

Port Mandurah Residents' Association

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Breakfast at 'Hogs Breath' Mandurah—August 03, 2008 from 8.30am

The Social Committee have made an executive decision and decided to have a breakfast with a difference. Instead of paying in advance for your meal, we are going to have a 'come along' and enjoy the ambiance of Hogs Breath and the hospitality and camaraderie of the PMRA members.

Hogs Breath is situated in Pinjarra Road, just over the old bridge, opposite Mandurah Nissan.

The menu varies from Pancake Madness—\$8.95, to Boss Hog's Big Breakfast—\$18.95.

There is a Brekky Special—\$14.95, which consists of-

Bacon, Sausage, Tomato, Baked Beans, Sauteed Mushrooms, your choice of poached, fried or scrambled eggs, hash browns and toast, and an extra charge of \$1.00 if you wish tea or coffee.

There is also a Kids Brekky Menu available for \$5.95 per head.

Please mark your diaries and we will see you there!

The next Sundowner will be held at the MOFSC on Thursday September 4, at 5.30pm. All members are welcome. As the kitchen will be closed for upgrading for 6 weeks from June 30, we will be unable to enjoy an evening meal. More details to follow in the next newsletter.

Looking Ahead To Christmas

There is excitement brewing with regards to our major *social* function for the year. The PMRA Christmas Dinner Party. The venue has been booked as well as the entertainment, so mark this very important date down..... Sunday December 7, 2008.

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From May 1st—December 1st, 2008

Adults \$16

Seniors \$15

Children \$8

Family \$40

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MOVEMENT OF CORMORANTS

Various PMRA members led by Terry Rohde of Bermuda Place, have re-erected the star pickets with humming wire strung between them, along the southern mole of the southern entrance to the main canal with great success in moving the cormorants away. On this occasion they have put the pickets closer together with support nylon cord close to the humming wire to prevent breakages by the seagulls and cormorants. We hope this lasts longer and we will complete the task along the length of the mole before the summer season. This appears to be the most cost effective way to move cormorants away from areas of large build-up which causes a high stench factor in the summer months from their droppings. If any other members want to clear build-up of cormorants from areas similar to the south mole, then please contact the association for advice.

TRAFFIC IMPROVEMENT

With the changes made to the traffic flow going onto Pinjarra Road from the Old Mandurah Bridge, there certainly has been a flow on effect now the left hand lane has been made a no parking zone, between 7am and 5.30pm. For those of us who travel over the bridge each day, there seems to be less traffic delays. The true test will be when the holiday period is upon us and more traffic will make use of the Old Bridge.

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GRAFFITI

There are new graffiti reporting contacts for Mandurah. Now, if you see graffiti it can be reported by phone to 1800 44 22 55 or by email to goodbye graffiti.wa.gov.au

It is recommended that graffiti be reported as soon as it is noticed so that it can be removed before the so called graffiti "artist" gets any satisfaction from the public display of his/her "art".

PMRA CONTACTS

We have had a few contacts from members querying why they have not been receiving broadcast emails from PMRA. In most cases it has been because the member has changed email address and forgotten to advise us of the change.

If your contact details have changed and you still want to receive emails and news-letters from PMRA, please let us know your new email or street address.

REPORTING OF INCIDENTS ON THE CANALS

In response to several queries from members of PMRA we advise the agency for reporting of the following incidents on the canals:

A dead dog in the canals:- C of M Ranger Services on 9550 3630

A dead dolphin or bird:- Dept of Environment & Conservation, NatureBase, on 9334 0333

A dead human:- WA Police Mandurah on 9581 0222

A drifting, unmanned boat:- WA Police Mandurah on 9581 0222

Speeding boats:- Dept of Fisheries (on behalf of Marine Safety, Dept for Planning & Infrastructure) on 9482 7333