



THE TALLY WACKER TRIBUNE

FAR NORTH QUEENSLAND TIMBER INDUSTRY CLUB 261

No 70 (well over
Retirement Age?)

CLUB 261 FAR NORTH QUEENSLAND

NEXT MEETING: Wednesday 15th February 6.29pm
@ Cape York Hotel – Spence Street

- 2017 Itinerary
- Report on Christmas Cruise
- Usual Shocked reporting on Trumps latest
- 2017 Golf Day

PREVIOUS MEETING

Christmas Meeting 2016 – Sun 27th November 2016
Christmas Lunch Cruise on “Spirit of Cairns”

By all accounts and from photos forwarded was a most enjoyable and successful function.

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THOUGHT FOR THE DAY - Woman !

Every time you talk to your wife, your mind should remember that... 'This conversation will be recorded for training and quality purposes'.

Arguing with a woman is like reading the Software License agreement. In the end you have to ignore everything and click “I agree”.

If a woman says “First of all” during an argument run away, because she has prepared research, data and will destroy you.

A wise man once said nothing.

PRESIDENT PREAMBLE

Well here we go again for another year.

2017 is firmly entrenched upon us and it is with great delight I look forward to our first meeting on Wednesday.

The Christmas party proved to be a hoot especially for those of us who carried on long after it was over (Allan Sutton)!

Looking forward to seeing you all this Wednesday.

Health Happiness and Long Life.

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TIP FOR THE MONTH

All mobiles have Hidden Battery Power

To activate, press the keys *3370# (remember the asterisk). Do this when the phone is almost dead. Your mobile will restart in a special way with this new reserve and the instrument will show battery life. This reserve will get re-charged when you charge your mobile next time. This secret is in the fine print in most phone manuals. Most people however skip this information without realising.

INDUSTRY - DID YOU HEAR

American engineers have just developed a computer chip 6mmx6mm which contains 460 million transistors and I can remember when Japan produced the first 9 – 13 transistor radios which were the ultimate in miniaturization.

Office Bearers 2015 - 2016

* President: Ray Lamari - 97512	F: 40552933	1. be fraternal
* Vice President: Jason Lock - 101083	F: 40352950	2. be helpful
* Secretary: John Rankine - 91231	F: 40552599	3. be grateful
* Treasurer: John Day - 97505	F: 40352050	4. be friendly
* Service Projects Robert Spiller – 100280	F: 40353950	5. be tolerant
* Fellowship/Programs: Alan Sutton-101450	F: 40412047	6. be progressive
* Director Newsletters: John Rankine – 91231	F: 40552599	7. be industrious
* Gurdon: Jeff McDonald - 98878	F: 40954758	8. be ethical
		9. be loyal

Our 9 Points

EDITORIAL - “Be Friendly”

Well off to a brand new year and the quote “We live in interesting times” has never been more relevant and in an era where social stress between and within countries and communities has become ever more evident. This month’s creed of “Be friendly” becomes so much more important. Without the extension of friendship so many of our other Hoo-Hoo aspirations of industriousness, tolerance etc are relatively shallow.

Let’s hope that a friendly attitude can permeate some of the hurdles that are coming in 2017 – Repayment of the Greek debt due which there is no hope of achieving, an introspective trade view from the US, territorial claims by the Chinese.

Anyway – from your editor, a very welcome greeting for the New Year and I trust and believe that I can regard all those in the Hoo-Hoo and Timber fraternity as a valued friend.

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CHIT-CHAT

John & Glenda Rankine back from a long European trip and for the first time did not return with the dreaded European Flu.

SHARE RESULTS FOR MONTH TO Date @ Midday 1/11/2016

Best: + 0% Now + 11.7%
Saddest: - 34% Now + 11.0%

DATE SAVERS 2016 * Public Holidays

2017

Tue 14th Feb – Valentine Day (forget at your own peril)

Wed 15th Feb – **General Meeting Cape York 6.29**

Wed 15th Mar – **General Meeting ?**

Sat 1st – Mon 17th Apr – School Holidays

Wed 19th Apr – **General Meeting ?**

***Some Businesses to close Monday 23rd April**

Tue 25th Apr – Anzac Day

Mon 1st May – Labour day

Fri 5th – Sun 7th May – JIV Convention Hobart Tasmania!

Wed 18th May – **General Meeting ?**

Wed 21st Jun – **General Meeting ?**

Sat 24th Jun – Sun 9th Jul – School Holidays

Wed 19th Jul – **General Meeting ?**

Fri 22nd Jul – Cairns Show Holiday

Sat 29 – 30th Jul – Relay for Life

Wed 17th Aug – **General Meeting ?**

Thu 7th – Mon 11th Sep – Seattle International Conference

Sat 16th Sep – Mon 2nd Oct – School Holidays

Wed 20th Sept – **General Meeting ?**

Mon 2nd Oct – Queens Birthday Holiday

Wed 18th Oct – **General Meeting ?**

Tue 7th Nov – Melbourne Cup

Wed 15th Nov – **General Meeting ?**

Sat 9th Dec – Sun 21st Jan 2018 – School Holidays

Mon 25th Dec – Christmas Day

Tue 26th Dec – Boxing Day

Townsville Club 265 – 2nd Tuesday each Month