EVENTS

COMMUNITY

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THE DUNEDIN CLUB

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Opening Hours

Monday	Club Closed
Tuesday	10am - 8pm
Wednesday	10am - 8pm
Thursday	10am - 8pm
Friday	10am - 11pm
Saturday	10am - 3.30pm
Sunday	Club Closed

Staff

Stephen Dawkins	Manager	
Jeff Fay	Head Chef	
Jennifer Hughes	Office Manager	(part-time)
Jan Orlowski	Hospitality	(part-time)
Wendy Challis	Cook	(part time)
David White	Grounds Keeper	(part time)
Tania Fogarty	Hospitality	(part-time)
Dean Reed	Membership & Communication	(part-time)
Monica Beck	Junior Chef	(part-time)
Ben Clayton	Hospitality	(casual)

Committee

Dr Margot Skinner (President)
Andrew Hamilton (Vice President)
Gerard DeCourcy (Immediate Past President)
Roger McElwain
Norcombe Barker
Greg Easton
Steve Brocklebank (Treasurer)
Matthew Haggart
Shona Cumming

Presidents Column

If you have not visited the Club recently I would thoroughly recommend that you do come along, not only to catch a glimpse of the beautiful blossom flowering on the trees, but more importantly to enjoy the vibrancy and socialisation. There is plenty to choose from this month including our casual dining on a Friday evening, brunch on Saturdays, our monthly speaker's lunch or our next Thursday evening dining with a speaker to follow. Both our speakers this month are Club members – Norcombe Barker and Marshall Seifert - so do come and support them.

The function for new members held this week was well attended. Thank you to those of you who have sponsored new members recently. The success of the Club lies in its membership so we encourage you all to consider introducing friends, family and work colleagues to the Club.

The Committee will be hosting a function for prospective members later in the month. If there is someone that you would like us to send an invitation to please let the manager, or me know.

The Committee will also be holding a Strategic Planning meeting during October. Naturally we shall report back to you on our recommendations but in the meantime it would be helpful if you could start making your bookings for your Christmas and New Year functions so that our great management staff can ensure that their planning for the next few months can be optimised.

Kind regards

Margot Skinner

President

EVENT LISTING

OCTOBER 2019

Tuesday	1st	Fernhill Snooker & Billiards Club Night	6.30pm to 9.30pm
Wednesday	2nd	Club Lunch with guest speaker Norcombe Barker	12.00pm for a 12.30pm seating
Thursday	3rd	Firstly Thursday Social Drinks in the Bar	5.00pm to 6.30pm
Thursday	3rd	Zumba with Paola - in the Squash Court	6.00pm to 7.00pm
Thursday	3rd	Fernhill Wine Club - tasting with Domaine Rewa	6.30pm to 8.30pm
Friday	4th	Friday Cafe Dinner	5.00pm to 8.30pm
Saturday	5th	Saturday Cafe & Bar	10am to 3.30pm
Thursday	10th	Zumba with Paola - in the Squash Court	6.00pm to 7.00pm
Friday	11th	Friday Cafe Dinner	5.00pm to 8.30pm
Saturday	12th	Saturday Cafe Bar	10.00am to 3.30pm
Wednesday	16th	Ladies Lunch - with guest speaker Jane Ludeman	12.00pm for a 12.30pm seating
Thursday	17th	Zumba with Paola - in the Squash Court	6.00pm to 7.00pm
Friday	18th	Friday Cafe Dinner	5.00pm to 8.30pm
Friday	18th	Milestones Dinner	6.30pm for 7pm seating
Saturday	19th	Saturday Cafe & Bar	10.00am to 3.30pm
Tuesday	22nd	Squash - The Don Green Cup	6.00pm to 9.00pm
Wednesday	23rd	Prospective New Members Cocktail Party	5.30pm to 6.30pm
Thursday	24th	Speakers Dinner - with guest speaker Marshall Seifert	6.30pm for a 7pm seating
Thursday	24th	Zumba with Paola - in the Squash Court	6.00pm to 7.00pm
Friday	25th	Friday Cafe Dinner	5.00pm to 8.30pm
Saturday	26th	Saturday Cafe & Bar	10.00am to 3.30pm

SELECTED FUTURE EVENTS

November	Tuesday	5th	Melbourne Cup Event
November	Wednesday	6th	Club Lunch - with special guest speaker Kyle Murdoch
November	Thursday	14th	Younger Members Dinner - with special guest speaker John Blaikie
November	Saturday	23rd	Italian Long Lunch
November	Thursday	27th	Fernhill Gin Club - tasting night
November	Friday	29th	Poker Night
December	Wednesday	4th	Club Lunch - with the Dunedin Club President
December	Thursday	5th	Fernhill Whisky Club - tasting with Maxine Clark
December	Tuesday	10th	Fernhill Sports Social evening
December	Saturday	14th	Family Christmas Party

Committee:

The Dunedin Club Committee has been established to advise, review, and approve management strategic plans, decisions, and actions in managing the Club.
The Committee are placed in charge of developing and monitoring governance and key principles of the Club.
The Committee meet on a monthly basis, and publish a formal annual report to all members of the Club.

President
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Vice President
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Immediate Past President
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Treasurer
Steve Brocklebank

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Norcombe Barker

Committee Member
Shona Cumming

Committee Member
Matthew Haggart

Club Manager
Stephen Dawkins

TUESDAY 5TH NOV

MELBOURNE CUP. 2019

BOOK NOW | $50

Canapes & Bubbles on arrival
Big Screen viewing
Prize Draws & Raffle
Best Dressed Awards
Live Music with Dave Coleclough
Race Day Buffet

Join us from 3.30pm or maybe stop by later on after work.
Buffet will be served upon conclusion of the race (approx. 5.20pm).
Post 5pm arrivals will be charged $30.

Latest Club News

The Club will be hosting a special "Prospective New Members Cocktail Party" on Wednesday 23rd October 2019. The Committee have highlighted a range of prospective new members, and have invited them to attend a cocktail party where Club membership information will be presented. The Committee would like to encourage members to invite any prospective new members to attend this event also. Please speak to the Club to book places.

It is that time of year when we begin to look ahead and plan for our end of year festivities. As members of the Dunedin you are encouraged and invited to make the most of the fantastic function space that we have available. The Club staff can help you put together function ideas and food and beverage options. We look forward to hearing from you!

The Club would like to express its gratitude towards Club members Mrs. Noelyn Hung and Mrs. Jennifer Anglin for the generous donation of silver and china. The extensive range of floral china pieces and silver sets will be a great addition to future Club events. Similarly, the Club would like to thank Mr. Ted Lloyd for his donation of two large and elaborate candelabras. The Club is always very grateful to receive donations. Please keep the Club in mind.

A reminder that to access the members area of the website, your password is. **dcclub**

Our Featured Reciprocal Club this month is - The Brisbane Club

The Brisbane Club is one of Brisbane's pioneer clubs established in 1903 and is situated in the heart of the CBD in a contemporary setting in the Brisbane Club Tower.
This setting typifies its unique niche in being a progressive contemporary Club whilst being mindful of its traditional heritage. The Brisbane Club offers a home away from home and as such provides a refuge from the hustle and bustle in the midst of a modern, growing city.
Accommodation is available through reciprocal benefits at:
The Manor Apartment Hotel

Making Bookings

To reserve places for any Club event you may use any of the following methods:

- Email - bookings@dunedinclub.co.nz
- Use the buttons within our weekly Mailchimp advertisements
- Give us a call on (03) 477 0082
- Add your name to the bookings sheet when visiting the Club (located at the Office)

Payments

Once you have attended the event, your account will be charged. Please also advise us prior to the event if any of your guests would like to pay on the day, otherwise the balance will be charged to your account. Please also note - we require a minimum of 24 hours' notice should you wish to cancel your reservation. 50% of the event cost will be changed to your account should notice not be given.

CREDIT CARD PAYMENTS:

Due to the cost of processing Credit Card Payments, the Club has had to implement a 2.5% Credit Card surcharge. To avoid this surcharge we encourage you to pay via either debit card or bank transfer

New Members Confirmed	Proposer	Seconder
Mr. Gary Shields	Mr. N Shepherd	Mr. R McElwain
Mr. Christopher Medlicott	Mr. G DeCourcy	Mr. P Buckner
Mrs. Natalie Medlicott	Mr. G DeCourcy	Mr. P Buckner
Mr. Thomas Drury	Mr. T Jolly	Mr. K Panoho
Mr. Rainsford Grubb	Mr. S Brocklebank	Mr. G DeCourcy
Mr. Cameron Olsen	Mr. M Milne	Mr. G Easton
Mr. Taylor Dixon	Ms. J Moyle	Mr. C Brook
Mr. Sam Lind	Dr K Jones	Dr M Skinner

New Candidates for Admission	Proposer	Seconder
Ms. Amber-Marie Marsh	Mrs. J Anglin	Dr M Skinner
Ms. Lisa Brown	Mr. P Buckner	Mr. L Andersen

The committee will meet on 16th October 2019 to make a final decision on the admission of the New Candidates for admission.
The Committee will in making its decision consider any submissions received from Members concerning a candidate. Members are invited to lodge submissions with the Manager prior to 14th October 2019

End of year closure

A reminder that the Club will be closed after lunch service on Wednesday 18th December.
Trading will re-commence on Thursday 23rd January, with a "Welcome back Cocktail Party" taking place on Friday 24th January.

The Saturday Cafe Bar

The Saturday Cafe Bar offers an informal setting for members and their guests to enjoy freshly baked cakes and scones, brunch, light meals and snacks. We also offer a range of Smoothies,
Milkshakes and Spiders for children to enjoy. Saturday in the Club building and gardens is very much a family friendly environment to be enjoyed. No bookings required, simply turn up and enjoy.

Friday Cafe Bar Dinner & Wine Ballot

With dining available from 5pm to 8pm each week, members can also enjoy our weekly Wine Ballot. Simply turn up for Dinner or a drink at the bar, select a number from the Ballot list, and watch the Tumbler roll. At 6.30pm a maximum of three attempts will be made to find a Winner, who will take home the bottle (or bottles) of Wine. A rollover takes place if no winner is found. Also, more guests mean more chances for you to win.

The Fernhill Snooker & Billiards Club

Tuesday 1st October - 6.30pm to 9.30pm
Cost. Free to attend

Our monthly Club night returns, with informal games and optional coaching from our Snooker champs. Don't worry if you do not have a cue, there are plenty to choose form in the Snooker & Billiard Room. All abilities are welcome to attend. Complimentary bar snacks also available.

October Speakers Lunch with Mr. Norcombe Barker

"New restoration to the Breakfast Room at Larnach Castle"
Wednesday 2nd October - midday for a 12.30pm seating
Cost. $30 three course light lunch

Norcombe has been a director of Larnach Castle for just under 30 years. The business has grown in this time from 5 staff to the current 100. The castle has been transformed over this time and has won many awards. Norcombe will be talking about one of the recent restoration projects, the Larnach's Breakfast room.

Firstly Thursday

Thursday 5th September - 5pm to 6.30pm
Social drinks group for younger members

"Firstly Thursdays" take place on the first Thursday of each month. This is a chance for members to get together socially and enjoy some time in Club bar after work. Complimentary canapes served. Open to all members and guests.

ZUMBA with Paola Hill
Let the Latin Party Begin!

Zumba Dance Fitness - Weekly sessions with Paola Hill

Every Thursday 6pm to 7pm - suitable for both men and women
Cost. $10 per session

Club member Paola Hill is leading a weekly Zumba session in the Fernhill Squash Court. Paola warmly invites members and guests to come along and join the Latin party. Zumba is a dance-based exercise class combining all elements of fitness — cardio, muscle conditioning, balance and flexibility, while being a great way to have fun. You don't need to be a great dancer; all fitness levels are welcome.

Ladies Lunch with guest speaker Jane Ludemann

"We're comfortable talking about breast cancer, but ovarian cancer remains a forgotten disease"
Wednesday 16th October - midday for a 12.30pm seating
Cost. $30 three course light lunch

In 2017 at 32 Jane was diagnosed with stage 2 low-grade serous carcinoma, a frequently incurable type of ovarian cancer that affects 1 in 1000 women. She remains on active treatment, and lives in hope that research will find better treatments before cancer takes her life. But when you are diagnosed with a cancer that receives less research in an entire year than breast cancer in a day, it isn't very likely. She wants your help to change this. So that the 100 000 women living world-wide with her cancer, can keep on living.

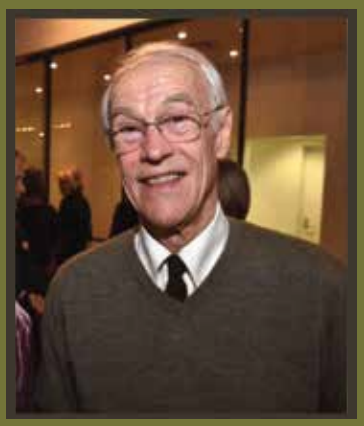
Milestones Dinner - Celebrating 30 years of Membership

Friday 18th October - 6.30pm for 7.00pm seating
Cost. $65 three course dinner

This Black-Tie Dinner will celebrate our Club Members who have spent 30 years or more with us. Club President Dr Margot Skinner will present our special members with a commemorative gift, after enjoying a three course Dinner, and sharing a few tales of Club days gone by.
All members are welcome to attend and enjoy this special Dinner with our long standing members.

Speakers Dinner with Mr. Marshall Seifert

"Sharing my life with Alcohol"
Thursday 24th October - 6.30pm for a 7pm seating
Cost. $45 main and dessert



An interesting, humorous and educational talk on Wines and Spirits by Club member Marshall Seifert. Marshall is known for many things including his role in art, writing and sport and appeared as the art expert in the television series Antiques for Love or Money. He has diplomas in bartending and in wines and spirits after studying at the Waldorf Astoria Hotel in New York and the Manhattan Bar Tending School and judged a national cocktail competition. In addition to this, Marshall spent three years Lecturing on alcohol for the Red Cross at the University of Otago and at High Schools and Clubs in Otago.

SAVE THE DATE

Melbourne Cup - Tuesday 5th November

Trifecta | Raffle | Entertainment | Great atmosphere

AFFILIATED CLUBS

The Clubs listed below have reciprocal arrangements with the Dunedin Club. All their facilities are available to our members and the Dunedin Club to theirs.

When wishing to stay at reciprocal Clubs with accommodation, we recommend that you book in advance directly with the club. Should you require assistance please contact our club office. A Dunedin Club letter of introduction is required for overseas clubs. Within New Zealand you do not require a letter of introduction but will need to show your Dunedin Club membership card.

We would strongly recommend members travelling to countries where we have reciprocity to take advantage of them. You will not only receive a warm welcome but greatly benefit from the rates and facilities offered by the Clubs.

We are always interested to hear about new Clubs members may have heard about on their travels. Our worldwide network of reciprocal Clubs is always under review in order to expand this facility yet further for the benefit of our members.

United Kingdom

The Caledonian Club	London	A
The Cavalry and Guards Club	London	A
The East India Club	London	A
The Hurlingham Club	London	
The National Liberal Club	London	
The Royal Commonwealth	London	A
The Royal Over-Seas League	London	A
The Oxford & Cambridge Club	London	A
The Sloane Club	London	A
The Travellers Club	London	A
The Lansdowne Club	London	A
Army & Navy Club	London	A
City University Club	London	
The Oriental Club	London	A
Phyllis Court Club	Oxfordshire	A
Lensbury Club	Middlesex	A
The New Club	Edinburgh	A
The Royal Scots Club	Edinburgh	A
The Western Club	Glasgow	A
The Royal Northern and University Club	Aberdeen	A

Republic of Ireland

The Kildare Street and University Club	Dublin	A

Switzerland

Cercle de la Grand Societe de Berne	Berne	

Thailand

The British Club	Bangkok	

Japan

Kobe Club	Kobe	

Philippines

The Manila Club	Manila	

India

PYC Hindu Gymkhana	Maharashtra	A
Ootacamund Club	The Nilgiris	

United States of America

The George Town Club	Washington	
The University Club	San Francisco	A
The Faculty Club	California	
The Bellevue Club	California	A
Queen City Club	Cincinnati	A
The Union Club	Cleveland	A
The Yale Club of New York City	New York	A
University Club of Chicago	Chicago	A
The Georgian Club	Georgia	
The Surf Club	Florida	A
University and Whist Club	Delaware	A
University Club Saint Paul	Minnesota	
The University Club of Cincinnati	Cincinnati	

Canada

The University Club of Montreal	Montreal	A
The Saint James' Club	Montreal	
The Vancouver Club	Vancouver	A
The Terminal City Club	Vancouver	A
Union Club of British Columbia	Victoria	A
University Club of Toronto	Toronto	
The National Club	Toronto	A
The Ranchmen's Club	Alberta	A
The Royal Canadian Military Institute	Toronto	
The Forest and Stream Club	Dorval	

Republic of South Africa

The Durban Club	Durban	A
Capetown Club	Capetown	A
The Rand Club	Johannesburg	A

New Zealand

The Northern Club	Auckland	A
The Hamilton Club	Hamilton	
The Tauranga Club	Tauranga	
The Hawke's Bay Club	Napier	A
The Napier Club	Napier	
The Wellington Club	Wellington	A
The Canterbury Club	Christchurch	A
The Christchurch Club	Christchurch	A
The South Canterbury Club	Timaru	
The Invercargill Club	Invercargill	A

Australia

The Brisbane Club	Brisbane	A
Tattersalls Club	Brisbane	A
The Queensland Club	Brisbane	A
The Moreton Club	Brisbane	A
Queensland Cricketers Club	East Brisbane	
The North Queensland Club	Townsville	
The Australian Club	Sydney	A
The Royal Exchange of Sydney	Sydney	
The Women's Club	Sydney	A
Union,University & Schools Club	Sydney	A
The Newcastle Club	Newcastle	A
The Athenaeum Club	Melbourne	A
The Australian Club	Melbourne	A
The Melbourne Club	Melbourne	A
The Alexandra Club	Melbourne	A
The Lyceum Club	Melbourne	A
Melbourne Savage Club	Melbourne	
The Sandhurst Club	Bendigo	
The Royal Automobile Club	Melbourne	A
RACV City Club	Melbourne 3000	
RACV Healesville Country Club	Healesville	
RACV Cape Schanck Resort	Cape Schanck	
The Tasmanian Club	Tasmania	A
The Launceston Club	Tasmania	A
The Adelaide Club	Adelaide	A
Naval, Military and Air Force Club of South Australia,	Adelaide	A
Public Schools Club of Adelaide	Adelaide	A
The Weld Club	Perth	A
University Club of Western Australia	Crawley	
University House	Canberra	A
The Commonwealth Club	Yarralumla	A

Hong Kong

The Refinery	Hong Kong	
Pacific Club	Kowloon	
The Kowloon Cricket Club	Kowloon	
United Services Recreation Club	Kowloon	A

Singapore

The Tanglin Club	Singapore	A

Zimbabwe

The Bulawayo Club	Zimbabwe	
The Harare Club	Harare	A

China

Ambassy Club	Shanghai	
Tianjin Goldin Metropolitan Polo Club	Tianjin	A

Cambodia

The Cambodian Country Club	Phnom Penh	A

Korea

The Seoul Club	Seoul	

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