



A History of Dabblers Social Club Inc

1982 to 2007

Celebrating 25 years

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How It All Began

Dabblers Social Club was the brainchild of founder, Chris Tooley. Chris grew up in Kalinga, a quiet suburb where, he said, not much happened. Chris was mainly interested in theatre, political discussion and real and model trains. However, he found that people in specialist groups tended to be involved in just one area, while he wanted a wider scene. He was keen to meet people who had a range of similar interests to his. Were there others who desired to mix on a wider front and if so, where were they?

From 1980 to 1982 Chris thought often of the group he sought and one day at work the title “Dabblers” suggested itself to him. While chatting with friends Lorna and Charlie G, (later foundation members), Charlie suggested advertising for such people. Thus was born the idea of forming a club. Consequently, Chris ran the advertisement in a north side local newspaper. The original is retained in Dabbler records.

Dabblers Unite

People who would like to participate in a variety of non-sporting hobbies, other activities or events might be interested in helping to establish a “Dabbler’s Club”.

The club would be for people who like to do a little bit of everything in the company of other “dabblers”.

If the club is formed, it is envisaged that the new body would promote a general interest in such diverse subjects as politics, the physical and social sciences in a practical as well as theoretical sense, the cultural affairs including group bookings to see new plays or films, and some community welfare projects.

Contact PO Box 378 Nundah

This ad was answered by a number of people, including Melissa C who is still a member of Dabblers Social Club today. Melissa has supplied much of the early information contained here.

Over the next couple of months Chris canvassed local papers, writing letters to the Editor seeking people with like interests, asking them to contact him.

One of the people who contacted Chris, Vita G-H, offered her home at Brighton for the first meeting which was held on 12 October, 1982.

Dabblers' First Meeting

The first meeting was attended by nine people. Interestingly, Chris, then aged 27, was the youngest at that first meeting and all there were strangers. Chris outlined his basic ideas for the club and the way he saw it operating. Then, everyone took turns to state their interests and reasons for coming. Although hobbies mentioned ranged from photography to bread-making to discussion groups, the overall tone was more “brain than brawn”, with Chris stating he wasn’t into sports at all. It was also said straight up that any club formed would not be a covert matchmaking exercise. The idea was that it would be a non-profit, member-driven concern, which is what evolved, and still is today!

Public servant Chris then did mammoth work, gathering names and details and organising early functions, such as picnics, visits to restaurants, theatre outings and discussion evenings.

Early members soon felt very relaxed and friendly and numbers grew, with Chris assiduously keeping it all documented, attendees being asked to write their details at every function. When Chris bought his home at Windsor, he hosted many great barbeques and meetings and managed to know and talk to all.

Melissa C, a foundation member, has a document which is a list of prospective 'Dabblers' up to 4 April 1983. Many of these remained members for some time. They included Olga E, Kay H, Gordon H, Scott B, Andrew D, Bruce (now deceased) and Janet M, Joe M, Vonette M, Lorna and Charlie G, and Doug Y.

Of the first 100 official members recorded on the database today, those listed below are still members. They are listed with their member number in order of joining. The Club has four members who have been awarded a Life Membership for service to the Club (also listed).

1	Chris T	Life Member	42	Mark D	
3	Melissa C		44	Andrew H	
15	Clyde A		53	Glen H	
16	Wendy S		59	Steven D	
18	Ian J		83	Joe H	
22	Norah B		99	Geoff S	
26	Allan D		281	Helen C	Life Member
36	Allan B	Life Member	638	Alan G	Life Member

The Early Years

With no formalities in place other than the recording of participants, events including guest speaker evenings, picnics, barbeques and car rallies were held. From the outset members displayed openness and warmth. At this early stage it was decided that the Club would be run on the basis of every member putting on an event annually.

Early functions were often held in members' homes. Chris and others organised guest speakers from Amateur Theatre and like groups to address the meetings.

As is still the case, early Dabblers were better at attending functions than at organising them. Chris said he believes the Club would not have reached the 'critical mass' needed to hold its own momentum and he would probably have given up after a couple of years, had it not been for the efforts of Esther C and Valentina R, who joined sometime post 1983. They got things moving, attracting many new Dabblers and are remembered fondly by early members.

Also memorable were very successful Guest Speaker evenings held in a hall at Windsor. These covered a wide range of topics and consistently attracted large numbers.

The Club advertised in such publications as the Teachers' Union Journal and the Nurses' Union Journal. Copies of the newsletter were left at hospitals and in Brisbane City Council Libraries to attract members with a wide range of interests and abilities.

Steady growth in member numbers led to increased diversity in functions offered. Soon, regular sporting, theatre and Book Club activities developed. This in turn strengthened the levels of friendship among members.

Early Records

The earliest records available are of an Executive Committee Meeting in August 1983. By this stage the Club had adopted a Constitution and the Executive met monthly. It appears that the Executive consisted of President, Treasurer, Secretary, Membership Records Officer and Newsletter Editor, with a Publicity Officer being added later. Due to the lack of records available for this period, it is difficult to ascertain who held various committee positions.

Initially, all Club records, including newsletters, were compiled using a typewriter and were then copied for distribution by gestetner or other means. Much correspondence was hand written. A far cry from the luxury of using computers today!

Computerisation of Club Records

Harry H was the Club's first computer guru, lightening the load for Chris by putting member details on a database. Chris' love of keeping tabs on all, cross-referencing and analysing information was given a giant boost.

According to Club records, the quote for the Club's first computer was for a total of \$2,995. This system would "hold records for up to one thousand members and could also be used as a word processor for the newsletter, if we should ever need it", to quote from Harry's report to the committee on the need for a Club computer. How times have changed with most of our committee work today being computerised.

The computer was duly purchased in 1989 and Harry H put in many long hours entering all of the Club's records on to computer. Later, Alan G and Jay G converted the data from D Base to the present format.

However, it was not until October 1994 that Allan B, with the assistance of Lyn L, introduced the use of a word processor in the production of the newsletter. Exchanges of faxes between Social Secretary and Newsletter Editor became established procedure in compiling the newsletter with multiple copies of the draft newsletter available for ratification and amendment at committee meetings. Today, most committee members have either a Club supplied or their own computer and much of the necessary contact is made by email.

Bundaberg Dabblers

A little known fact is that there were several attempts to set up Dabblers Clubs, based on the original in other areas, namely Bundaberg. This group was still going strongly in 1985, but it is unknown what eventually happened to it. There were attempts to start another group in Melbourne, but details of its outcome are not available.

A Predominance of Female Members

By the late 80's, Club membership had reached 388, with 244 females and 144 males. Obviously the Club was then, as now, very appealing to women, with the number of female members continuing to heavily outweigh male members. At this point serious consideration was given to restricting the number of female admissions to the Club. However, it was decided not to proceed with this idea. As then, Dabblers has continued to have a predominance of female members.

Incorporation

In 1989 the Club become incorporated and as an Incorporated Association was obliged to have a set of rules which complied with the Associations Incorporation Act of 1981. Much of the work on aligning the Club rules was done by Harry H. A copy of the Certificate of Incorporation is held in Club records.

Changes to the Constitution

In early 1993, under the presidency of Alan G, a sub committee of Allan B, Austin G and Marelle B was set up to review and recommend any changes to the rules of the Club considered necessary at that time. This committee worked long and hard and made significant and far reaching changes to the Club rules.

Most relevant were the changes to the rule dealing with "vacancies on management committee," setting limits on the length of time any member could hold a committee position (re Clause 13.4).

This was the last full overhaul of the Club's rules and most are still in action and working well today. At the Annual General Meeting in 2005 it was decided that a committee would review the Club's rules. Michael B (President 2003-2005) undertook this task but came to the conclusion that there was no need to make any changes.

Critical Incidents in Club History

Several critical incidents have occurred over the life of the Club. The first was in 1988 when Chris Tooley decided to stand down as Club President. For a time there was some concern as to Chris' future role in the Club over which he had presided for five years. Although he handed over the reigns to a new committee, Chris kept a watchful eye on his beloved Club.

As the Club's founding father he had guided it from inception, setting it on the road to being a very successful Club which would offer the chance for friendship and entertainment to over 2000 members to date.

Another incident occurred in 1993. The key players were the majority of the Management Committee versus the then President Alan G and it involved the management of membership records.

After a vote of "no confidence" in the President had been carried by a majority of the Management Committee, a Special General Meeting was called, but aborted due to a technicality.

At this time meetings were held in the Caledonian Club at Kangaroo Point. A second meeting was called early in 1993 and attended by some 70 members. All Management Committee positions were declared vacant and the election of a new committee took place. Alan G was duly re-elected as President. Few members of the “old” Management Committee sought re-election.

First Attempt to Establish a Young Dabblers Group

In the early days of the Dabblers Social Club there was only one group with no age division. Few members would realise that the first attempt to establish a younger group within the Dabblers Club took place early in the Club’s history.

A long-time member, who is still active today, is Norah B. She recalls earlier attempts to start up a younger group. Perusal of the minutes of the Annual General Meeting for 1985 showed that John B was elected to the committee as the Young Dabblers Representative “to bring younger members together, with functions not to be exclusive to Young Dabblers members”. At the next monthly meeting it was proposed that newsletter items would show “Y/D” to indicate the function was a Young Dabblers function.

Newsletters from April 1985 contained a separate section entitled “Young Dabblers Report” and listed functions for the younger group. This section continued throughout 1986 but had ceased by the middle of 1987.

By the Annual General Meeting of 1987 it was decided to abandon the position of Young Dabblers Representative on the committee.

However, the idea did not die altogether and over the intervening years was often brought up for discussion at monthly meetings of the committee. There are frequent references in the minutes of meetings throughout the late 80's about the need for more members in the 20-35 age range and the need for a "Young Dabblers" group.

In 1988 there was even some informal discussion between Chris Tooley and others about the possibility of setting up a "Teen Dabblers," aged 14 to 19, who might be young relatives and young friends of Dabblers members. There is no evidence that this idea was carried any further than discussion.

So, how did Young Dabblers finally come into being?

Setting Up of Young Dabblers

From a high level of membership in 1990 of 385 members, numbers began to decline, falling to 250 in 1993, to 220 in 1994 and 180 in 1995. The average age of members had increased to over 50 years and it was obvious that something had to be done to turn things around. A number of new members' nights were held in private residences of Christine R (Publicity Officer) and Allan B (President), but numbers did not improve.

Noticeable was the number of young members who turned up once but were never seen again. So, with the future in mind, Allan B began to keep records of these younger people and their contact details.

One of these young people was Jay G, daughter of Alan G (President 1992-1993). In June 1995, encouraged by her father and Allan B, Jay was invited to fill the 11th position on the committee with a view to implementing Allan B's idea of forming an official Young Dabblers Group. Jay made contact with some of those who had shown interest and a small group began to form, with Jay hosting most of the functions.

What really gave the group a boost was the appearance on the scene of Fiona K, Kerry S, Ali S, Fran K, Barbara Z and Jackie B. They had been members of another club and were well versed in this sort of activity. They immediately began to host functions, relieving the pressure on Jay. They used calendars from their previous club to get ideas for functions and the variety of these functions was immediately appealing to prospective members.

This stalwart band of girls was well organised and attuned to increasing the number of younger members. When they found that there was a prospective new member coming to a function, they would ring-around to all Young Dabblers members to make sure that everyone attended to present the best possible image to the newcomer. They then did a follow-up on new members to encourage them to continue to attend and to join. The results were spectacular, with membership in the younger group increasing and continuing to grow.

Very successful functions included weekends away, especially to the Bunya Mountains, which became a yearly event. House parties were always popular, many of them being fancy dress. Nightclubs, roller-blading, archery, shooting ranges, bush walks and picnics, were just a few of the functions which appeared in the separate Young Dabbler section of the newsletter. Many of these are still popular today.

Michael B's (President 2003-2005) Jelly Days were among the more novel functions held, along with the very popular "Two Gregs" Birthday Party (two Gregs are better than one), which has been running since 1998.

Young Dabblers became a vital part of the Dabblers Social Club and this was capped when, in 2000, Carol C became the first ever Young Dabbler to be elected President with other Young Dabblers, Fiona K as Secretary, Chrissy G as Membership Records Officer and Kerry S as Publicity Officer. The "Young Dabs" have been prominent on the committee ever since.

Today's Groups

Today, the Young Dabblers are called Group B with the upper age range increasing to approximately 45. Group A is advertised as the "middle to older group", while Group B is the "middle to younger group". Without the introduction of the Young Dabblers our Club would possibly not have survived. We owe them a debt of gratitude for their hard work.

Long Running Functions

Book Club

The Book Club first appeared in the Club's newsletter in July 1984. It appears to have become a regular feature from early 1985 and has been running ever since. Ian J is the long-time organiser of this much loved monthly function with literally thousands of books having been reviewed over the intervening period. The Book Club is still functioning and is held monthly in various members' homes.

Social Tennis

Another long running function is the Social Tennis which is held on both the north and south side. From the very early years tennis has been a very popular function. At times there was tennis on several nights of the week. Northside tennis has long been organised by Pam H, but was previously organised by Barry C and others.

Southside tennis is still running today at Wishart. At Eight Mile Plains a group of early players are still playing, but no longer as Dabblers.

Card and Games Nights

Many members' first introduction to the Club was through card and games nights often held at Allan B's residence.

Golf

Golf has long been offered as an activity in our newsletters. For some years Paul hosted a moving golf day, playing at Greens around Brisbane and the north coast. In 1996 Alan D began to host this event and is still doing so to this day.

Classical Music

Classical music has long been offered as a function. In 1994 Bill B began to offer “Beautiful Classics” at his home at Mt Gravatt. He is still hosting this function today.

The “Two Gregs” Birthday Party

Since 1998 both Greg McM (“Cuz”) and Greg W (“Woody”) have annually hosted the “Two Gregs” Party (two Gregs are better than one) to celebrate their birthday. This very popular event usually took the form of a themed fancy dress party. Following celebrations in September 2007, the 10th year, the “Two Gregs” have decided to bring this event to a close.

Club Camps – Australia Day, Easter, May and June Long Weekends

For many years the various Club camps have been a popular function, with many new members attending and quickly making friends. Locations have been Tallebudgera and Currimundi in recent years. In the earlier years there were camping and canoeing trips at destinations such as Kooralbyn, Warwick, Halse Lodge at Noosa and Lake Cooroibah.

The long running Australia Day weekend at Kingscliffe, staying at the wonderful old Grand Pacific Hotel, has many memories for many members. Running since approx 1995, it is still in action, despite being told each year that it will be the last one!

The Easter Camps in particular have seen both groups attend and mix well.

Outdoor Activities

Many members have been introduced to a range of outdoor activities through the Club. Hec G (President 1993-1994) organised many camping and walking expeditions for members, taking them to areas they'd never been before.

Christmas Parties

Another yearly whole Club event is the Christmas Party which always achieves a great roll-up. Christmas in July has also been a popular function.

Club Birthday Party

Each year in October members celebrate the Club's birthday. This is traditionally held in a central park and is informal and friendly. Membership usually climbs after this popular function.

The Club Today

So, after 25 years where is the Dabblers Social Club today? How has it changed over the years?

It is still a truly egalitarian Club. No distinction has ever been made on the grounds of age, gender, religion, marital status, income or interests of members. Activities are open to married members and singles. In the early days families with children often attended. As the membership has aged this is less evident.

The Club is unrestricted in the range of activities it offers. If anyone wants to promote an activity, that's a good enough reason for offering it in the newsletter. The Club's beauty is that if one member has a function they wish to attend but do not wish to go alone, they have an avenue for collecting a group to go with them.

While relationships and quite a number of marriages have developed within the Club, it has never served as an overt or covert matchmaking group.

Dabblers Social Club is well-managed, with policies in place to cover all situations. It is a true "do-it-yourself" enterprise, where functions are put on by members, either in their homes or elsewhere, with a small cost to cover expenses. Alternatively they nominate themselves as the organiser for outside functions. By and large, costs are kept low, making functions accessible to all income levels.

This system has worked brilliantly over the last 25 years and has been a huge factor in the Club's success.

To quote foundation member, Melissa C, "For many it would be true to say that Dabblers has immeasurably enriched their lives. For some, coming out of loss, isolation or a move from somewhere else, it has been a life-saver."

As Elsie C, a long time member put it, “Both men and women feel intimidated when they first venture out into the social scene. Some run in fright at the first meeting and never come back. Some of us have been lucky and through Dabblers Social Club, we have gradually found that the world is not going to eat us”.

The Club has presented an opportunity for a safe entry, or re-entry into the social scene with people who have wide interests and are also alone and looking for social contact. Many life-long friendships have been forged in the Dabblers Social Club.

Many members have served on the committee over the years, giving back some of what the Club has given them (see page 18). At the anniversary of 25 years of existence, let us hope that Dabblers Social Club will continue to be a force in the lives of its members and will continue to give them and new folk in and around Brisbane, opportunities for fun and friendship.

Long may it live!

Committee Members Since 1982

The following list has been pieced together from perusal of the Minutes of Annual General Meetings and reference to the committee members listed on newsletters where available.

Apologies to anyone who has been left out or wrongly listed.

1982 – 1983

President	Chris Tooley
Vice President	Charlie G
Secretary	Helen E
Treasurer	Bruce M
Committee Members	Marcia H
Assistant Com Members	Janine S / Scott B

1984

President	Chris Tooley
Secretary	Bev J / Robyn S
Treasurer	Bruce M
Newsletter Editor	Rae S / Andy S
Social Secretary	Val R / Theresa S

1985

President	Chris Tooley
Secretary	Robyn S / Bev J
Treasurer	Bruce M / Paul J
Newsletter Editor	Andy S
Social Secretary	Theresa S
Publicity Officer	Victoria S

Elected at AGM 1986

President	Chris Tooley
Vice President**	Anne S / Robyn S
Secretary	Barbara N
Treasurer	Paul J
Social Secretary	Allan H
Publicity Officer	Vicki S
Membership Records Officer**	Sandra W
Newsletter Editor	Shelley P
Young Dabblers Rep **	John B
(**new position)	

Elected at AGM 1987

President	Chris Tooley
Vice President	Don M
Secretary	Andrew J
Treasurer	Anne S / Bev H
Social Secretary	Glen H/ Susan B / Jenny B
Deputy Social Secretary**	Meg M / Alan H
Publicity Officer	Andrew D / Harry H
M'ship Records Officer	Harry H / Helen L
Newsletter Editor	Bev J / Ann S / Don M / Jill C
(**new position)	

Elected at AGM 1988

President	Don M /Andrew J
Vice President	Andrew J / Helen C
Secretary	Helen L
Treasurer	Ted H
Social Secretary	Jenny B
Deputy Social Secretary	Alan H
Publicity Officer	Harry H
M'ship Records Officer	Jim W
Newsletter Editor	Jill C

Elected at AGM 1989

President	Andrew J
Vice President	Helen C
Secretary	Joan M
Treasurer	Ted H
Social Secretary	Jenny B
Deputy Social Secretary	Kay B / Bev H
Publicity Officer	Harry H / Kay R
M'ship Records Officer	Jim W / Rita C
Newsletter Editor	Gary R

Elected at AGM 1990

President	Helen C
Vice President	Gary R
Secretary	Debbie S
Treasurer	Ted H
Social Secretary	Ruth A
Deputy Social Secretary	Norah B / John H
Publicity Officer	Kay W
M'ship Records Officer	Liz S
Newsletter Editor	Bev B

Elected at AGM 1991

President	Helen C
Vice President	Ron D
Secretary	Debbie S
Treasurer	Norah B
Social Secretary	Ruth A / John D
Deputy Social Secretary	John D / Moyna
Publicity Officer	Kay W
M'ship Records Officer	Liz S
Newsletter Editor	Alan G

Elected at AGM 1992

President	Alan G
Vice President	Deborah S / Allan B
Secretary	Robyn A / Miriam B / Carol P
Treasurer	Ann D
Social Secretary	Len H
Deputy Social Secretary	Moyna M / Hazel E / Barbara P
Publicity Officer	Kay R / Christine R
M'ship Records Officer	Liz S / Joycelyn M
Newsletter Editor	Bill B / Ted S

Elected at AGM 1993

President	Hector G
Vice President	Allan B
Secretary	Carol P / Jean B
Treasurer	Austin G / Alan G
Social Secretary	Lyn L / Ros S
Deputy Social Secretary	Jean B / Greta S
Publicity Officer	Christine R
M'ship Records Officer	Joycelyn M
Newsletter Editor	Ted S

Elected at AGM 1994

President	Allan B
Vice President	Wendy C
Secretary	Jean B
Treasurer	Mavis H
Social Secretary	Ros S
Deputy Social Secretary	Pam S / Anne L
Publicity Officer	Christine R
M'ship Records Officer	Joycelyn M
Newsletter Editor	Lyn L / Jan D / Trish E
Committee Members	Alan G / Jay G

Elected at AGM 1995

President	David A
Vice President	Wendy C
Secretary	Pam H
Treasurer	Mavis H
Social Secretary	Catherine S
Deputy Social Secretary	Anne L
Publicity Officer	June McC
M'ship Records Officer	Barry C
Newsletter Editor	Phil K / Jeanette K
Committee Members	Jay G / Ann D

Elected at AGM 1996

President	Ralph R
Vice President	George S
Secretary	Pam H
Treasurer	Jan D / John T
Social Secretary	Catherine S
Deputy Social Secretary	June McC
Publicity Officer	Bev W / Joan D
M'ship Records Officer	Alan G
Newsletter Editor	Judy E

Elected at AGM 1997

President	Ralph R / Bill H
Vice President	George S
Secretary	Pam H
Treasurer	John T
Social Secretary	Denice C
Deputy Social Secretary	Mike K
Publicity Officer	Joan D / Bev B
M'ship Records Officer	Greta S / Norah B
Newsletter Editor	Susan H
Committee Members	Kerry S / Paul N

Elected at AGM 1998

President	Bill H
Vice President	Barry C
Secretary	Hazel W
Treasurer	John T
Social Secretary	Dawn D
Deputy Social Secretary	Anne L
Publicity Officer	Beverley B
M'ship Records Officer	Norah B
Newsletter Editor	Susan H
Committee Members	Kerry S / Carol C

Elected at AGM 1999

President	Denice C
Vice President	Carol C
Secretary	Fiona K
Treasurer	John T
Social Secretary	Trish E / Dawn D
Deputy Social Secretary	Anne L
Publicity Officer	Carol C
M'ship Records Officer	Chrissy G
Newsletter Editor	Susan H
Committee Members	Kerry S / Erik P

Elected at AGM 2000

President	Carol C
Vice President	Dawn D
Secretary	Fiona K
Treasurer	John T
Social Secretary	Bill H
Deputy Social Secretary	Bill F
Publicity Officer	Kerry S
M'ship Records Officer	Chrissy G
Newsletter Editor	Susan H
Committee Members	Carmel W / Greg McM

Elected at AGM 2001

President	Carmel W
Vice President	Michael B
Secretary	Fiona K / Pam H
Treasurer	John T
Social Secretary	Bill F
Deputy Social Secretary	Geraldine S
Publicity Officer	Anita R / Sally A
M'ship Records Officer	Chrissy G
Newsletter Editor	Susan H
Committee Members	Anne O / Kath W

Elected at AGM 2002

President	Carmel W
Vice President	Michael B
Secretary	Pam H
Treasurer	John T
Social Secretary	Barry G
Deputy Social Secretary	Geraldine S
Publicity Officer	Sally A
M'ship Records Officer	Chrissy P
Newsletter Editor	Susan H / Norah B
Committee Members	Norah B / Andrew M

Elected at AGM 2003

President	Michael B
Vice President	Tony W
Secretary	Pam H
Treasurer	Arthur W
Social Secretary	Joan O'C
Deputy Social Secretary	Evelyn P
Publicity Officer	Sally A
M'ship Records Officer	Kathryn A
Newsletter Editor	Norah B
Committee Members	Paul C / Belinda B

Elected at AGM 2004

President	Michael B
Vice President	John T / Bob W
Secretary	Pam H
Treasurer	Arthur W
Social Secretary	Evelyn P
Deputy Social Secretary	Gail K
Publicity Officer	Judy K
M'ship Records Officer	Linda Be
Newsletter Editor	Susan G
Committee Members	Wendy B / Shannon K

Elected at AGM 2005

President	Linda Be
Vice President	Bob W
Secretary	LLyris K
Treasurer	Arthur W
Social Secretary A	Gail K
Deputy Social Secretary A	Shirley C
Social Secretary	B Glenda C
Deputy Social Secretary B	Annetta C
Publicity Officer	Judy K
M'ship Records Officer	Michael A
Newsletter Editor	Susan G

Elected at AGM 2006

President	Linda Be / Kevin C
Vice President	Greg McM
Secretary	Cheryll Y
Treasurer	Julie O
Social Secretary A	Bill H
Deputy Social Secretary A	Mike H
Social Secretary B	Sheryl M
Deputy Social Secretary B	Annetta C
Public Relations Officer	Claire H
M'ship Records Officer	Ludo De L / Shirley B
Newsletter Editor	Kathryn A

Elected at AGM 2007

President	Kathryn A
Vice President	Sheryl M
Secretary	Fiona K
Treasurer	Arthur W
Social Secretary A	Judy C
Deputy Social Secretary A	Position vacant
Social Secretary B	Paul C / Roger G
Deputy Social Secretary B	Glynn T
Public Relations Officer	Jackie G
M'ship Records Officer	Shirley B
Newsletter Editor	Kevin C