

Maleny District Sport & Recreation Club Inc



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Inaugural Sportsman's Dinner Honours Stars

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Members of Maleny's sporting and recreational clubs and their families attended a sell out dinner that honoured Maleny clubs' long time sports and administration stars. Patrons enjoyed a top drawer dinner, lovingly prepared and served by Sherry Wright and her willing band of volunteers. MC Simon Denver entertained the crowd, introducing award recipients and club Patron Kevin Bartlett, who recalled stories from his racing career. Donated items, including an original water colour painting of the Precinct land by Mirella Cundill (purchased eventually by Winston and Helen Johnston) helped raise funds for the many tasks ahead for the MDSRC. A carousel of photos and images from club events since early times formed a very appropriate backdrop for the events on stage, which culminated in the presentation of the Sportsman of the Year Award, awarded jointly to Len Lowe and Vince Carbery, both having devoted more than 50 years of service to their clubs. (Full details of all awardees and more info available on the MDSRC website, under "newsletters"). Local and Sunshine Coast dignitaries attended, donating items to assist with fund-raising and acknowledging the strong level of support that's obvious in Maleny for the much needed sporting facilities and recreational activities planned for the Precinct.



"Lucky Door" winner Janette Williamson with energetic MC Simon Denver



Inge Slipper presented the Sportsman of the Year Award to Len Lowe and Vince Carbery at the end of the evening



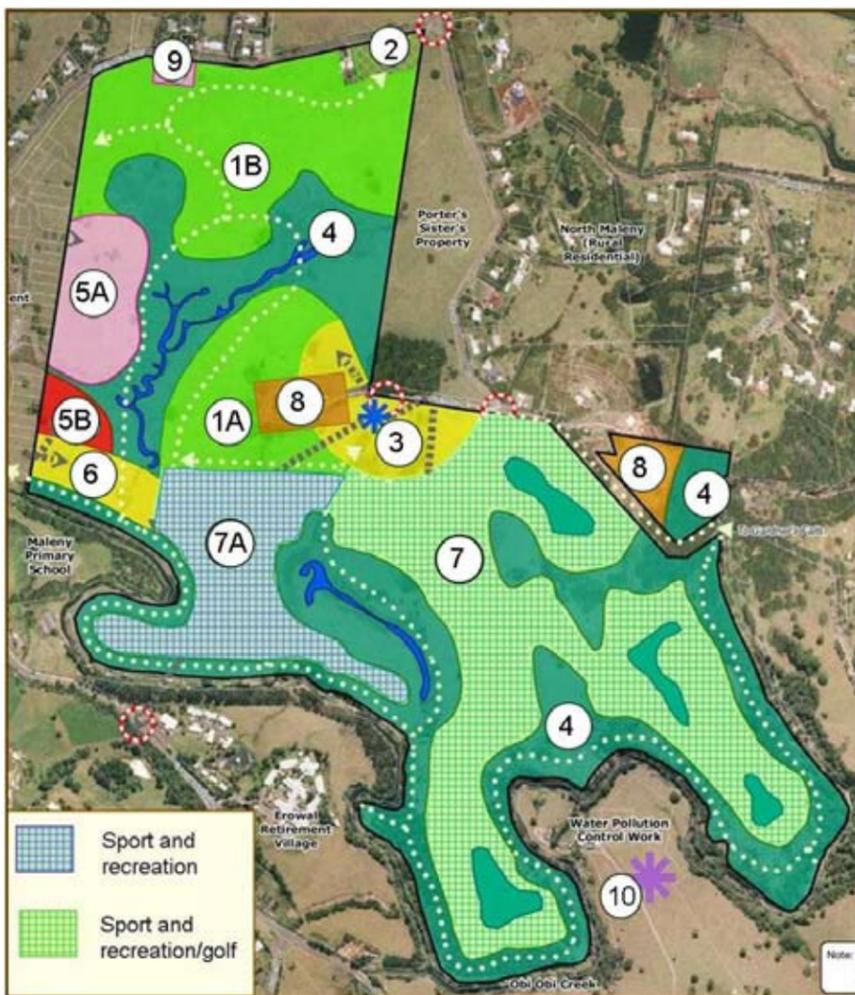
Mike Norman (L) accepts Rotary's Young Sportsperson of the Year Award, from Bob Hall, accompanied by young sports personalities Harrison Canton & Holly Sinclair



Cr Tim Dwyer presents auction winner Les Fawkes with the signed footy jersey donated by Tim as a fund raiser.

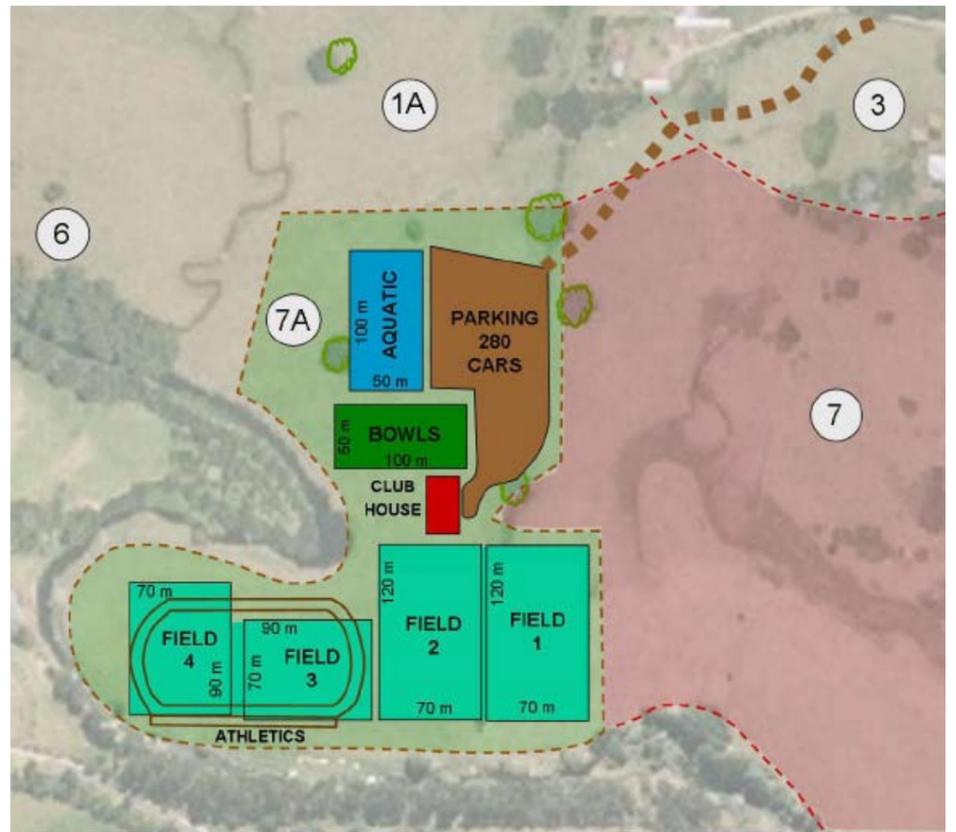


Some of the awardees with their certificates and awards



LEGEND

- 1A = Central Park and Gardens
- 1B = Northern Park
- 2 = Mt Beerwah viewing
- 3 = Pattemore house and surrounds
- 4 = Environmental
- 5A = Northern residential
- 5B = Southern residential
- 6 = South western community facilities
- 7 = Sport and recreation/golf
- 7A = Sport and recreation
- 8 = Rural residential
- 9 = Residential (contractual)
- 10 = Further investigation (eco-business)
- * = Barung



Summaries available

The submissions requested by SCRC have been lodged with Council and the executive summaries from

- MDSRC**
- Maleny Historical Society**
- Barung Landcare**
- Maleny Golf Club**
- Maleny Green Hills**
- Community Facilities (Area 6)**

are available for viewing as PDF files, downloadable from the MDSRC website: www.mdsarcinc.com under Precinct Information

(Above) The SCRC Approved Concept Plan.

(Top right) Approved Plan with overlay of sporting fields and facilities (as envisioned and proposed by MDSRC).



Bowls Club members man the barbie!

MDSRC Support for The Maleny Bowls Club

Many MDSRC members have joined the Maleny Bowls Club as social members. Acting as our temporary home, especially on meeting nights, the committee of MDSRC would once again like to thank the MBC for their on-going hospitality.

We encourage MDSRC members and families to drop by the Bowls Club and experience the friendly atmosphere; social members are welcome to use Bowls Club facilities and go into the membership draws with great giveaways each Friday evening. Practice and coaching also takes place on Friday afternoons. Bar prices are very reasonable and Bowls Club members make everyone feel very welcome. All enquiries to 5494 2335 or just pop in and say hello!



Maleny District Sport & Recreation Club

To promote sport and recreation facilities for Maleny and surrounding districts

To create, establish and sustain sport and recreation facilities on The Maleny Precinct

To cooperate with other similar organizations in Maleny and

Affiliate/individual membership: \$20.00

Membership forms available from:

John Brown

Mitre 10, Teak Steet, Maleny

or download one from:

www.mdsarcinc.com

The Other Side...

"Give me the fresh air, a beautiful partner, and a nice round of golf... and you can keep the fresh air and the round of golf." Jack Benny

"I prefer rugby to soccer. I enjoy the violence in rugby, except when they start biting each other's ears off." Elizabeth Taylor

Update From the President

The very successful Sportsman's Dinner hosted by the MDSRC was held on 28 February. It has generated an enormous amount of goodwill in Maleny. The Rotary Club has donated a beautiful trophy for annual presentation to the best junior sportsman or woman, and Peter Slipper MP has donated an honours board. The dinner is set to become an annual event and we would encourage other sports and recreational clubs on the Range to join our existing 27 clubs so that they can be included in the annual awards selection process, thereby making it truly representative.

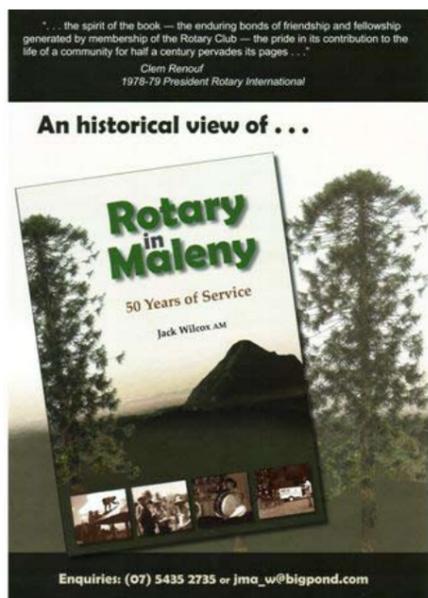
The current position with regard to the Maleny Precinct is that the presentations from all six potential land users, namely Greenhills, Barung, the Historical Society, Maleny Golf Club, MDSRC and the "Community Area", were submitted to Council at the end of 2008, in accordance with Council's timetable. Council Officer Robyn Douglas is preparing a response for Council, the results of which should be available by mid May.

We are disappointed as the original timetable issued by SCRC was that the Councillors would receive a consolidated proposal in mid February for finalising the Precinct Master Plan. In an attempt to catch up on lost time we have requested that Council issue land leases to the various groups as soon as possible so that we can proceed with planning, developing business plans and fund raising. The "Precinct Working Group" set up by Councillor Jenny McKay, which has proved to be very successful, has been disbanded as stage one of the Precinct planning has now been concluded. We believe that there is merit in it being reconstituted later on in the year, as there are still other planning and financial matters that need to be finalised. In the interim, we have formed our own community working group made up of the same six user groups, to discuss matters related to the Precinct development. We believe that the work of this community group is vital, as there are still many aspects that need to be addressed, preferably sooner rather than later.

Our application for grant money to pay for the formulation of a business plan has been submitted to the Queensland Government with the assistance of CPR consultants. SCRC will be requesting business plans for all Precinct user groups, and an overall business plan for the whole Precinct will be desirable. In order to benefit from contributions from our membership as a whole, and in consultation with our planning team and CPR, we will be publishing on our website a questionnaire that we would like our affiliated clubs and members to complete so that we can determine the requirements of all members. We encourage additional clubs and individual members to join MDSRC so that they too can participate in the planning process. The more contributions we get, the better we can represent the Community.

Our AGM will be held on 21st May 2009 at the Maleny Bowls Club at 5.30 pm – we welcome all members and hope as many as possible can attend. Refreshments available at 5.00 pm.

Mike Norman



MALENY ROTARY SET TO CELEBRATE 50 YEARS

Book Release by Local Author Celebrates 50 Years of Rotary Service in Maleny

"In 1959 the village of Maleny embraced the wide world of Rotary. Tales of challenges, achievements and camaraderie abound in this 50-year journey to the global village of 2009..... graphically capturing the essence of Rotary: Service above Self."

Local historian Jack Wilcox will be launching his book - **Rotary in Maleny - 50 Years of Service** at Tranquil Park on Wed 29th April. This special

occasion also marks, to the day, the 50th anniversary of the inaugural meeting of the Maleny Rotary Club in 1959! Sir Clem Renouf AM, Rotary International President in 1978-79, who also wrote the book's foreword, will be presiding at the launch.

This fascinating historical insight recounts, through dozens of cameo stories, over half a century of Maleny history, describing the town's evolving transition from a village focussed on dairy-farming and timber-getting to the cosmopolitan hi-tech world of the 21st century. Author Jack Wilcox spent four years researching material and then writing up hundreds of interviews involving a wide cross section of current and former residents of Maleny. There are nearly 700 names in the index. RRP \$25.00 available on the night, subsequently available from the Maleny Newsagency.

Bookings for the launch and dinner are essential contact Jack Wilcox on 5435 2735 or email to jma_w@bigpond.com

Website news

Thank you to the club reps who are now regularly sending in their info for inclusion on the MDSRC website. If you haven't already done so, please appoint someone to send your club info on a weekly basis to gail@mavmuse.com

The MDSRC website is available for member clubs to use as a free advertising medium for all of your club announcements, fund-raising events, special meetings, AGMs and whatever news you'd like to get across to the community about your club's activities.

Weekly sporting results and reports are compiled *every Monday* into a weekly newsletter which is now available as a download from the Sports Results page. Photos are being included so if you take good shots at your matches and events, don't forget to include them, as jpegs, when sending in your info on Mondays.

A reminder to advertise the website address on your club letterheads, newsletters and your own websites thus: **...is an affiliate member of the Maleny District Sport and Recreation Club Inc.**
www.mdsarcinc.com

To: MEMBERS OF MALENY DISTRICT SPORT AND RECREATION CLUB INC

Dear Member(s),

Please find below a notice for the MDSRC Annual General Meeting to be held on Thursday 21 May 2009. The meeting will be held at 5.30 pm at the Maleny Bowls Club (next to the Maleny Hotel).

Thank you to all who have supported our club during the past year. We hope the AGM will provide an opportunity for members to learn of recent developments relating to our club.

You are invited to express your interest in nominating for a position on the Management Committee. The closing date for nominations for the Management Committee is 7th May 2009.

Sincerely,

Dick Andrew, Secretary

MALENY DISTRICT SPORT and RECREATION CLUB
NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The Annual General Meeting of the Maleny District Sport and Recreation Club Inc will be held on Thursday 21st May 2009 at 5.30 pm in the Maleny Bowls Club.

In accordance with the rules, nominations are invited for the following positions on the Management Committee:- President Vice President Secretary Treasurer Registrar and six (6) additional committee members. A representative nominated by each of the main user groups, namely Bowls, Bridge, Golf, Soccer, Swimming and Touch Football is sought to serve on the management committee.

Please note:

1. A member of the Management Committee may only be elected as follows:

- (i) Any two members of the MDSRC may nominate another member (the candidate) to serve as a member of the Management Committee.
- (ii) The nomination must be: (i) in writing; (ii) signed by the candidate and the members who nominated him/her; and
- (iii) given to the Secretary by 7 May 2009.
- (iii) Each MDSRC member present at the AGM (and eligible to vote at the annual general meeting) may vote for 1 candidate for each vacant position on the management committee;
- (iv) A representative nominated by each Affiliated Club is entitled to one vote on behalf of that Club.
- (v) If, at the start of the meeting, there are not enough candidates nominated, nominations may be taken from the floor of the meeting.

2. A person may be a candidate only if the person (a) is an adult; and (b) is not ineligible to be elected as a member under 61A of the Act.

3. A list of the candidates' names in alphabetical order, with the names of the members who nominated each candidate, will be posted in the Maleny Bowls Club at least seven days immediately preceding the AGM.

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MDSRC Management Committee Nomination Form 2009-2010. Please complete and drop off at Old Magnolia Lane gift shop (next to Mitre 10) or post to The Secretary, MDSRC, PO Box 1236, Maleny to reach the Secretary on or before 7th May 2009.

NOMINEE: _____
(Name in block Letters)

Signature

POSITION: _____
(Block Letters)

PROPOSER: _____
(Name in block Letters)

Signature

SECONDER: _____
(Name in block Letters)

Signature