



NOVEMBER 2022

# CATCH-UP!

The Catholic Club Newsletter

"Go to the people  
and the places  
that set a spark  
in your soul."





# From the PRESIDENT'S DESK



Dear Fellow Member,

The month of October has had a flourish of all sorts of activity in the Club from renovations to entertaining evenings, the unexpected rains and some great sportsmanship. Some elder members reminiscing a few Mohammed Rafi songs in the bar to bingo wins... And in getting ready for the season, as always, spirits were high, what a finale with DJ Roly performing at a packed Masquerade Ball.

Due to the unexpected rains and festival holidays we saw decreased numbers and a steep fall in utilization. However with the rains and holidays behind us and the fast approaching Christmas season before us we are sure the club will be bustling again. Member utilization is the key to the Club's operations. We have some of the best facilities available in terms of sporting, recreation and food and beverages and therefore urge members to utilize these facilities.

The Managing Committee is trying its best to make coming to the club a pleasant experience and a place where members will enjoy spending time with family and their friends. We also believe that there is a lot more that can be done; we also believe that member feedback will provide the Committee with new insights to improve. To make this possible please email your suggestions to [president@catholicclub.com](mailto:president@catholicclub.com).

October was another eventful month for entertainment with the Fri Yay bar nites, Saturday Vibes and Sunday brunches continuing to rock the club. The Oktober Fest which was sponsored by King Fisher was an enjoyable noon to moon event with the Goan band Black in White entertaining our members with some super music.

It is very encouraging to see large numbers attending the Faith Programmes every month. The message for this month's theme - Family Prayer and Reflection was given well by Fr. Adrian Mascarenhas.

**Don't miss what's in store for November:**

**Diwali Party** with DJ Hussain

**Tribute to Shyam** from 'Shyam and the Westwind'

- performance by Butter Fingers

**Tribute to the Beatles**

- performance by Help an English Band.

The refurbishment of 12 Rooms in the Chambers has been completed and the balance 4 will be completed by November 15th. The ballroom Toilets are also under renovation and the PPC has committed to have it commissioned by the 15th of November.

The Managing Committee is gearing up to make December a memorable month with plans to have events very often. Most of the popular events will be part of the calendar and some new ones will be added providing members of all age groups something to cheer about. It will also be a month of giving as our Christmas celebrations kick off with CCOT'S 'Fun Day' where more than 700 under privileged children from 12 orphanages will be entertained in the Club.. Let's all contribute our time and money towards this worthy cause and help in making it a memorable Christmas for these wonderful children.

Looking Forward to meeting you dear members this month.

Warm Regards,

**Ricky Patel**

**President**

**CHRISTMAS is round the corner!**  
**We invite you to**  
**enrol at the club office to**  
**join the Catholic Club Choir!**



**Book your stall NOW!**  
For DETAILS  
enquire at the Office!

**The Christmas**  
**SHOP TILL YOU DROP**  
**Bazaar 2022**  
**11th to 16th Dec**





**RIDIK**

# 5-A-SIDE FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT RAJOTSAVA DAY SPECIAL



RS.1000  
ENTRY  
PER  
TEAM

**Tuesday,  
November 1st  
2022  
@ 10 am  
onwards**

**YUMMY  
BEER  
&  
BIRYANI**

**Max 7 players  
per Team**

**Guest Max 2 /  
team**

**Professional  
Referees**



For online Registration use the link

<https://forms.gle/e5PPRY3NhVCPZjka9>

for individual entries please contact Sunil Meda on 9008688900





HAPPY

# Diwali Party

FESTIVAL OF LIGHTS

FEATURING  
DJ HUSSAIN

THE BEST OF BOLLYWOOD

5th NOVEMBER 2022 @ CATHOLIC CLUB

WITH LIVE DHOL JAM

FIREWORKS DISPLAY

EXCITING GIFTS & PRIZES

Dress Code: ETHNIC & PARTY WEAR

MEMBERS: Rs. 200/-

DEPENDENT/ Sr. DEPENDENT: Rs. 100/-

GUEST: Rs. 750/-

GUEST CHILD: Rs. 200/-





**CATHOLIC CLUB**

**PRESENTS**

# **ROCK NIGHT**

**Wednesday, 9th November 2022 08:00 P.M. ONWARDS**

**WITH**

**DJ NEIL HOSKINS**

**FEATURING THE BEST OF SOFT, CLASSIC & HARD ROCK**



**ENTRY:**

**Members Free**

**Guest - Rs. 200/-**

Dress code: Smart Casuals

**RIGHTS OF ADMISSION RESERVED**





**Catholic Club Presents**

# HAWAIIAN PARADISE

**10th Nov - 6.30 pm**

**@ Ball Room**

**Seniors Grab your *Aloha!* Shirts and Hula Skirts & lets celebrate**



**Tickets**

*Member 300*

*Guest 600*

**TICKETS NOW ON SALE**

**Exciting Games,  
Lots of prizes,  
music, loads of  
fun & much more**







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# TABLE TENNIS

## TIN & BOTTLE TOURNAMENT



ENTRY FEE  
RS. 100

Friday,  
11th Nov 2022  
@ 6 pm

For Registration Contact

Shiva - 9060458583 & Peter - 8296230939





iKidZone

# PIXIE DUST

Kids Fun Fair

NOV 12, '22

12:00-3:30PM



POTTERY

BUZZ WIRE GAME

RING TOSS



CLOWN

BALLOON ART

PICTURIKA

POTATO TWISTER

FISH CUP GAME

SAFFRON MIST GAME

ENJOY ACTIVITY STALLS & GAMES

MEMBERS Rs 350 | GUESTS Rs 500

Yummy  
Snacks Box  
Included





# iKidZone

## The September weekend events winners:

1. Shogun Slogan- Chris, 13yrs
2. Sketchy Saturday- Samarth, 5 yrs and Adam, 8 yrs and Nathan 11 yrs
3. Sultans of Swing- Aria 5 yrs and Nathania 8 yrs
4. Saturday Cipher Quiz- Clare 8 yrs

It was a brightly lit October! The iKidz organised a weeklong "Diya Painting Competition" from 15th October to 24th October 2022. 40 kids participated in this event.

## FELIZ DIA DEL NINO (Day of the Child)!!

Come November, we have an exciting, fun filled Kids Carnival planned on 12th November 2022 between 12:00 to 4:00 pm. With lots of fun activities that kids of all age groups can enjoy. What's good for the kids is also fun for the adults. C'mon parents, time to let your hair down and partake in the carnival. fun activities like pottery, caricature, face painting, balloon art, games stalls, food, snacks, music and dancing. We are hoping the kids will have a fantastic time.

A month-long activity towards the "Gratitude Wall" will be planned in November to promote joy and happiness amongst the children where they can share their thanksgiving or gratitude messages for the year 2022.

A generous contribution of 2 wooden chess boards was made by Dr. Antony Robert. The iKidz is planning a Chess Tournament sometime soon, keep your pawns on alert for more information!!



## New Books purchased this month:

1. Dead to her- Sarah Pinoborough
2. Manhunter- Chris Ryan
3. Armoured- Mark Greaney
4. The Plot- Jean Hanff Korelitz
5. All or Nothing- Oolie Ollerton
6. Out Cost- Chris Ryan
7. Titans of War- Wilbur Smith
8. Cold Justice- Art Middleton
9. The 6:20 Man- David Baldacci
10. Total Control- Alex Shaw

## Donated Books:

1. Mr. Rufus Vincent Monteiro- 50 books
2. Mrs. Sunitha Srinivasan- 200 books
3. Mr. Sanjay Mehta- 23 books
4. Mrs. Bernadette Devaraj- 22 books
5. Mrs. Marianne De Nazareth- 55 books
6. Ms. Veronica Mathias- 20 books

Looking forward to a fun, exciting, activity filled November!

Take care and God Bless!

Caroline Lobo

MIC- Library, iKidz, Children and iBrowse





# Forever Young

REMEMBERING SHYAM



## THE BUTTERFINGERS & Friends

CATHOLIC CLUB  
Saturday, Nov 12

Members : FREE | Guests : 300/-





**Catholic Club Introducing**

**BINGO!**

**H o u s i e**

**Sunday, 13th November 2022, 11 am**

<b>BINGO</b>				
4	18	37	59	51
68				

<b>BINGO</b>				
4	18	37	59	
34	68	12	63	
28	54	FREE		



**MEMBERS & THEIR DEPENDENTS ABOVE 12 YRS HAVE TO PRODUCE THEIR MEMBERSHIP/ID CARD WHILE BUYING THE HOUSIE TICKET BOOKLETS. GUEST SHOULD PRODUCE THEIR GUEST ENTRY FEES SLIP OF Rs. 150 WHILE BUYING THE HOUSIE TICKET BOOKLETS.**





**CATHOLIC CLUB**

**PRESENTS**

# **HIP HOP NIGHT**

**Wednesday, 16th November 2022 08:00 P.M. ONWARDS**

**WITH  
DJ NEIL HOSKINS**

**FEATURING THE BEST OF OLD SCHOOL & NEW**

**AGE HIP HOP!!!**



**ENTRY:**

**Members Free**

**Guest - Rs. 200/-**

Dress code: Smart Casuals

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Catholic Club



# faith committee

Invites you to reflections with

**Fr Anil Dsa**

& song with

**Rabbis Gospel choir**

19th Nov '22 at 7:15 PM



*Philippians 4:6*

"Do not be anxious about anything,  
in every situation through prayer  
present your requests to God and  
be thankful."

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**FAMILIES**  
Children  
**LOVE**

*endures through all*

**FAMILY PRAYER & REFLECTION WITH  
FR. ADRIAN MASCARENHAS  
MUSIC & SONG LEAD BY  
SUNDAY CHILDRENS CHOIR  
OF ST PATRICK'S CHURCH**





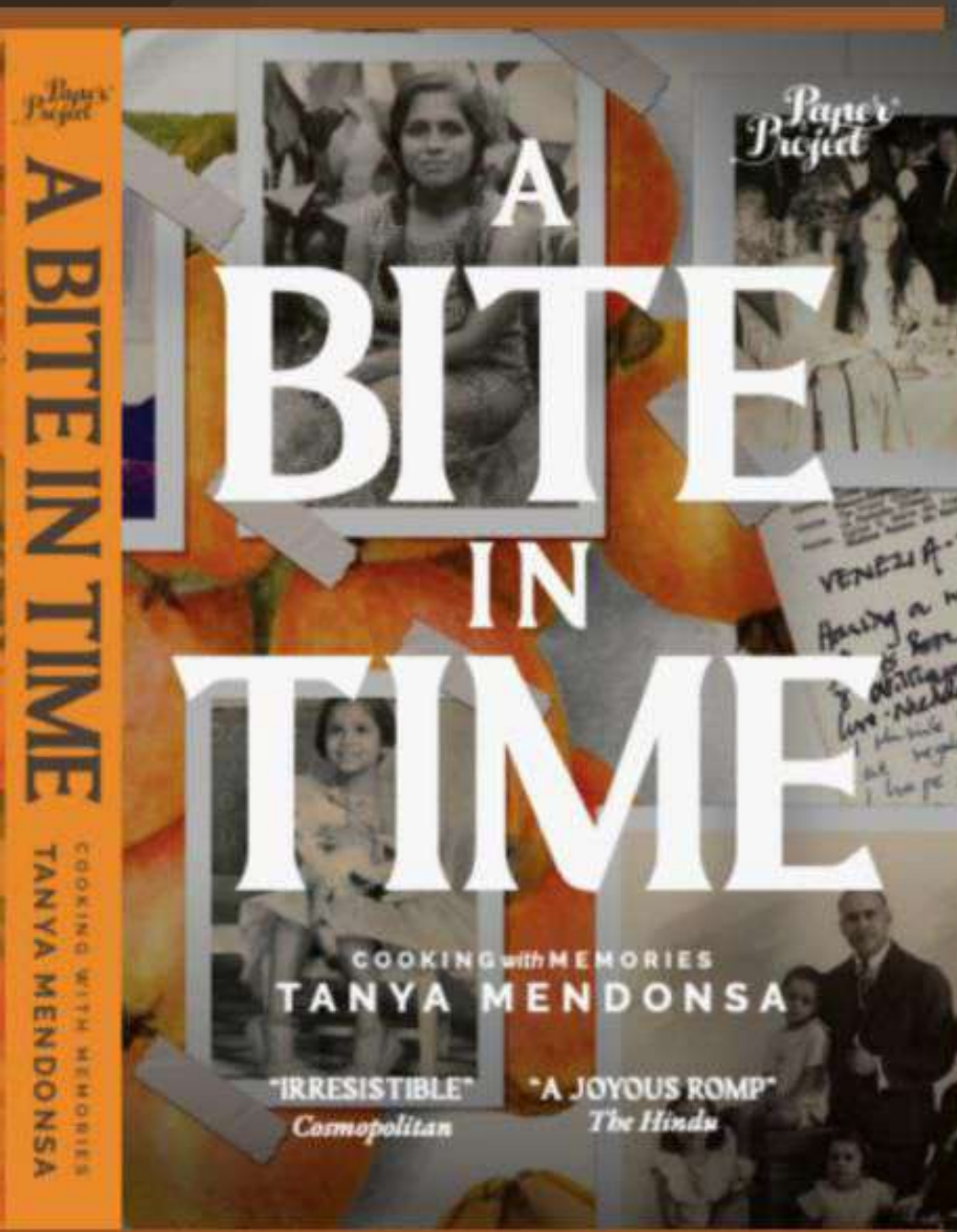


CATHOLIC CLUB-iBrowse Book Club  
&  
Karnataka Goan Association  
Present



Author **TANYA MENDONSA**  
In conversation with **CARLOS GUIDO**

25th Nov '22  
6:30 PM  
at CC Ball Room



A wonderful  
Mando  
performance  
by  
the KGA

Book sold  
at an  
attractive  
discount



"PART RECIPE BOOK, PART RICHLY DESCRIPTIVE MEMOIR, TANYA MENDONSA'S A BITE IN TIME EVOKES THE TASTES, SMELLS AND EMOTIONS OF LIFE FROM CALCUTTA TO PARIS AND BEYOND. A DELIGHT FOR THE SENSES - AND FOR ANY COOK IN SEARCH OF INSPIRATION!" - Shashi Tharoor





# Cooking is for the soul!!

Join us for the launch of Tanya Mendonsa's memoir "A Bite In Time" which evokes the tastes, smells and emotions of life from Calcutta to Paris and beyond.

A truly inspirational book for any cook. Hope to see all of you along with your family and friends at the event on **25th November 2022, 6:30 pm at Catholic Club Ball Room.**

Looking forward to a fun, exciting, activity filled November!

Take care and God Bless!  
**Caroline Lobo**  
MIC-IBrowse

CCOT conducted 13th Golf Tournament on the 21st of October. Although originally scheduled on the 14, had to be postponed due to weather. We had a overwhelming response with 118 Participants, which was beyond the capacity and quite a few were disappointed that they couldn't play.



PRESENTS  
**Charity Golf Tournament**  
13TH EDITION



The funds raised will go towards various activities making a huge difference to the underprivileged.

Vincent Pinto  
Chairman - CCOT







# CC ORPHANS' TRUST

**It's only with  
your support that  
CCOT can conduct  
various programs  
for the children of  
10 Institutions under  
our care.**

**And  
"Christmas Fun Day"  
is the most awaited  
one.**

Hello! It's been a great year that all of us bounced back from the pandemic that had hit us so hard. Last year, due to the pandemic or shall I say Endemic, we couldn't have the "Christmas Fun Day" in the Club. Nonetheless, we took it to each home, made sure the children did not miss the day.

This year we have decided to have the Fun Day back in the Club with all its glory like the yester years on the **4th of December 2022.**

Traditionally children from all the homes gather for breakfast, followed by a Talent Competition and Entertainment Programs. After a sumptuous lunch, more fun would follow. At the end of the day each child would be given a Personal Gift and a Goodie Bag filled with lots of essential items.

We will be having the "Fun Day" for over 850 children on the 4th of December 2022.

CCOT has been able to conduct such programs due to your support by way of donations; hence we require your patronage, do keep the donations coming in!!!

**For donations, you can meet us at the Club House Office or send to the CCOT Bank Account directly per the following details:**

**CATHOLIC CLUB ORPHANS TRUST**

**A/C no: 10977254188**

**IFS Code: SBIN0000813**

**Branch: St. Marks's Road**

All donors can avail 80G by providing PAN details.

Thank you and God Bless

**Vincent Pinto**

**Chairman**

**9632126667**





**CC ORPHANS' TRUST**  
PRESENTS  
**Charity Golf Tournament**  
13TH EDITION







CATHOLIC CLUB

PROUDLY PRESENTS

THE BEATLES EXPERIENCE  
LIVE IN CONCERT

FEATURING EUROPE'S NO:1 HELP! A BEATLES TRIBUTE

**OVER 500 SHOWS COVERING OVER 10 COUNTRIES!!**



FRIDAY, 18th NOVEMBER 2022

8 P.M. ONWARDS @ CATHOLIC CLUB

MEMBER TICKETS - Rs. 350/-

GUEST TICKETS - Rs. 750/-

Table with four chairs - Rs. 200/-



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**Catholic Club Presents**

# **DOLPHINS DAY**



**Saturday  
19th Nov 2022  
11am to 2 pm**

**Members  
Only**

## **ACTIVITIES**

**6years and below -  
swim a lap in the baby pool - 10mts Boys/girls  
swim race in baby pool & 20mts kick race with  
board in big pool**

**7-8years Boys and girls -  
20mts Freestyle, 20 mts Backstroke & 20mts  
Breast stroke**

**9-10years Boys and girls -  
20mts Freestyle, 20 mts Backstroke & 20mts  
Breast stroke**

**11-13years Boys and girls -  
20mts Freestyle, 20 mts Backstroke & 20mts  
Breast stroke**

**14-18years Boys and girls -  
20mts Freestyle, 20 mts Backstroke & 20mts  
Breast stroke**

**20- 40 years & 41 and above - Men & Women -  
40mts Freestyle, 40 mts Backstroke & 40mts  
Breast stroke**

**FOR MORE DETILS  
AND REGISTRATION  
CONTACT LIFE GUARD  
AT  
CLUB POOL DESK**





**PRESENTS**

**REGGAE  
&  
RETRO**

**SATURDAY, 26th NOVEMBER 2022. 08:00 p.m. onwards**

**FEATURING 'FOREFRONT'**



**Table with  
four chairs  
Rs. 200/-**

**TICKETS: Members - Rs. 250/- Guest - Rs. 499/-**





Can you solve the mystery by Mr. Lee?

# TREASURE HUNT

CASH PRIZES

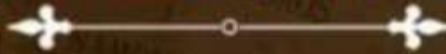


SUNDAY

27TH NOVEMBER 2022,

10.30 AM

(4 wheelers only)



Entry  
Rs. 750/-  
Max. 4 in a  
team

Beer &  
Biryani





# WHAT'S THE GOOD WORD!

## NEW Revised Room Tariff

w.e.f 1st of November 2022.

Validity Dates	Room Type	Members	Member's Guest
Nov 1st 2022 to 30th Nov 2022	Deluxe Room	2420	3500
	Suite Room	2970	4500
Dec 1st 2022 to Jan 31st 2023	Deluxe Room	2420	4200
	Suite Room	2970	5400
Feb 1st 2023 to Nov 30th 2023	Deluxe Room	2420	3500
	Suite Room	2970	4500

A real fun crowd this time, right from Shonali, the organiser, to the participants – which even included a team of room guests!

### Congratulations to the Winners-

1st – "Cousins & Aunt" aka Arjun, Anya, Serena & Fiona

2nd – Misha, Sagarika, Debashree and Faizan.

3rd – "The LG" aka Mark & Sheila Lushington, Warren & Candy Gaude.

The next What's the Good Word will be held on Friday 11th November 2022 from 7.00 pm.

Cedric Vaz  
MIC – Indoor & Outdoor Games







**Golden Greats Billiards and Snooker tournament drew a large super young member competing to the last point, youngest being the super strong 88 years old Mr. KEVIN MARTIN who gave rest of the players run for their money.**



## Billiards

Winner: Wilson Fernandes  
Runner: Jude Rajesh Ferrao

## Snooker

Winner: Kush Medhora  
Runner Up: T Srinivas

It was a great evening of celebrating the Golden Greats a evening of Fellowship gathering. Thank you Mr Kush Medhora for sponsoring the evening get together. Thank you to the markers and Sub-Committee members and fellow members for their continuous support.

As I pen down this report we have our club ladder Snooker and Billiards tournament in progress. Wishing all the players the very best to perform in the true sportsmanship of the game.

Members utilizing the room are requested to kindly maintain decorum inside the room. We have received complaints from members that they are disturbed while playing a game with loud talk and laugh. We would take this up seriously as this game requires silence in the room.

In spite of repeated requests members have failed to oblige our request to clear the locker fees arrears. Effective from 1st Nov 2022, member's card shall be debited for non-payment of arrears. Letters will also be sent to members to clear this arrear with immediate effect. Members, who are in arrears of Locker fees, should clear their dues by the 30th of Oct 2022 without fail.

We have as my subcommittee members, who you can reach out

1. Kush Medhora
2. K T Thomas
3. Eugene Victor

Feedback and suggestions are welcome and could be mailed to [mic-billiards@catholicclub.com](mailto:mic-billiards@catholicclub.com) and we would try to implement the same if possible.

Wishing to see many more members utilizing the room and participating in tournaments. Cheers.

**Jude Rajesh Ferrao - MIC**







# NOVEMBER



DATE	DAY	EVENT	TIME
01-11-2022	TUESDAY	FOOT BALL TOURNAMENT	11.00 AM
		BRIDGE	6.00 PM
04-11-2022	FRIDAY	BAR NITE WITH BAND FOUR PLAY	7.30 PM
05-11-2022	SATURDAY	DIWALI NITE WITH DJ HUSSAIN	8.00 PM
06-11-2022	SUNDAY	SUNDAY BRUNCH WITH IAN STEPHENSON	12.30 PM
		REGULAR HOUSIE	7.00 PM
07-11-2022	MONDAY	WHIST DRIVE	6.00 PM
08-11-2022	TUESDAY	BRIDGE	6.00 PM
09-11-2022	WEDNESDAY	ROCK NITE -DJ NEIL HOSKINS	8.00 PM
10-11-2022	THURSDAY	SUPER SENIOR - HAWAIIAN PARADISE	6.30 PM
11-11-2022	FRIDAY	TABLE TENNIS - TIN & BOTTLE	6.00 PM
12-11-2022	SATURDAY	FRIYAY with BAND 420	7.30 PM
		IKIDZ - PIXIE DUST	12 NOON
		TRIBUTE CONCERT TO SHYAM	
		by THE BUTTERFINGERS	8.00 PM
13-11-2022	SUNDAY	BINGO HOUSIE	11.00 AM
		SUNDAY BRUNCH WITH BAND RUMOURS	12.30 PM
14-11-2022	MONDAY	WHIST DRIVE	6.00 PM
15-11-2022	TUESDAY	BRIDGE	6.00 PM
16-11-2022	WEDNESDAY	HIP HOP NITE - DJ NEIL HOSKINS	8.00 PM
18-11-2022	FRIDAY	LIVE IN CONCERT - A BEATLES TRIBUTE	8.00 PM
19-11-2022	SATURDAY	FAITH PROGRAMME	
		- GRATITUDE BY FR. ANIL D'SA	7.15PM
20-11-2022	SUNDAY	DOLPHINS DAY	11.00 AM
		ROMP RUN	6.00 AM
		REGULAR HOUSIE	7.00 PM
21-11-2022	MONDAY	WHIST DRIVE	6.00 PM
22-11-2022	TUESDAY	BRIDGE	6.00PM
25-11-2022	FRIDAY	CC BOOK CLUB & KGA PRESENTS	
		- A BITE IN TIME by TANYA MENDONSA	6.30 PM
		BAR NITE WITH MIKE KERR	7.30 PM
26-11-2022	SATURDAY	REGGAE & RETRO - FEATURING FOREFRONT	8.00 PM
27-11-2022	SUNDAY	SUNDAY BRUNCH	12.30 PM
		TREASURE HUNT	10.30 AM
		REGULAR HOUSIE	7.00 PM
28-11-2022	MONDAY	WHIST DRIVE	6.00 PM
29-11-2022	TUESDAY	BRIDGE	6.00 PM

