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Title: **Re: C'mon guys.**
Post by **douglapham** on **Jan 7th, 2007, 12:29am**

Dont worry about all that advice just get yourselves over here in April for the great reunion and see how the real people live.

Title: **Re: C'mon guys.**
Post by **Les De Bonde** on **Feb 2nd, 2007, 9:33am**

SSSSSHHHHHH We don't want you eastern staters knowing we live in Paradise . We have far too many of you over here now . Look forward to meeting up with you all at the reunion . AND you can't stay over here after its over . We will cancell ALL your passports !!!

Les De Bonde , Ex PO. Cook. Flinders,Albatross,Melbourne(Carrier) Leeuwin,Stuart , Leeuwin,Derwent.then Good Old WA .

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Message started by irish50561 on Mar 24th, 2007, 4:05pm

Title: **WA REUNION**
Post by **irish50561** on **Mar 24th, 2007, 4:05pm**

FESR members Peter & Jan Dicken have stepped forward and volunteered to present a wreath on behalf of President Brian McAuliffe and fellow NSW/ACT Division members at the ripper upcoming Anzac Weekend reunion in WA.

A cheque to cover the cost of a suitable wreath along with a covering letter of introduction for Peter and Jan has been forwarded by myself to your secretary. Sadly, due to ongoing committments on the Anzac weekend, Brian and myself and our wives Judy and Carol will be unable to attend but will be there in spirit. Regards. Irish.

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Message started by irish50561 on Apr 26th, 2007, 11:46am

Title: **LIFE MEMBERSHIP**
Post by **irish50561** on **Apr 26th, 2007, 11:46am**

Congratulations Bodgie old son on acheiving Life Membership of the FESR, a title well earned, good onya mate. Regards. Irish.

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Message started by Bodgie Sefton on Jun 1st, 2007, 4:09pm

Title: **WA AGM**
Post by **Bodgie Sefton** on **Jun 1st, 2007, 4:09pm**

The WA division's AGM will beheld at 1030 hrs on Thursday the 21st of June 2007 at the RAAFA Bullcreek.

Title: **Re: WA AGM**
Post by **douglapham** on **Jun 23rd, 2007, 12:45pm**

Congratulations Dennis on a job well done. (life membership)You certainly perform above and beyond the call of duty. Further congratulations to the re union commitee for all their efforts. I will roll my sleeves up at the next organised function. To date I have been very involved with the Lions organization. And most importantly what a great job was done by Gavin RYAN, it makes you proud to be a member of FESR WA. Good luck Gavin

Doug LAPHAM

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Message started by Bodgie Sefton on Jul 1st, 2007, 11:32am

Title: **Melbourne**
Post by **Bodgie Sefton** on **Jul 1st, 2007, 11:32am**

Iwas asked a question recently and didn't have a clue. Did the Melbourne {Carrier} have 4 blades on one screw and 3 on the other and if so why.

Title: **Re: Melbourne**
Post by **Paul** on **Jul 1st, 2007, 5:33pm**

Bodgie,
Have cleaned the screws on Melbourne , slid down them , and seen them many times as a ship's diver.
Guess what ?? No idea whatsoever how many blades. Guess it's called old age.
Regards ,
Paul.

Paul Stanton - ex A/LSAVN - SAR DIVER

Title: **Re: Melbourne**
Post by **tromb123** on **Jul 1st, 2007, 6:08pm**

Saw the 'Melbourne' in dry dock once, and it did have different screws either side. it was explained to me that it was because of the 'sail'. ie uneven weight either side. Of course, I have no way of knowing if this was true or not. But sounded logical.

Cheers

Title: **Re: Melbourne**
Post by **Vic_S** on **Jul 2nd, 2007, 1:13pm**

:)Refer to page 170 of Vince Fazio's "RAN Aircraft Carriers" page 170 in which he states: Quote: "An explosion in the Forward Machinery Space caused by snapping of the starboard propeller shaft shortened her (HMS PIONEER) service life. As a result the starboard propeller was replaced by a four-bladed unit in all ships of the COLOSSUS and MAJESTIC classes" unquote. On page 196 there is a photo of MELBOURNE in dry dock clearly showing a four- bladed starboard screw and three-bladed port screw.
Hope this clarifies the subject foer you

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State Divisions >> WA >> Re: Nominal Roll

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Message started by wings on Aug 31st, 2007, 9:54am

Title: **Re: Nominal Roll**
Post by **wings** on **Aug 31st, 2007, 9:54am**

Bodgie, noted the mention of the ' Nominal roll ' on this site awhile ago and also received the email from Wendy.. have duely sent out emails to all on my Quickmatch list ,who may qualify,to contact and enroll. Will also bring it up at our AGM/luncheon in Melbourne on Sept 17th and reunion in Sydney in May for those who aren't on email. They deserve the recognition. Wings

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State Divisions >> WA >> Re: Quick

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Message started by seashells on Nov 3rd, 2007, 3:55pm

Title: **Re: Quick**

Post by **seashells** on **Nov 3rd, 2007, 3:55pm**

Bad taste Pavarotti jokes

Pavarotti's death was terrible: a great singer lost to his art.

But nonetheless a punter of Geeklawyer's sent him some dreadfully distasteful humour that caused much offence. He repeats it here solely so that you are forewarned and not as shocked and offended as Geeklawyer was.

- 1: Elton John is taking over from Pavarotti in three tenors. They will be called two tenors and a nine bob note.
- 2: Pavarotti's wife on TV she looked like she lost a tenor and found a quid.
- 3: Pavarotti's wife got a great price on the coffin - it only cost her a tenor.

Disgraceful & quite uncalled for. Thanks heavens YOU didn't do sick Dianna jokes, that would have been too much to bear. :(

AND HERE ARE THE OTHERS

Did you hear that Pavarotti's wife found 20 quid this morning?
Makes up for the tenor she lost the other day. :(

Elton John is to replace Pavarotti in the three tenors.
It will now be known as the two tenors and the nine bob note! :(

I can sympathise with the Italians after the death of Pavarotti
I know what it's like to lose a tenner... >:(

Luciano Pavarotti recently celebrated his 70th birthday.
Reportedly, friends gave him a cake and good friends gave him several cakes.
Pavarotti tribute buffet..... all you can eat for a tenor! >:(

St Peter walks up to the Pearly gates and knocks.
God asks what he wants. St Peter replies "Here's that tenor I owe you!" >:(

Whats Pavarotti's wife getting for Christmas?
A smaller turkey... >:(