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Whittlesea U3A

Weekly Fact Sheet

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NEWS OF THE WEEK

This week's newsletter, though not very long, has some important information regarding scams and Whittlesea U3A. Please read the articles carefully and contact me if you have any queries. An email is also being sent out to all members,

I have continued to include the map and information about our new location at Peter Lalor Campus.

***A message from the office staff.** The padlock on the pedestrian gate is locked however the gate is not. Please use the lever to open the gate which is open daily based on office opening times and class times.*

Preparations continue to be made for next year's classes so if you are a tutor please keep an eye out for emails I may send with important information. There are some new and very interesting activities/class planned for 2023 and we are always looking for new ones. Please contact me if you have any ideas.

Thank you

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OFFICE HOURS FOR WEEK 3 TERM 4

PETER LALOR CAMPUS

MONDAY to THURSDAY 10AM TO 1PM; **CLOSED FRIDAY**

MAY ROAD CAMPUS

TUESDAY 11.00AM TO 4.00PM & THURSDAY 10AM TO 4PM

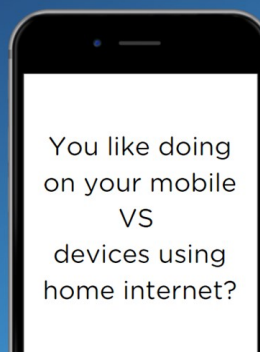
CANESTA/SAMBA CARDS. 221MON09 have returned to THOMASTOWN LIBRARY

This class has moved BACK to Thomastown Library from tomorrow Monday 17th October. The class begins at 12.00 and new enrolments welcome.

Post 3: DIGITAL LITERACY INFORMATION

This week, we want to hear what you prefer doing on your mobile versus other devices which use home internet. What technology devices do you have (i.e. smartphone, laptop, desktop computer, etc.) and which ones do you use the most? Click on the link below the image and it will take you to the Whittlesea U3A Facebook page where you can make your comments

We want to hear what...

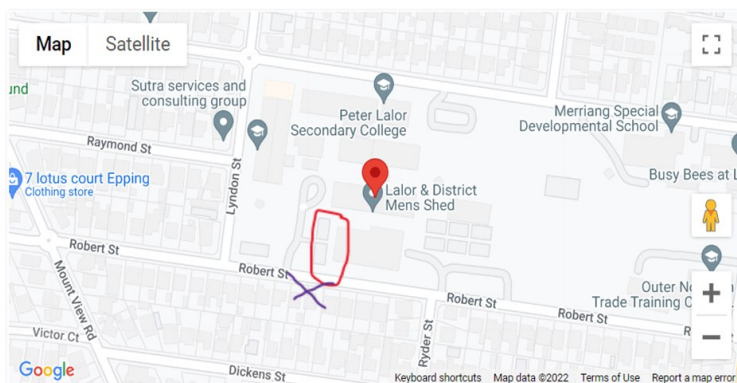


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SAUSAGE SIZZLE AT THOMASTOWN BUNNINGS

The Walking Football is conducting a sausage sizzle at Bunnings Thomastown on **Tuesday November 1st (MELBOURNE CUP DAY)**. They will be there between 8.00am and 4.00pm and would appreciate your support. All money raised in this fundraising effort will go towards their Masters Games at the Gold Coast in November.

Thanks in advance for your assistance.



PETER LALOR CAMPUS - OFFICE AND CLASSES NOW OPEN

The new portables are situated near gate 2 which as you can see from the map is still on Robert Street a little further down from our original entrance closer to Lyndon Street. There are 2 sets of portables on the right hand side of the car park. Entrance is through the small gate. Whittlesea U3A signs will be placed in front of the office section of the new complex. The office is now open and classes have commenced. Please report to the office first and the ladies there will tell you where your class is.

PARKING – If the main gates are opened, please **DO NOT** park inside the school as this is for school staff only. Gates close during the morning session and are not reopened until after 4.15 unless there is an emergency. Parking is available on both Robert Street and Lyndon Street. Be careful when parking in Lyndon Street as there are some restrictions, however there are plenty of spaces available.

The new buildings have their own toilets, disabled and normal. There is a kitchen in each building where you can make your own tea and coffee. Unfortunately we do not have a dishwasher at the moment so I would suggest you bring your own cup. Tea and coffee is supplied.

LINE DANCE SOCIAL WEDNESDAY 7th DECEMBER 10am-3pm AT EPPING MEMORIAL HALL 223WED28

Have you **ENROLLED** for this event yet?

Tables will seat 10 persons and we are beginning to organise lists **which will be at all line dancing classes for you to fill in.** Please decide who you may want to share a table with and fill in the list, including any guests you may be bringing.

COST - Members- gold coin. Non members - gold coin plus \$5

We ask that you all bring a mug for the tea, coffee, sugar and milk provided.

Also please bring a plate of food to share (nothing that requires heating please) Food will be on your individual table, but sharing between tables is encouraged. Any leftover food **MUST** be taken home.

IT SHOULD BE A FUN DAY.

END OF YEAR LUNCH - MEMBERS 221MON30 NON-MEMBERS 221MON31

Date Monday 5th December 2022

Time 11.00am to 3.00pm

Cost \$30 members \$35 NON MEMBERS

Location Epping RSL Harvest Home Rd Epping

Description This End of Year Activity is being organised to celebrate all the achievements of 2022. It includes a 3 course seniors' meal with soft drinks and tea and coffee. The cost is \$30 for members and \$35 for non-members. Why not enrol and come and have fun with friends and fellow members. Join in the games, prizes, raffles, great food and hopefully we will also have a visit from Santa himself. Non member friends or family can also attend. .

Please contact the office or course coordinator if you need help to enrol. Non-members need to contact course coordinator to enrol.

TABLES ARE NOW BEING ORGANISED. ONLY ABOUT 50 PLACES LEFT

BEWARE OF ANY FORM OF SCAM

Please be aware that a scam has been detected in relation to a Whittlesea U3A Program. As we investigate the incident more thoroughly we would also like to remind all members that Whittlesea U3A will not send any member a request for a donation or a payment of any type in the form of a gift card or gift certificate. If you are asked for a donation or any form of payment by someone you do not know claiming they are from Whittlesea U3A, please contact the office or the course coordinator. PLEASE DO NOT GIVE THEM ANY MONEY. We treat this matter very seriously and would like all members to stay safe.

The Australian Government has a dedicated website called SCAMWATCH ([click here](#) if you want more information). As part of this website there is a section called TYPES OF SCAMS ([click here](#) for more information) which will give you lots of information to help you remain informed.

Remember the more informed you are the less likely it is you will get SCAMMED.

The Ultimate Wollert Wellness Festival

Join us as we celebrate the official opening of our new Clubhouse and Wellness Hub. Featuring indoor heated pool, gym, hair and beauty salon, bar, cinema, bowling greens, new landscaped gardens, resident bar and dining room and more. Enjoy a full day of fun with friends and family:

FREE
OPEN DAY
EVENT!



Barefoot bowls & BBQ

Break in the new lawn bowls green with some friendly competition and healthy BBQ.



Pick Me Up*

Experience our amenities and RSVP to book your place for a free blow wave, hand massage or fitness assessment.



Fuel Up

Make healthy choices fun again. Enjoy freshly squeezed juices, DIY acai bowl and food truck delights.



Special Guest Trent Cotchin

Meet former Wollert resident and one of AFL's leading athletes. Come get his autograph!

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find out
more



Can't make it?

Come to our supporting events including a Morning screening of Moana, Library opening Bookclub Meet or join our special Walking Group Tour.

Date & Time:
Saturday
22 October
10am - 4pm

Location:
Sherwin Rise
Clubhouse &
Wellness Hub
40 Chetwynd
Grove, Wollert.
Enter and
parking via
Anglesea Drive.

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*Free open day. Limited spots apply to only key activities, please RSVP. Email: shewin.rise@lendlease.com or call Jane Flynn on 0419 472 857

Sherwin Rise at Aurora

WALKING

BASKETBALL

GREAT NEWS for those who went to the trial program of walking basketball at Mill Park Basketball Stadium at the end of term and anyone else you is interested in trying out this great sport which is suitable for seniors including those with mobility issues - walking aids can be used on the courts..

A 6 week program is starting on Friday, October 21st from 10.00 to 11.00am. The cost is being covered by Basketball Victoria and registration will be online or at the centre.

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED
attend Mill Park Basketball Stadium on the 21st and you can register there.

SPECIAL EVENTS—Term 4 2022

DATE	EVENT	LOCATION
NOVEMBER 2022		
Tuesday 1st @ 8.00 (until 4.00)	SAUSAGE SIZZLE @ BUNNINGS THOMASTOWN. Proceeds to Walking Football Masters Games at the Gold Coast	Bunnings Thomastown
Monday 7th @ 10.00	Monthly Morning Tea - Walking Football receiving their kits for the Gold Coast.	Epping RSL
Monday 14 th @ 10.00am	Committee meeting	Peter Lalor Campus
Thurs 10th - Sun 13th	Pan Pacific Games - Walking Football Teams	Gold Coast Queensland
DECEMBER 2022		
Friday 2nd	Official end of the year for Whittlesea U3A - some classes continue after this date.	Various Locations
Monday 5th @11.00	End of Year Lunch Celebration for both members (\$30) and non members (\$35)	Epping RSL
Tuesday 6th @ 10.00	Day 1 of Enrolments for 2023	Peter Lalor Campus
Wednesday 7 ^h from 10.00 to 15.00	End of Year Line dancing Social for both members (gold coin donation) and non members (\$5 + gold coin donation)	Epping Memorial Hall
Thursday 7th @ 10.00	Day 2 of Enrolments for 2023	May Road Campus
Friday 9th	2022 Line Dancing classes finish on this date	Various venues
JANUARY 2023		
Thursday 26th	Australia Day Public Holiday	
Monday 30th @ 11.00	Tutor Lunch - Thank you lunch for tutors of 2022	Epping RSL
Tuesday 31st	Official Beginning to Term 1 2023	
FEBRUARY 2023		