# Yalara Alpine Ski Club Newsletter

May 2025



#### **New booking managers**

Welcome to our new booking managers, Natasha and Karl Seidel!

The couple have been members for nearly 20 years and often visit with their children — 16-year-old Jade and 14-year-old James.

They've already made generous contributions to the lodge, donating lounges and a TV for the games room, plus a sound system for Blue's room. They're now working to install StarLink at the lodge, meaning we'll have WiFi this season!

Please note the new contact email bookingsatyalara@gmail.com

A heartfelt thank you to Nicola Moran for her incredible six years in the role!

#### **AGM**

Our AGM will be held at Hunters Hill Club at 12pm on Sunday May 25.

We need a quorum of 12 people so please come along if you can and be part of the decision making of our much-loved club - and have a bite to eat and a drink with other members after.

### **New lounge**

We are thrilled to have a new lounge in the upstairs living area! We think it looks great – a big thanks to the house committee for finding a lounge that suits the space.

#### New six-seater chairlift

The new high-speed six-person chairlift is due to open in time for the 2025 snow season. The Mt Perisher 6 will improve resort capacity and help redistribute skiers across Perisher's network of lifts across four resort base areas to reduce wait times and improve flow and circulation.

The new lift will have a wider rope gauge, better wind performance, and a 44 per cent faster ride time (5½ mins — down from 10 mins).

It will also have faster load and unload times at each end, leading to better circulation and flow of guests around the mountain.

## **Snowy Mountains Walk**

The 56-kilometre-long Snowy Mountains Walk is now open in Kosciuszko National Park, giving members a great reason to plan a hiking trip in summer. The multiday walk begins at Guthega Village and ends at Bullocks Flat, and you can organise transfers to and from the track.

#### **Updating contact details**

Please remember to advise of any updates to your email, postal address or phone number by emailing secretary Andrew Frater at yalara@aapt.net.au

## Annual working bee

A huge thanks to our dedicated members who attended our annual working bee at Yalara.

The crew undertook a range of jobs. They included painting the kitchen, cleaning everything from mattress protectors to all the utensils in the kitchen, restocking the pantry, fixing the ventilation in the room eight bathroom, adding privacy door handles and signs for rooms three and four bathrooms, clearing grass to reduce the fire risk, and planting native plants.

Their work is greatly appreciated!

