

THE FLARE

local stories, club spirit.



SC SHELL CLUB

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Unlock the Ultimate SO-SHELL MEMBERSHIP PERKS!

For just **\$25** a year, your Shell Club Social Membership unlocks a world of exclusive benefits that pay for themselves time and time again.

JUST **\$25**

Whether you're dining with us, catching the courtesy bus, entering exciting promotions or celebrating your birthday, membership is your key to getting more from every visit.

As a Social Member you'll enjoy:

- 10% OFF FOOD + BEVERAGE***
- COMPLIMENTARY COURTESY BUS**
Thursday – Saturday
- ENTRY INTO OUR MEMBERS' NIGHT CASH DRAW**
- A BIRTHDAY DRINK ON US**
- EXCLUSIVE MEMBER-ONLY PROMOTIONS**
- FUNCTION DISCOUNTS AND SPECIAL MEMBER BENEFITS**
- POINTS ACCRUAL + REDEMPTION ON ELIGIBLE PURCHASES**
- ACCESS TO OUR NEW OPT-IN LOYALTY REWARDS PROGRAM**



*More value. More rewards.
More reasons to visit.*
Become a Shell Club Social Member today!



Not a member yet?
It's easy! Visit Reception and our friendly team will have you enjoying the perks in just a few minutes.

*Terms and conditions apply. 10% discount excludes specialty nights, seniors, kids and entrée items.

The key to rewards...

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Whether you're joining us for a meal, catching the courtesy bus, entering exciting promotions or celebrating your birthday with us, membership is your key to getting more from every visit.

If you're not yet a member, there's never been a better time to join. Simply visit Reception and our friendly team will have you enjoying the perks in just a few minutes.

More value. More rewards. More reasons to visit.

Just three or four discounted meals can almost pay for your annual membership, with the rest of the benefits simply a bonus.

Unlock your SO-SHELL perks today!

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Cash at the club – Thursday Members Draw 7pm



Congratulations to Victor Robb (Member 461)!

Victor was the lucky winner of our Social Members Cash Giveaway on June 4, taking home an incredible \$3,000 CASH!

Well, well... what a way to kick off the new membership year!

New member applications only commenced July 1, and local Fred Van Dreumel has already struck gold on July 2!

After visiting the club regularly without being a Social member, Fred finally decided it was time to join. A few hours later he walked away with \$1,300 CASH in our Members' Cash Giveaway!

It just goes to show... you've got to be in it to win it.

WHO WILL TAKE THE TOP SPOT?

FOOTY TIPPING THE RACE IS ON

We've reached the pointy end of our Footy Tipping Competition, with a massive \$5,000 first prize on the line!

Now it's all about strategy. Do you back the obvious favourite, or take a chance on an upset to climb the ladder? Ivan "Deaksy" Deak has held the top spot for most of the season, but with several tippers just 1-2 points behind, it's still anyone's game.

Will Deaksy take the \$5,000 on his own, share it with the climbers, or will someone else rise to the top?

Our winning tippers will be announced in the next edition of The Flare.

Backing local sport

Corio Community Sporting Club



At The Shell Club, we're proud to sponsor the Corio Community Sports Club, a local sporting club that brings together football, netball and cricket under one banner. More than just a place to play sport, the club provides opportunities for children, families and adults to stay active, build friendships and be part of a supportive community.

With dedicated volunteers, passionate coaches and a strong focus on teamwork and inclusion, the Corio Community Sports Club plays an important role in bringing our community together. We're honoured to support a club that shares our commitment to creating lasting connections and strengthening the Corio community.



A miniature of the SS Zaphon is proudly displayed at Reception.

Built in 1957 by Swan, Hunter & Wigham Richardson in Wallsend, England, the Zaphon was a large crude oil tanker operated for Shell. Powered by steam turbines, she spent her working life transporting crude oil as part of Shell's international tanker fleet.

In 1966, the Zaphon underwent a major transformation in Japan, receiving a new, longer and wider forebody that significantly increased her carrying capacity. She continued in Shell service until 1976.

Take a closer look at the miniature at Reception and discover a small piece of Shell's maritime history.

Thursday Nights just got spicier..

Warm up with our delicious \$20 Curry Night, every Thursday from 5.30pm–8.00pm.

Choose from three favourites:

- Pork Vindaloo – rich, aromatic and gently spiced.
- Butter Chicken – creamy, comforting and full of flavour.
- Lamb Korma – mild, fragrant and infused with aromatic spices.

All curries are served with steamed basmati rice and a crisp papadum.



Staff Spotlight

Meet Marli, one of our go-getters who has gone from **strength to strength** since joining the team. Starting in the bistro, she quickly expanded her skills across the bars, functions and reception, proving she's always eager to learn and take on new challenges.

When she's not at work, Marli swaps her uniform for riding boots as a passionate **equestrian**, competing in eventing disciplines including dressage, cross-country and show jumping. When it's time to unwind, you'll usually find her with her nose in a good book, especially romance novels and thrillers.

Did you know
Shell was a
roadmap
pioneer?



Sat navs might be consigning road maps to the history books these days, but Shell was one of the first to create these guides for the early motoring community. Fortunately, lots have been preserved and our archive has a great stock of examples extending from 1931 to 2010.



The earliest is Shell Autokaart van Nederland – a real collector's item. It was published in July 1931 and is a masterpiece that covers 19 cities and national and international routes in the Netherlands. We also have less rare items. Like the Het Honderdduizend Stratenboek, which was so popular in the Netherlands from the 1980s that it became known as the Road Bible.

Just Landed – The Daily Grind

Calling all hot drink lovers! The Shell Club's new Daily Grind loyalty card is NOW HERE.

Purchase 5 hot beverages and receive your **6th FREE**.

If you're ordering a hot drink and don't receive a Daily Grind loyalty card, simply ask one of our friendly staff. Sometimes we forget—it's only human!

QuizzaMe Trivia – Every Monday Night!



Think you're the smartest in the room? Put your knowledge to the test with **QuizMe Trivia** every Monday night!

From pop culture and music to sport, history, movies and general knowledge, every round is **packed with fun**, laughs and a little friendly competition. Gather your team, enjoy a meal or drink beforehand, and see if you have what it takes to climb the leaderboard and claim bragging rights.

Registrations: From 6:30pm
Trivia Starts: 7:00pm sharp



Whether you're a seasoned trivia buff or just looking for a great night out with friends and family, everyone is welcome. The only question is... can your team take the title?

Friday night done right

From 6:00pm–9:00pm, enjoy live acoustic entertainment with a rotating lineup of talented local artists. Escape the winter chill, settle in by the fireplace, enjoy a drink, and savour a delicious meal while you unwind into the weekend.



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