

EASTER GREETINGS

Friendship is a wonderful thing to celebrate and that is why we say 'Happy Easter'.

Friendship brings hope amidst the difficulties of life, and let's face it, there have been a few this year already... the bush fires in WA, mouse plague in Western NSW and the floods in NSW and Qld, not to forget that we are dealing with COVID-19 our worldwide pandemic!

It takes more than natural disasters to stop VIEW! Many clubs have returned to their regular meetings with a number experiencing an increased membership. We were impressed to hear that Twin Waters VIEW Club (QLD) have gained 12 new members since they started back in February, which is great news! They have requested 100 VIEW brochures for their upcoming Bunnings BBQ in April. As their Secretary said "New Members = New Ideas and more fund raising ideas for our Learning for Life students".

Many other clubs have also reported new members, this year. Now, more than ever, we need to promote VIEW and connect with women in the community encouraging them to join VIEW to make a difference to their lives as well as the lives of Australian children living in poverty.

We remind you to:

- Try your luck in the TelethonSA Community Lottery. You could win a home in Woodville West in SA. Tickets are \$10 each and available online at <https://www.telethon.com.au/charity/the-smith-family-sa/>
- Book now for - National Convention in Adelaide 10-12 September 2021 - *Ita Buttrose* has confirmed she will be joining us to Celebrate our 60+1 anniversary as well as other exciting guest speakers. Come and enjoy one of the two themed social dinners or get out your sparkles & sequins for the elegant "Divine Divas" Gala Dinner. There is something for everyone at National Convention. (<http://view.org.au/events/national-convention-2021/>)



A bit of trivia - flowers for the month of April are the daisy and sweet pea.

Our thoughts are with you, especially those affected by the recent floods and we hope you are all safe and well. Enjoy this special time with your friends and family.

Happy Easter to you all!
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