

Whittlesea U3A
Weekly Fact Sheet



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LOCKDOWN/COVID RESTRICTION UPDATE

Unfortunately very little has changed in the way of classes since last WOTZON as we are still in lockdown. There have been rumours that with the increased numbers of vaccination we MIGHT come out of lockdown earlier, however these are just rumours and nothing official is available. There were some inquiries about the information that was placed about classes in the WOTZON last week. For this reason I have included it again with a few adjustments.

As always do not hesitate to contact me on <u>communication@whittleseau3a.org.au</u> or OR 0412230561 if you have any questions

FRENCH STREET POP-UP VACCINATION SITE -

AVAILABLE UNTIL 5.00PM SUNDAY 10th OCTOBER

The state government and various councils all over Victoria are setting up pop-up vaccination hubs in many areas. One such hub was set up at the French St. Hall in Lalor (closes tonight at 5.00pm). The purpose of these hubs is to make it easier for members of the local community to get vaccinated. Vaccination will be by walking up to the clinic and using the ticketing system provided on site. Interpreters are available to assist people who speak Arabic and Macedonian. Private rooms will also be available if required. The site is accessible and has toilets available.

Although this site closes tonight (Sunday 10th October) many continue to become operational. The Department of Health has also provided a fact sheet which, though it links directly to the French Street Pop Up, might answer some of your questions regarding vaccination in general.

A copy of this fact sheet is available on our website.

Here is the link: https://whittleseau3a.org.au/french-st-hall-vaccinations-available/

ENROLMENT INFORMATION

As Term 4 continues to speed quickly by enrolment for 2022 is being organised. It is hoped that there will be both face to face and online enrolments available however this will be very much based on what COVID restrictions are still in force and the Committee is at present working out the most logical way to proceed. If we only have online enrolment there will be a number of people who will be trained to provide you, the members, all the assistance needed to enrol quickly in the best method possible. Information will be provided in both the monthly **NEWSHEET** and the **WOTZON**. At this stage enrolment will be held towards the end of November with the calendar being available for you to check out early in November.

Tutors are still being sought to take new classes. These can be either face to face or online. Plus, the more varied the topic the better. Please contact me if you would like to discuss the possibility of you becoming a tutor. communication@whittleseau3a.org.au

COVID—19 POLICY—Whittlesea U3A

A statement has been published by Whittlesea U3A Committee of Management regarding COVID-19 and its affect on face to face classes. It was minuted on Friday 1st October 2021.

It reads: Whittlesea U3A complies with all State Government and venue provider regulations in regard to Covid 19 attendance in courses and activities particularly in regard to vaccination status.

Updated information will be provided to all members via email, Newsheet or the WOTZON as soon as it becomes available regarding class availability.

CLASSES AVAILABLE AS OF MONDAY 11th October

Face to face classes are still suspended - the only exception at the moment being Tennis with Ann at the Lalor Tennis Club and Golf with Domenic at Growling Frog.

Some tutors have contacted the members of their class informing them that their face to face classes are on ZOOM during these restrictions. These sessions will continue and tutors will notify those enrolled of any change to the class.

If you are a tutor and believe that your activity/class can resume, please contact me on communication @ whittleseau3a. org.au and I will check the guidelines.

Notifications will be sent out as regulations change and more classes can be added to the group.

CODE	DESCRIPTION/NAME	LOCATION	TUTOR	DAY	TIME	FREQ
1010NL02	ZOOM Exercises	ONLINE	Ida Tipping	Mon	13:00	Wkly
1010NL12	ZOOM Just A Chat Session	ONLINE	Janice Boswell	Mon	14:30	Wkly
1020NL02	ZOOM Self Help Italian	ONLINE	Wilma Mason	Tue	12:30	Wkly
1030NL01	ZOOM Apple iPHONE & iPAD Self Help	ONLINE	Janice Boswell	Wed	10:00	Wkly
1030NL02	ZOOM Apple iPHONE & iPAD	ONLINE	Janice Boswell	Wed	13:00	Wkly
1030NL04	ZOOM Reflexology for Health	ONLINE	Maria Veerasamy	Wed	17:00	Fort
1030NL06	ZOOM Introduction to Genealogy	ONLINE	Peter Cleary	Wed	10:00	Wkly
1030NL07	ZOOM Tai Chi	ONLINE	Teresa Wong	Wed	9:30	Wkly
1030NL08	Zoom Line Dancing With Elaine	ONLINE	Elaine Bateman	Wed	13:30	Wkly
<u>1030NL09</u>	ZOOM: Seed to Plate & Beyond Community Garden	ONLINE	Yolanda Avery	Wed	18:30	Wkly
<u>1030NL10</u>	ZOOM Well Being Steps	ONLINE	Maria Veerasamy	Wed	17:00	Fort
1040NL01	ZOOM Technology-Computers for Seniors	ONLINE	Glen Wall	Thu	10:30	Wkly
1040NL03	ZOOM Trivia Night	ONLINE	Kathy Lizio	Thu	19:00	2ndThu
1040NL04	ZOOM Catch Up and Chat	ONLINE	Kathy Lizio	Thu	13:00	Wkly
1040NL10	ZOOM Just A Chat Session	ONLINE	Janice Boswell	Thu	10:00	Wkly
1050NL01	ZOOM Computers Level 1	ONLINE	Peter Rodaughan	Fri	10:00	Wkly
1050NL02	ZOOM Social Seniors	ONLINE	Glen Wall	Fri	11:00	Wkly
105ONL03	ZOOM Training for Android, Apple & Zoom	ONLINE	Peter Cleary	Fri	12:00	Wkly
1050NL08	ZOOM Lockdown Light Exercises	ONLINE	Ida Tipping	Fri	13:00	Wkly
212TUE07	GOLF	Growling Frog Golf Course	Domenic Marino	Tue	8.30	Wkly
214THU14	TENNIS	Lalor Tennis Club	Ann Sangwell	Thu	9.30	Wkly

1030NL10	ZOOM Well Being Steps	ONLINE	Maria Veerasamy	Wed	17:00	Fort				
THIS IS A NEW COURSE STARTING Wednesday 6 th October. The runs through to the end of January 2022. <i>This class still has vacancies</i>										
1030NL04	ZOOM Reflexology for Health	ONLINE	Maria Veerasamy	Wed	17:00	Fort				
PLEASE NOTE THE CHANGE OF TIME FOR THIS CLASS. It now starts at 17.00. This class has no vacancies at this stage.										