

# Southern Peninsula VIEW Club

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## VIEW PLEDGE:

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

## PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Members, we have a very busy next 4 months ahead of us.

### **CAKE STALL.....GARDEN PARTY.....GIANT TRADING TABLE.....CHRISTMAS PARTY**

I am asking you to take some time to assist in our very important work - supporting our 10 Learning for Life students:

- Volunteering your time to help organise our GIANT TRADING TABLE DAY in November or giving an "hour" to man our Cake Stall in August
- If time is scarce, please consider providing "**donations**" for these events..... this may be cooking for them, making handicrafts or potting a few plants.
- If you think you have limited talents in the above areas, please consider collecting donations from businesses in our area to be used in the many raffles we will be holding over the next 4 months.

**A lot of effort goes into making these events successful, but it requires active participation from all club members.**

## PLEASE SIGN UP AND PARTICIPATE

### COMMITTEE 2025

Members are urged to consider nominating for a position on the Club Committee for 2025. We have many opportunities for you to actively participate in helping to ensure the SPVIEW is a happy and vibrant club. Our structure provides 10 positions with Assistant roles being a great way to "learn the ropes " and "share the load". Examples of two positions are below.

### RESPONSIBILITIES & GUIDELINES

#### **PRESIDENT & VICE PRESIDENT**

The President's role is to create a harmonious relationship between members of the committee and between the committee and club members. Our focus has always been on the welfare of our members and ensuring that we develop a productive and successful club.

#### PRESIDE AT ALL MONTHLY MEETINGS

The President presides at all monthly and committee meetings of the club.

## LEAD AND MANAGE THE CLUB COMMITTEE

The President:

- Ensures that the Secretary forwards copies of club monthly minutes, including the Treasurer's report to relevant groups.
- Leads and manages the club committee in a business-like manner, facilitates communication and promotes teamwork, provides guidance and mentoring to committee members.
- Displays confident, supportive leadership and demonstrates commitment to the aims and objectives of VIEW and the work of The Smith Family.
- Is conversant with the duties and responsibilities of all committee members and ensures committee members are conversant with their roles.
- Promotes succession planning to encourage more members to take on a committee role.
- These responsibilities are shared by both these committee members and each can step into the role if required.

## MAINTAINING A HEALTHY MEMBERSHIP

The President/Vice President are responsible for creating a friendly atmosphere, displaying enthusiasm, being inclusive and encouraging members to mix and meet other members both at meetings and socially.

- Making a guest feel welcome is everyone's responsibility. Give the potential new member the VIP treatment. Appoint one member to look after the guest, including introducing them to others.
- Keep the announcements short and the meeting moving at a good pace.

## MAINTAINING A HEALTHY CLUB

The President/Vice President are encouraged to adopt new methods and practices to benefit the club in accordance with VIEW policies.

Each Club is encouraged to re-evaluate their position every two years by way of a Club member survey. ([view.org.au/resources/forms/Member Surveys](http://view.org.au/resources/forms/Member%20Surveys))

These two roles are outlined in greater detail in the VIEW CLUB HANDBOOK p37.

<https://www.thesmithfamily.com.au/-/media/files/view-clubs/resources/organisational-information/handbooks-and-guidelines/club-handbook-2024-25---final.pdf>

**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

This month we received two letters from ten year old Tavila. He writes,

1. *“Thanks my family Smith Family for your support me. Yes my looking forward to my excursion this year and music is good. Thank for your always be my side Thanks so much” Tavila.*
2. *“Thank you my dear family sponser for my birthday card I love you so much I wish you were here with me” Tavila.*

This month, we sent letters to Tavila, Kriishnaa, Skye, Nooh and Te Ao, encouraging them to tell us a bit more about school and some of their activities. It's a joy to be in touch with these children, and as you can see reflected in Tavila's letters, we are appreciated.

**Ros M, LFL Coordinator**

I have emailed 4 of our LFL students this month, Alice, Izayah, Jenny and Bor. Birthday wishes and gift vouchers were sent to Alice (18) and Izayah (17).

Naomi G, LFL Coordinator

### Delegate's Report – August

These are some of the inspiring stories behind the TSF sponsorship. These are families doing it tough.



Can you imagine what it was like for a 16 year old to have to write essays and join video calls on his phone during COVID? It must have been hard for the family of five to afford a computer, so when Yasin received a laptop from TSF it was a game changer. The sponsorship support Rae received for her three grandchildren provided the correct school uniform for Blake and money for the swimming program. Audrina comes from a single parent family with a grandmother to care for as well. With sponsorship she is now thriving and excels in her reading and gaining more confidence in her social skills. It is always a delight to hear from the students we sponsor as well.

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 AUGUST BIRTHDAY TO:

Lee O.  
Lynne P.  
Lorraine S.  
Lynette T.



## 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.

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| Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> August     | General Meeting |
| Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup> September | General Meeting |
| Thursday 10 <sup>th</sup> October   | General Meeting |

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| Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> November      | General Meeting                      |
| Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup> December      | General Meeting & Christmas Luncheon |
| No Meeting in January 2025              |                                      |
| Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup> February 2025 | Annual General Meeting               |

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

## **CLUB MEMBER DATES & ACTIVITIES**

### **AUGUST PROGRAM OFFICERS' REPORT**

Welcome to our August Program Officers' report.

Another month has flown by, and we are into the final stretch of winter, and I'm sure most of us are looking forward to Spring. I know there have been lots of winter bugs doing the rounds, but it's been lovely to still see so many of you making the effort to get out and enjoy what we've put together for you.

Our Craft group is growing, and has proven to be a welcome addition to our calendar. There is plenty of room for more, so feel free to join us on a Wednesday afternoon. \$4 cash on the day for room hire, BYO craft/art of choice. Several of us braved atrocious weather to head to the movies to see 'Fly Me To The Moon'. A very enjoyable movie, which we all enjoyed.

Our organised Ferry Trip to Queenscliff was cancelled due to a change in timetables and weather conditions on the day, but a few brave souls still went, and by all accounts had a lovely time. We will definitely reschedule this one for later in the year.

The Jetty Rd Brewery was a big hit for Girls Night Out and was also another very well attended outing.

A big thankyou to those that attended the tour of Aveo. You lovely ladies have just raised an extra \$500 for our club!

Coming up this month we have a full contingent paid up to attend the Combined Clubs Luncheon in Hastings. Carpooling will be offered – if you need a lift please reach out.

Girls Night out this month will be at Jade Court in Rosebud.

We are also heading to the Pig and Whistle for lunch on the 30<sup>th</sup>.

Our biggest event for the month is our Cake Stall at Bunnings, scheduled for the Saturday before Fathers' Day. We are once again asking for our bakers to step forward and cook up a storm. We are also looking for helpers to man the stall on the day. All baked goods must be wrapped and labelled with all ingredients. No fresh cream or items requiring refrigeration please. Items may be dropped off on the Friday prior (drop off points TBA) or at Bunnings on the day. This fundraiser is always a huge success for our club, thanks to the generosity of you, our members, something we are truly grateful for.

And just a couple of FYI's for **September**. We have planned a lunch at the Flinders Golf Club on Friday the 6<sup>th</sup>.

And we have booked a Street Tour of the Dandenong Market on Tuesday the 17<sup>th</sup>. Cost is \$25pp, numbers and payment will be required by the 3<sup>rd</sup>. There is a limit of 14 for this one, but if there is a greater demand we will look at booking a second date. Please add you name to the signup sheet if you're keen, we will try and organise carpooling on the day as well.

That's all folks,

Cheers, your Program Officers,

**Laila, Jane and Delwyn**

## **AUGUST:**

**Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup>, 1pm-3pm.....**Creative Art and Wellbeing Group, Seawinds Hub, \$4pp/per week

**Thursday 8<sup>th</sup>, 10am.....**View General Meeting, Eagle Ridge Golf Club, 215 Browns Rd, Boneo

**Friday 9<sup>th</sup>, 10am.....** Book Club, Seawinds Hub.

**Monday 12<sup>th</sup>, 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 14<sup>th</sup>, 1pm-3pm.....**Creative art and Wellbeing Group, Seawinds Hub, \$4pp/per week

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

**Sunday 18<sup>th</sup>, 2pm....**Fashion Show by "détendu Lifestyle" at the Rye Bowls Club \$20 pp Drink on arrival and Nibbles.(See sign-up sheet)

**Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup>, 1pm-3pm.....**Creative Art and Wellbeing Group, Seawinds Hub, \$4pp/per week

**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, 215 Browns Rd, Boneo, Partners /friends welcome – Music by Movers & Shakers  
**Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup>, 1pm-3pm.....**Creative Art and Wellbeing Group, Seawinds Hub, \$4pp/per week  
**Friday 30<sup>th</sup>, 1pm.....**Lunch, Pig and Whistle, 365 Purves Rd, Main Ridge  
**Saturday 31<sup>st</sup>, 9am-2pm.....**Bunnings Cake Stall

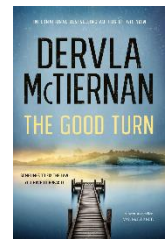
## SEPTEMBER:

**Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup>, 1-3pm.....**Creative Art and Wellbeing Group, \$4 Seawinds Hub  
**Thursday 5<sup>th</sup>, 10am.....**View Committee meeting, Eagle Ridge Golf Club  
**Friday 6<sup>th</sup>, 12pm.....**Lunch, Flinders Golf Club, 1 Bass St, Flinders  
**Monday 9<sup>th</sup> time TBC.....**Movie date, Rosebud Cinemas, Rosebud Pde Rosebud  
**Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup>, 1-3pm.....**Creative Art and Wellbeing Group, \$4 Seawinds Hub  
**Thursday 12<sup>th</sup>, 10am.....**View meeting, Speaker TBC, Eagle Ridge Golf Course, 215 Browns Rd, Boneo  
**Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup>, 10.30am-12pm.....**Street Tour, Dandenong Market \$25, Clow St and Cleveland St, Dandenong  
**Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup>, 1-3pm.....**Creative Art and Wellbeing Group, \$4 Seawinds Hub  
**Friday 20<sup>th</sup>, 10am.....**Book Club, Seawinds Hub  
**Friday 20<sup>th</sup>, 4-6pm.....**Soirée, Ros M's home, Rosebud  
**Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup>, 1-5pm.....**Peninsula Beer Garden, 215 Browns Rd, Boneo, Partners /friends welcome  
**Monday 23<sup>rd</sup>, 10.30am.....**Connect@Coffee, Nordie Café, 1008 Mornington Flinders Rd, Red Hill  
**Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup>, 1-3pm.....**Creative Art and Wellbeing Group, \$4 Seawinds hub  
**Thursday 26<sup>th</sup>, 6pm.....**Girls Night Out, Rye RSL, 5/11 Nelson St, Rye

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

## BOOK CLUB

The book for this month is The Good Turn by Dervla McTiernan. We will meet at 10am Friday 9<sup>th</sup> August at Seawinds Hub. The monthly fee for the room is \$4 per person.



## COMBINED CLUBS LUNCHEON - HOST CLUB -HASTINGS

Thank you to all the members who have booked and paid to attend this luncheon. For those who would like to car pool, Mandy will be arranging this and will discuss at our next meeting on the 8<sup>th</sup> August.

**DATE:** Friday, August 16<sup>th</sup>  
**VENUE:** Westernport Hotel, Hastings - car pooling will be arranged  
**RAFFLE PRIZES/TRADING TABLE:** Please bring cash.

## TRADING TABLE



There will be a Trading Table at our next meeting, so bring along your as new/saleable items to the August 8<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.

## SAVE THESE DATES

### August 31<sup>st</sup>

#### **Bunnings Rosebud Cake Stall – 9am – 2pm (Approx.)**

Please add your name to the sign up sheet to either bake goodies or sell goodies we need volunteers.

The day before Fathers' Day is always a great fundraiser for our club.



## October 24<sup>th</sup>

### **Spring Garden Party – 12pm onwards**

Watch this space for more information  
Lots of fun, raffles, a glass of bubbles on arrival  
and delicious home-made morsels to eat.



## November 14<sup>th</sup>

### **Giant Trading Table Event – From 10am**

An exciting fundraising event following our General Meeting.  
More information to come.



## December 12th

### **Christmas Party – Details to come**

Following our short December General Meeting.



## Replacement Badges

Should you have misplaced your name badge, please order your replacement through the Secretary, Robyn B. ([robynbusch65@hotmail.com](mailto: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. [robynbusch65@hotmail.com](mailto:robynbusch65@hotmail.com) 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:  
<https://www.thesmithfamily.com.au/view-clubs/find-a-club/vic/southern-peninsula-view-club>

## 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: <http://www.view.org.au/resources/publications/>.

### **2024/2025 Committee Contact Numbers:**

|                        |              |              |                           |               |              |
|------------------------|--------------|--------------|---------------------------|---------------|--------------|
| <b>President:</b>      | Mandy Kiklis | 0405 942 599 | <b>Program Officer:</b>   | Laila Devers  | 0412 152 782 |
| <b>Vice President:</b> | Claire Adams | 0448 023 031 | <b>Program Officer:</b>   | Jane Rahill   | 0481 969 040 |
| <b>Secretary:</b>      | Robyn Busch  | 0407 344 185 | <b>Program Officer:</b>   | Delwyn Davis  | 0408 161 614 |
| <b>Asst. Sec:</b>      | Faye Burnham | 0411 865 836 | <b>Publicity Officer:</b> | Pat Michal    | 0419 030 170 |
| <b>Treasurer:</b>      | Vicki Gorman | 0408 593 182 | <b>Learning for Life:</b> | Roslyn Morton | 0409 972 589 |
| <b>Delegate:</b>       | Ruth Rayner  | 0403 237 816 | <b>Learning for Life:</b> | Naomi Grant   | 0412 728 020 |

## July Club Meeting and Activities

**Guest Speaker: Christine Dineen**  
Who spoke about Flinders Island.



**Birthday Girls:**  
Suzanne L & Ruth R

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**Badge presentation to  
new club members:**  
Helen G and Janet R



**Door Prize Winners**  
Sandra B & Jennifer M



**Connect@Coffee at The Kitchen**

**Members at Girls' Night Out at Jetty Road Brewery,**





Taking in a tour and presentation at AVEO Safety Beach as a fundraiser.

Our Creative Arts and Wellbeing Group is off and running at Seawinds Hub. Some of our members enjoying their projects.



## **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.***

***We acknowledge with thanks the support of Sam Groth MP, State Member for Nepean for the Club's printing requirements.***



## SOUTHERN PENINSULA VIEW CLUB

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

| MONDAY   | TUESDAY  | WEDNESDAY  | THURSDAY   | FRIDAY  | SATURDAY                                | SUNDAY   |
|--|--|--|--|---|---|--|
| <b>5 AUGUST</b>  | 6  | 7<br>1pm-3pm<br>Creative Arts & Wellbeing \$4pp  | 8<br>10am<br>General Meeting<br>Eagle Ridge                                  | 9<br>10am<br>Book Club at Seawinds Hub  | 10                                      | 11   |
| 12<br>Movie Date,<br>Rosebud Cinema<br>Time & Movie TBC  | 13<br>10.30am<br>Connect@Coffee<br>Laneway Café<br>Dromana | 14<br>1pm-3pm<br>Creative Arts & Wellbeing \$4pp | 15   | 16<br>11.30am<br>3 VIEW Club<br>Lunch at Hastings                                       | 17                                      | 18<br>2pm<br>Fashion Show<br>Rye Bowls Club              |
| 19   | 20   | 21<br>1pm-3pm<br>Creative Arts & Wellbeing \$4pp | 22<br>6pm<br>Girls Night Out<br>Jade Court<br>Chinese Restaurant,<br>Rosebud | 23  | 24                                      | 25<br>1-5pm<br>Peninsula Beer Garden<br>Partners welcome |
| 26   | 27   | 28<br>1pm-3pm<br>Creative Arts & Wellbeing \$4pp | 29   | 30<br>1pm Lunch<br>Pig & Whistle<br>Main Ridge  | 31<br>9am-2pm<br>Bunnings<br>Cake Stall | 1 SEPTEMBER<br>Fathers' Day                              |
| 2  | 3  | 4<br>1pm-3pm<br>Creative Arts & Wellbeing \$4pp  | 5  | 6<br>12pm<br>Lunch at<br>Flinders Golf Club   | 7                                       | 8  |
| 9<br>Movie Date,<br>Rosebud Cinema<br>Time & Movie TBC   | 10   | 11<br>1pm-3pm<br>Creative Arts & Wellbeing \$4pp | 12<br>10am<br>General Meeting<br>Eagle Ridge                                 | 13  | 14                                      | 15   |
| 16   | 17<br>10.30am-12pm<br>Street Tour<br>Dandenong Market      | 18<br>1pm-3pm<br>Creative Arts & Wellbeing \$4pp | 19   | 20<br>10am<br>Book Club at Seawinds Hub<br>4pm-6pm<br>Soiree at Ros M's home<br>Rosebud | 21                                      | 22<br>1-5pm<br>Peninsula Beer Garden<br>Partners welcome |
| 23<br>10.30am<br>Connect@Coffee<br>Nordie Café, Red Hill | 24   | 25<br>1pm-3pm<br>Creative Arts & Wellbeing \$4pp | 26<br>6pm<br>Girls Night Out<br>Rye RSL, Nelson St<br>Rye                    | 27  | 28                                      | 29   |

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