

REPORT FROM THE LOWER SOUTH EAST SUB BRANCH

Greetings from the Lower South East Sub Branch to ALL NASHOS in SA.

At our last meeting we had a good turnout of members where we had an after dinner Speaker, Leanne Dunn; relate to us her experiences over 19 years in the Navy, which she joined after some years in our local Naval Cadet unit.

Leanne explained how she was able to obtain a variety of postings as a female which took her on a diverse number of ships and shore based locations in many different parts of the world. She had a few very unique photographs which we would love to have shared with you through our magazine.

National Servicemen's Day was commemorated on 14th February at the Vansittart Park Memorial, with an Oration from our Patron, Major Bruce Ridland and Padre, Rev. John Deer. Most of those attending then adjourned to the RSL for an evening meal.

At our AGM in February, the following Office Bearers were returned to office or elected.

President.	Lyndon Manser.	Vice President.	Peter Johnson
Secretary.	Phil McInnes	Treasurer	Alec Laube
Committee members,	Clarrie Thompson & Kevin Davids.		
Committee & Publicity Officer,	Ted Jordan.		
Patron.	Major (Ret) Bruce Ridland. OBE		
Padre.	Reverend John Deer.		

Anzac day was commemorated in a very active way locally, I guess because of the 100 years media publicity has been apparent in recent times. Our Nasho group had a good turnout of members for the march, with some additional Nashos in the area at the time. The march was well supported by many hundreds lining the route and completed before the heavy rain which occurred during the Memorial Service that followed.

We continue to meet for our dinner meeting on the last Monday evening of each month at the local RSL and all Nashos are invited to join us.

Ted Jordan.
Publicity Officer.