

AGM & Christmas Lunch - December 9

Only 22 Members were present at the Mt Lewis Club for the AGM on 9th December 2018, preceded by the last General Meeting of the year; this was a lower than normal attendance compared to recent AGMs. The main item of business was the election of the Committee for 2019. The major changes were Bob Gilliland replacing Martin Chapman as Vice President, and Scott Barraclough taking on the Membership Officer role that Martin had performed for almost 30 years. Martin was thanked for his lengthy service to the Club in his various roles over these years.



Photos (clockwise from above): President Graeme Gould presents Martin Chapman with his 30-year award; Ray Selby for 20 years; Rex and Mary Peters with their 30 year award; Bob Gilliland receives the new 'Most Consistent Member' award from its maker Stuart Treuer.



At the General Meeting beforehand, Graeme Gould presented 30 Year Membership Badges and Certificates to Rex & Mary Peters, and Martin Chapman, and a 20 Year Badge and Certificate to Ray Selby. The new perpetual trophy for Most

Consistent Member for the year (for most attendances at any Club event, anywhere, no matter what car driven and not including Committee meetings) was won by Bob Gilliland. This was presented to Bob by our Public Officer, Stuart Treuer, who had hand-made the trophy from an old bedhead – magnificent! Congratulations to all.

After the meetings, everyone moved into a special dining area of the Mt Lewis Club for the Christmas lunch, with turkey, ham with vegies served up, followed by Christmas pudding or fruit salad. After eating, the raffle was drawn, with every couple or person winning one of the many prizes on offer, many of which had been donated by the Chapmans. It was a great fun time – hopefully next time there will be more members present to enjoy it all!

Story and photos: Les Whale

