

Notes from the Board

2016 is an exciting year for our Club as we will be celebrating our 10th anniversary. Below are some comments about special events that will happen between now and June, 2016.

1. We will have a special 10th year meeting on April 14 when our Founding President, John Pawley, in collaboration with our three other Past Presidents, Tom Beale, Soren Sondergaard and Len Johnstone, will give a talk on the history and focus of our Club. This talk will be followed by a luncheon. We encourage ALL members to make a special effort to be present and join in this celebration.
2. For the past five years the Board has been struggling with deficiencies in our original 2006 Constitution and Bye-Laws. A revised Constitution and Bye-Laws has been drafted and will be put up on the club website in mid-February with the original 2006 Constitution and Bye-Laws. Also, an executive summary of changes, a detailed summary of changes, and a tracking version of amendments will be posted. Members are encouraged to read and study all these documents. Board members will be happy to answer any questions.

On 17 March a Town Hall meeting will be held after the general meeting at 11 am to discuss the proposed revisions to the 2006 version of the Constitution and Bye-Laws.

A VOTE on the proposed revisions to the 2006 Constitution and Bye-Laws will be held on 31 March, 2016 @ 9:40 am.

3. Our Annual General Meeting will be held on June 9th, 2016. At that time there will be many vacancies on the Board and the Committees that organise and run our Club. We would encourage you to volunteer and help. If you have any questions please speak to a Board Member, or to the chairperson of the particular committee in which you are interested.
4. Our membership has been static at 85 for some time. In this our 10th year it would be great to increase our membership by 15 more members to a total of 100 members. We encourage you to bring friends and neighbours to our meetings so that they can sample the rewards of membership.



David Wallace
President,
Royal City Men's Club

February 2, 2016