



Queensland Branch News



20th September 2012

BRANCH MONTHLY MEETING

9.00am

TUESDAY 25TH SEPTEMBER 2012

held in the Union Rooms

It is important for all available off-roster members to attend this meeting.

WHY !!!

Members, much has been made recently regarding pending technological changes facing the Stevedoring industry in Terminals and the imminent approach of automation and its subsequent attack on the job security of our members.

The MUA will continue to ensure that as many positions as possible are maintained.

What has not been widely publicised is the attack on our historical areas of coverage in Bulk and General Stevedoring and rogue Companies tearing into the fabric of that coverage.

This issue is important for sustainable jobs in Stevedoring.

Members, it is time to get active or our members very livelihood will be at risk.

BBQ to follow the meeting.

SUPERANNUATION SEMINAR

2012 Update and Budget Seminar

Brisbane	Monday, 24 September 10.00am – 11.30am	MUA Brisbane 73 Southgate Ave, Cannon Hill
Mackay	Tuesday, 25 September 2.00pm – 3.30pm	QLD Council of Unions 41 Brisbane Street, Mackay
Townsville	Wednesday, 26 September 10.00am – 11.30am	18 Mcllwraith Street South Townsville

Maritime Super's management team and financial planners will be presenting the 2012 Fund Update at a location near you. The past year has certainly been an interesting one for super funds, and they will be providing a summary of how Maritime Super has performed over the last financial year, as well as the outlook for the future.

NEW ADDRESS ?

Members please keep the Union Office up to date and advise of any change of:

- home address
- email contact
- mobile number

GOLF DAY

Garry Clancy of DP World is endeavouring to organise a Gold Day for members irrespective of their workplaces. Looking to have this day early-mid December. The venue will be Gainsborough Greens at Pimpama.



Could the workplace delegates assist in providing names of those who express an interest in participating on this social day by **contacting Garry on mobile 0412 526 568**.

If sufficient numbers register, transport (bus) may be organised.

AMENDED BOWLING DAY - YOUTH COMMITTEE

The MUA Youth Committee have organised a bowling function, open to all members:

Time: 4pm

Date: Friday 28th September

Venue Boo Bowling Club 126 Breakfast Creek Road, Newstead
(Booroodabin Community & Recreation Club)

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