



March 2009

Our Season Launch at the Stadium Café, Waverley Park, on Friday, 27th February was a very successful Coffee & Chat morning. 21 very happy ladies were delighted to find our mystery guest was indeed our 10th Premiership Cup. Lots of photos were taken to remember our 2008 victory. Our thanks go to Greg Cook for entrusting the trophy to us for the morning.



- Our March to November Coffee Mornings will be held, as usual, on the last Friday of the month. First one for 2009 is on March 27th at The Tower Hotel, Burwood Road, Hawthorn East. (Just up from Auburn Station)

We have organized a visit to Como House on Tuesday 5th May at 10.30am. The National Trust of Australia is presenting an exhibition titled *“Shaping Elegance - a glimpse into Fashion, Illustration and Photography from 1955 to 1980 by Robert Fritzlaff”*. We also will have the opportunity to wander through Como and enjoy its beautiful gardens at will.

The entry, including exhibition, is Adults \$12 and Concession \$9 (payment on the day).

Food and Coffee are available to your cost.

Please ring Marilyn on 9889 4449 or Lara on 9813 3358 to indicate your Como attendance.

We have a raffle for a lucky Thornbird to attend the Player Sponsor Cocktail Evening with a Committee member on Tues 28th April 2009. Raffle tickets available at \$2 each or 3 for \$5

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from Lara, Robyne or Gaby on Thursday nights at the Tower or the next two Coffee mornings. Also available by calling Lara on 9813 3358. Drawn Friday 24th April - winner will be notified.

47 paid up 2009 members are proudly wearing their new badges!



Get yours by returning the renewal form below

Note: We now also have available clip badges for those who cannot wear the magnetic kind.

MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL 2009

Thornbirds badges are available at the regular Coffee Mornings. Yours can be posted if you are unable to attend.

Please fill in this coupon and return with your payment, cheque or money order, to:

Thornbirds Committee,

402 Barkers Road HAWTHORN VIC 3122

Or give cash to a committee member.

(Sorry, no Credit cards)

Name.....

Address.....

Phone/Mobile.....

Email.....

Membership \$20.....

You can indicate your intention to attend the Como Function by ticking this box. []

To our Thornbirds Members who have not been feeling the best we wish you a speedy return to good health. Special wishes to Helen Greenfield who recently had a spell in hospital.

Vale Ronny Griffiths

The Thornbirds deeply regret the passing on March 3rd of our long time friend and member Ronny.

We will miss her presence at our functions.

Deepest sympathy to Jenny and family.