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Sadly in the few months since our last issue, we have once again lost some very good mates.

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Our lovely Page 3 girl this issue is Judy Rodwell and we have lots of pics of Courses from years gone by. See Page 3



If you own an Apple computer, don't be complacent, they do attract viruses. And, be careful if you use public WiFi.

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The RAAF Surface Finishers held their reunion at Ipswich.

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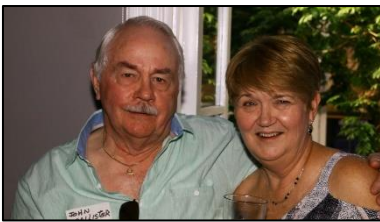


DVA have announced grants to support young ADF members when they leave the forces. Well done!

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Ian "Tiny" Ashbrook continues his story – well worth a read.

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The Djinnang Association held their annual get together at the Trans hotel in Brisbane.

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Jet engines are interesting bits of machinery. As is Big Ben in London, how does it keep perfect time?

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Butterworth was an amazing posting, all those who spent time there have fond memories.

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Does aromatherapy work? And what are the effects of stress on your body?

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Jeff continues with excerpts from his book "Wallaby Airlines".

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ANZAC Day in Brisbane was once again wonderfully supported by the public.

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Back in September 1975, one of the RAAF's Caribous was hi-jacked.

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The Australian Vintage Aviation Society held their second Airshow at Caboolture airfield.

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John recounts his experience flying the modified Australian Vampire.

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Sick parade.

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We're looking for a few people, perhaps you can help??

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This is where you have your say. We look forward to hearing from you.

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Here's the news, all the news, the whole news and nothing but the news.

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The Index is now finished - all references have been linked so if you're looking for a topic or a photo of someone, click on the [Index](#) link on the top of each page and just follow the links.

2021 – the RAAF's 100 year anniversary.

In 2021 the RAAF turns 100 – and we're going to celebrate – big time. See [HERE](#)

RAM thought for the day.

Laughter is the fireworks of the soul.



Reunions.

If you're having a reunion and you would like us to cover it and publish it, let us know and we'll see what can be done.

Errors

Our aim is to have this site error free – but that's probably impossible. But with your help I reckon we can get pretty close. If you see any errors, be they punctuation, spelling, links that don't work, facts wrong etc, (no matter how small) please let us know so we can fix them.