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**ST. HELENA MALTESE - AUSTRALIAN
SOCIAL CLUB Inc.**

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May 2015 Newsletter

Dear Members and Friends of St Helena,

Being our last newsletter before our annual August feast, I would like to take this opportunity to thank all my hard working committee members and volunteers for all their continued hard work and commitment towards the club.

2015 has been a positive year for the club, however we still have room for improvement in some areas. For example, by not having functions at Errington Hall St Albans due to renovations, we need more support from members and friends when we hold functions at other surrounding halls.

I would like to report that our two functions held at the Maltese centre in Parkville, went very well with great feedback about the meals and entertainment, we could have done with a few more people in attendance, especially when we keep entry costs cheap and the same as previous years. Come down with a few friends and enjoy the night out.

This year Our Mothers day function, once again was held at Melrose receptions in Tullamarine and we had close to 300 guests in attendance. The night went very well and would like to thank our DJ Starlight Johnny for providing us with great music and entertainment. Members received a discount to the night and all Mothers received a nice gift, that was appreciated. Even though we ended the night with a loss, we did not mind.

Please keep supporting our club in all functions, so we can make the functions like Mothers Day and others below cost.

August is fast approaching and we are looking forward to celebrating our 35th Anniversary. We urge people to book early for the feast to avoid disappointment. We have two coaches coming from Sydney and one from Moe; we also have managed to have Bishop Hilton Deakin celebrating Sunday Feast Mass with three Maltese Priest's.

This year being our 35th Anniversary we have given the Members a huge discount.

The cost for Members is \$50 and non Members is \$65

Enclosed with this newsletter you will find the programme for the three-day feast and we would like to see as many people as possible.

To end the feast with a bang we also have a huge fireworks display, after the Procession so please come along and bring along your friends.

I close by thanking everyone including our great Sponsors for all the support the Club receives and we look forward to see you all at our functions especially at our Feast.

Viva St Helena
Regards

Victor Bartolo
President



Committee Members

President, Mr. Victor Bartolo
 Vice President, Mr. Joe Busuttill
 Secretary, Miss Kylie Dimech
 Assistant Secretary, Mr Leon Baldacchino
 Treasurer, Mr Joe Borg
 Assistant Treasurer, Mr Joe Abdilla
 P.R.O, Miss Mary Bartolo
 Function Organiser, Mrs Mary Abdilla
 Church Organiser, Mr Joe Grima

Weekend Trips

13/14th June, Albury
 12/13th September, Barham
 21/22nd November, Tocumwal

Prices include, transport, accommodation, all meals and entry into venues.

Remember to book your seats early, as spaces are limited. Weekend trips are packed with great company, lots of laughs and pokies

HALF YEARLY MEETING

SUNDAY 24TH MAY 2015
 PARKVILLE AT 2PM

REFRESHMENTS TO FOLLOW
 ALL MEMBERS ARE ASKED TO ATTEND
 THIS IMPORTANT MEETING

TO FIND OUT WHAT IS HAPPENING IN
 FUTURE TO OUR CLUB

Mother's Day Function



Social Functions 2015

16th May, St Martins De Porres, DJ Dominic
 20th June, Albion, DJ Dominic
 18th July, Albion, DJ Dominic
 21st August, Ardeer, Feast Mass
 22nd August, Melrose*, Vibe
 23rd August, Ardeer, DJ Dominic
 19th September, Albion, DJ TBA
 17th October, St Martins De Porres, DJ Starlight
 14th November, Albion, DJ TBA
 19th December, Melrose*, DJ Starlight

*All functions which are catered, when booking, all dietary requirements and requests need to be mentioned to the person of which you book.





Almond Biscuits



Ingredients

- 400g ground Almonds
- 400g Castor sugar
- 4 Egg whites (beaten)
- 25ml Almond essence
- whole almonds

Method

- In a mixing bowl, combine ground Almonds, sugar, egg whites and essence together and mix until sugar dissolves.
- Roll into balls and place on baking tray with grease proof paper.
- Top with whole almond
- Bake at 180°C for 15 Minutes

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MAY FUNCTION

Saturday 16th May 2015
6.30pm

St Martins De Porres
158 Military road, Avondale Heights

\$10 Entry

BYO Event

(Food and Drinks can be purchased on the night)

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