

It is always good to pass on a tradition but this one could easily lead to some misunderstandings, unwanted flirtation attempts or „I just can't believe my eyes" moments. Because, what only a few know is that women indicate their marital status with a little help of the Dirndl apron bow.



Dirndl apron bow on the left side

Women who tie their apron on their left side, are **single and ready to mingle**. Flirting is allowed, if not even desirable. However, the bow on the left side is not an open invitation or excuse for an immediate physical contact.

Dirndl apron bow on the right side

Women, who wear the dirndl bow on their right, signalize that their status is - **taken!** Because the wearer has found her happiness in love already, this means: **Look but don't touch!**

Dirndl apron bow in the middle

Tying the bow of sexy dirndl dresses this way can attract a lot of incredulous looks, especially when the wearers themselves don't know its meaning. Different from what you might think (left-free, right-taken, middle-unsure?), these women are definitely not uncertain about their marital status. The Dirndl bow in the middle signals: **I am a virgin.**

Dirndl apron bow in the back



A Dirndl apron bow tied in the back can have two meanings - either the woman is a **widow** or a **waitress**. But that should be easy to decipher. Simply base your conclusion on the presence or absence of beer mugs in the woman's hands.



Of course I had to look at photos from previous luncheons
and found

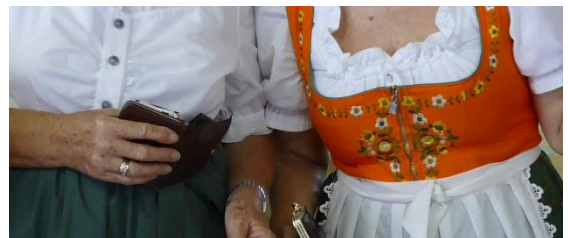


Lots of widows
or waitress?



.....definitely taken

one single



.....and some virgins (are you sure girls?)

Next time when you wear your Dirndl, make sure to tie the bow of your
apron on the correct side.

**Especially as the boys know the meaning
now!!!!**

Dirndl and Lederhosen



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Prost!!!



This weekend our Stockport team is traveling to Canberra to take part in the **Canberra Cup competition.**

There will be teams from Melbourne and Sydney to compete as well.

The Canberra cup is an annual national tournament, showcasing some of Australia's best stock sport players.

We wish our players good luck and good weather and hope they are all in top form. And a safe trip home.



Good Luck!



Elfie Pflieger promised to take photos from the event.
Thank you Elfie!!!!



I hope we will have great shots from a very successful team!!



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Before I say goodbye mark the
17th of April in your calendar:
Dance and sing along with
Rudi Goldbach.

Bar opens at 11am - meals from 12pm!
Bring your family and tell your friends!!!!

That's it for now!
See you this Sunday
at our AGM or/and our Luncheon
your

Sylvia Amerstorfer

Secretary of the Gold Coast Stocksport Club Inc.
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BOOKINGS ARE ESSENTIAL
Ph 5534 7099 or 0414 774 436

Sunday 17th

Raffles
available

April

FREE ENTRY

LUNCHEON

With

RUDI GOLDBACH

At the Clubhouse

3 Pines Lane, Eleanora

Club opens at 11am Bar opens at 12pm

*Bring your friends and
family and have a great
day out at the
Clubhouse*

Meals

\$13 Members

\$15 Guests

Coffee (\$2.50) & Cakes (\$3.50) available after meals



I would love to hear from you ...

Either you are a long-time member, a new member or a visitor – please let me know what you think of this newsletter, what you would like to read about, any suggestions you have and your general impression. I really welcome your feedback ...

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