



# QUARTERLY NEWSLETTER

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## SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

Warwick Turf Club will host the iconic Lexus Melbourne Cup trophy on Wednesday 29 September, we are planning a range of community events as part of the visit.

Warwick will also be part of the Lexus Melbourne Cup Tour National Sweep, which will give 24 Cup Tour destinations across Australia the opportunity to be allocated a barrier for the 2021 Lexus Melbourne Cup.

The town which draws the barrier of the Lexus Melbourne Cup-winning horse will be presented with a cash prize of \$50,000 to put towards a nominated charity for a local community initiative – Endeavour Foundation Learning and Lifestyle – Warwick.

## UPCOMING RACE MEETINGS 21/22 – [Click here](#)

Next meeting is the Beloved TAB Races on Sunday 4 July 2021.

## KEY ACHIEVEMENTS / IMPROVEMENTS 20/21

- David & Margot Cory Members Lounge – new refrigeration and flooring
- Swab stall room – new split system air conditioner
- Container & Storage shelving – commercial kitchen, male jockeys' room, public bar & new storage room
- Trackside Pavilion – new cold room, northern wall with windows & roller door with concrete path to the west

## PIPELINE OF INFRASTRUCTURE IMPROVEMENTS

The below projects are possible with funding assistance by the Gambling Community Benefit Fund \$35,000 & Racing QLD Asset Management Program \$236,500. We are working hard to have all projects complete by end of 2021.

- New Barrier Shed to house our 2 sets of Barrier Starting Stalls
- 20 x new Horse Tie Up stalls – with all the extra horses attending our 8 race TAB meetings this is a welcome improvement
- Extra Swab Stall room & Urinal for race days
- Extension to our Female Jockeys Room – to house the larger number of women jockeys in the sport of racing
- Replacement Running Rail & Irrigation system
- New fencing for Saddling enclosure "Birdcage"

## MEMBERSHIP 2021/2022 RACING SEASON

[Click here](#) to join now and read all about the Membership rewards we have to offer!

All current members with email address will receive renewal membership forms by COB Friday 25 June.

## CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR NEWEST LIFE MEMBERS & JOINING MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE!

Life Members – Ross McIntosh & Ken Bryant

Management Committee – Dr Ross Hetherington & Eric Standing

## TURF CLUB PROFILE

Everyone meet

Dave Rossiter, Caretaker



How long have you been with the Club?

**13 years**

What are your duties?

**Security, Maintenance of Tracks, Grounds, Stalls, Clubhouse & Buildings, Cleaning & Clerk of Scales on Race Days**

What's your favourite song?

**Silence is Golden – The Tremeloes**

Favourite thoroughbred horse of all time?

**Belmerino trained by Brian Smith ridden by Maurice Campbell in the 1970's. It was the first Champion I saw win the Awapuni Gold Cup**

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