The 2/4 RAR All Ranks Ladies' Association

The 2/4 Ladies Association has successfully maintained their monthly social gatherings in 1991, consisting of a variety of activities thanks to our very hardworking and dedicated committee, led by Sandra Twigg.

Perhaps two of our most successful mornings were spent being advised by members of our own battalion.

The first was a 'hands on' first aid presentation that we all feel should be on annual event, keeping us all in touch with current methods of treating snake bite, poisonings, resuscitation and burns. The second was a 'Ladies Shoot', where all fired the new Steyr, under the watchful eyes of our men. Thanks Guys. Other activities included a

movie morning at Warrina Theatre, bingo, picnics in the park for the children over the holidays and craft mornings, where we all shared ideas for Christmas craft and actually went home with a bundle of 'home made' goodies for our trees — all for \$2.00. Our final get together was a smorgasbord luncheon, where small Christmas gifts were exchanged. These functions were thoroughly enjoyed by all who attended and we would love to meet more ladies in 1992.

We could not have enjoyed these activities without the wonderful support of the members of the Catering Staff, Q Store and particularly the two AADJT's and other members of the battalion, who never cease to impress us with the quality of their contributions.

This year, 2/4 RAR Ladies have also managed to estab-

lish and operate a 'Welcome Townsville' group, who offer assistance to other 2/4 RAR wives and girlfriends. This has now become part of the Townsville Welcoming Information Group (TWIG), which incorporates ladies from all other units as well. We were also successful in our bid for \$800 of Family Funding to



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help boost our activities for next year. Why not join us? A special thanks Marie Smith, who has since moved on and Sandra Twigg, for all their hard work.

We look forward to an even better year in 1992 and would enjoy meeting any more ladies who have an association with the battalion. A very Merry Christmas and a safe holiday to you all and best wishes to all those being posted.

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