



The Carbiner

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THE OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF THE CARBINE CLUB



**EDITION 2 of 2025- 21 Feb
Tasmania-Racing Luncheon
South Australia – LIV Golf Luncheon
Calendar of Events**



CARBINE HARVESTER

Best Odds Guaranteed At BetMGM Handicap
Lingfield Park 9th January 2025



Ridden by Harry Burns and Trained by William Haggas
Owned by Carbine Of London Racing 5



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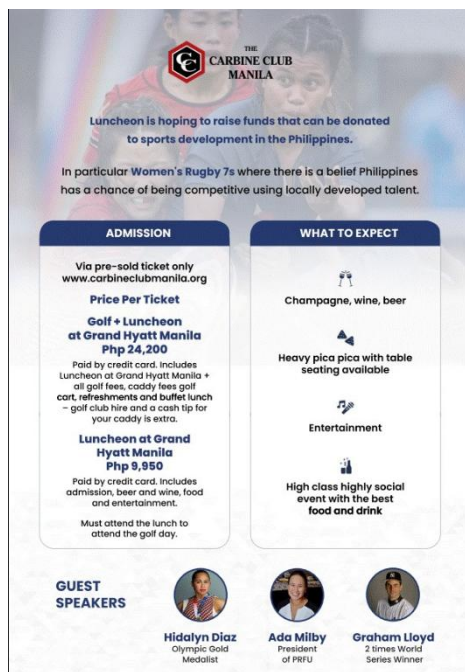
The Carbine Club of London has been celebrating of late – the Club Syndicate's horse Carbine Harvester recently notched up a hat trick of wins breaking his duck with a win at Wolverhampton on Monday 2nd December. He then followed that up with a comprehensive 3 and 3/4 length win at Southwell on Sunday 29th December, followed by his latest win at Lingfield Park on 9 January. The Carbine Club of Tasmania is hoping for similar success having recently joined in a syndicate to race a horse by Puissance De Lune – no doubt Adam Sangster President of The Carbine Club will be cheering them on as he stands the sire at his Swettenham Stud in Victoria.

What's on in March?

The inaugural **Carbine Club of Manila** Luncheon kick starts the month where a strong contingent from other clubs will join founder Chris Moriarty and his team for the very first club event.

As always, CCPNG is on the move with so many of their members making the journey to Manila the Club had to change the date of their AGM for fear of not making a quorum back at home!

On the Gold Coast, it's off to the races for the Carbine Club Gold Coast Stakes meet on 8 March, and **CCACT** will also be celebrating racing with the Black Opal Luncheon on 7 March.



THE CARBINE CLUB MANILA

Luncheon is hoping to raise funds that can be donated to sports development in the Philippines.

In particular Women's Rugby 7s where there is a belief Philippines has a chance of being competitive using locally developed talent.

ADMISSION	WHAT TO EXPECT
Via pre-sold ticket only www.carbineclubmanila.org Price Per Ticket Golf + Luncheon at Grand Hyatt Manila Php 24,200 Paid by credit card. Includes Luncheon at Grand Hyatt Manila + all golf fees, caddy fees, golf cart, refreshments and buffet lunch - golf club hire and a cash tip for your caddy is extra. Luncheon at Grand Hyatt Manila Php 8,950 Paid by credit card. Includes admission, beer and wine, food and entertainment. Must attend the lunch to attend the golf day.	Champagne, wine, beer Heavy pica pica with table seating available Entertainment High class highly social event with the best food and drink

GUEST SPEAKERS

- Hidalyn Diaz
Olympic Gold Medalist
- Ada Milby
President of PFFU
- Graham Lloyd
2 times World Series Winner

Overseas clubs are busy – London has the annual Pre-Cheltenham Festival Dinner at the OXO Tower on the 4th; **PNG** club will have a MO Lunch at the Bacchus Restaurant on the 21st where tales from the Philippines may or may not be heard? **Hong Kong** will celebrate the renowned Ruby Sevens on the 28th, on this occasion the Club will be at a new venue, The Kerry Hotel in Hung Hom. Also on the 28th **Singapore** will hold the intriguingly named Cans and Crabs Luncheon – President David Brooker knows how to throw a party and this will be a special occasion in the Lion City.

Back in Aus, **CCSA** have the AGM at member Peter Hurley's Arkaba Hotel on the 14th and the **Victorian** members gather at the Heroes Club for a luncheon on the 12th.



CARBINE CLUB GOLD COAST STAKES

JEWEL RACEDAY

SATURDAY, 8 MARCH 2025

GLASSHOUSE & THE PERCH, GOLD COAST TURF CLUB

Entry to the racecourse • Reserved seating on tables of ten • the Gold Beverage Package • Gold buffet • Racebook

TICKETS \$165

AQUIS PARK XXXX cn Accor Hotels and Resorts TAB



BUSINESS CONNECT

THE CHAMPIONS LUNCH

PRESENTED BY THE CARBINE CLUB OF NSW & ATC BUSINESS CONNECT

Save the Date

Enjoy a two-course meal accompanied by live entertainment, charity auction, raffle and much more!

Date: Friday 4th April 2025
Time: 12.00pm - 3.00pm
Location: Winx Stand, Royal Randwick
Dress Code: Corporate Attire

Looking ahead to April, the CCNSW racing event is the major annual event – early flyer at left.

Carbine Club of Tasmania



In her first event as President of the Tasmanian chapter, Wendy Kennedy welcomed over 200 guests to the Club's Derby Day Luncheon at Elwick Racecourse where guest speaker and Carbine Club member (VIC) Michael Christian was very well received with his tales of the turf and footy.

Michael brought along his The Everest trophy won by Bella Nipotina for all to see, and was generous with his time.

Five new members were welcomed into the club on the day in Jane Howlett MP, Jackie Fleischmann, John Erends, Steve Hawkins, and Steph Barry-Murphy.

The luncheon is followed by the Tasmanian Racing Club's Derby Day where the Carbine Club Plate for 3 year olds is an event on the card; this year the winner ridden by visiting Irish jockey John Allan carried the Carbine Club's colours to victory – a good prelude for these colours to feature on the Club syndicate horse?

(CCTAS President Wendy Kennedy with Will Hodgman and new member The Hon Jane Howlett MP)



Above - Michael Christian & Member Paul Taranto Members Steve Farquer, Dean Richards & Glenn Phair

Below – President Wendy with John Allan



The Everest Trophy



South Australia - LIV Golf Adelaide

Adelaide became Alive with the pending LIV Golf event starting on Friday 14th February 2025.

The William Magarey Room at Adelaide Oval was the venue for the Carbine Club of SA LIV Golf Function on 12th February 2025, undoubtedly a premier venue event in Adelaide with the beautiful Adelaide Oval as a backdrop. While the city sweltered under a hot sun with temperatures of 43c, the Magarey Room was the perfect cool venue to host 651 members and guests both locally and interstate. Serafino wines and West End beers were gratefully accepted, especially by those who endured the short but warm walk across the River Torrens from the CBD to the Oval.



MC for the day was the very charismatic, Lawrence Mooney, who had the attention of all attendees from the very start and introduced Club President, Chris Dittmar (pic left) for a welcome and opening address. This was a sincere moment for Chris given the LIV GOLF Luncheon was mooted by Chris Dittmar a couple of years ago and has been an outstanding success, this was Chris's last function as President before handing over to incoming President, Eric Granger.

Among the many guests, Chris welcomed Premier of South Australia, Peter Malinauskas MP, David Firth, GM BankSA and Westpac major sponsor of CCSA; Peter Margin, Chair Golf Australia, James Sutherland, CEO Golf Australia, Rod Phillips, President Golf Australia SA, Matt Cowdrey OAM MP, Shadow Minister for Sport, Steve Maglieri, MD of Serafino Wines, Jared Shattock of Lion (West End), Nick Addison CEO of AOSMA and Darren Thomas MD of Thomas Foods. Darren is a Member of CCSA and was instrumental in securing our speakers for this event via LIV Golf who were also acknowledged..

After a short break Lawrence Mooney welcomed our Guests for the day, Marc Leishman, Matt Jones and Lucas Herbert along with a late inclusion, but very welcome surprise guest panellist , Cam Smith. No truth in the rumour that the Premier, Peter Malinauskas convinced Cam to join us after meeting up with him on the Monday night prior. To have the four Aussie Members of Ripper Golf join in for the CCSA LIV Golf Luncheon was superb.

Club Member, Darren Thomas, interviewed the four players who provided insight on the decision to join LIV, the benefit they received by joining and bringing world class golf to various parts of the world along with the support they received back from the many followers of Golf. All four players commented on how the Adelaide event is seen by all players at LIV golf as being the pinnacle of the tour which includes the fan base, the pure quality and presentation of the Grange Golf Club and the support from State Govt and organisations such as Thomas Foods in South Australia. Cam Smith was very supportive of the event staying in SA and did not see the need for another event in Australia.



L-R Darren Thomas, Cam Smith, Steve Maglieri, Marc Leishman (standing) Lucas Herbert and Matt Jones

In appreciation of their attendance, each player was presented with a bottle of Serafino Shark Tooth Shiraz by Steve Maglieri.

Lawrence Mooney (pic right) kept the crowd entertained well into the afternoon, living up to his reputation as one of Australia's acclaimed comedians.

Rod Phillips, President of Golf Australia SA was on hand to announce the prize winners of the raffle managed by Golf SA which included rounds of golf for four people at Kooyonga, Royal Adelaide, Glenelg and Grange golf clubs along with an outdoor Wood oven donated by Nick Karasoulos from Harvey Norman, accommodation at the Oval Hotel and a Magnum of Serafino Shiraz. Funds raised to the tune of \$21,000 will be utilised for the expansion of Junior Golf in SA.

Festivities continued at the Adelaide Oval until 6pm with many Members and guests then gathering at the Strathmore Hotel. A long enjoyable day had by all.



L-R Premier of SA Peter Malinauskas, Lucas Herbert, Marc Leishman, Matt Jones, Darren Thomas, Cam Smith and Chris Dittmar



The Magarey Room

(Thanks to CCSA Secretary Neville Mead for the SA news)

Calendar of Events



The Carbine Club

www.thecarbineclub.org.au

Wed 12th March- Members lunch at Toorak Services (Heroes) Club

Wed 7th May- Annual Meeting and Members Lunch, Garden Rooms, Crown Towers 12 noon

Saturday 17th May -VRC Committee Room Invitation – Andrew Ramsden Race Day

Thu 24th July- Annual Dinner (venue tbc) at 6:30pm, preceded by CC Delegates meeting, RACV @12 noon

Tuesday 23rd September -AFL Grand Final Luncheon at Crown Palladium from 12 noon

Friday 31st October -VRC Derby Eve Luncheon at Crown Palladium from 12 noon

Australian Capital Territory



7 March – Black Opal Racing Luncheon at the National Press Club



Hong Kong

www.carbineclubhk.com

28th March- Rugby Sevens Luncheon, The Kerry Hotel



London

www.carbineclublondon.org.uk

Pre-Cheltenham Festival dinner at the OXO Tower Restaurant on Tuesday 4th March 2025 at 7:00pm

The Royal Box for the Brigadier Gerard Meeting at Sandown Park on Thursday 29th May 2025 from 5pm

CCL golf day at Royal Mid Surrey Golf Club on Friday 30th May 2025 from 12 noon

Lord's Luncheon on Thursday 3rd July 2025 from 12 noon

AGM, Sam Vestey and Melbourne Cup Eve dinner, Bluebird Café in Chelsea on Monday 3rd November 2025

Manila

www.carbineclubmanila.org

28 Feb 2025-Manila Golf Day

1 March 2025 Inaugural Lunch – The Penthouse, 70th floor at the Grand Hyatt



New South Wales

www.carbineclubnsw.com.au

4 April- Champions Lunch, Royal Randwick



New Zealand

www.carbineclubnz.org.nz



Northern Territory

www.carbineclubnt.org.au



Papua New Guinea

21 Mar – MO Lunch, Bacchus Restaurant

16 May – Sportsmans Lunch-State of Origin- Hilton Hotel

20 Jun – MO Gantry Lunch, RPYC PMGFC Gantry

15 Aug – MO Italian Lunch, Lamana

5 Sep – Sportsmans Lunch – 50th Independence, Hilton Hotel

25 Oct – Cox Plate Day, Aviat Club

Nov/Dec - Members Xmas Cocktail Party TBC



Queensland

www.carbineclubqueensland.com.au

8 March- Race Day Gold Coast Turf Club

28 March AGM-Kurrawa Surf Life Saving Club (revised date)

16 May Members Lunch TBC

June State of Origin Lunch TBC

15 August Members Lunch TBC

2 December Cricket Lunch Cricketers Club

	 <i>Singapore</i> www.carbineclub.com.sg Friday 28th March – The Australian Way Lunch Friday 25th July – Crabs and Cans Locked Door Lunch Friday 12th December – Christmas Lunch
	<i>South Australia</i> www.carbineclubsa.com.au Carbine Club AGM, Members Only. Osmond Room, Arkaba Hotel 14th March 2025 SAJC Luncheon Friday 9th May 2025 Celebrating the Goodwood, Venue Morphetville “Wolf Blass “The Man” Function Centre”. Members Anniversary Luncheon Late July 2025 date and Venue TBC SANFL Grand Final Late Sept 2025 Magarey Room Adelaide Oval Date TBC Ashes Test Tuesday 16th December 2025 Magarey Room Adelaide Oval
	<i>Tasmania</i> www.carbineclubtasmania.com.au International Congress – 5-9 Feb, 2026
	<i>Tokyo</i> www.carbineclubtokyo.com
	<i>Vanuatu</i>
	<i>Western Australia</i> www.carbineclubwa.com.au