



Fellow Members

Not a lot of great news to report at the moment.

The clubs' General Manager and Administration Manager have both resigned in the last 10 days. The General Manger is still working in the club but with finish up before the end of the month. The Board did its absolute utmost to retain the GM but he decided he needed to move on.

We wish both the best in their future working life.

There is no doubt this presents the club a significant challenge, but the Board is taking all necessary steps to recruit replacement staff and put arrangements in place to maintain business continuity. We will be relying heavily on remaining staff to help us through this difficult time and are confident they will rise to the challenge.

On a more positive note, the entry arrangements to the THCC have now returned to normal. Members will still need to provide proof of membership and non-members and guests will need to sign in. There is nothing new about this – these arrangements were in place prior to COVID restriction. We thank you all for your forbearance and the staff for their patience, we all hope we will never see the likes of this again.

The Christmas holiday period was atypical for the club. There were lots of people in Tuross but it appeared visitors were still reluctant to gather in large numbers (in venues such as clubs) due to COVID concerns. This was reported in all clubs on the South Coast.

The upshot of this is that the club did not have the bumper trading result over the season it had enjoyed pre-COVID. Club trading results in our two major revenue streams – gaming and bar sales- did not reach expectations. This was again typical of other clubs in the area.

The club had previously expected that we would return to more positive cashflows by around February 2022, but this appears unlikely. It is difficult at the moment to predict when that trend will turn around, but it will.

One thing that will help is your continued patronage at the club and supporting entertainment events the club has planned. The Board, members and staff look forward to seeing you.

THCC Board

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