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**FLY AERO CLUB  
 THIS WEEKEND**  
**JULY 2007**

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# 60 YEARS



brating Sixty years of operation the Aero Club of Tasmania came into being on the first of July pages 5 - 8 for the story). In a **Sunday Bar Ex-70** Club members and friends got together to occasion with a couple of drinks and cutting of Also paying tribute to Geoff Sansom who hard to promote Aviation and the Aero Club.

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President Don Prairie said "The Aero Club of Southern Tasma- long way since 1954 when I first started, just look at tonight, a low key

nia has come a  
 impromptu couple  
 of drinks for our  
 Birth- day and almost 70  
 people turn up. It speaks  
 well for our Club."

**DIARY NOTES**

- Annual Subscriptions are now due. The easy option is to make payment direct with the office by phoning 6248 5370 and paying by credit card or call in and pay by cheque or cash. Subs are still only \$145.
- Sunday August 5th from 4.30 - 6.30pm. Drop into the Aero Club to say farewell to Wes Cashion from Hobart Tower. Free hot Bar Snacks, Drinks and Softdrinks at low Club Bar prices.
- Saturday morning September 15th Battle of Britain Dawn Patrol and Big Hot Breakfast.



L: Rex Koerbin, (Jack's son see P5) flew in from Merimbula N.S.W. R: Craig King flyer 80's + 90's



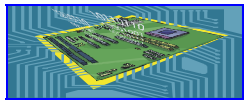
L: Neil Mickleborough, member from '72 here from United Arab Emirates R: Dave Cooper



R: President Don Prairie with Geoff's family  
 L: Daughters Patricia & Jocelyn and son Peter.

**Geoff Sansom's** photograph was dedicated to the Club-room wall. His son Peter and sisters Patricia and Jocelyn were on hand as President Don Prairie spoke and Peter Sansom unveiled Geoff's photograph which is now next to Lloyd Jones image.

Geoff Sansom was an early member of the Aero Club, serving as Honorary Secretary for a twenty year period from 1957. He made an outstanding contribution to the development of the Club whilst supporting the promotion of Aviation in Tasmania.



**on the website**

- Checkout the Video links to Spinner. New this month, Fly with George Newell, the Anzac Day Missing Man Formation and The Bothwell Flyin
- Book an aircraft on line

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