

# CRICKET in BUNDABERG

Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> to Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> October 2008

## AUSTRALIAN IFCR FESTIVAL

Only happens once every two years.  
Organise your own team, or phone the Co-ordinator for your District.  
Above all bring yourself and your partner.  
Non-Players' Programme provided.  
Umpires required.

**TEAMS.** Teams can be formed from Rotary Clubs/Cities/Districts/States/ Countries.  
IFCR New Zealand will participate.  
India ... Ravi is hoping to organise a side from Chennai

**Cricket Complex.** The white picket-fenced main oval is called Salter Oval and has been approved by the ACB in past years as a venue for first class matches. All States except NSW have played here, along with several International sides. The Cricketers' Pavilion is central to the complex and overlooks Salter Oval and three other ovals all with turf wickets. On the other side of the CBD is another complex with eight fields, so no team will be turned away! Synthetic wickets at this complex could be used in the case of unseasonal rain.

### PROGRAMME

Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> Oct. 6pm **Early Arrivals BBQ** Hosts Ian & Al. 7 Inspiration Court. See Registration Form for booking.

Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> Golf. See Registration Form for booking.  
6pm **Opening Ceremony** (includes meal) Civic Centre

Monday 13<sup>th</sup> Cricket 40 overs followed by Match Review & fellowship.  
**Half Day Historical Tour** See Registration Form for booking  
Afternoon: Transport provided to local shopping complexes.  
**Evening:** River Cruise to Baltimore Restaurant & return. See Registration Form for booking. OR Dining at local restaurants

Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> Team Photos. Cricket.  
**Half Day Craft Tour** See Registration Form for booking  
Afternoon: Transport provided to local shopping complexes  
**Evening:** Curry Night. Host Robert Ephraims See Registration Form for booking OR Dining at local restaurants

Wed. 15<sup>th</sup> 6.30 for 6.45am **Rotary Sunrise Breakfast meeting.**  
PCYC Maryborough Street next to High School.  
Guest Speaker Stan Gilchrist See Registration Form for booking  
**Half Day Local Tour** with lunch by the sea at Bargara See Registration Form for booking OR **Golf** at the beautiful Bargara Golf Club. See Registration Form for booking.  
3pm **Test Match** New Zealand v Australia Day/Night  
**Evening:** barbeque at the TEST MATCH!

Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> Cricket

**Half Day Childers Tour:** See Registration Form for booking

Transport provided to local shopping complexes

6.30pm **Closing Dinner** RSL Quay Street

## ACCOMMODATION

A special rate has been offered of \$50 per person per night at the Four Star **Sugar Country Motor Inn**. A continental breakfast will be served in the Convention Room for an additional \$10/head. The position is ideal as it is on the main street and easy walking distance to CBD, shops and restaurants. The motel will also make its bus available for transport to cricket.

Ph 07 4153 1166 [www.sugarcountry.com](http://www.sugarcountry.com)

When booking make sure you say Rotary Cricket and/or IFCR as all the units have been booked out to our Festival attendees. Hosts are Adam and Kelly.

A special rate of \$89 single or double has been quoted by the **Park Lane Motel** which is 3.5 Star. A continental and/or full breakfast will be arranged in the restaurant if required. The motel position is also perfect, just up the road from Sugar Country Motor Inn. Your host is Don. When booking quote "Rotary" or "IFCR". Phone 07 4151 2341

e-mail [info@parklanemotel.com.au](mailto:info@parklanemotel.com.au) [www.parklanemotel.com.au](http://www.parklanemotel.com.au)

Best Western Bundaberg City Motor Inn, 246 Bourbong Street (over the road from Park Lane Motel) is rated 4 Stars. They have given us a 10% discount. Continental or fully cooked Hot Breakfast available.

Single \$90 Double \$90 Mention "Rotary Cricket Carnival".

Phone 07 4152 5011 Reservations 1800 814 930

email: [bundycitymotorinn@bestwestern.com.au](mailto:bundycitymotorinn@bestwestern.com.au)

[www.bestwestern.com.au/bundaberg](http://www.bestwestern.com.au/bundaberg)

If you do want to stay at the beach, 20 minutes out of Bundaberg central, then look up accommodation at Bargara which is the name of Bundaberg's beach resort.

## TRAVEL TO BUNDABERG

By road from anywhere. Make sure to spend some time in Childers on your way through to visit the Memorial to the Backpackers killed in a fire there.

By train.

By plane – direct to Bundaberg from Brisbane, or to Hervey Bay direct from Sydney and Melbourne. A commercial Shuttle Bus operates from Hervey Bay and takes about 1½ hours.

## AUCTION

A very special bat autographed by Australia's BEST ONE DAY PLAYER Adam Gilchrist and in a presentation case, will be auctioned during the Festival plus a Limited Edition Adam Gilchrist Whisky Decanter. Funds raised will go to Australian

Rotary Health Research Fund. AMP have shown their support and will give a grant to the Fund of a further \$1 for every \$2 raised to a maximum of \$20,000.

**TEAM Coordinators.** If you would like to join one of the following teams then contact the relevant person. He will be more than pleased to add your name.

- Western Australia David Horsley 08 93673456  
David Johns 08 9751 5275  
Clive Craddon 08 9259 5647
- Victoria (Sec) Graeme Amore 03 9589 1902
- NSW Southern Division John Hamblin 02 6382 2117  
Northern Division David Breusch 02 67721505  
Northern Rivers Ian Robertson 02 6624 8583
- Queensland Bundaberg Ian Petherick 07 4155 3321  
Brisbane Peter Marer 07 3821 0888  
Bryan Fulcher 0417 784245  
Mackay/Rockhampton Graham Bowling 07 4957 7786  
mob 0413 737 041  
North Qld Bill Souter 07 4068 8171  
Sunshine Coast Chris Baker 0410 689415  
Stanthorpe Alex Harslett 07 4683 3168  
Toowoomba Robin Grundon 07 4635 1764
- South Australia Robert Brigden 08 8332 0842

### **REGISTRATION FORM**

See our web page and **CLICK** for Registration Form!

**Post- Festival suggestions.** (also see Registration Form query)

- Peppers Pier Resort Hervey Bay 07 4194 9700
- Kingfisher Bay Resort Fraser Island 1800 072 555
- Town of 1770 (1.5hrs north of Bundaberg) Day cruise to Fitzroy Lagoon in the Great Barrier Reef
- Plentiful supply of beach side accommodation at Bargara. (Bundaberg's beach)

### **CONTACT PERSON**

Ian Petherick (Festival Committee Chairman) Ph 07 4155 3321

email [ipeth@bigpond.com](mailto:ipeth@bigpond.com)

or Alison (Festival Secretary) 0409 4809 81

**HOSTS:** Rotary Club of Bundaberg Sunrise. We look forward to seeing you in Bundaberg for a great Festival of Rotary Cricket.