

Community Living
& Respite Services

CONGRATULATIONS

To our amazing
Fundraising Committee Members
on raising over \$1million through the
Annual Fundraising Dinners
from 2007 to 2025



2025

17TH ANNUAL FUNDRAISING DINNER



Thursday 27th February 2025

MOAMA BOWLING CLUB

Guest Presenter:

Curtis McGrath OAM

6.30PM

Doors Open 6.15PM



Community Living
& Respite Services

TICKETS \$145.00 | SCAN FOR TICKETS

TICKETS AVAILABLE FROM:

Online | www.trybooking.com/CVFQK

Enquiries | Gillian Noelker 5480 2388 or events@clrs.org.au

Raffles and Auctions on the night



Riverine Herald

ECHUCA
CARPET COURT



Echuca Toyota

1521 2QN
EDGE FM 102.5

FortyWinks

ROCHESTER & ECHUCA
Betta
GO LOCAL THAT'S BETTA

RIVERBOATS
MUSIC FESTIVAL

greenPEDAL

murray river
council

Complete Scissor Lift Hire
ACCESS & HAULAGE 5481 2020

MAWSON'S
Concrete & Quarries

100% RENEWABLE
ELECTRICITY

AWM
Echuca

www.clrs.org.au





Fundraising Committee

L-R: Kathy Kostoglou, Gillian Noelker (CLRS Staff), Liz Rowsell (CLRS Staff, Leah Taaffe (CLRS CEO), Sarah Pagram (CLRS Staff), Front: Kim Boland

2025 Guest Speaker

Curtis McGrath OAM



2025 Major Sponsors

Back L-R: Mayor Cr John Harvie (Murray River Council), Jack Keogh (Forty Winks), Mark Watson (Complete Scissor Lift Hire), Gary Harvey (Mawsons), Russell Knight (Carpet Court), John Merritt (Echuca Toyota), Liam Fleming (Moama Bowling Club)

Front L-R: Angela Parker (EdgeFM/Ace Radio), Kerry Vevers (Riverine Herald), Leah Taaffe (CLRS CEO), Dr Claire Goodman (CLRS President), Suzanna Barry (Green Pedal Cycles), Byron Hall (AWM Echuca)

2024

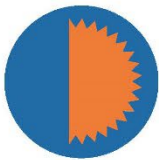
16TH ANNUAL FUNDRAISING DINNER



Thursday 29th February 2024
MOAMA BOWLING CLUB

Guest Presenter:
Janine Shepherd AM

6.30PM
Doors Open 6.15PM



Community Living
& Respite Services

TICKETS \$140.00 | SCAN FOR TICKETS

TICKETS AVAILABLE FROM:

Online | www.trybooking.com/CMTDI
Enquiries | Gillian Noelker 5480 2388 or events@clrs.org.au
Raffles and Auctions on the night



Riverine Herald

ECHUCA
CARPET COURT



1521 2QN
EDGE FM 102.5

FortyWinks



RIVERBOATS MUSIC FESTIVAL



murray river
council

Complete Scissor Lift Hire
ACCESS & HAULAGE 5481 2020



www.clrs.org.au





Fundraising Committee

Back L-R: Leah Taaffe (CLRS CEO), Kathy Kostoglou, Liz Rowsell (CLRS Staff), Dave Callanan, Sarah Pagram (CLRS Staff),
Front L-R: Kim Boland and Gillian Noelker (CLRS Staff)



2024 Guest Speaker

Janine Shepherd AM with MC



2024 Major Sponsors

Back L-R: Dr Claire Goodman (CLRS Vice President), Anthony Fragiacommo (Betta Home Living), Owen Egan (Betta Home Living), Scott Worsnop (Forty Winks), Angela Parker (EdgeFM), Steve Morley (Morley Auto Group)),
Front L-R: Cr Frank Crawley (Murray River Council), Lindsay Rankin (MBC President), Russell Knight (Carpet Court), Dorinda Watson (Complete Scissor Lift Hire), Byron Hall (AWM), Kerry Vevers (Riverine Herald) and Leah Taaffe (CLRS CEO)

2023

15TH ANNUAL FUNDRAISING DINNER



Thursday 2nd March 2023
MOAMA BOWLING CLUB

Guest Presenter:
Peter Rowsthorn

6.30PM
Doors Open 6.15PM



Community Living
& Respite Services

TICKETS \$140.00

TICKETS AVAILABLE FROM:

Online | www.trybooking.com/CEUBX
Enquiries | Gillian Noelker 5480 2388 or events@clrs.org.au
Raffles and Auctions on the night



www.clrs.org.au



PRINTING & DESIGN BY EMPD | ECHUCA MOAMA
PRINT & DESIGN



2023 Major Sponsors

Back L-R: Wayne Jenkin (CLRS President), Travis Owen (Morley Auto Group), Sarah Crossman (Riverine Herald), Paul Barnes (MBC), Scott Worsnop (Forty Winks), Jodie Hewish (Betta Home Living), Angela Frino (EdgeFM) and David Barry (Green Pedal Cycles)

Front L-R: Cheryl Ward (Mawsons Concrete & Quarries), Dorinda Watson (Complete Scissor Life Hire), Leah Taaffe (CLRS CEO), Byron Hall (AWM), Sherie Knight (Carpet Court)



In February 2023, the Fundraising Committee consisted of:

Volunteer Members: Dave Callanan, Kathy Kostoglou, Kim Boland, Sheryl Campbell

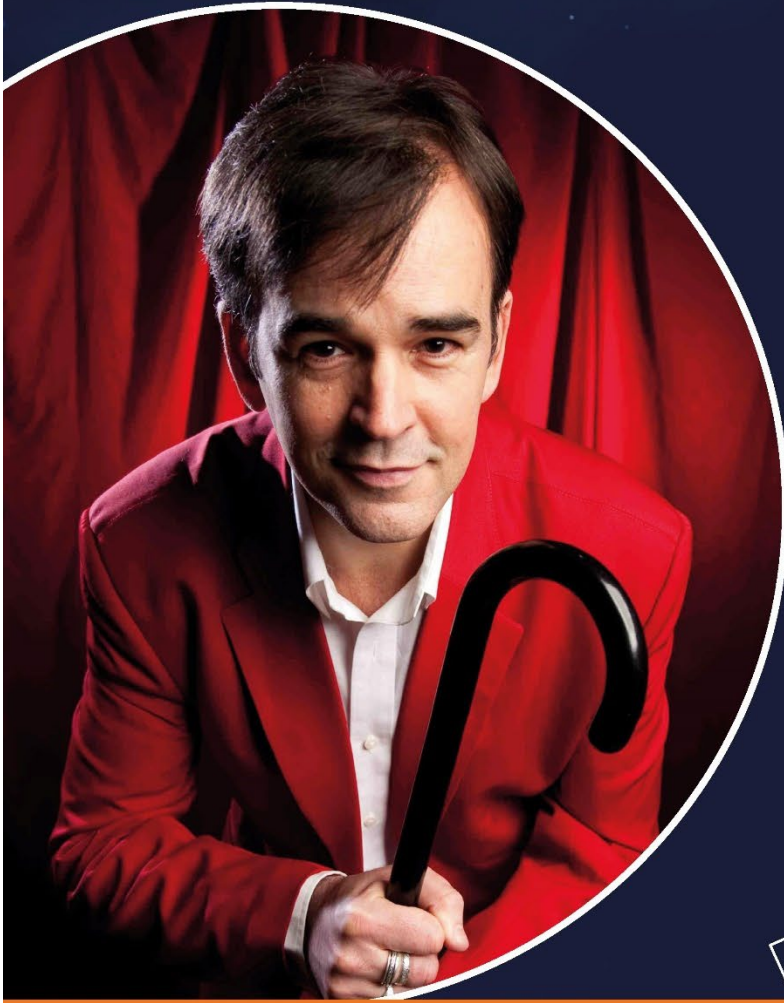
CLRS Staff Members: Liz Rowsell, Gillian Noelker and Leah Taaffe

**2022 & 2021
No annual dinner due to COVID**

Kathy Kostoglou and Kim Boland;
CLRS' own 'Kath & Kim' with guest
speaker Peter Rowsthorn (aka Brett
from the TV show Kath & Kim).

2020

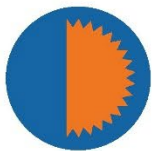
14TH ANNUAL FUNDRAISING DINNER



25TH FEBRUARY 2020
MOAMA BOWLING CLUB

Guest Presenter:
Tim Ferguson

6.30PM
Doors Open 6.15PM



Community Living
& Respite Services

TICKETS \$135.00

TICKETS AVAILABLE FROM:

Online | www.trybooking.com/BGZOT
Enquiries | Gillian Noelker 5480 2388 or events@clrs.org.au
Raffles and Auctions on the night



www.clrs.org.au



PRINTING & DESIGN BY **EMPD** ECHUCA MOAMA
PRINT & DESIGN



2020 Major Sponsors

Back L-R: Anne & John Mawson (Mawsons Concrete & Quarries), Kerry Vevers (Riv Herald), Trina & Peter Godfrey (Metaland), Donna & Paul McManus (Echuca House), Matthew Tyler (EdgeFM), Min & Bob Davey (Bob the Blindman)

Front L-R: Paul Barnes (MBC), Sarah Crossman (Riv Herald), Leah Taaffe (CLRS CEO) and Wayne Jenkin (CLRS President)

In February 2020, the Fundraising Committee consisted of:

Volunteer Members: Dave Callanan, Leanne Willis (Cuffe), Kathy Kostoglou, Kim Boland, James McIntyre, Di Huber, Brady Johnson, Sheryl Campbell,

CLRS Staff Members: Sue McGowan, Liss Manypenny, Liz Rowsell, Gillian Noelker and Leah Taaffe



2019

13TH ANNUAL FUNDRAISING DINNER



26TH FEBRUARY 2019
MOAMA BOWLING CLUB

Guest Presenter:

Dr. Gill Hicks AM, MBE, FRSA

6.30PM
Doors Open 6.15PM



Community Living
& Respite Services

TICKETS \$130.00

TICKETS AVAILABLE FROM:

Online | <https://www.trybooking.com/ZLJP>
Enquiries | Gillian Noelker 5480 2388 or events@clrs.org.au
Raffles and Auctions on the night



www.clrs.org.au



PRINTING & DESIGN BY **EMPD** ECHUCA MOAMA
PRINT & DESIGN



Fundraising Committee

Back L-R: Brady Johnson, Liz Rowsell, Kathy Kostoglou, James McIntyre, Di Huber, Suzanna Barry (CLRS CEO), Dave Callanan, Sheryl Campbell

Front L-R: Gillian Noelker, Leanne Willis (Cuffe) and Liss Manypenny



2019 Major Sponsors

L-R: Brendan Hogan (CLRS President), Marcus Lowerson (EdgeFM), Bob & Min Davy (Bob the Blindman), Donna McManus (EchUCA House), Haydn O’Neale (Riv Herald), Paul Barnes (MBC), John Mawson (Mawsons Concrete & Quarries) and Suzanna Barry (CLRS CEO)

Absent: Carpet Court, Bella Casa Houseboats and Riverboats Music Festival

2018



Community Living
& Respite Services Inc.

12th Annual Fundraising Dinner

6.30pm | 27th February 2018
MOAMA BOWLING CLUB

Guest Presenter: **Anna Meares OAM**

TICKETS \$130.00

Raffles and Auctions on the night

Enquiries:

Gillian Noelker 5480 2388
or ea@clrs.org.au



Proceeds supporting



Opening Doors Project



Riverine Herald





Fundraising Committee with Guest Speaker, Anna Meares

L-R: Gillian Noelker, Kathy Kostoglou, James McIntyre, Di Huber, Liz Rowsell, Anna Meares, Leanne Willis (Cuffe), Sheryl Campbell and Suzanna Barry (CLRS CEO)

Absent: Dave Callanan

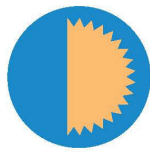


2018 Major Sponsors

L-R: Con & Kathy Kostoglou (Amcal Pharmacy), Tim Dale (Ausure), George Santos (MBC), Meredith Wellard (Riv Herald), Donna & Paul McManus (Echuca House), Nikki Cohen (Murray River Council), Mawsons Concrete & Quarries, Suzanna Barry (CLRS CEO), Min & Bob Davy (Bob the Blindman)

Absent: Riverboats Music Festival and Bella Casa Houseboats

2017



Community Living
& Respite Services Inc.

▪ 11TH ANNUAL ▪ FUNDRAISING DINNER

Proceeds
supporting



Opening Doors Project

28 February, 2017
Moama Bowling Club
6.30pm

Guest presenter: **Peter FitzSimons**

Journalist, author & former national rugby
union Wallabies representative

Enquiries: Kate McRae
5480 2388 or kmcrae@clrs.org.au



**Tickets
\$130**

Raffles and Auctions
on the night.





Fundraising Committee

L-R: Suzanna Barry (CLRS CEO), James McIntyre, Beth Kimball, Leanne Willis (Cuffe), Kathy Kostoglou, Liz Rowsell and Dave Callanan

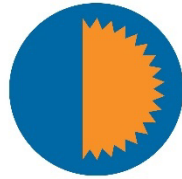


2017 Major Sponsors

L-R: Brendan Hogan (CLRS President), George Santos (MBC), Bob & Min Davy (Bob the Blindman), Steven Gray (Established Tree Transplanters), Con & Kathy Kostoglou (Amcal Pharmacy), Sarah Crossman (Riv Herald), Donna & Paul McManus (Echuca House), Tim Dale (Ausure), John Mawsons (Mawsons Concrete & Quarries), Suzanna Barry (CLRS CEO)

Absent: Riverboats Music Festival and Bella Casa Houseboats

2016



Community Living
& Respite Services Inc.

10TH ANNUAL FUNDRAISING DINNER

23rd Feb 2016
Moama Bowling Club
from 6pm

With entertainment by
Tim McCallum
from "The Voice"



Enquiries: Dave Callanan
5480 2388 or dcallanan@clrs.org.au





Fundraising Committee

L-R: Wayne Jenkin (CLRS Board Member), Duncan Smith, Beth Kimball, Suzanna Barry (CLRS CEO), Kathy Kostoglou, Dave Callanan, Di Huber and Leanne Willis (Cuffe)



2016 Major Sponsors

L-R: Min & Bob Davy (Bob the Blindman), George Santos (MBC), Sarah Crossman (Riv Herald), Con & Kathy Kostoglou (Amcal Pharmacy), Noel Maughan (CLRS Patron), Tim Dale (Ausure), Maria & Nic Raftellis (Fish Bite), Margot Stork (Murray River Council), Steve Gray (Established Tree Transplanters) & Suzanna Barry (CLRS CEO)

Absent: Sargeants Transport, Riverboats Music Festival and Bella Casa Houseboats

2015



Community Living
& Respite Services Inc.

9th ANNUAL FUNDRAISING DINNER



GUEST PRESENTER:

BEN PRICE Comedian

Ben Price is an internationally renowned comedian and, without doubt, one of Australia's finest impersonators.



Tuesday February 24, 2015 | 6.30pm

'The Venue' Moama Bowling Club | \$120 pp

3 Course Meal | Drinks at bar prices | Raffle | Auction
Silent Auctions | Lucky Door Prizes

BOOKINGS

Community Living & Respite Services Inc.

26A Percy St Echuca

(03) 5480 2388 | admin@clrs.org.au

MAJOR SPONSORS



mitch.

Proceeds to the Minor Street Project-be part of something special!



Fundraising Committee

L-R: Dave Callanan, Suzanna Barry (CLRS CEO), Duncan Smith, Kathy Kostoglou, Meaghan Broom, Beth Kimball, Michael Kennedy,

Front L-R: Di Huber, Keyarny Lamb (CLRS Staff), Leanne Willis (Cuffe)



2015 Major Sponsors pictured with CLRS CEO Suzanna Barry

L-R: Con & Kathy Kostoglou (Amcal Pharmacy), George Santos (MBC), Nic & Maria Raftellis (Fish Bite), Cr Gavin Burke & Margot Stork (Murray River Council), Sargeant Transport and Sarah Crossman (Riv Herald)

Absent: Bella Casa Houseboats

2014



Community Living
& Respite Services Inc.

8th ANNUAL FUNDRAISING DINNER

GUEST SPEAKERS:

**James Castrission
& Justin Jones**

Our special guests Cas & Jonesy, two young Australian Adventurers with a fascinating story, will share the fear, the tears, the crevasses and will inspire the audience with lessons learnt from their amazing feats.



Tuesday February 25, 2014 | 6.30pm

'The Venue' Moama Bowling Club | \$120 pp
3 Course Meal | Drinks at bar prices | Raffle | Auction
Silent Auctions | Lucky Door Prizes

BOOKINGS

Community Living & Respite Services Inc.
26A Percy St Echuca
(03) 5480 2388 | admin@clrs.org.au

EVENT SPONSOR



MAJOR SPONSORS



Proceeds to the Minor Street Project-be part of something special!



Fundraising Committee

L-R: Duncan Smith, Beth Kimball, Kathy Kostoglou, Cletus Gilmour, Meaghan Broom, Charlotte Pearson, Suzanna Barry, Leanne Willis (Cuffe) and Michael Kennedy



2014 Major Sponsors

L-R: Moama Bowling Club's Paul Barnes and George Santos with Suzanna Barry, Erin Gumbleton and CLRS President Matt Jones, Wayne & Kara Spring and Kathy & Con Kostoglou (Amcal Pharmacy), Riverine Herald, Nic & Maria Raftellis (Fish Bite), Cr Gavin Burke & Margot Stork (Murray River Council), Sargeant Transport and Sarah Crossman (Riv Herald)

Absent: Sargeants Transport

2013



Community Living & Respite Services Inc. 7th Annual Fundraising Dinner

Presenting 'Unusualist' Raymond Crowe.
His amazing show is an amalgam of comedy, magic and shadow artistry.
An unforgettable experience – one of imagination and charm
delighting millions around the world.



Tuesday 26th February 2013, 6.30pm | The Venue, Moama Bowling Club
\$110 pp | 3 course meal | Drinks at bar prices
Raffles | Auction | Prizes | Proceeds to 'The Minor Street Project'
Bookings | Community Living & Respite Services Inc. 26A Percy St Echuca
(03) 5480 2388 | admin@clrs.org.au

Event Sponsor:



Major Sponsors:



Providing a range of supports to carers, people with disabilities and the aged.



Fundraising Committee

L-R: Matt Jones (CLRS Vice President), Meaghan Broom, Charlotte Pearson, Cletus Gilmour, Beth Kimball, Suzanna Barry, Narelle Bain, Michael Kennedy and Duncan Smith



2013 Major Sponsors

L-R: George Santos (Moama Bowling Club), Steve Taverna (Bella Casa Houseboats), Sarah Crossman (Riv Herald), Tracie Kyne (Bendigo Community Bank), Kara & Wayne Spring (Amcal Pharmacy), Maria & Nick Raftellis (Fish Bite), Rick Reid (Fonterra)

2012

6th Annual Fundraising Dinner

Guest Speaker Anh Do | Comedian, Author, Keynote Speaker

Anh Do uses all of his life experiences to lift an audience to great heights of inspired motivation...

Lucky Door Prizes, Auction and Raffle
with all proceeds to



Community Living
& Respite Services Inc.

providing a range of
support to carers, people with disabilities and the aged

Tuesday 28th February 2012 | 6.30pm

The Venue | Moama Bowling Club

Tickets \$110

3 Course Meal | Drinks at Bar Prices

Phone (03) 5480 2388 | 26A Percy Street, Echuca

www.clrs.org.au | email - admin@clrs.org.au

Proudly Supported by

Elmore/Lockington/Rochester **Community Bank**® branches

Bendigo Bank



2012 Fundraising Committee

L-R: Suzanna Barry, Meaghan Broom, Cletus Gilmour, Beth Kimball, Narelle Bain, Michael Kennedy, Duncan Smith and Kathy Kostoglou

2011

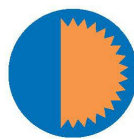
5th Annual Fundraising Dinner



with special guest Steven Bradbury - "Last Man Standing"

Lucky Door Prizes, Auction & Raffle

proceeds to



Community Living
& Respite Services Inc.

providing a range of support to carers, people with disabilities & the aged

Tuesday 22nd February 2011 | 6.30pm at the Moama Bowling Club

Tickets \$100 pp | 3 Course Meal | Drinks At Bar Prices

Phone 5480 2388 | 26A Percy Street Echuca





2011 Fundraising Committee

L-R: Rhys Glenn, Heidi Glenn, Suzanna Barry, John Edwards, Jan Rankin, Cletus Gilmour, Kathy Kostoglou, Meaghan Broom, Beth Kimball, Duncan Smith with guest speaker Steven Bradbury

2010

4th Annual Fundraising Dinner



Community Living
& Respite Services Inc.

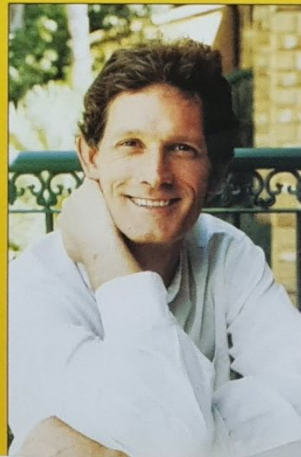
Lucky Door Prizes
Raffle
Select Auction Items

Community Living & Respite Services Inc. has been providing Disability Support Services to our local community for the past 30 years!

Your support of our Fundraising Dinner will assist us to support people with disabilities and their families, and help us to develop new programs in 2010.

Tickets available from Community Living & Respite Services Inc.
188 Annesley Street Echuca
Ph 5480 2388

Guest Speaker
Greg Champion



A night of fun, music & aussie stories
with Greg Champion from the "Coodabeens"

Tuesday 23rd February 2010
6:30 pm Moama Bowling Club
\$100 pp, including a 3 course meal.



drinks at bar prices



www.clrs.org.au



2010 Fundraising Committee

L-R: Kathy Kostoglou, John Edwards, Cletus Gilmour, Duncan Smith, Jan Rankin, Rhys Glenn, Heidi Glenn, Della Nelson and Suzanna Barry

2009

3rd Annual Fundraising Dinner



Community Living
& Respite Services Inc.

**Tuesday 24th February, 2009
6.30pm at the Moama Bowling Club**

Community Living & Respite Services Inc. has been providing disability support services to the local community for the past 30 years. The first Annual Dinner was held in 2007 for Waratah House ~ the first specialised accommodation home for people with disabilities in Moama.

Since then CLRS has added 2 more services in Echuca! Your support of the Annual Dinner will assist the further growth and expansion of the our elderly carers program and services to local people with disabilities and their families.

**Inspirational
Guest speaker, pilot & author
Janine Shepherd**



A champion cross country skier in training for the Winter Olympics, her life was irrevocably altered when she was run over by a truck during a training bicycle ride to the Blue Mountains.

See www.janineshepherd.com

**\$100 pp, including 3 course meal
Drinks at bar prices**

Proudly sponsored by the following:



Tickets available from:

**Community Living & Respite Services Inc.
188 Annesley Street Echuca
Ph: 5480 2388**

"Providing a range of supports to carers, people with disabilities & the aged"

2nd Annual Waratah House Fundraiser

Tuesday 4 March, 2008
6.30pm at the Moama Bowling Club

Community Living & Respite Services Inc. is a disability support service with 28 years of experience in Echuca and surrounding districts. Waratah House is a newly established specialist accommodation home for people with disabilities in the Murray Shire. Your help is needed to raise a further \$40,000 to assist with ongoing improvements to the home, and to continue to expand accommodation options for people with disabilities in our local community.

\$100pp including 3 course meal
Drinks at Bar Prices



Guest Speaker

General Peter Cosgrove

	Date	Annual Dinner
17th Annual Dinner (Curtis McGrath OAM)	27/02/2025	\$83,197.00
16th Annual Dinner (Janine Shepherd AM)	29/02/2024	\$79,353.35
15th Annual Dinner (Peter Rowsthorn)	2/03/2023	\$85,452.97
14th Annual Dinner (Tim Ferguson)	25/02/2020	\$81,748.68
13th Annual Dinner (Gill Hicks AM MBE FRSA)	26/02/2019	\$75,587.00
12th Annual Dinner (Anna Meares OAM)	27/02/2018	\$76,713.00
11th Annual Dinner (Peter FitzSimons)	28/02/2017	\$78,274.00
10th Annual Dinner (Tim McCallum - Singer)	24/10/2016	\$79,656.00
9th Annual Dinner (Ben Price - Comedian)	24/02/2015	\$70,371.00
8th Annual Dinner (James Castrission & Justin Jones)	1/02/2014	\$69,117.00
7th Annual Dinner (Raymond Crowe - Comedian, Magician & Shadow artistry)	26/02/2013	\$70,462.00
6th Annual Dinner (Anh Do)	28/02/2012	\$52,500.00
5th Annual Dinner (Steven Bradbury)	22/02/2011	\$42,500.00
4th Annual Dinner (Greg Champion - Singer/Songwriter)	23/02/2010	\$28,248.00
3rd Annual Dinner (Janine Shepherd)	24/02/2009	\$28,945.00
2nd Annual Dinner (General Peter Gosgrove)	4/03/2008	\$32,350.00
1st Annual Dinner (John Kennedy Snr)	27/02/2007	\$34,052.00
Fundraising Events		\$1,068,527.00