

# Greensborough Gossip

### **Greensborough Branch Newsletter**

Branch No. 100133 Incorporation No. A0044936A July 2020 — Editor Marlene Goodyear

#### PRESIDENT'S REPORT:



Dear Members,

The 'Gossip' newsletter is getting shorter as the months go by. With the current lockdown measures there is not a lot to report.

#### **Branch Meetings/Activities:**

With the introduction of stricter measures we are unable to conduct meetings or organise activities.

We still have Werribee Mansion/Zoo and Myriad Glass/Edgar's Mission on our books, along with the Great Ocean Road extended tour scheduled for October.

Whether the above activities go ahead will be dependent on how we fair with COVID-19. At the time of writing things do not look too encouraging.

We will keep you up to date. Should we be unable to proceed with these activities this year they will be transferred to 2021.

We have sorting through things at home and our shredder is having a well-earned rest after Marlene decluttered the study and discarded 15+ years of branch documents, newsletters, etc.

A mammoth task!



Some members recognised that we were the anonymous ones in the article sent out with the June newsletter re communication problems with a telco during the shutdown - not a good time to change plans. Anyhow we are happy to report that all is resolved ..... the Earth & Stars have realigned!

Thankyou to those members who wrote and told us how they are and what they are doing during isolation.

If you know of a member who would appreciate a call please let Marlene or myself know. You can also ring a committee member. We would be happy to have a chat.

We hope all our members are keeping well.

Stay warm & cosy at home.

Regards, Bob Goodyear

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Past Presidents: Christina McDonald - 003/04 Greg Fallon - 2004/07





# Branch Meetings

Due to COVID-19
Branch Meetings have been temporarily suspended until restrictions on large social gatherings have been lifted



To members who are unwell or recuperating, your friends at the Greensborough Branch are thinking of you and send best wishes for a speedy recovery.

If you know of any member who is unwell, please contact our Welfare Officer, Judy Harvey Tel: 9401 6752 or

email: judy.harvey43@yahoo.com

To those celebrating a birthday!





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COFFEE CLUB



*LUNCH* CLUB



DINNER CLUB



Due to the current restrictions in place, we cannot hold our Coffee. Lunch & Dinner Clubs.

We look forward to resuming these activities when possible.





## GOLF CLUB

The Strathallan Golf Course is open. We have a group booking for Mondays with tee-off times at 9.00, 9.05, 9.10 and 9.15 am (4 groups of 2x golfers).

New rules: You are required to book. Tee-off times are a minimum of 5 minutes apart for groups (see booking times above). You must play in your group (max of 2x).

All other Strathallan Golf Club restrictions & social distancing rules apply.

If you wish to play a round - please ring or email Ian Schuck on 9434 2829 / ian schuck@hotmail.com



WALKING



LOW IMPACT WALKING CLUB



Both Walking Groups have been suspended until further notice as we cannot walk as a group for now.

Ken will email walkers when restrictions are lifted.

Please ring Ken Pickett on 9435 0076 if you have any gueries.

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For all enquiries please contact: Residents' Coordinator - Karen Ernest on 9433 1100