



# The Taverner

Home of the Lord's Taverners Peel

*Giving the young and disadvantaged a sporting chance*

July 2015

## Lord's Taverners Residential Sports Development Program

Lord's Taverners Peel Branch has continued its long standing partnership with Fairbridge, Lord's Taverners Western Australia Branch and the Western Australian Cricket Association (WACA) to build on our residential sports development programs where we give 'disadvantaged young people a sporting chance'.



The program uses sport as a tool to positively engage young people and provide the needed skills and expertise to enable them to reach their full potential.

In 2014/15 we are again planning a three day residential program with the WACA to bring together 25 young Aboriginal women from throughout Western Australia to engage them in a specialist cricket development camp. The aim will be the same as last year to build the Western Australian Imparja Women's Cricket Team to compete in the National competition.

We are again planning a five day residential program with the WACA to bring together 20 disengaged Aboriginal teenagers from the north of

Perth to engage them in a specialist cricket development camp.

While on the program they will be involved not only in developing their cricket skills but also a range of adventure therapy activities, facilitated by the Fairbridge Outdoor Recreation Team. Further to this they will attend a Cultural Leadership



session with Fairbridge Cultural Coordinator, Koodah Cornwall, to give them a deeper understanding of their culture and help them to find their place in life.

### BECOME A MEMBER

\$50 for standard membership or \$5 for Juniors (Under 18 years of age)  
membership@lordstavernerspeel.org.au  
Download application form from website

## Lord's Taverners Annual Dinner

The Lord's Taverners Peel Region is proud to announce the Junior Lord's Taverner. The Peel Branch has been running its Junior Taverner program since 2004.

This program is for cricketers aged between 14 and 18 who show outstanding qualities of ability, sportsmanship and general attitude to the game, both on and off the field. Junior Lord's Taverner for 2014 was awarded to Aaron Burrage, and presented by branch captain Justin Langer at our Annual Dinner.

During the evening we celebrated the contribution to the Branch by Barrie Hudson, Lou Giglia and Patrick Oldfield who were given Honorary Life Memberships in recognition of their contribution.



### Lord's Taverners Annual Dinner 2015

**Guests of Honour:**

**David Wirrpanda**  
**Sam Whiteman**

Wednesday 12th August  
Mandurah Quay Resort

Book  
Now  
**\$75**

Non-Members \$85

Presentation of the Junior Taverner of the Year Award

3 Course meal, includes Maiolo wine  
Bookings: Phone Rachel Forward  
on 0407 987 752 or  
email: raf@bmy.com.au



## Jnr Taverners Raise \$1,000 Towards Sports Development Program



At the event Junior Lord's Taverners Chairman Samuel Anderson spoke well in front of 50 dignitaries and Peel Cricket clubs.

The Juniors had raised \$1,000 towards the cricket kits to go to local Junior cricket clubs to enable less fortunate young people to have

access to cricket and \$1,000 toward the Lord's Taverners Residential Sports Development Program to be run at Fairbridge Village for 20 disadvantage young people from the Peel Region. Great to see our young people leading the way!

## Fairbridge and Taverners Team Up



Lord's Taverners Australia Peel Region Branch signed a Memorandum of Understanding with the Peel Cricket Board and Fairbridge Western Australia, witnessed by the CEO of the WACA Christine Matthews, where we have agreed to work together to give the young and disadvantaged from the Peel Region a sporting chance.

## Cricket Kits Donated for Kids in Need



Lord's Taverners Peel Region Branch were able to distribute 20 cricket kits to 13 Junior Cricket Clubs in the Peel Region and to the Peel Cricket Board to give disadvantaged kids a sporting chance. We also announced funding to the Peel Cricket Board to run a Lord's Taverners Residential Sports Development Program at Fairbridge Village to provide 20 disadvantaged young people the opportunity to attend a camp to increase their cricket skills through the support of WACA coaching staff.

This will be in the way of the Lord's Taverners Peel Branch funding Cricket kits each year and supporting the Lord's Taverners Residential Sports Development Programs run at Fairbridge Village with coaching staff support from the WACA.

This MOU provides us with a foundation to grow our support for the young and disadvantaged in the Peel Region.

**BECOME A  
MEMBER TODAY!**

## Taverners Support the Manta Rays

Lord's Taverners Australia Peel Region Branch supports many disadvantaged young people to give them a sporting chance.

One of the recent groups we have agreed to support in the Peel Region is the Manta Rays Swimming Club for young people with a disability.

This group of young people and their families have a great passion for sport, especially swimming, and the Lord's Taverners Peel Region is committed to assisting the Manta Rays to support the young people

in their Club so they can reach their full potential. Recently we sponsored kitting the whole team in new uniforms to support them to attend the State Swimming Championships. We are pleased to announce they did brilliantly.

All the young people had a great day and they all came home with so many medals. They worked very hard and had heaps of fun too.

Between all of them there was: 14 Gold, 7 Silver, and 3 Bronze  
You can imagine how proud Manta



Rays Club and the families were of their kids. We are honoured to be involved to enable these young people to have access to such a great event and to enable them to perform to their best. Well done everyone and thank you to our members and supporters who make it all possible.