Dear members,

This year we saw another successful Easter race day. We raised \$1964.00 from this event and it was a fun day for all who attended. What we learned from the event this year was the need to improve our raffles for the day. Taking this on board, we hope to improve next years Easter Races to be even more successful.

During the October long weekend we had a karaoke night. As our second event for the long weekend it wasn't near as successful as our arts festival last year, although we did at one time have over 40 people at this years event. We raised \$195.15 from the night's raffle.

The money being raised by the Progress Association events has for some years been going towards the refurbishment of the hall and the installation of toilets and new kitchen for the opportunity to better utilise the hall for functions.

This year we engaged Rob Locke to provide architectural drawings to be submitted to council in 2019. Once council approval had been received, we will put this work out to tender. We will also begin the process of finding additional funding to finance this project.

As part of our ability to apply for funding we were required to update our constitution. A draft has been written and will be presented at the Annual General Meeting **Sunday**, **December 30**, **2018**.

You can review the constitution draft, AGM agenda and Membership subscription forms at fishermanbay.com.au, under the Fisherman Bay Progress Association Inc page.

If you would like to be part of the Fisherman Bay Progress Association committee, please submit your nomination prior to the meeting or on the day of the meeting. The Association's success is due to the volunteers who commit to making Fisherman Bay a safe and vibrant place. Please consider becoming a committee member. *First committee meeting held after the AGM and all positions are up for nomination.

We look forward to seeing you at the AGM.

Please forward any apologies, nominations and agenda items to Judy Coad at fishybay@dodo.com.

Regards,

Michelle Brown

Chairperson

Fisherman Bay Progress Association.