

DIARY DATES

July 25th BUS TRIP “Christmas in July” at Maroochy RSL.....\$85

August 15th AGM & Election of Office Bearers NSA's Chris Grice & Karen Furnivall to attend

August 27th Kedron Wavell Ladies Auxiliary Charity Morning Tea.....\$25

October 24th BUS TRIP *Save the date*. Open to suggestions – refer any ideas to John.

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REMINDERS

For group verification and to claim any NSA Discount when ordering lunch, drinks etc, you **MUST** wear your NSA name badge on all outings including lunches.

To purchase a badge, please see Barbara Coleman (Treasurer) at the social meetings. For payment of an **event**, please do **ONE** of the following ASAP:

1. **CASH:** Correct money placed in an envelope with:

Your Name – Event & Date – Amount encl.

Please give the envelope to John Canterbury (Tours) or Barbara Coleman (Treasurer) who will issue a receipt.

.....OR.....

2. **BANK TRANSFER:** Please remember to put your name in the details section of the transfer.

Acct Name: National Seniors Chermiside

BSB No: 084150 **Acct Number:** 047984369

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*Please remember to put your name in the exercise book at the Social meeting or contact **Karlotta**, our **Activities Co-ordinator**, before the date of the lunch.*

*As soon as you are aware of any club member who is unwell, please let **June Kerrigan** our **Welfare Officer** know immediately, so that she can contact them.*

*If you change your contact or address details, please let **Jeanette Daff** our **Membership Officer** know, as soon as possible.*

*If you have information for the Newsletter and/or need a lift to the meeting or to any of the social outings, including the bus trips, please let **Alayne Brown** our **Public Relations Officer** know, to help with any arrangements.*

DID YOU KNOW?



Both kangaroos and emus lack the ability to walk backwards and it was for this primary reason they were chosen for Australia's Coat of Arms – to symbolise a country that is always moving forward.

NSA My Generation Magazine

To access, you need to log into the NSA website with your membership number and password, then click on the link: <https://nationalseniors.com.au/members/our-generation/our-generation-read-online>
Online articles can be accessed via the link: <https://nationalseniors.com.au/news/>

JUNE QUIZ ANSWERS: Janitor, Jaundice, Jumper, Journalist, Jackhammer, Jargon, Jaded, Jackpot, Jam, Joints, Jovial, Junkyard, Jingle, Jujitsu, Jetlag, Jungle, Java, Joinery, Jeer, Jeweller

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NEWSLETTER – 20th June 2024

Good Morning Members,

This August, after 25 years of meeting at Chermiside Bowls Club (CBC), we'll be relocating to Geebung RSL Club. As discussed at our last meeting, we just could not afford the room hire rate that CBC had set for 2025, without increasing your meeting fees - and we didn't want to do that.

Over the past few weeks, our committee sought out and visited venues in Chermiside and the surrounding suburbs, looking for a new home for our club. We're very thankful to Geebung RSL for making their venue available to us on a Thursday morning. Their meeting room hire rate is very reasonable, which will allow us to keep operating at our normal \$10 per member cost, which includes a morning tea selection and tea and coffee, (no longer BYO).

Everything at Geebung RSL is compatible with the current and future needs of our members, including lift and escalator access, on-site parking (on both meeting and bus-trip days), nearby train and bus stops and even having barista coffee available in the morning (either before a meeting or a bus trip).

The only immediate downside is that there isn't any storage space for our books and the NSA cupboard. We hope that space may become available in the New Year. Until then, please check out and take some books with you today and donate them elsewhere if you can, otherwise please see a committee member. We also need a safe place to store our cupboard until other arrangements can be made. Do you have any space where it could be stored for about 6 months? We will still have tables available every meeting for stalls (and some books).

We will still meet at Chermiside for the July 18th Social Meeting BUT we will be at our new venue for the AGM on August 15th. Nomination forms are available from Beris today, if you wish to join our committee after August. All positions will become vacant at the AGM. Nominations will close at the August 1st Committee Meeting to be held at Chermiside Library. After eight years as President, I'll be retiring but will stay with the club and help in any way I can.

Today's raffle has a selection of 3 lovely prizes – the winner will get 1st choice. The cost is \$2 for a bundle of 5 tickets. If you haven't yet bought a ticket, someone will come around to the tables.

Appreciate our lovely winter weather, keep warm, stay healthy and remember that our July Social Meeting will still be here at Chermiside Bowls Club. Enjoy your morning and have a safe trip home.

Jenny Tidey OAM
President

TODAY'S SOCIAL MEETING & MORNING TEA (Mobile phones off/on silent please).

Our guest speaker today is Margaret Warren from Inspired Outcomes – covering all facets (legal, financial etc) of downsizing and relocating to retirement villages and nursing homes.

TIP OF THE MONTH: CAR SAFETY

When driving, keep car doors locked. If stopped by police who are not in uniform and have an unmarked car, ask to see their identification through your closed window.

NOTES FROM THE LAST MEETING

- ❖ 42 members and our two new members, Chris Acworth and Christine Lewis, attended our last meeting. Ten apologies were received.
- ❖ Our guest speaker, was Matilda Marsh from ADA (Aged & Disability Advocates) who can assist and support seniors as they try to navigate My Aged Care services etc.
- ❖ \$468.00 was raised at the Bring & Buy stall and \$74.00 was raised from the raffle.



JUNE BIRTHDAYS:

Fay Frazer, Marjorie Hine,
June Kerrigan, Jenny Ebenezer,
Ron Markland

ANNIVERSARIES:

Barbara & Gary Coleman (1973) 51yrs.

CONGRATULATIONS!

SOCIAL MEETINGS, MORNING TEAS & LUNCHES

June 27th 11.30am - LUNCH – Aspley Leagues Club, 29 Kirby Road, Aspley

July 4th 1.00pm - COMMITTEE MEETING - Chermshire Library

July 11th 11.30am - LUNCH - Warner Tavern, 2 Everest St, Warner

July 18th 9am for 10am Start - SOCIAL MEETING & MORNING TEA.....\$10

Our guest speaker will be **Andrew Campbell**, a Masters qualified Audiologist, who has been treating patients and teaching seminars on hearing and brain health for two decades. He's passionate about educating people on the link between untreated hearing loss and cognitive decline. All members will receive a copy of his latest book, *Hearing & Brain Health*.

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SENIOR'S CITY HALL *JUNE & JULY CONCERTS* Tues 12 – 1pm

25th June – Organ Music for the Soul: Titus Grenyer

Composer, conductor, teacher and Sydney's City Organist, Titus will perform his own transcriptions of famous music alongside works of old masters rarely heard on the organ.

2nd July – Blowing off the Roof – John Coulton Brass (JCB)

A concert featuring the 10 best orchestral brass players in Australia, with music and hits from composers such as Mozart to Freddie Mercury.

9th July – The Larman & Brothers Jazz Quintet

Original renditions of timeless jazz classics from "The Great American Songbook", including *Fly Me to the Moon* and *The Girl from Ipanema*. An engaging afternoon of Jazz.

16th July – Songs from The Great American Songbook

Be moved with a different take on well known and classic hits including, *Bye Bye Blackbird*, *What a Wonderful World* and *Yesterday* etc.

23rd July – The Beehives

Four talented girls team up to sing and dance their way through hits from Glam girl groups of the 60's & 70's. Revisit hits by The Shirelles, The Ronettes, The Crystals and The Supremes as well as solo performers including Tina Turner, Cher, Lulu and Carole King.

30th July – Danny Widdicombe's Aloha Boys

Featuring the pedal-steel guitar, interesting percussion and vocals, this unique Trio plays music with a Calypso/Retro/Bossa Nova and Country/Blues vibe.

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SOCIAL OUTING: BUS TRIP TO THE IPSWICH RAIL WORKSHOPS 23/5/24



A group of 22 members and friends, enjoyed the recent bus trip to tour and lunch at the **Ipswich Rail Workshops, Museum & Cafe**. We also stopped for morning tea, at beautiful **Kholo Gardens** at Pine Mountain, where members were able to have a cuppa and then and go for a short walk.

CHARITY MORNING TEA - HUMMINGBIRD HOUSE

On Tuesday August 27th, Kedron Wavell Ladies Auxiliary will host a Charity Morning Tea. This event will be similar to their well-known and much-anticipated Hummingbird House fundraiser, which we have supported for about 5 years. This year there will be a new format, where the proceeds will be shared between Hummingbird House and a few other chosen charities. We have two tables booked, so please write your name in the events book, if you'd like to attend. It is \$25pp - the same cost as 2023.

THE FUNNY SIDE

- Someone said, "Nothing rhymes with orange". I said, "No, it doesn't".
- I'm having a great day – just sold my homing pigeon on eBay for the 27th time!
- Always trust a nudist...they have nothing to hide.

JUNE WORD QUIZ: All answers start with the letter "J"

1. Caretaker of a building _____
2. A medical condition that turns skin yellow _____
3. A knitted garment with long sleeves _____
4. A person who writes for a newspaper _____
5. A portable pneumatic hammer/drill _____
6. Specialised vocabulary _____
7. Weary from excuses _____
8. Highest lottery prize _____
9. Fruit spread _____
10. Knees, hips, elbows, etc _____
11. Cheerful and friendly _____
12. A place where scrap is collected _____
13. A short tune used in ads _____
14. Japanese self-defence _____
15. Fatigue from air travel _____
16. Dense tropical forest _____
17. An Indonesian Island _____
18. Woodworking trade _____
19. Scoff rudely _____
20. Seller of gems and precious metals _____