

# April 2019 Newsletter



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### Website

This site is now up and running. Find it by searching for U3A Hobsons Bay. The newsletter should be there also.

### **Cottage alterations**

In order to upgrade our facilities, we need to improve our accessibility to accommodate wheelchairs. To this end we propose to change the gents' toilet to one accessible to a wheelchair. This will involve some carpentry to make the door swing ouwards and the addition of grab rails inside.

We hope soon to engage the services of a tradesman to do the job.



### **Banking changes**

The Committee is working on changing our banking arrangements to another bank. However a few problems have arisen, stemming from our change of name some time back. Namely that the relevant government office has mislaid the documents which authenticate our status.

The changes are necessary in order to facilitate electronic banking.

### U3A committee 2019

Ken Gratton (President) Robert Ryan (Vice President) (Network Rep.)

Ralph Humphries (Secretary)

Flo Light (Treasurer)

Phil Quinn (Course Co-ordinator) 0488361562

Cherril Milligan (Member)

Lorraine Woodman (Publicity)

## Vacation period

So many activities continue during the vacation period that we cannot time-table it as a break. Therefore you will notice that between April 8 and April 19, the grid shows events etc.

## **Anzac Day**

Anzac Day falls after the normal vacation period and there is usually no class on that day unless members decide to ignore the break.

# **Membership Matters**

We are pleased to note an increase in membership thanks to the diligence of our class

Co-ordinator and his associates.

### **Office Phone & NBN**

These have been working OK until the end of March when the sevice was cut off because Telstra have been putting our payments into the wrong account for months.

# April, 2019 Time-table

Computer upheaval, vacation time and Anzac Day have all made the compilation of this time-table something of a headache, if not a nightmare. If any item seems to be wrong, please consult the convenor of the activity for correct information.

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
1//4/2019	2//4/2019	3/4/2019	4/4/2019	5/4/2019
BRIDGE 1 - 4	LOCAL WALK CRYPTIC XWORDS	SCRAPBOOK JEWELLERY MEMOIR WRTG 10 - 12 MAHJONG 1 - 4	LOCAL WALK ITALIAN 9:30 - 12  COMPUTER IPAD 1:00 - 5:00 CURRENT AFF	SOCIAL WALK ART 10 - 12 ADV CRYPTIC  CREATIVE WRITING 1:00
8/4/2019	9/4/2019	10/4/2019	11/4/2019	12/4/2019
	LOCAL WALK	MEMOIR WRTG 10 - 12	LOCAL WALK	ADV CRYPTIC
BRIDGE 1-4	CONV FRENCH EXPLORE WRTG	MAHJONG 1 - 4	BOOK GRP	
15/4/2019	16/4/2019	17/4//2019	18/4/2019	19/4/2019
	LOCAL WALK  CRYPTIC  XWORDS	MEMOIR WRTG 10 - 12	LOCAL WALK	ADV CRYPRIC
BRIDGE 1 - 4		MAHJONG	CURRENT AFFAIRS	
22/4/2019	23/4/2019	24/4/2019	25/4/2019	26/4/2019
	LOCAL WALK	SCRAPBOOK JEWELLERY MEMOIR WRTG 10 - 12	ANZAC DAY	ADV CRYPTIC  ART 10 - 12 FILM GRP TBC
BRIDGE	CONV FRENCH EXPLORE WRTG	MAHJONG 1 - 4		CREATIVE WRITING
29/4/2019	30/4/2019	1/5/2019	2/5/2019	3/5/2019
	LOCAL WALK	SCRAPBOOK JEWELLERY MEMOIR WRTG 10 - 12	LOCAL WALK ITALIAN 9:30 - 12 COMPUTER	ADV CRYPTIC ART 10 - 12 CREATIVE
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DA Crosswords will be held at Platform 177 coffee shop near the North Willi rail crossing

# Course Co-oordinator's Report

### **Current Affairs**

Joan Thompson presents a discussion of what's in the news and contentious or topical each Thursday.

Session runs from 10am to about 1 1.30 at the Royal Vic Yacht Club on Nelson Place. Would highly recommend this activity. RSVP with Joan at joan thompson@outlook.com

### Social Walk

This will be on Friday, April 5 from Flinders St Station to Burnley Agriculture College via the banks of the Yarra. Start from Willi North Station at 0921. Phil will be in the second carriage.

RSVP 0488 361562 by voice or SMS

### **Social Afternoon**

Our Class Co-ordinator is in the process of organising a social drinks event at the Royal Vic Yacht Club in early April.

Thinking Thursday 5pm to 6.3Opm with option of staying on to eat there or locally. Drinks would be at bar prices. I am talking to them about some nibbles. My thought is to charge \$5 a head for nibbles and get them to cater for this. I think we would get 30 people so we would ask for them to give us \$150 worth of nibbles.

Please enter exprression of interest on form on the notice-board.

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