



#### **VIEW PLEDGE:**

I pledge to promote the interests of VIEW, to extend friendship to all and to help those in need

# PRESIDENT'S REPORT

June has closed out the financial year on a very positive note. Not only did we have a most successful "Sausage Sizzle" mid-June, raising close to \$2000.00 for our Learning for Life Program, but our membership is now 95. At this time we must stop and reflect upon what is our focus and how can we engage more members in club activities and ensure our valuable effort continues. The committee realises that there are sometimes obstacles/reasons for limited involvement with club activities BUT I will ask you to reflect on the following questions.

- Do I volunteer to assist in planning, running and attending club functions?
- How can I <u>extend my support</u> to other members either by making regular contact or possibly offering to transport a member to an event?
- How many of 15 club activities planned for July might I plan to attend?
- How many of the members do I know by <u>name and face</u>?
- Are there other ways I can "give back" to my club and VIEW?

If you have some thoughts on the above please don't hesitate to talk with committee members and provide constructive feedback. We are always seeking to make our club "the best it can be".

Thank you to <u>Sue Toleman</u> for volunteering to be or <u>RAFFLES CO-ORDINATOR</u>.. If you have any donations for our monthly raffle, please see her at the meeting or make contact with her using our contact list.

Each year we donate "Library bag + book" to the Preps in the Frankston Hub (The Smith Family). This involves the making of 150 bags and we are calling upon members to volunteer their sewing services. Jane Rahill has volunteered to be "Chief BAG Lady" and she will keep you posted on dates/requirements. If any member/s would like to assist Jane in organising this venture -please talk to her directly. I wish to extend my thanks to Sue Purnell for her efforts as our inaugural "BAG LADY"- she not only applied for the grant to fund this venture but collected the material, perfected the pattern, cut the patterns and saw the bags through to delivery..... your efforts Sue were much appreciated.

Finally, I would urge members to consider attending the "HASTINGS VIEW CLUB LUNCHEON" Friday August 16-currently we have 20 members signed up with another 5 places available to our club.-

Mandy President

## **Bank Details for Payment for Membership, Events and Activities**



All payments can be made via the Bendigo Bank, at a branch or by electronic transfer Bendigo Bank-Account Name: Sthn Penin VIEW

BSB: 633000 Account Number: 166 916 833

Please add your name and event in the Description section of the payment advice.

(eg. Jones Membership)

Payments made at meetings can be paid by cash or card.

# **CLUB NEWS**

# Learning for Life Program - Ros & Naomi

The information below is from The Smith Family website.

Families receiving our support face some complex and often compounding challenges:

- All of them live in low-income families
- More than half live in a single-parent family, with 6% living with another relative or in foster care
- Around 40% of students and 30% of their parents / carers have a health or disability issue
- Almost half have a parent or carer who didn't finish Year 12
- More than 70% of students have a parent or carer who is not in paid employment
- One in five students in Years 5 12 have attended four or more schools

#### **HOW SPONSORSHIP HELPS A STUDENT**

Provides school essentials

• Financial support to pay for stationery, backpacks, shoes and a complete school uniform, as well as school books and extra-curricular activities like *school excursions*.

Matched with local, personalised support

• Your sponsored child will be paired with one of our *Learning for Life Coordinators* who offers support with their schooling and links them to local learning opportunities.

Access to additional learning support

 Ongoing access to our out-of-school learning and mentoring programs to help students build the skills to thrive at school and beyond.

Our fundraising efforts at Southern Peninsula VIEW Club provide sponsorship for 10 Learning for Life children.

7 x School students (K-Yr 10) \$660 per year or \$1.80 per day

3 x Senior students (Yr 11 &12) \$936 per year or \$2.50 per day

Naomi G, LFL Coordinator

#### **Delegate's Report – July**

We hear about it everyday- families are struggling with the rising cost of living and we as a women's club know that the costs associated with sending children to school preclude some children from the essentials they need to learn and thrive. Sponsoring a family on the Learning for Life program helps to pay for school uniforms, textbooks, digital learning tools, excursions and camps. This financial support is intended to be long term and engage the family in the education of their children. We are proud to support 10 children and that's what we fundraise for.

Your Delegate, Ruth R.

#### Welfare Report - Claire A./Mandy K.

We have been keeping in touch with members, particularly those who have been unwell. We have also sent Get Well cards. Should you hear of a fellow member who is not faring too well, please do not hesitate to be in touch with us and we will send them a cheery card or give them a call.



**Claire and Mandy** 

# **2024 SOUTHERN PENINSULA VIEW CLUB MEMBERSHIP**

# **Renewed Memberships**

\$20.00 (Annual Membership)

# **New Members Only - Memberships**

\$20.00 (Annual Membership) \$20.00 (Joining fee)

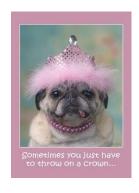
# Plus voluntary purchase of door prize tickets at Monthly Meetings

\$5.00 per meeting for 3 door prize tickets to raise money for special projects eg. Joy Spreader

The Annual Membership of \$20.00 paid by all VIEW members is sent to VIEW Clubs Australia for registration. Please pay through the VIEW Bank account. Description: Name / Membership

# **HAPPY JULY BIRTHDAY TO:**

Lainie I. Suzanne L. Kay McK. Ruth R.



# **MEETINGS AND VENUES 2024**

The Southern Peninsula VIEW Club General Meetings are held on the **second Thursday of every month** (except January) at 10.00am for 10.30am. Monthly Meeting donation of \$5 includes a contribution to The Smith Family and door prizes.

#### Eagle Ridge Golf Club, 215 Browns Rd, Boneo.

A reminder that this is a cash-less venue, so bring your cards if buying coffee/drinks or lunch.

Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> July General Meeting
Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> August General Meeting
Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> September General Meeting
Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> October General Meeting
Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> November General Meeting

Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> December General Meeting & Christmas Luncheon

Club Badges- please wear your badge to ALL club activities - the "OOPS JAR" is alive and kicking in 2024

# **CLUB MEMBER DATES & ACTIVITIES**

#### **JULY PROGRAM OFFICERS REPORT**

Hi ladies,

We hope you are all enjoying this beautiful calm Winter weather, and the lovely crisp mornings. I for one are loving the absence of the wind. And the whale watching season has been amazing, well worth a trip out to one of the lookouts at Cape Schanck if you get a chance.

A big thanks to all who helped out with the Sausage Sizzle at Bunnings. It was an interesting day, being the first time we have been allocated a Sunday. Definitely a slower start, and the weather didn't work in our favour, but still a very profitable day for us. All of our volunteers had lots of fun, not only dishing out sausages but getting to know one another better.

All of our June events were well attended, and obviously enjoyed by all.

We have our newest offering – the Creative Arts and Wellbeing Group starting this week on the 3<sup>rd</sup> of July. This will be a <u>weekly</u> group, held at the Seawinds Hub. Cost is \$4 per person, covering room hire. I for one am really excited about this. Bring along any form of art / craft you like. This is not a class, just a chance to sit and create among like-minded ladies. No expectations that you need to be there every week, this will be purely on a casual basis.

\*\*Please Note, Knitting Nancy's will be absorbed into this new group, so all knitters and crocheters definitely welcome. We also have a trip to Queenscliff scheduled for the 24<sup>th</sup> July. Half price foot passenger fares on presentation of a senior's card, plus \$10 Devonshire Tea.

Girls Night Out has been moved to the Jetty Road Brewery in Dromana.

We have also moved our movie date to a Monday, to give you all a little more notice about the Movie and Session times.

We are having a tour of Aveo, Safety Beach on Friday the 26<sup>th</sup> for anyone interested. Afternoon tea provided and the View club will receive a \$500 donation from Aveo, providing we have at least 10 People, so bring along anyone else who may be interested.

On Sunday the 28<sup>th</sup>, come along to be entertained by the Movers and Shakers at the Peninsula Beer Garden. Partners welcome to join us.

And on Monday the 29<sup>th</sup>, we have coffee /lunch at The Kitchen in Tootgarook.

Also, just a final reminder about the Combined Clubs Luncheon in Hastings on Friday the 16<sup>th</sup> of August. Don't forget to add you name to the sign-up sheet if you're keen – we need final numbers at our July meeting.

We know it's sometimes hard to motivate yourself to get out in winter, but we hope to see you at least one of the outings we have on offer.

Cheers, your Program Officers, Laila, Jane and Delwyn

# **JULY:**

Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup>, 1pm......Creative Art and Wellbeing Group, Seawinds Hub, 11a Allambi Ave, Capel Sound \$4

Tuesday 9th, 10.30am..... Connect@Coffee, Blue Mini, 2 Colchester Rd, Capel Sound

Wednesday 10th, 1pm-3pm....Creative Art and Wellbeing Group, Seawinds Hub, \$4pp/pweek

**Thursday 11<sup>th</sup>, View General Meeting, 10am**.... Eagle Ridge Golf Club, 215 Browns Rd, Boneo. Speaker Christine Dineen

Monday 15<sup>th</sup>, Movie date.....Movie and session time TBA

Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup>, 1pm-3pm.....Creative Art and Wellbeing Group, Seawinds Hub, \$4pp/pweek

Friday 19th, 4-6pm.....Soirée, Pat Michal's home, Dromana

Wednesday 24th, 10am....Searoad Ferry to Queenscliff, meet at the Sorrento Terminal by 9.45 for the 20am ferry

Wednesday 24th, 1pm-3pm.....Creative Art and Wellbeing Group, Seawinds Hub, \$4pp/pweek

Thursday 25th, 6pm...GNO, Jetty Road Brewery, 12-14 Brasser Ave, Dromana (in the Industrial Estate)

Friday 26<sup>th</sup>, 2pm....Aveo Beachside Gardens Retirement Living, 104 Country Club Drive, Safety Beach

Sunday 28th, 1-5pm..... Peninsula Beer Garden, Movers and Shakers, 215 Browns Rd, Boneo

Monday 29<sup>th</sup>, 1pm..... Connect@coffee/lunch, The Kitchen, 1917 Pt Nepean Rd, Tootgarook

Wednesday 31st, 1pm-3pm....Creative Art and Wellbeing Group, Seawinds Hub, \$4pp/pweek

# **AUGUST:**

Wednesday 7th, 1pm-3pm...Creative Art and Wellbeing Group, Seawinds Hub, \$4pp/pweek

Thursday 8th, 10am....View General Meeting, Speaker TBA, Eagle Ridge Golf Club, 215 Browns Rd, Boneo

Monday 12th, time TBA.....Movie Date, film and session time TBA

Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup>, 10.30am....Connect@coffee, Laneway Café, 167 Pt Nepean Rd, Dromana

Wednesday 14th,1pm-3pm....Creative art and Wellbeing Group, Seawinds Hub, \$4pp/pweek

TBA 10am.... Book Club, Seawinds Hub. Please watch out for change of day for month of August only

Friday 16<sup>th</sup>, 11.30am..... Combined Clubs Luncheon, Westernport Hotel, Hastings

Wednesday 21st ,1pm-3pm....Creative Art and Wellbeing Group, Seawinds Hub, \$4pp/pweek

Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup>, 6pm....GNO, Jade Court Restaurant, 1179 Pt Nepean Rd, Rosebud

Sunday 25<sup>th</sup>, 1-5pm.....Peninsula Beer Garden

Wednesday 28th, 1pm-3pm.....Creative Art and Wellbeing Group, Seawinds Hub, \$4pp/pweek

Friday 30<sup>th</sup>, 1pm.....Lunch, Pig and Whistle, 365 Purves Rd, Main Ridge

## See weekly Sunday night email with full address for events at members' homes.

#### **BOOK CLUB**

The book for this month is Limberlost by Robbie Arnott. We will meet at 10am Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July at Seawinds Hub. The monthly fee for the room is \$4 per person.



#### **CREATIVE ARTS AND WELLBEING GROUP**

Hands up, all you creative beings!

Time to come out of the closet and make your creations visible.

Connect with others in a creative way and let's foster wellbeing through creativity.

Feel safe, supported, encouraged and nurtured in an inclusive environment where women's initiative to try something new or go back to something old, is validated.

#### \*NOTE\* This is NOT a class.

Participants will supply all their own materials and work on their own projects.

# Our Knitting Nancy's group has now merged with this Creative Arts group.

Scrapbooking, painting, colouring books, doll making, quilting, decoupage, hand sewing projects, china painting, drawing, card making, knitting and crochet, painting by numbers and anything else your creative minds can think of!!

Venue: Seawinds Community Hub

11A Allambi Ave, Capel Sound.

Time: 1-3pm

Projects may include:

Weekly Commencing 3rd July 2024 Date:

Cost: \$4 weekly

Looking forward to meeting up with you and getting our creative juices flowing.



Pat Michal, Co-ordinator 0419 030 170

# **COMBINED CLUBS LUNCHEON - HOST CLUB -HASTINGS**

We are invited to join Hastings and Mornington VIEW Clubs in the Third 3-Club luncheon which SP VIEW Club initiated three years ago. We do hope our members support and attend this luncheon.

Friday, August 16th **DATE:** 

**VENUE:** Westernport Hotel, Hastings - car pooling will be arranged

TIME: 11.30am check in for 12noon start

COST: \$30 -For food - you order from the menu provided

**DRINKS:** Buy your own at bar prices

**RAFFLE PRIZES/TRADING TABLE:** Please bring cash.

**SIGN UP:** Please sign up if you are interested in attending



Payment of \$30per person is required to be made into our club bank account by Thursday 8th August.

#### TRADING TABLE



There will be a Trading Table at our next meeting, so bring along your as new/saleable items to the July 11<sup>th</sup> general meeting. Tricia, Linda and Carolyn will be manning the table. Remember to take your items home with you, if they do not sell.

#### **Replacement Badges**

Should you have misplaced your name badge, please order your replacement through the Secretary, Robyn B. (robynbusch65@hotmail.com). You will need to pay \$15 into the club bank account in advance, to cover the cost.



## **Change Of Contact Details**



If you have a change of address, telephone number or email address provider please forward the details to Robyn. <a href="mailto:robynbusch65@hotmail.com">robynbusch65@hotmail.com</a> or 0407 344 185.

#### Southern Peninsula VIEW Webpage – Administered by Karyn K.

Our own webpage can be accessed on the VIEW Club web site. You can view the page on this link: <a href="https://www.thesmithfamily.com.au/view-clubs/find-a-club/vic/southern-peninsula-view-club">https://www.thesmithfamily.com.au/view-clubs/find-a-club/vic/southern-peninsula-view-club</a>

#### Southern-Peninsula VIEW Club is on Facebook – Administered by Faye B.

To connect with Southern-Peninsula VIEW Club's private group, join Facebook today and join the group.

## **VIEW Matters Magazine**

The VIEW Matters magazine is produced twice-yearly, April and November and can be viewed or downloaded from the VIEW website: <a href="http://www.view.org.au/resources/publications/">http://www.view.org.au/resources/publications/</a>.

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# **June Club Meeting and Activities**



**Above:** Picture showing some, not all, of our 78 Members attending this meeting plus 4 visitors. Our membership now totals 93, such a wonderful turn up on a cold and rainy day.



Guest Speaker:

Ruth R with Rosemary Coleman Our VIEW National Councillor.

Birthday Girls: →





↑ Door Prize Winners:

Badge presentation to ten lovely new club members: →



# **Bunnings Sausage Sizzle - June**











# Soiree at Jane's home, McCrae









Connect @ Coffee - Hobson's Cafe



# **ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS**

Special Thanks to the following local businesses who have donated funds, goods or services for our fundraising events:

Rosebud Physiotherapy Clinic A'mare Cucina Restaurant, Blairgowrie Bakers Delight – Rosebud and Dromana

The generosity of Bendigo Community Banks Southern Peninsula for their grant towards our Club's activities on the Southern Peninsula.

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# SOUTHERN PENINSULA VIEW CLUB CALENDAR OF EVENTS

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
1 JULY	2	3 1pm-3pm Creative Arts & Wellbeing \$4pp	4	5	6	7
8	9 10.30am Connect@coffee Blue Mini Café Rosebud	10 1pm-3pm Creative Arts & Wellbeing \$4pp	11 10am General Meeting Eagle Ridge	12	13	14
Movie Date, Rosebud Cinema Time & Movie TBC	16	17 1pm-3pm Creative Arts & Wellbeing \$4pp	18	19 10am Book Club at Seawinds Hub 4-6pm Soiree Pat M's home, Dromana	20	21
22	23	24 10am Ferry Trip to Queenscliff 1pm-3pm Creative Arts & Wellbeing \$4pp	25 6pm Girls Night Out Jetty Road Brewery, Dromana	26 2pm Tour of AVEO, Safety Beach.	27	28 1-5pm Peninsula Beer Garden Partners welcome
29 1.00pm Connect@coffee/ Lunch The Kitchen, Tootgarook	30	31 1pm-3pm Creative Arts & Wellbeing \$4pp	1 AUGUST	2	3	4
5	6	7 1pm-3pm Creative Arts & Wellbeing \$4pp	8 10am General Meeting Eagle Ridge	9	10	11
Movie Date, Rosebud Cinema Time & Movie TBC	13	14 1pm-3pm Creative Arts & Wellbeing \$4pp	15	16	17	18
19	20	21 1pm-3pm Creative Arts & Wellbeing \$4pp	6pm Girls Night Out Jade Court Chinese Restaurant, Rosebud	23	24	25 1-5pm Peninsula Beer Garden Partners welcome
26	27	28 1pm-3pm Creative Arts & Wellbeing \$4pp	29	30 1pm Lunch Pig & Whistle Main Ridge	31	

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