

Aspley Branch, February Newsletter

FEBRUARY MEETING, 28TH FEBRUARY 10:00

Aspley Hornets Football Club, 50 Graham Road, Carseldine Ph. 3263 5522. Carpark opens at 9.00 am and doors open for the meeting at 9.15 am so we recommend you do not arrive early. Cost is now \$10, which includes a lucky door prize draw. Please have the correct money if possible.

FEBRUARY Speaker: Claire Blake, Berghoffer Institute.

Up Coming events

18 February, Oklahoma, Redcliffe Civic Centre. pm – make own way to theatre and pay for own ticket. Betty will be in attendance and will see you there. For more information Betty 0421 335 323.

21 February, Bus Trip to Bribie. – leaving Hornets at 9 a.m. and back approx.. 3 p.m. Please park in the rear parking area at Hornets. M/Tea is at own expense at Civic Centre -if desired and a two course lunch is at the Surf Lifesavers. Cost \$55.00 contact Jan – 0488 390 174 – Betty 0421 335 323.

28 February, Branch meeting. 9.30 a.m. for 10 a.m. start. \$10.00 for meeting and m/tea and lucky door prize. Visitors – first meeting free.

7 March, PIZZA Day at Crockatt Park.

14 March, 11:30 Lunch Crepe Place. 11.30 a.m. for lunch. Please advise Linda at February meeting if you are coming. Buy own lunch and Committee will meet there at 9.30 a.m. Contact Betty or Linda for more details

15 March, Morning melodies at Hornets.

21 March, Movies at EVENT Strathpine. 10:00 AM session. More details to come.

28 March, Branch Meeting. 9.30 a.m. for 10 a.m. start. \$10.00 for meeting and m/tea and lucky door prize. Visitors – first meeting free.

18 April, Meeting moved due to ANZAC day. Branch meeting. Trivia, Hat/ Dress Parade. Normal meeting 9.30 a.m. for 10 a.m. start. Our meeting will be brief and our Guest Speaker will arrive at about 10.30 am and finish by 11 a.m and then the Hat/Dress Parade Trivia and fun games. High Tea has been postponed from this date.

28 November, Christmas Party Date claimer at Geebung RSL. Same entertainer as last year.

Please register your email address. If events or meetings change for any reason email is the only contact method that will be used to tell you . Your email will only be used for club purposes and will not be forwarded onto to any other group to use. Please email <code>aspleynationalseniors@gmail.com</code> with your details.

Committee Changes

If you are interested in helping to manage the club, please come along to an executive meeting which is held on the second Tuesday of each month. We are now meeting at Committee members houses. Please contact the president on 0421 335 323 or a committee member to get the location.

COMING UP

- 18 February, Oklahoma, Redcliffe Civic centre.
- 21 February, Bus trip to Bribie
- 28 February Branch meeting.
- 7 March, Barbecue, Sausage Sizzle, Crockatt Park
- 14 March, Crepe Place
- 28 March, Branch meeting.
- 11 April, Branch Executive meeting
- **18 April,** Branch meeting, date change due to ANZAC day.
- 28 November, Christmas Party Date claimer.

WELFARE

Please enter details of any fellow member you know who is ill, hospitalised or deceased of a recent date in the book. Could you please write in the reason against the name so we know? Our committee will take it from there. Feel free to ring Dianne to let her know if someone is ill and she can send them a card. Contact Welfare Officer: Dianne Beazley on 040 6 41 5690.

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Nov	14	28
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ONLINE ARTICLES FROM NATIONAL SENIORS AUSTRALIA

Calculators we offer on the NSA website. Visitors to the site will find a Concessions Calculator that helps users find concessions they are eligible for, and a Downsizing Calculator that helps users estimate the costs associated in downsizing. These are two really useful tools that members may find to be valuable. From a NSA email.

https://nationalseniors.com.au/news/

Some like it hot: how temperature affects the taste of your coffee https://nationalseniors.com.au/news/lifestyle/some-like-it-hot-how-temperature-affects-the-taste-of-your-coffee

How your home equity can help alleviate cost of living pressures https://nationalseniors.com.au/news/finance/how-your-home-equity-can-help-alleviate-cost-of-living-pressures

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Monty Python paves way for a healthier and sillier you https://nationalseniors.com.au/news/health/monty-python-paves-way-for-a-healthier-and-sillier-you

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BUS AND TRIP EXCURSIONS

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MEMBER WELFARE

If you are aware of members who are sick or need some help please let our Welfare Officer Di Beazley 0406 415 690 know.

INSPIRATIONAL QUOTES

"I think the perfection of love is that it's not perfect." — Taylor Swift

"The best thing to hold onto in life is each other." — Audrey Hepburn

"Love doesn't make the world go 'round. Love is what makes the ride worthwhile." — Franklin P. Jones

"You can't blame gravity for falling in love." — Albert Einstein

"We simply can't abandon ship every time we encounter a storm. Real love is about weathering the terms of life together." — Seth Adam Smith

"All you need is love. But a little chocolate now and then doesn't hurt." $\,-\,$ Charles M. Schulz

JOKES

Who always has a date on Valentine's Day? A calendar.

Why are artichokes so beloved? They're known for their hearts.

What did the love-obsessed candle say when it was lit? "I found the perfect match!"

Why did the magnet hit on the refrigerator? **He found her to be very attractive.**

What's the most romantic ship? **Courtship**

How do sheep share their feelings with each other? By saying, "I love ewe."

ASPLEY BRANCH CONTACTS

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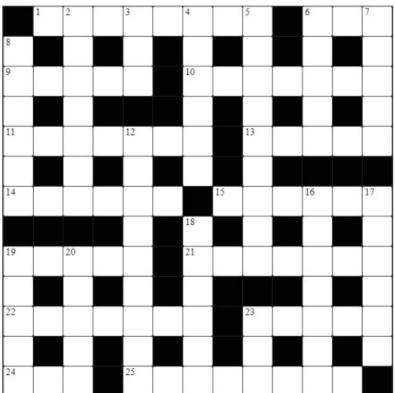
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Valentine's Day

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ACROSS

- 1. Snow storm(8)
- 6. Possess(3)
- 9. Supply with necessary kit(5)
- 10. Replies(7)
- 11. Chip shop fish(7)
- 13. Cash(5)
- 14. English county(6)
- 15. Device for taking photographs(6)
- 19. Casual trousers(5)
- 21. Ungainly(7)
- 22. Sold from the cask(7)
- 23. Subject(5)
- 24. Male child(3)
- 25. Duplicitous(3-5)

DOWN

- 2. Wash(7)
- 3. Adjustable fastening(3)
- 4. Northernmost American state(6)
- 5. Go ashore(9)
- 6. Large sea(5)
- 7. Unpleasant(5)
- 8. Systematic procedure(6)
- **12.** Omission(9)
- 16. Instance(7)
- 17. Kidnap(6)
- 18. Military pageant(6)
- 19. Betrayer(5)
- 20. Once more(5)
- 23. Hot drink(3)

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Out of the millions of statues built across the world. Only the statue of Marilyn Manroe is useful

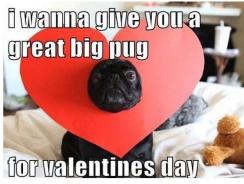


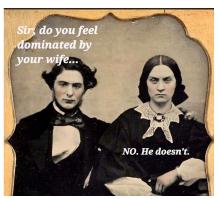
Two women in a bus fighting bitterly over the last available seat.

The conductor had already tried unsuccessfully to intervene when the bus driver shouted to the conductor, "Let the ugly one take the seat"

Both women stood for the rest of the journey

Argument done!







Even on Valentine's Day, my secret admirers take the secret part seriously. Good for them!

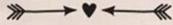
someecards







I visited a monastery and as I walked past the kitchen I saw a man frying chips. I asked him "Are you the friar?" He replied "No, I'm the chip monk..." When I get
a headache,
I take
two asprin
and keep away
from children,
just like
the bottle says.





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