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Hello fellow members,

Welcome to Year 2007 with my first foray into the heady world of publication.

We started off our new year with a Picnic by the Waters of Clontarf Beach, a lovely spot which was "topped" off with protection from the heat of the sun by a tarp which has been kindly donated by Kevin and Kerry at a most reasonable price, thanks guys.

The picnic was very well attended, a few friendly faces were missing and we hope that we catch up with all those who were absent when we meet for our First Rally on the 3rd weekend in February at Tin Can Bay, don't forget your fishing gear and mossie spray.

Eric, our excellent camp cook, a title recently bestowed on him that he well and truly deserves, did a superb job of the sausages and onions, we look forward to his culinary delights at each rally (just joking).

Many people helped in setting up and dismantling the tarp at Clontarf, there is now an opportunity for all members to be competent in this particular task as we welcome one and all to join in the fun of preparing the tarp for Happy Hour and other activities. Liquid incentives could motivate a very quick assembly!

Our usual fund raiser, The Raffle, with a prize from the Jackson Five (Two) on offer for the February rally, will no doubt tempt us all into buying heaps of tickets.

A reminder to those who wish to attend the State Rally, send your interest to the CCCQ ASAP. Representing our Club at CCCQ meetings were Cyril and Max, thank you gentlemen for your report, I am sure you are looking forward to this year's meetings!

Witnessed only by the Editor on Sunday was Jim's skill in retrieving his hat which, powered by the wind, started sailing over the park towards the water, he showed such dexterity on the rocks that he could have joined a dancing troupe, well done Jim.

On a more formal note I would like to say a sincere Thank You to those who asked me to nominate for the Position of News Letter Editor, and to those who voted for me. It is a privilege to be asked and voted in so I shall put my new hat on (after I take the hair clips out) and do the best I can for the benefit of all Members.