## DJINNANG Association Reunion. 29 May, 2002.

You've got to hand it to these blokes and blokettes, the Djinnang Association are a loyal and close knit bunch of people and they know how to hold a reunion. They've been getting together now every year for yonks to meet up, swap a bunch of old lies, expand on deeds done and times past and to share a cold one or two with old mates.

Some of them travel miles each year for the annual get together, they come across from Perth WA, others down from Townsville, and some up from Tassie.

On the 29<sup>th</sup> May, they held their annual General Meeting at the Queensland Public Service Club in Brisbane, and once again, they filled the place.

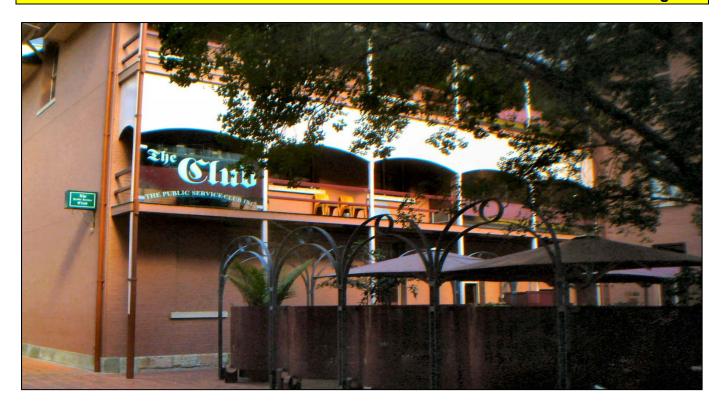
Of course, these things don't just happen, you need a good dedicated committee to organize all this, and the current committee has to be congratulated.



Treasurer, Ron Faulkner, President Mick Lawson and Secretary, Alison Cridland.

The members demonstrated their support in their committee by re-electing the old committee in total, for another 12 months.

They are, Mick Lawson (President), Ron Faulkner (Treasurer), Alison Cridland (Secretary), and John Cridland, Alyn Hawkes, Brian Webb, Ernie Gimm and John Carruthers were all re-elected as committee members.



The Queensland Public Service Club, in George St Brisbane, where the re-union was held.



Part of the excellent roll up of Djinnang members who attended the get together.



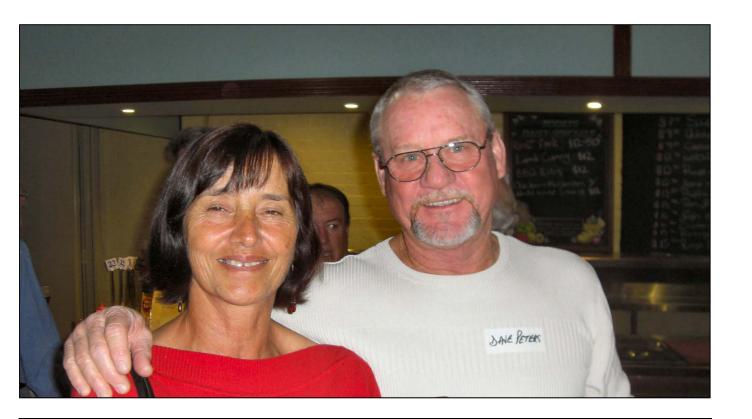
L-R: Col "Limpy" Mallett, Bernie Culley, Martin Lunn, Jim Neave, Norm and Fay Stanley



Jack and Margaret Khan and Ray "RG" Thompson.



L-R: The three L's, Lorraine Neave, Lorrene Carruthers and Lillian Coxhedge.



Jean and Dave Peters.



Alison Lutgenau – who was Alison Chandler, was a COMMSOP with the RAAF from 1970 until 1987.

She served at Frognall, Willytown and Amberley.



Jill Playford, who was Jill Sinclair, was also a COMMSOP with the RAAF from 1974 until 1985.

Jill served at Willytown, Glenbrook, Pearce, Wagga and Richmond.

These days she lives on the range behind Brisbane, north of Toowoomba.



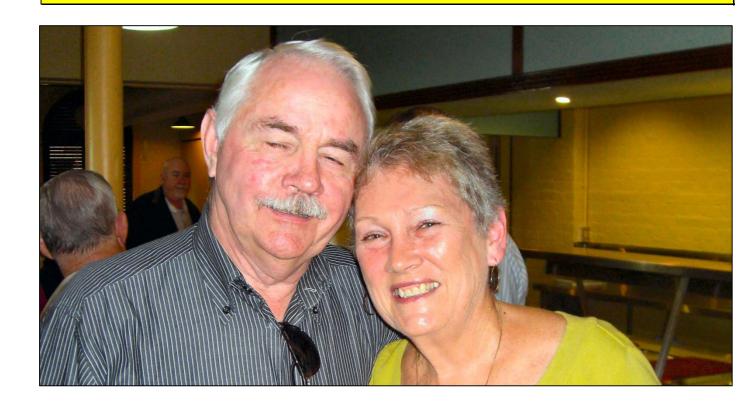
Glen Walton, who was a Teleg, and George Pollard, who was a scope iron wielder.



Joan and Glen "Buck" Buchanan



Trev Benneworth and Alison Cridland.



John McAllister and Jeanette Kiergaard.



Lalee Jagiello and Shirley Watson



Marg and Ian Greenacre. Every year, for many years past, both Marg and Ian hook up the caravan and set off from home, which is Perth, WA, and head east for the Djinnang reunion. After meeting up with old mates at the reunion, they head off for some serious "Grey Nomadding" where they always meet up with some new ones. Good luck to them we say....



**L-R:** Ron Amos, Graham and Maree Solomons, Kev Taylor.



Roslyn Smith and Vanessa Holt



Steward Linton and Diane Webb



And, of course, what RAAF turnout would be complete without a bar. The inn keeper-ess was kept busy most of the afternoon.