

SEPTEMBER 2025 NEWSLETTER

GENERAL MEETING

Tuesday 23 September, Aspley Hornets Football Club, 50 Graham Road, Carseldine. Carpark opens at 9:00am and doors open for the meeting at 9:15am so we recommend you do not arrive too early. The meeting cost is \$10, which includes a lucky door prize draw. Please have the correct money if possible. We can now also accept card payment. Both Card and Cash are acceptable, and there is no plan to become card only.

Morning tea from 9:45am, meeting starts at 10:00am. The club is supplying morning tea, not lunch. When you are helping yourself to morning tea, please take only two sandwiches and a piece of cake/slice. Please consider your fellow club members. If there is still some left after everyone has had morning tea you are welcome to take some more. If people continue to miss out, we will need to preorder more food and increase the price of meetings.

September Speaker: John Crook on Artificial Intelligence.

October: Gareth Cotter and his Assistant Dog Jaffa

November: Christos Mourtzakis – The Department of Transport & Main Roads - Senior Driver Safety.

December: Christmas Party on 9th December. No speaker.

January – Fun Start to 2026

February – State Emergency Service (SES)

UPCOMING EVENTS

7 October. 10:30 AM NSA Aspley Picnic in the Park. Sausage sizzle, games.

15 October. Pretty Woman at QPAC.

23 October. Bus trip to Mt Mee and Samford with Chermside NSA.

9 December. 11:00am NSA Aspley Christmas Party, at Hornets.

17 March. 9:30 am Planetarium at Mt Cootha. Meet at Chermside Bus Terminal.

For information on whether an event is cancelled due to severe weather or other unforeseen circumstances we suggest members use their own discretion or contact a Committee Member for information

NSA Aspley Meeting Dates

Month	Committee	Branch
September	9	23
October	14	28
November	11	25
December	Christmas Party 9	No meeting
January 2026	13	27
February 2026	10	24

It's perfectly OK to talk to yourself and it's perfectly OK to answer yourself. But it's totally sad that you have to repeat what you said because you weren't listening.

ONLINE ARTICLES FROM NATIONAL SENIORS AUSTRALIA

'Imputed rent' tax unwelcome. <https://nationalseniors.com.au/news/featured-news/imputed-rent-tax-unwelcome>

Better: What you want for aged care workforce. <https://nationalseniors.com.au/news/featured-news/better-what-you-want-for-aged-care-workforce>

A step in right direction for older Australians. A step in right direction for older Australians.

<https://nationalseniors.com.au/news/latest-news/a-step-in-right-direction-for-older-australians>

Banking blow to regional Australia. <https://nationalseniors.com.au/news/latest-news/banking-blow-to-regional-australia>

Ageing well could depend on where you live. <https://nationalseniors.com.au/news/latest-news/ageing-well-could-depend-on-where-you-live>

It could be time to update your will. <https://nationalseniors.com.au/news/latest-news/it-could-be-time-to-update-your-will>

EXCURSIONS*

Thursday October 23 - Mt Mee for lunch then travel to Samford, with Chermside NSA: Cost \$45 (lunch at own expense). Meet at Bus Stop opposite Geebung RSL at 8.30am for an 8.45am departure. Give phone number and emergency contact details when contacting the Chermside NSA convenor.

Chermside Convenor: John Canterbury, Phone: 0411 046 179

Bank Transfer: Record your name in the details section of transfer

Acct Name: National Seniors Chermside. BSB Number: 084 150 Acct Number: 047 984

Tuesday 17 March. Planetarium in Mt Coot-tha. Meet at 9.30am Chermside Bus Terminal. Catch bus 598 to Planetarium and 599 back to Chermside. Bus takes around 55 minutes each way. Planetarium cost of \$12.50 each (with group booking 10 or more). See Judy Tuckett to put your name & phone number down if interested

2026

Landsborough Train Trip - Planned for 2026. Details to follow.

Suggestions for bus trips: See Judy Tuckett to put your name & phone number down

Turtles of Mon Reps - 4 days – 2 February 2026

Kingaroy - 3 days - 25th May 2026

ENTERTAINMENT *

Pretty Woman at QPAC on **15 October** 1:00PM.

Cats at QPAC in **February 2026**. If you are interested, please see Graeme Hayes.

Redcliffe Entertainment Centre: Upcoming events:

- Mamma Mia the Concert 19th September – 2.30pm - 4.30pm
- Bob Marley Tribute – 26th September – 7.30pm – 9.30pm
- Meat Loaf The Concert – 4th October – 7.30pm – 9.30pm
- The Stars & Classic Hits – 8th October – 11am – 12.30pm

Book through Redcliffe Entertainment Centre website.

* Regrettably we are unable to provide refunds on bus trips or concert tickets. It is the responsibility of the purchaser to pass on or resell their tickets, should they be unable to attend".

7 October - NSA Picnic in the park at the Pine Rivers Park. Cost \$5 for the sausage sizzle. Bring a plate to share for morning tea and a hot/cold drink. Entertainment – games.

4 November – Crepe Café. 11:30 AM.

9 December - Christmas lunch. \$40. Alternate drop Honey Glazed Leg Ham or Roast Turkey Breast and Pavlova or Christmas pudding. Tea and Coffee. Names and money will be taken by Lorelle at September Meeting. Wear your Christmas Bling. Bring Cash for the Raffles.

WELFARE

Please notify our Welfare Officer, Lorelle Doxey (0418 880 925), of any member that you know of who is ill or injured, so that we can give our support where needed.

PUZZLES

Daily Quick Crossword: 6 September 2023

DAILY QUICK
Crossword

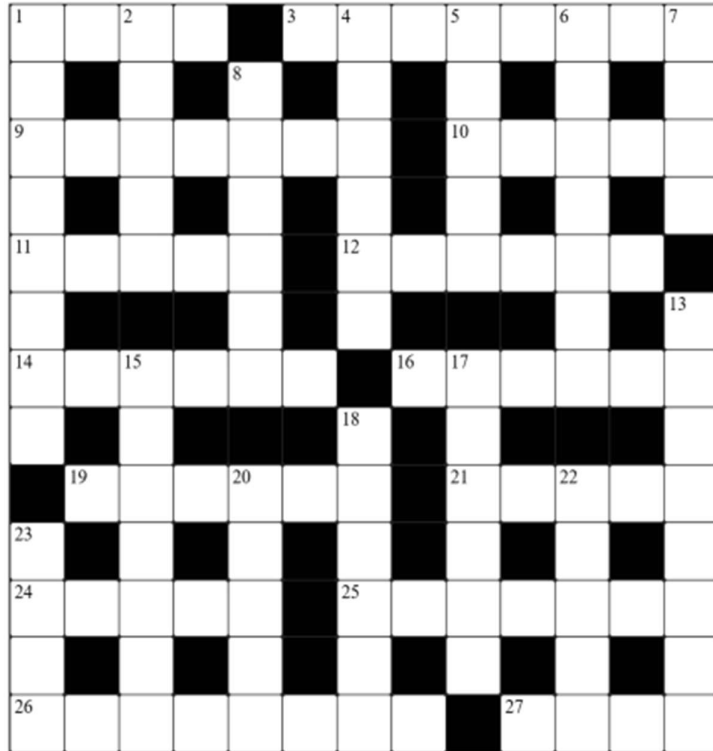
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ACROSS

1. Unit of power(4)
3. Female child(8)
9. Fishing vessel(7)
10. Inflexible(5)
11. Incite(3,2)
12. Brief period of rain(6)
14. Native American warriors(6)
16. Piece of sculpture(6)
19. Cuban leader since 1959(6)
21. Stand-offish(5)
24. Stay in bed longer(3,2)
25. Breastbone(7)
26. Organism that lives on another-(8)
27. Necessity(4)

DOWN

1. Yorkshire racecourse(8)
2. Nasal tone(5)
4. To the opposite side(6)
5. Zest, relish(5)
6. Cut into three parts(7)
7. Floating platform(4)
8. Fair-haired(6)
13. Scented(8)
15. Non-professional(7)
17. London's river(6)
18. English county(6)
20. Melodies(5)
22. Light weight(5)
23. Cut with shears(4)



NOTES:

A free daily online crossword that's not too difficult-just right for solving in your coffee break. <http://bestforpuzzles.com>.

Kitchen Items

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DISHWASHER
MICROWAVE
BLENDER
GLASSES
STOVE
COFFEE MAKER
MOP
DEEP FRYER
WAFFLE IRON
TOASTER
BRUSH
PLATES
SPONGE
KETTLE
RADIO
OVEN
FRIDGE
SINK
CUTLERY

Classic Kids

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City Cat trip to North Shore Café – 19 August 2026



Australian Outback Spectacular – 31 August 2026



EDITOR/Membership

Also, a reminder to send any requests for name tags, address changes, email address changes etc through to the NSA Aspley email account. aspleynationalseniors@gmail.com

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