CARLYLE GARDENS TOWNSVILLE COMPUTER CLUB **KEEPING YOU ON LINE NOVEMBER 12**

INFONITES:

The INFONITE on Tuesday 27th November at 7.00 pm will be presented by our ever helpful Computer Expert, Peter Bennett. Peter's presentation will cover the topic "The CLOUD" and how it affects us all even though we don't know it. Peter will also cover important aspects of protecting our valuable data by backing up both through external hard drives and also via the Cloud. This will be our last INFONITE for 2012. The first one for 2013 will be February 26th and this will also be run by Peter where he will present on "Remote Support: Getting service without seeing a smiling face". He will also present the old argument with a new slant, "Apple or Windows".

MOVEMBER:

Peter has been a supporter of MOVEMBER for a number of years. The project raises funds for "Male Health Issues". Last year Peter managed to grow a Truly HORRIBLE MUSTACHE. Hope he can do better this year. It would be a nice gesture if you could bring along a small donation on our November INFONITE to support Peter in this very worthwhile cause. We will provide a collection box for the purpose.

CHRISTMAS BREAK UP:

Following the November INFONITE we will celebrate a Christmas Break Up with the usual wonderful SUPPER and also several RAFFLES. The raffles will include: Shopping Voucher, Christmas Hamper, Christmas Cake and of course some WINE. Please join us to celebrate the end of the year and remember to bring along some extra loose change to support our raffles. Any excess funds raised after expenses to cover supper will be donated to Peter's MOVEMBER.

FUTURE WORKSHOPS / INFONITES:

The Club is keen to present the suggested "5 to 10 minute presentations by club members on their favourite topic or programme". We have pencilled it in for our March INFONITE. We've had a couple of offers so far but we would like at least four presenters for the night so we need a COUPLE MORE. Any offers? The results of these presentations could lead to follow up workshops or tutorials for interested members to get more information on any of the presented topics.

FEES:

At our latest Committee Meeting, Treasurer Jeff Stickley, Unit 212, informed us that our 2012-13 membership has now passed 100. That is great news. Remember the Fees for the year are \$5.00 per member. Current members who are not yet financial could pay Jeff at the November INFONITE. Remember to tell any of your friends who might be interested in joining about our great club and the many benefits it offers residents.

MERRY CHRISTMAS:

As this will be the last Newsletter for 2012, your committee wishes all members a VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS and a HAPPY and COMPUTER PROBLEM FREE NEW YEAR.

> For now, Happy Computing 0 0 0