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Those Who Trade Liberty For Freedom Have Neither



# MERRY CHRISTMAS

& HAPPY 2011 TO ALL  
COFFEE CLUB MEMBERS



## VALE



DIGGER, PRIVATE John Bernard ALECKSON  
Served his Country 17 October 1947 - 22 October 1959

Rest easy, sleep well my brother.  
Know the line has held, your job is done.  
Rest easy, sleep well.  
Others have taken up where you fell, the line has held.  
Peace, peace, and farewell...



Bev CAMPBELL was on holiday and driving through Darwin.

She desperately wanted to take home a pair of genuine crocodile shoes but was very reluctant to pay the high prices the local vendors were asking. After becoming very frustrated with the "no haggle on prices" attitude of one of the shopkeepers Bev shouted, "Well then, maybe I'll go out and catch my own crocodile, so I can get a pair of shoes for free".

The shopkeeper said with a sly, knowing smile, "Little lady, just go and give it a try!"

Bev headed out toward the river, determined to catch a crocodile!

Later in the day, as the shopkeeper is driving home, he pulls over to the side of the river where he spots Bev standing waist deep in the murky water, shotgun in hand.

Just then, he spots a huge 3 metre croc swimming rapidly toward her. With lightning speed,

Bev takes aim, kills the creature and hauls it onto the slimy banks of the river.

Lying nearby were 7 more of the dead creatures, all lying on their backs.

The shopkeeper stood on the bank, watching in silent amazement.

The blonde Bev CAMPBELL struggled and flipped the Croc onto its back. Rolling her eyes toward heaven and screaming in great frustration, she shouts out.....

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I 6 i Y B 9 K A 5 B A D the local B&S ball having a few dances when his girlfriend showed up and had a dance with him. After a couple of numbers she whispered in his ear,

I 6 i Y D U g Y m S H E gripped him harder and said "I Y h g [ c i h g ] X Y D"

Out side it was pitch black, so he pulled a torch out of his pocket and shone it around.

She said, "I 8 ] X m c i \ U j Y h \ U h h c f W \ k \ ] g h k Y k Y f Y X U

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"My wife is pregnant and her contractions are only two minutes apart!"

"Is this her first child?" asks Doctor Watto.

"No", • @ [ ~ c • Á "h R ã k e a h u s p a n d"





## A bit of nostalgia and some memories

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### 1938:

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With the world on the brink of a devastating war, an enterprising Sydney by the name of Harry Edwards opened a Caravan Café near the front gates of the Woolloomooloo naval dockyard. Word spread quickly with Harrys Pie and Peas and crumbed sausages soon became popular and keenly sought by sailors, soldiers, cabbies, starlets and coppers alike. Harry operated the caravan until 1938 until he enlisted in the A.I.F. during WWII.

### 1945:

During Harrys time in the Middle East, he was nicknamed Tiger due to his boxing prowess and the name stuck. Upon his return in 1945, Harry realized that Sydney hadnt changed much and it was still almost impossible to get a good feed at night, so he reopened and the caravan has been operating since.

### 1975:

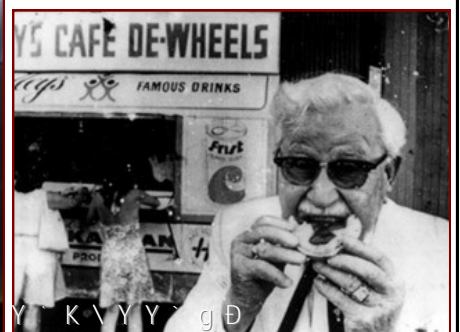
The phrase Café de Wheels came about as the city council of the day insisted that mobile move a minimum of 12 inches X U m " ' < U f f m ' X i h ] Z i ` ` m ' c V Y m Y X ' U b X ' h \ i g ' h \ Y ' b U a Y ' k U g ' Y I d U b X Y  
caravan was simply known as Harrys. When its wheels went missing one night, local wags coined the nickname Café de Axle. Harry operated the caravan for a further 30 years before selling the business to Alex Koronya in 1975.

### 1988:

In 1988, current owner, Michael Hannah, made Alex an offer and purchased the business. Michael believes Harrys finest moment came in 1978 when Rear Admiral David Martin over a pie and glass of Champagne- commissioned the caravan U g ' < A 5 G ' < U f f m g "

As years have passed, Harrys has become a a / g for visiting celebrities having served up to the likes of Frank Sinatra, Robert Mitchum, Marelene Dietrich, Kerry Packer and more recently, Sir Richard Branson, Russell Crowe, Kevin Costner, Brook Shields, Pat Rafter, Olliver Newton c \ b ž ' > Y f f m ' @ Y k ] g ž ' 6 ] ` ` m ' 7 f m g h U ` ž ' D U a  
Murdoch, Colonel Sanders, Elton John and many, many more.

Harrys has become so popular with the celebrities that in 1991, Rupert Murdoch had pies shipped to Los Angeles for an Australian themed Oscars party. But you dont have to be a celebrity to enjoy Harrys, just hungry. Since its initial opening in the 1930s, Harrys has withstood the test of time. A trip to Harrys allows you to enjoy authentic Aussie tucker.





# Bacon Tree



Two Mexicans are stuck in the desert after crossing into the United States , wandering aimlessly and starving. They are about to just lie down and wait for death, when all of a sudden Luis says.....

*"Hey Pepe, do you smell what I smell. Ees bacon, I theenk."*  
*"Si, Luis, eet sure smells like bacon. "*

With renewed hope they struggle up the next sand dune, & there, in the distance, is a tree loaded with bacon. There's raw bacon, there's fried bacon, back bacon, double smoked bacon ... every imaginable kind of cured pork.

*"Pepe, Pepe, we ees saved. Ees a bacon tree."*

*"Luis, maybe ees a meerage? We ees in the desert don't forget."*

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And with that, Luis staggers towards the tree. He gets to within 5 metres, Pepe crawling close behind, when suddenly a machine gun opens up, and Luis drops like a wet sock. Mortally wounded, he warns Pepe with his dying breath,

*"Pepe... go back man, you was right, ees not a bacon tree!"*

*"Luis, Luis mi amigo... what ees it? "*

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A teacher noticed that little John FREDERIKSEN at the back of the classroom, was squirming around, scratching his crotch, and not paying attention. She went back to find out what was going on. John was quite embarrassed and whispered that he had just recently been circumcised and he was quite itchy. The teacher told him to go down to the principal's office. He was to telephone his mother and ask her what he should do about it. John did it then returned to his class soon after.

Suddenly, there was a commotion at the back of the room.

The teacher went back only to find John sitting at his desk with his penis hanging out.

*'I thought I told you to call your mum!' she said. 'I did,' he said,*

*'And she told me that if I could stick it out till noon, she'd come and pick me up from school.'*

# AUSSIE SOLDIERS CHARGED!

## Battle blurs the line between Killing and Murder

Those that legislate from a distance can NEVER understand what our men at the Front face daily.

### Aussie Soldiers Charged - A Synopsis

The Director of Military Prosecutions has decided to charge two Australian commandos with offences arising from a civilian casualty incident in Afghanistan on February 12, 2009. A third will be charged when he returns from overseas. One soldier has been charged with manslaughter and the other two face lesser charges including a failure to follow orders and dangerous conduct.

Military prosecutor, Lyn McDade, said her lengthy investigations had led to the charges - the first of their kind in Defence's history. Because of the timing of the incident, the men will avoid trial in front of the yet to be formed Military Court of Australia and will instead face a traditional court martial.

Australian Defence Association executive director Neil James called for the men to be afforded an assumption of innocence, pointing out the deaths were accidental and not necessarily illegal.

"All wars are morally, legally and operationally complex," he said.

Mr James' call was answered by Chief of the Defence Force Air Chief Marshal Angus Houston.

"Consistent with the presumption of innocence, these members will receive the full support of the Australian Defence Force," Air Chief Marshal Houston said in a statement.

While some sectors argue that the court martial will illustrate justice and transparency in the operations of the ADF, many segments of the community and ex-service organisations are incensed that Australian soldiers should be subjected to this process.



Military Prosecutor, Lyn McDade

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### SUPPORT FOR TROOPS GAINS MOMENTUM

The Brisbane Sunday Mail (3/10/10) noted that a petition supporting the three Australian soldiers has attracted more than 5000 electronic signatures.

The petition, organised by Vietnam Veteran, Paul HARRISON, argues that the impending d f c g Y W i h ] c b · k ] · · · [ d U f U · m g Y · h f c c d g · ] b · h \ Y · Z ] Y · X · U b X · ] a h \ Y a g Y · j Y g · U b X · h \ Y ] f · W c · · Y U [ i Y g " I

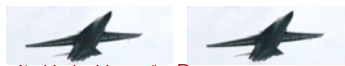
It is imperative that the charges against the three soldiers be withdrawn.

### FAREWELL ANDREW DEAS



I guess all good things must come to an end but it was indeed a very sad day when our very favourite barman, Andrew DEAS, went into retirement. In my vast experience as a professional bar -fly, I have never had the pleasure of coming across a better barman in Australia, nay, on the entire planet. We at : ] b b Y [ U b D g · \ U j Y · V Y Y b · d U f h ] W i · U f · m · \ c b c i f Y X · h - c keeper, to feed our horse, bed our wench or, and this was most important, quench our thirst with a Guinness or three on those happy Fridays. Andy has U · k U m g · V Y Y b · U j U ] · U V · Y · Z c f · i g · U h · h \ Y · 7 c Z Z Y Y · 7 · i Sub-branch in every way possible, happy to perform his duties above and beyond to ensure we were ALL looked after very well!

ANDY WE WILL MISS U. - ALL THE BEST IN YOUR RETIREMENT



FRIDAY December, 3rd: Å D6 m Y · 6 m Y · 6 ] f X ] Y g · D

Ever hear that expression; I M c i D · · · V Y · · U h Y · Z c f · m k Y f · · c k b Y · Z F 5 5 : f M D g · X ] X · ] last curtain coming down on the F1 -11 aircraft had them scheduled to fly -over Evans Head @ %' %) \ f g " " " F i b b ] b [ · h f i Y · h c · Z c f a · U b X · f i b b ] b [ · · U h Y · f l U g · i g i U · top at 1338hrs only 23 minutes late and on a Friday as well. We NAVY boys wondered if they ever got home in time to have the whole k Y Y \_ Y b X · c Z Z " " " V i h · = · Y I d Y W h · h \ U h · k c i · ] b Z c f a U h ] c b · U b X · k c i · X b D h · V FLY XAVY! · d Over -]o]U On]tim]o.ÅEvery time!

RSL Club C.E.O, Daniel FOX, says that 20% of all accidents are caused by drunken drivers.

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80% involve sober drivers.

Can sober drivers get the hell off the road so that we (drinkers) can get home safely.

This message has been posted in the interests of safe driving.



Three friends from the local congregation were asked, 'When you're in your casket, and friends are mourning over you, what would you like them to say?'

Ð 6 ` i Y Ñ said: 'I would like them to say I was a wonderful husband, a fine spiritual leader, and a great family man.'

Matthew MEALING commented: 'I would like them to say I was a wonderful teacher and servant of God who made a huge difference in people's lives.'

Ð G h ] Z Z m Ñ said: 'I like:them to say, 'Look, he's moving!'

Pete DAWSON, a handsome dude, walked into a sports bar around 9:58 pmHe sat down next to a blonde at the bar and stared upat the TV.

The 10 pm news was coming offthe news crew was coveringthe story of a man on theledge of a large building preparing to jump.

The blonde looked at Peter and said, "Do you think he'll jump?"

Peter said, "You know, I bet he'll jump."

The blonde replied, "Well, I bet he won't."

Pete placed a \$20 bill on the bar and said, "You're on!"

Just as the blonde placed her money on the bar, the guy on the ledge did a swan dive off the building, falling to his death.

The blonde was very upset, but willingly handed her \$20 to Peter, saying, "Fair's fair, here's your money."

Peter replied, "I can't take your money. I saw this earlier on the 5 pm news, and so I knew he would jump."

The blonde replied, "I did too, but didn't think he'd do it again."

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## Interesting piece of history

In 1872 theKiwis invented a contraceptive, the condom, using a sheep's lower intestine  
In 1873 the Aussies somewhat refined the idea by taking ittestine out of the sheep first.

**I saw a Muslim fall into Sydney Harbour this morning and being a responsible citizen, I informed the emergency services.  
It's 6:00 PM and they still haven't responded!  
I'm now starting to think I've wasted a stamp!**



Just a warning on the new 3D televisions. I bought one the other dayand guess what!  
These new 3 D televisionsare sooo real. I dozed off last nightwatching a documentary on aborigines...When I woke up my walletbeer and thongs were gone.





Sometimes, even the Regimental Sergeant Major has to run errands.



Finding a woman sobbing that she had locked her keys in her car, a passing / D c b [ assures her that he can help. She looks on amazed as he removes his trousers, rolls them into a tight ball and rubs them against h \ Y ' WUf ' X c c f Å A U [ ] WU ' ` m ' h \ Y ' WUf ' X c c "That's so clever," the woman gasps. "How did you do it?" "Easy," replies the / D c b [ c î " " H \ Y g Y ' Uf Y ' a m ' \_ \ l



**Tony Abbott has announced he intends to make it more difficult to claim unemployment benefits. When he gets into Government the forms will only be printed in English.**

### ALCOHOL EDUCATION...



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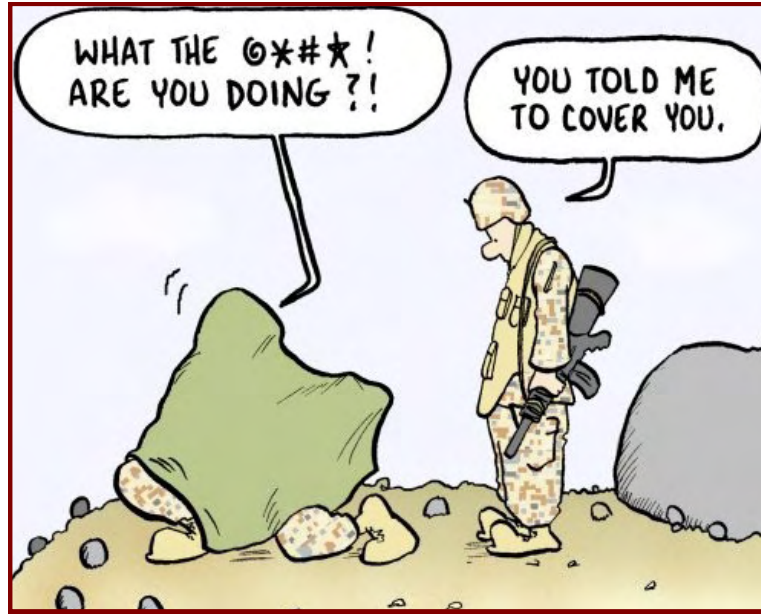
REMEMBRANCE DAY Service 2010 at EVANS HEAD CENOTAPH.

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- 2: Mary SCULLY. President Sub -branch Ladies Auxiliary.
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- 4: Flight Lieutenant John WEBB. RAAF.



# POBJE ON PATROL...



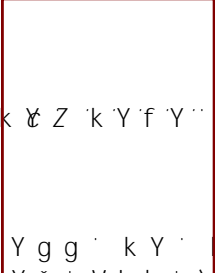
LIGHTPOLE

## NOW... THE TRUTH CAN BE TOLD!

POTHOLE



I was chatting with my informant [ 8 ] [ [ Y f g ] c Z h \ Y 7 c Z Z Y Y 7 i V " K X 7 c Y k & Z ' k Y f Y ' ] b G ] \ Y b W Y I i s o t i v e s m e of this horrible, terrifying news; It appears that [ @ ] [ \ h d and Y I D ' c h \ c are siblings, YES, He tells me Lionel and Wayne are brothers ...But refused to let me know k \ ] W \ k U g h \ Y g a U f h c b Y z " " " V i h = [ i Y g g k Y k ] \ = D a b c h g i f Y ] Z h \ Y g h c f m ] g f Y U m h f i Y z V i h \ Y m



i : ] b [ got sacked last night from the Salvation Army Soup Kitchen. All he said was, "Will you bastards hurry up, some of us have a home to go to."

OK, here I go...back for more damn sensitivity training!



See Ya Next Year ... Luv From The Chief.

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Re-writing History for...Osama Bin Laden

