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Dear Members,

In this newsletter we bring you a report on the club senior championship races. I am still waiting for reports on other races and they will appear in the next newsletter.

In the last newsletter we gave notice of the date for our 50th birthday celebrations, 27 Oct. There is another attachment with this one giving all the details.

Please RSVP no later than Friday 4th October

by registering on TryBooking :

www.trybooking.com/BEDHZ

for catering etc

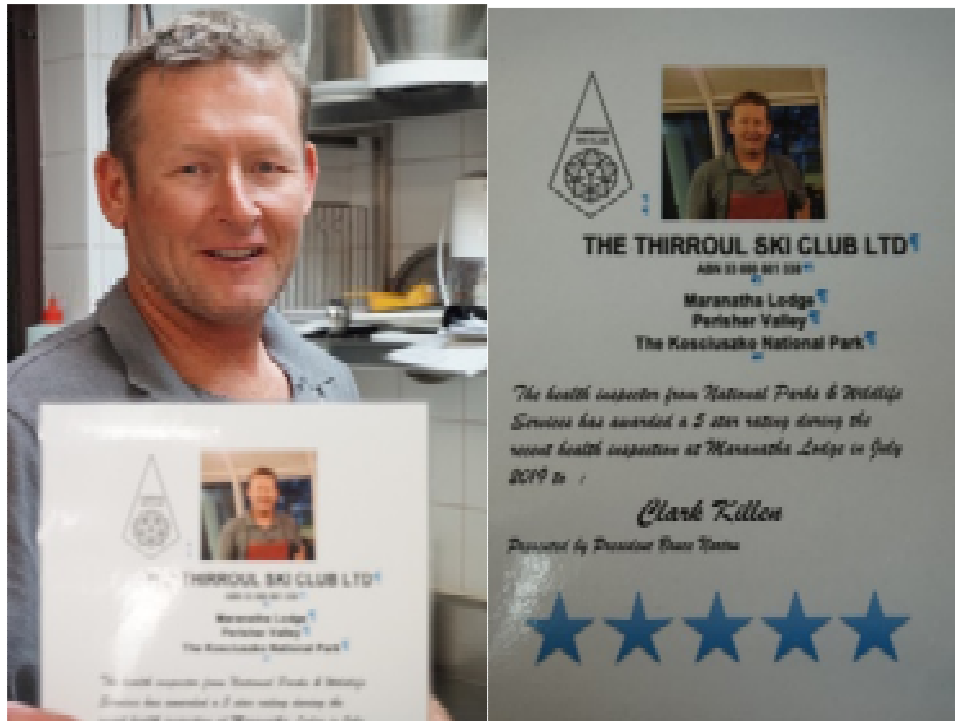
Enjoy your skiing

Kevin Donegan

Publicity Officer

News from the committee

During the cross country week Clark Killen was awarded a 5 star rating certificate by Bruce Norton after the NPWS Health Inspection completed a thorough inspection of the lodge and kitchen management a few weeks earlier. The Health Inspector even commented that he would be happy to eat here.



Members should keep in mind that they can get a 15% discount on purchase at Rhythm Snowsports just by saying that they are a member of Thirroul Ski Club. This is even better than the 10% mentioned in the last newsletter. Make sure you know how to spell "Thirroul" as they have to type it in to verify it is an authorised discount.

2019 Thirroul Ski Club Senior Race Report

Congratulations to all who participated everyone was a winner in their category and duly received the coveted Arnott's Cream Biscuit medal for their efforts.

Women's results	Run 1	Run2	Time	Category
1 Megan Gregory	37.75	36.51	74.26	Women' Club Champion 2019
2 Sarah Blatch	38.98	37.75	76.73	45-60 West Sydney Champion
3 Karen Barnes	45.16	37.69	82.85	45-60 Illawarra East Champion
4 Rasma Kreilis	43.26	43.57	86.83	>60 Figtree North Champion
5 Sandra Phillips	52.08	49.33	101.41	45-60 Illawarra North Champion
6 Anne Zenari	65.24	87.78	153.02	45-60 East Sydney Champion
7 Liz Gregory	42.82	40.61	83.43	>60 Illawarra South Champion

(DSC) Liz shortened the course.

Men's results	Run 1	Run 2	Time	Category
1 Matt Gregory	28.67	28.6	57.27	Men's Club Champion 2019
2 Heath Barnes	29.15	28.74	57.89	45-60 Figtree Champion
3 Scott Gregory	30.6	29.57	60.17	30-44 Illawarra North Champion
4 Pete Phillips	30.76	30.17	60.93	30-44 Illawarra West Champion
5 Marcelo Diblasi	32	31.52	63.52	45-60 South Sydney Champion
6 Mitchell Arthur	33.08	31.87	64.95	<30 Illawarra South Champion
7 Rupert Blatch	33.25	32.47	65.72	45-60 Northern NSW Champion
8 Peter Paddon	34.07	33.37	67.44	45-60 Illawarra North Champion
9 Drew Arthur	36.03	34.18	70.21	45-60 Southern NSW Champion
10 Mark Phillips	39.79	35.86	75.65	>60 Figtree East Champion
11 Kevin Donegan	40.49	39.05	79.54	>60 Uni/Keiraville Champion
12 Greg Knight	41.05	38.59	79.64	>60 Wollongong Champion
13 Kevin Masters	43.94	42.02	85.96	>60 Figtree West Champion
14 Ian Gregory		48.94	>60	S9 Champion

This year we saw the return to this highly competitive skiing event by the Pirate (Ian Gregory) great to see him back on skis. Ian also brought along the pirate ship's crew who

cleaned up the most sought after Arnott's biscuits, congratulations Megan Gregory and Matt Gregory on winning the women's and men's open championships.

This year's race was conducted on the Mother-in Law course at Guthega on Saturday the 27th of July, visibility was poor making it difficult for some competitors. Mavis Williams was a late scratching from the event after a fall during secret race training in the week prior but has now come good.

Clark fuelled us up well on Saturday morning prior to the big event with a great job all weekend. The presentation as usual proved to be very entertaining thanks to Heath Barnes and the categories he has introduced, as you can see in the results above, everyone is a winner. After a Butterscotch Schnapps toast to our late mate Bill Torrey, Robo Cop 1 and 2 made an appearance and were forced to partake in further shots from the shot ski.

Thank you to Kevin Donegan for the camera work and to all who participated and made it another enjoyable Senior Race weekend.

Regards

Mark Phillips

Sports Captain



Ian Gregory in his return to racing



Mathew Gregory choosing his prize from the biscuit packet



Owen and Mark as the two Robo Cops



Jim Montgomery showing Michael Frew his rear entry boots. They don't make them like that any more

Nordic Week at the Lodge

The team preparing for the KAC race



back row Bruce Norton , Ross Dearden, Mark Phillips, Jenny Kent , Greg Knight
middle row Jimmy Spiers
front row Martin Barnes , Hans Beuttner (did not compete), Friedl Bartsch, Peter Phillips.

Kevin Masters produced a photobook consisting mainly of photos in which Bill Torrey featured and presented it to Chrissy Blatch during Nordic Week. Hans Beuttner arranged for a Butterscotch Schnapps toast and a minute's silence in memory of Bill Torrey . The Perisher XC committee renamed the 2.5 kilometre trail "Butterscotch Bill's Trail".



Chrissy admiring the book

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The 2.5k trail showing its new name