

WOTZON

Whittlesea U3A

Weekly Fact Sheet

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NEWS OF THE WEEK

Welcome to Week 8 of Term 4. Yes we are almost at the end of the year and Christmas and the New Year is just around the corner, plus there are only 3 more editions of the WOTZON for 2022. We will all be having a well deserved break after and that getting ready to do some celebrating of what has been accomplished.

MAJOR REMINDERS:

1. **ENROLMENTS begin TUESDAY 6th DECEMBER** from 10.00 both ONLINE and FACE TO FACE at PETER LALOR CAMPUS. We will continue face to face enrolment at MAY ROAD CAMPUS ON **THURSDAY 8TH DECEMBER**.
2. Courses 2023 are available to view now but you are not able to enrol till 6 December. To view courses – [click here](#).
3. For existing members you are welcome to login to check and confirm your member details. To do this from our website click LOGIN>Existing Member Login. If you cannot recall your password use the Reset Password option on the Login page.
4. All 2022 enrolments into courses have now closed. If you want to enrol in the **END OF YEAR LUNCH** (there are still a few spaces left) or **LINE DANCING SOCIAL** you will need to either contact me or the office.

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OFFICE HOURS FOR WEEK 8 TERM 4

PETER LALOR CAMPUS

MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY 10AM TO 1PM; **CLOSED FRIDAY**

MAY ROAD CAMPUS

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

A VERY BIG THANK YOU to all those members who helped with the manning of the stall at Westfield Shopping Centre on Friday and Saturday, with a special big thanks to Faye. The event was a success and we got to speak to many people in the community about Whittlesea U3A, showing them the great work done in classes and the huge number of courses available in 2023. Unfortunately Kevin had to disappoint a couple of shoppers at the centre who had to be told that they were too young and to come back in a decade or two.



TEMPORARY CHANGE OF VENUE - LINE DANCING FOR FUN (225FRI16)

On Friday **25th November** Epping Activity Centre is not available for our Line Dancing Activity - **LINE DANCING FOR FUN**. This class will be held at FRENCH ST LALOR. Start and finishing times will stay the same 10.30 to 12.00.

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

Have you **ENROLLED** for this event yet? If not please notify the course coordinator or the office. Tables will seat 10 persons and we are continuing 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 11.30am to 3.00pm

Cost \$30 members

Location Epping RSL Harvest Home Rd Epping

Please contact the course coordinator to enrol.

LAST CHANCE TO ENROL

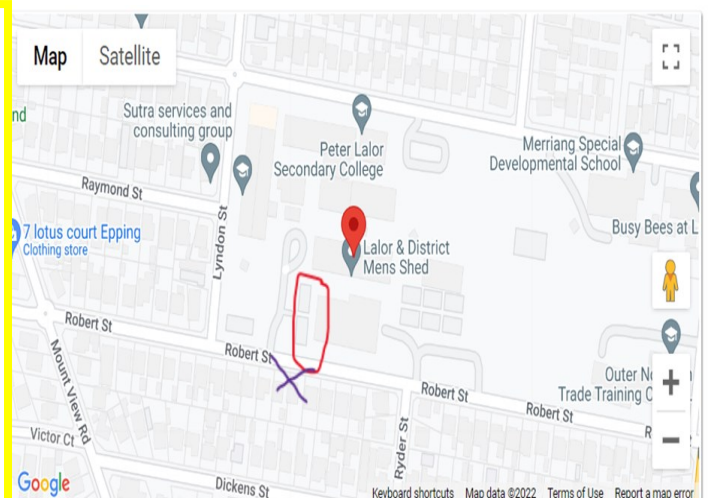
TABLES HAVE NOW BEEN ORGANISED FOR THIS EVENT. ANYONE WHO HAS NOT CONTACTED ME REGARDING DIETARY REQUIREMENTS NEED TO DO SO THIS WEEK

ALL ENROLMENTS TO THE END OF YEAR LUNCH WILL END ON 21ST NOVEMBER

PETER LALOR CAMPUS - LOCATION

The office is 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. Entrance is through the small gate. Please report to the office and you will be informed of the room you need to go to.

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.



PAN PACIFIC MASTERS GAMES REVIEW

What a week!!!

From the minute we arrived at the airport you could tell it was going to be a good week.

The camaraderie, bonding and rapport was evident from the start and kept going to the very end. Morning walks along the Esplanade, group breakfasts, group evening meals, going to the Games Village to watch some bands – we went as a team and came back a stronger team.

Once the team was all together on Wednesday after flying up on 2 different days, we went to the venue where we were playing, Gold Coast Croatian Club, for a team meal. We were joined by Walking Football ambassadors and former national team players Paul Wade and Shona Bass. Abraham from Football Victoria also joined us for the meal.

Thursday saw the first day of competition. Games were played in a great spirit. With our Ladies team playing against more experienced teams, the spirit of the games shone through. All the teams started helping our ladies out. Showing them where to run or pass the ball etc. Our 2 teams showed great teamwork between the 2 teams as well. With both teams playing their games at different times everyone stayed after their game to watch the other. The men also dotted themselves around the pitch to help the ladies out. Two of the highlights of the games happened today as well. After the ladies final game of the day the opposition formed a guard of honour tunnel for our team. We then reciprocated the gesture. Highlighting the great togetherness of the team, Abraham offered to pay for taxis to get our teams back to the hotel. Everyone of us said no. we all wanted to travel back as a team on the bus as we were enjoying the travel together.

Friday saw the second day of games. The games continued to be played in great spirit. We were joined today by Nick from Football Victoria. After the days' play Nick joined us on the bus home and came out to tea with us.

Saturday saw the final day of competition and another highlight of the tournament. With nothing to play for, our ladies and their opposition decided not to play for 5th and 6th but to mix the teams and have some fun.

Many comments were made on how great our ladies were and how they were the highlight of the tournament with their spirit and how they kept on trying and playing with smiles.

Nick and Abraham both commented on how much they enjoyed spending time with us and that we were a credit to Football Victoria.





SPECIAL EVENTS—Term 4 2022

DATE	EVENT	LOCATION
NOVEMBER 2022		
DECEMBER 2022		
Friday 2nd	Official end of the year for Whittlesea U3A - some classes continue after this date.	Various Locations
Monday 5th @11.30	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 FACE TO FACE & ONLINE	Peter Lalor Campus
Wednesday 7 ^h	Peter Lalor Campus closes today for Christmas break	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 8th @ 10.00	Day 2 of Enrolments for 2023	May Road Campus
Friday 9th	May Rd Campus closed today for Christmas break	May Road Campus
Friday 9th	2022 Line Dancing classes finish on this date	Various venues
Monday 12th @10.00am	Committee meeting	Venue to be confirmed
JANUARY 2023		
MONTH OF JANUARY	Offices at May Road and Peter Lalor will be closed during this time	May Road Campus Peter Lalor Campus
Monday 9th @ 10.00	Tentative Date for Committee Meeting	Venue to be confirmed
Thursday 26th	Australia Day Public Holiday	
Monday 30th @ 11.00	Volunteer Lunch - Thank you lunch for volunteers of 2022	Epping RSL
Tuesday 31st	Official Beginning to Term 1 2023	
FEBRUARY 2023		
Monday 6th @10.00	First Morning Tea for 2023	Epping RSL
Monday 13th @ 10.00	Committee Meeting	Peter Lalor Campus