

VIEW PLEDGE:

I pledge to promote the interests of VIEW, to extend friendship to all and to help those in need.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Welcome to June and WINTER. Many of our members escape to warmer climates either here or overseas and I wish them 'bon voyage' and safe travelling. For those who are at home we urge you to take advantage of our events on offer. It always helps to shake of the "winter blues" by having a full social schedule and something to look forward to. It is a time to enjoy the simpler things in life such as "coffee with friends" and "going to the movies" or "a bite to eat".

The committee is currently reviewing our options for a venue for our monthly meeting. Many factors such as a central location, accessibility (parking), facilities and ambience must be taken into account when choosing a suitable location and a solution is near at hand. We will keep you posted !

Lastly a big call out to members to support our forthcoming Bunnings Sausage Sizzle - Sunday June 10. We need:

- Volunteers to slice, package and deliver ONIONS (see Mandy at the meeting)
- Work on the day at the stall (see Jane)
- Donate to support our effort (cash donations to Vicki/Mandy)
- Come along and BUY a Sausage 8am to 4pm

Mandy, President

GREETERS ROSTER 2023

If you are not attending on the day, please let Mandy know on 0405 942 599.

June	Greeters	July	Greeters
8/6/2023	Sandra B,	13/7/2023	Jill A,
Rosebud Country	Sue T,	Venue TBC	Faye B,
Club	Jean C,		Marg C,
	Lynette T,		Patricia S,
	Kay L.		Donna L.

WHAT IS VIEW?

VIEW is a national women's volunteer organisation supporting the education charity, The Smith Family. Connected through a common purpose, VIEW Club's 14,000 plus members:

- Make lasting friendships, share ideas and knowledge and enjoy social activities;
- Learn and develop new skills, while giving back to their communities; and
- Advocate for and support the educational outcomes of students experiencing disadvantage.

Member Bereavement:



The Club extends its sincerest sympathy to Ros Morton, and her family, at the recent passing of her husband Stuart.



Bank Details for Payment for Membership, Events and Activities

All payments can be made via the Bendigo Bank, at a branch or by electronic transfer. Contact Treasurer, Vicki for account details (0408 593 182).

Please add your name and event in the Reference section of the payment advice. (eg. Jones Membership)

Payments made at meetings can be paid by cash or cheque . Our "Square Reader" for credit card is unreliable at present so cash is preferable.

Please place the <u>correct amount</u> in an envelope with your name, \$ enclosed and the event on the envelope.

CLUB NEWS

Welfare Report – Claire A./Mandy K.

We have been keeping in touch with members, particularly those who have been unwell and have also sent Get Well cards. Should you hear of a fellow member who is not faring too well, please do not hesitate to be in touch with us and we will send them a cheery card or give them a call. Claire and Mandy

Learning for Life Program - Jean C.

Some sobering facts from the Smith Family website:

The Smith Family support 59,000 Learning for Life students nationally. All of these families are low income.

- 1 in 5 have Aboriginal or Torres strait Islander backgrounds.
- More than 1 in 3 students have a health and disability issue.
- More than 70% of parents are not in the labour force or are unemployed.
- 20% of students have been at 4 or more schools and 1 in 20 at 6 or more schools.
- They are more disadvantaged than their peers in disadvantaged schools.
- 15% do not have digital access at home.

This month we sent a card and \$50 voucher to Te Ao Marama for his 14th birthday. We posted cards to keep in touch with Sarah and Tavila.

We also received the above letter from Thaw.

Jean C., Learning for Life Co-ordinator

Delegates Report – Ruth R.

This month at the meeting we will present the third resolution and briefly discuss the reasons we should support a 'yes' vote.

Resolution 3

VIEW Clubs of Australia call on the Federal Government to increase funding for social housing. Local and regional support networks to address homelessness, the housing crisis as it affects the needs of women and families.



Somewhere I read that over 230,000 households are on the social housing waitlist and that women and their children make up a large percentage of those in need of affordable housing. It is difficult to find the exact numbers and the issues and fixes are very complex but there's little doubt that homelessness and the housing crisis have become a national emergency. I'll have more to say at the June meeting.

If you wish to read the rationale and some arguments for and against this resolution, please click on the link below. https://view.org.au/who-we-are/resolutions/

Ruth R, SP VIEW Delegate





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Happy June Birthday to:

Jill A. Robyn B. Paddy C. Janet C. Linda C. Laila D. Naomi G. Manuela S. Patricia S.



MEETINGS AND VENUES 2023

The Southern Peninsula VIEW Club General Meetings are held on the **second Thursday of every month**, excluding January, at 10.00am for 10.30am **the venue for July will be confirmed**. Meeting entry fee is \$5 which includes a contribution to The Smith Family and door prizes.

Please wear your VIEW badge to all club meetings and functions.

CLUB MEMBER MEETING DATES & ACTIVITIES

May was a busy month for get togethers. We enjoyed two connect@coffee's, the movie "Love Again", a Soiree at Janet Coles' and another Girls Night Out at the Peninsula Club. All were well attended and enjoyed y all. This month also saw the debut of the Knitting Nancy's group at Laurie A'vard's home, who has kindly offered to hose the group each month.

The speaker for June's general meeting is Chris Daffy, the President of the Mornington Peninsula Beekeeping Association.

Laila D and Jane R, Program Officers

<u>June 2023</u>

- 8th Thursday...10am...View General Meeting Rosebud Country Club. Trading Table.
- Speaker Chris Daffy from the Mornington Peninsula Beekeeper's Association.
- 11th Sunday...8am-4pm...Bunnings Sausage Sizzle Check if we have enough volunteers signed up.
- 13th Tuesday...10.30am...Connect@Coffee at Pier St. Café (19 Pier Street, Dromana).
- 16th Friday...10am...Book Club Seawinds Hub
- 16th Friday...4pm-6pm...Soiree at Jane Rahill's home (22 Fairway Crescent, McCrae)
- 22nd Thursday...6pm-7.30pm... "Girls' Night Out"...Venue to be confirmed.
- 23rd Friday...12noon...Lunch at Flinders Golf Club (Bass Street, Flinders).
- 26th Monday...1.30pm...Connect@Coffee Wildflower Café (665 Pt Nepean Road, McCrae).
- 28th Wednesday...1pm-3pm..."Knitting Nancy's" craft group Laurie A'vard's Home (5 Prospect Hill Rd, McCrae).
- 29th Thursday...10.30am...New Members coffee morning.

<u>July 2023</u>

- 3rd Monday...10am...Morning Melodies Rosebud RSL Gabrielle Abba and Friends \$7pp, paid in advance.
- 5th Wednesday...10.30am...Connect@Coffee Captains of Rye (2285 Pt Nepean Rd, Rye)
- 6th Thursday...10am...Committee Meeting Venue to be confirmed.
- 11th **Tuesday...12noon "2nd Annual 3 Clubs Luncheon"** Southern Peninsula, Mornington & Hastings clubs \$35pp, paid in advance. The Dava Hotel, 614 Esplanade, Mt Martha.
- **13th Thursday...10am...View General Meeting** Venue to be confirmed. Speaker Martin Green from Beleura House in Mornington.
- 14th Friday...Time TBC...Movie at Rosebud Cinema "The Unlikely Pilgrimage of Harold Fry".
- 20th Thursday...1.30pm...Connect@Coffee Venue to be confirmed.
- 21st Friday...10am...Book Club Seawinds Hub
- **21**st **Friday...4pm-6pm...Soiree** Venue to be confirmed.
- 25th Tuesday...12noon...Members' Christmas in July at Rye RSL (5/11 Nelson Street, Rye). Two courses \$25pp.
- 26th Wednesday...1pm-3pm Knitting Nancy's at Laurie A'vard's Home (5 Prospect Hill Rd, McCrae).
- 27th Thursday...8pm-10pm... "Girls' Night Out"... Rosebud RSL with LRB tribute band (\$20pp RSL Members or \$25pp non RSL Members) paid in advance.

Trading Table



Our trading table has been very successful in raising money with all proceeds going directly to the Learning for Life program. If you have any items in good condition you wish to re-gift/donate, please see what you can find to bring along to the next trading table which will be at our **June** meeting. If you would like to assist Tricia, Shirley and Linda this year please catch up with them at the next meeting many hands make light work.

Knitting Nancy's – Craft Group UPDATE

We have held our first gathering of the group. Needles were busily clacking and lines of crocheting abounded. After an initial flourish of "SHOW AND TELL' the group settled into a comfortable routine of action and chatting. At this stage we are still contemplating what "PROJECTS" to undertake and which organisation to support. A big thank you to Laurie for volunteering her home for next month's gathering. Please remember, all are welcome and BYO knitting/crocheting/crafting projects.

When: 4th Wednesday of the month- June 28 Time: 1pm-3pm Location- July- Laurie's place-5 Prospect Hill Rd, McCrae.

Mandy K.

RAFFLES RAFFLES RAFFLES

Donations from members are greatly appreciated and could come in the form of

- 1. Perishable consumables-confectionary in all forms/ fortified beverages
 - 2. Items to beautify the external layers of the body beautiful
 - 3. Practical household/personal items- candles/stationery/water bottles
 - 4. Potted plants-outdoor utensils
 - 5. Fun stuff
 - 6. Themed- Christmas/Mother's Day/Father's Day

Please avoid recycled gifts unless they are brand new. Please bring any donations to the meeting or contact our Raffles team – Shirley G. 0468 474 775 / Angela B. 0408 504 554 / Karen C. 0428 539 801

Change Of Contact Details

If you have a change of address, telephone number or email address provider please forward the details to Robyn. robynbusch65@hotmail.com or 0407 344 185.

Southern Peninsula VIEW Webpage – Administered by Karyn K.

Our own webpage can be accessed on the VIEW Club web site. You can view the page on this link: http://view.org.au/find-a-club/vic/clubs/southern-peninsula-view-club

Southern-Peninsula VIEW Club is on Facebook – Administered by Faye B.

To connect with Southern-Peninsula VIEW Club's private group, join Facebook today and join the group.

VIEW Matters Magazine

The VIEW Matters magazine is produced twice-yearly, April and November and can be viewed or downloaded from the VIEW website: <u>http://www.view.org.au/resources/publications/</u>.

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May Club Activities

"Girls' Night Out" - 14 members attended the Peninsula Club



May Meeting at Rye Bowls Club

A big thank you to the committee and members of the Rye Bowls Club for offering their club rooms for our May meeting.



← Birthday Girls: Mandy & Carole



 \uparrow Guest speaker Pam A. with Heather M.

Raffle winners: Rhonda, Robyn, Sue and Evelyn. \rightarrow

Knitting Nancy's

Eleven enthusiastic ladies tackling their projects at Laurie's lovely sunlit home.





May Soiree at Janet C's home





SOUTHERN PENINSULA VIEW CLUB





Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
<mark>5 June</mark>	6	7	8 10am General Meeting Rosebud Country Club – Speaker from Beekeepers Assoc.	9	10	11 8am-4pm Bunnings Sausage Sizzle
12 PUBLIC HOLIDAY	13 10.30am Connect@Coffee Pier St. Cafe	14	15	16 10am Book Club Sea Winds Hub 4pm Soiree at Jane R's home	17	18
19	20	21	22 6pm-7.30pm Girls' Night Out Venue TBC	23 12noon Lunch Flinders Golf Club	24	25
26 1.30pm Connect@Coffee Wildflower Cafe	27	28 1pm-3pm Knitting Nancy's Laurie A's home	29 10.30am New Members' Coffee Morning	30	<mark>1 July</mark>	2
3 10.00am Morning Melodies Rosebud RSL Abba tribute	4	5 10.30am Connect@Coffee Captains of Rye	6 10am Committee Meeting - Venue TBC	7	8	9
10	11 12noon Combined VIEW Clubs Lunch Details to follow	12	13 10am General Meeting Venue TBC – Speaker Martin Green from Beleura House	14 Time TBC Movie at Rosebud - "The Unlikely Pilgrimage of Harold Fry"	15	16
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24	25 12noon Members' Christmas in July Rye RSL	26 1pm-3pm Knitting Nancy's Laurie A's home	27 8pm-10pm Girls' Night Out Venue Rosebud RSL	28	29	30

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