



314SQNAAFCAFC NEWSLETTER 4/17

Activities

1. Cadets should check the Activity Calendar in CadetOne (C1) regularly for upcoming activities, and nominate early.
2. I wish to thank those cadets who participated in one or more of our ANZAC Day activities, and particularly those who formed the guard for the Dawn Service at Austinmer.
3. The **Lithgow Small Arms Factory Visit** (Activity 40705) scheduled for 30 Apr 17 had been postponed.
4. **Wings Over Illawarra 2017** is to be held over the weekend of 06-07 May 17 (<http://www.wingsoverillawarra.com.au>). For cadets wishing to attend in uniform on Saturday, information will be distributed tonight. For cadets wishing to attend in uniform on Sunday who have nominated for 3WGAAFC Activity 39854, timings will be distributed soon.
5. The **PEX weekend** at BATAC scheduled for the weekend of 19-21 May 17 has been cancelled. Cadets who have nominated for 338SQNAAFCAFC Activity 41283 should cancel their nomination.
6. **Bivouac 2/17** (Activity 37264) will not be rescheduled as advised in Newsletter 3/17. It will go ahead on the weekend of 19-21 May 17, at Cataract Scout Park.
7. The **3 Wing Competitions, 3 Wing Sports Finals Day** and **3 Wing Ball** will be held over the June long weekend (10-12 Jun 17). Cadets wishing to utilise AAFC transport and accommodation at RAAF Base Richmond should nominate for 3WGAAFC Activity 39848. Nominations for the 3 Wing Ball are now closed.

Recruiting

8. Preparation for 314 Squadron's next intake of new cadets will occur during July and August. If you know of any prospective cadets, please direct them to the SQN web site (<http://314sqn.aafc.org.au/join>).

Orders, Instructions and Publications

9. All members and their parents/guardians should familiarise themselves with the **Squadron Standard Operating Procedures (SQN SOP)**, which are available for download from the SQN web site (<http://314sqn.aafc.org.au/sop>) and for viewing on the SQN notice board.
10. **HQAAFC POR 03/17** was released on 14 Apr 17 and is available for download from the Information Circular page of the AAFC Intranet (<https://members.cadetnet.gov.au/aafc/Lists/Announcements/Current%20ICs.aspx>).

Administration

11. **SQN contributions** for the 2017 training year are \$80.00. Payment should be made to the FINO ASAP.

- a. Any member whose family is experiencing financial difficulty is encouraged to have their parent/guardian contact the undersigned.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "P.F. Barrett". The signature is written in a cursive style and is underlined with a single horizontal line.

PF Barrett
Flight Lieutenant (AAFC)
Commanding Officer

0447 981 980
paul.barrett@airforcecadets.gov.au

02 May 17