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Branch Meeting last Friday of the month

NEWSLETTER JANUARY 2020

Good morning, And a happy new year to all. I hope everyone is in good health and looking forward to the coming year.

There will be a few changes to our Fridays this year, so please be aware of what is happening! Your monthly Newsletter will be very useful as a reminder, so keep it handy!!

Don't forget our BBQ at Crockett Park next week, make sure you put your name in the book. It helps a lot for catering. Les has arranged some excellent trips for us to enjoy so make sure you get booked in for them Doug.

The Christmas Hamper Raffle drawn at the Christmas Lunch was won by Bev Kirstenfeldt. Other prizes were won by: Lola Sebbens, Maddie Prior, Nancy Horsefall and Rod Liddell. The hamper full of goodies was put together by Jackie Whiteley who also wrapped and decorated the mystery prizes. Thanks Jackie for your work and thanks also to ticket sellers, Jenny & Allan Shoemark. and thank you to all who supported the raffle as proceeds from the raffle was a fantastic \$286

Membership

Welcome to Margaret McKeering, a new member to our Branch,

We hope you enjoy the friendship of our club.

There was thirty very happy members who fronted up to Morgan's for our first function of 2020, and we were all very pleased with the alterations to Morgan's outside dining area.

Nice clean pvc tables and seating, aand plenty of shade to sit under. As usual the seafood was very tasty as were the huge ice cream cones that followed the fish and chips!! I believe this was a very successful start to the New Year.

Your Roving Reporter.

DINE-OUTS Barb Emery & Barb Hornsby

Our dine out in February will be at the Redcliffe Golf Club at Clontarf. There are plenty of parking spaces available, and it's a nice roomy venue to be in for our first dine out for the year.

The date is Friday 14th February around 11.30 am (Valentines Day) looking forward to seeing you all there.

The two Barbs.

BARBEQUES

Margaret & John

Give your name to John for our February BBQ. If you are unable to attend after your name is down then please let either Doug or myself know as we do need numbers for catering purposes.

Trips & Tours

Les Dickens 3284 8812 / 0423 777 073

February 21st. (with Cross Country Tours)

Roaming through the Redlands

Sit back and relax as we travel through the Redlands with an informative local. From Wellington Point in the North, to Redland Bay in the South. Learn the history of the early settlers, farming life, tales of intrigue, lighthouses and even the Ekka strawberry ice cream cones. This scenic drive follows the coastal waters of Moreton Bay and a trail of historic homes. Fare includes morning tea and picnic lunch and is \$60 payable at today's meeting (31st).

Departure from Captain Cook Park Redcliffe, 8:45 AM for 8:55 AM, 9:05 from Margate and 9:15 at Pelican Park.

March 20th (with Cross Country Tours)

Wolston Farm House

Hidden in Brisbane's outer suburbs is a nineteenth century rural gem known as Wolston Farmhouse which is owned by the National Trust. Here we step back in time to the 1920s and 30s, to a time when Wolston was a social hub for the local community. There is plenty of scope for reminiscing as you wander through the house, furnished with early Australian furniture, appreciating the comfortable rural lifestyle of previous owners.

Fare includes morning tea, guided tour and lunch. The cost will be \$55 and is payable at the February meeting (28/02/2020)

8:00 AM for an 8:15 AM departure from Captain Cook Park, 8:20 from Margate and 8:30 at Pelican Park.

Other trips I am looking at doing is a driving tour through The Naturally Attractive Numinbah Valley with lunch at Kingscliff Bowls Club, a visit to the Railway Museum in Ipswich and we are booked to go back to the Toogoolawah Hotel for Christmas in July.

GUEST SPEAKERS

January Fran Harding,
Author- The Accidental Australians

February Polair (Police Unit)

ENTERTAINMENT Redcliffe Entertainment Centre

February 04 The Best of Bublé Tribute
A spectacular show celebrating the songs and music of Michael Bublé

26 February Broadway to Pavarotti Morning Showcase

Mousetrap Theatre presents The Opposite Sex

February 28 –29 7:30 PM

March 6. 7. 14. 29 7:30 PM

March 1. 8. 15 2:00 PM

Phone Bookings and information 0439 954 719
www. mousetraptheatre.asn.au

Lord Mayor’s City Hall Concerts 12.pm (free) No Booking required.

February 4 That’ll be the Day
The Buddy Holly & Friends Story

February 11 Souled Out
A Powerhouse 10 Piece Band with a five piece horn section.

Sandgate Theatre Inc Presents

Playhouse Creatures

Friday 13 March, Saturday 14 March 7.30pm
Friday 20 March, Saturday 21 March 7.30pm
Matinees Sunday 15 March, 22 March at 2pm.
Trybooking.com or call 0491 740 240

Welfare

Please give details of any member you know who is ill, hospitalized or deceased of a recent date to Jenny Ryan.

New members and any members who are not yet in the birthday book give your name and the Month and Day of your birthday to Margaret Whitfield, you never know you may be lucky enough to win a prize!!!

Enjoying lunch at Morgan’s.



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