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THE THIRROUL SKI CLUB LIMITED MARANATHA LODGE PERISHER VALLEY KOSCIUSZKO NATIONAL PARK

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Dear Members,

Two newsletters in the same month, is this a record?

Yesterday the AGM of our favourite Ski Club was held at the Russell Vale Golf Club. There was a good roll-up with over 60 members in attendance. Those in attendance enjoyed a very good lunch as well as delightful company.

As you know we have had an election for 6 committee positions and the position of Publicity Officer. The Returning Officer (who is not a member of our Club but a member of another Ski Club) complied with all the regulations and delivered the result to your President so that it could be presented to the AGM.

The results of the election as announced at the AGM are:

President	Bruce Norton (unopposed)
Vice President	Gai Curtis (unopposed
Secretary	Rasma Kreilis (unopposed)
Assistant Secretary/ Assistant Treasurer	Evelyn Jelercic (unopposed)
Treasurer	Rupert Blatch (unopposed)
Publicity Officer	Kevin Donegan
Committee member	Mavis Williams
Committee member	Kevin Masters
Committee member	Heath Barnes
Committee member	Mark Phillips
Webmaster (non committee TBC)	Nicola Curtis
Committee member	Owen Kreilis
Committee member	Amie Archer (nee Marshall)

Congratulations to the successful candidates and I look forward to working with you to make our club run smoothly, effectively and efficiently. We want it to be the best Ski Club in Perisher Valley; NO, make that the best Ski Club in Australia.

We offer a warm welcome to Rupert and look forward to working with him.

I look forward to the privilege of writing (or at least editing) newsletters for you for at least one more year.

The committee would like to thank the 172 members who took the time to vote, and for showing their support.

Enjoy your skiing

And your summer activities

Kevin Donegan

Publicity Officer

News From The Committee

We have received a new source of sponsorhip for our senior and junior races this year. SLOPES (in case you have forgotten it is Ski Lodge Operators of Perisher and Smiggins) the association which looks after our interests when we deal with NPWS, Perisher Blue and government departments. Call it a trade union or call it a professional society depending on your background, but remember it enables the lodges, both club and commercial, to have a united voice when it comes to dealing with Big Brother.

This year they have provided us with \$600 for each of our senior and junior races. That's right; \$1200 in total.

There are only two stipulations. The first is that as we tell them how we spend it. No problems there; Perisher charge us more than \$600 for a racecourse. The second is that we publicise it in our newsletter. That is what I am doing now.

Other sponsors that we should mention and support are Rhythm Snowsports in Cooma and Steve's Snowsports in Wollongong. Both provide gift vouchers (seriously discounted) as prizes in our races.

I hope you agree that, even if you do not participate in club races, we should all support our sponsors.	

Bathroom progress

Our preferred builder, Roger Toole has commenced work on renovating our bathrooms on level 2 and 3. The work WILL be completed well before the winter season and we can all look forward to showering in a much better facility.

Take a look at the photos and I hope they do not frighten you too much. The end result will be worth it. Plumbing problems will (hopefully) be a thing of the past.

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VIP Night at Steve's Snow Store

Keep the evening of 31 May free. Steve's Snow Store in Wollongong is hosting another VIP Night for our members and offering special discounts. Further details will follow soon.