

Southern Peninsula VIEW Club



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VIEW PLEDGE:

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

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

As our year draws to a close and Christmas is just on our door step, I am reminded that we belong to VIEW for a myriad of reasons. But surely, the most important is the support we provide to The Smith Family in their quest to "improve" young Australians lives through EDUCATION. As a club we have raised money to support many initiatives. The committee, at our next meeting, will be asking you to endorse a number of recommendations for the disbursement of our current funds raised.

Planning for 2024

A member of the committee will be making contact by phone or email, to seek feedback on our Club program/structure. We will use this information to better understand your needs, concerns and desires for 2024.

Membership Badges

Members are asked to wear their **NAME BADGES** to all events. From 2024 we will be establishing a "FINE JAR" in which non-badge wearers will be asked for a gold coin donation. The proceeds of this jar will be used to add to the "thank you" presentation given to presenters at our monthly meeting.

If you have misplaced your badge please see Robyn, our secretary, to order a replacement.

Mandy Kiklis
President

GREETERS ROSTER 2023

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

November	Greeters	December	Greeters
9/11/2023 Venue: Rye Hotel, Blue Water Room	Elaine D. Wendy E. Lee O.	14/11/2023 Venue: Rosebud Country Club	Jeanette E. Ros M. Naomi G. Wendy McK. Rhonda H.

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

Bendigo Bank-Account Name: Sthn Penin VIEW

BSB: 633000 Account Number: 166 916 833

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 correct amount in an envelope with your name, \$ enclosed and the event on the envelope.

CLUB NEWS

CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION LUNCH

Be sure to put your name on the Expression of Interest sheet to attend our Christmas Celebration Lunch which will follow a shortened December general meeting.

Donations for the raffle would be appreciated. Please bring your donations to the November meeting or contact Karen Crewe 0428539801

When: Thursday 14th December
Where: Rosebud Country Club
Cost: \$49 pp which includes a 2-course Traditional Christmas lunch.
To be paid by the end of November.
Plus the very entertaining and enjoyableUkelele group.

Main Course: Turkey & Ham served with roast potatoes, assorted seasonal vegetables, cranberry sauce and gravy.
Dessert: Traditional Christmas pudding served with brandy custard and cream.



Learning for Life Program - Jean C.



The Smith Family website presents the real stories of L.F.L. students and the difference sponsorship makes in young people's lives.

Some examples are:

- Jemimah who arrived in Australia from Uganda with her single mother and four siblings and has been sponsored since year 7. Five years later she is applying to study Architecture
- Amelia, who grew up in Regional Victoria with her single mother and twin sister where

money was always tight, was sponsored from year 3. She is now in 3rd year of a Law and Global studies degree.

- Jaye, sponsored since year 1, finished year 12 as school captain and is now in 2nd year of a Marine Biology, Conservation and Wildlife studies.

It is really uplifting to read about how sponsorship has been part of assisting these young people to achieve their goals. During the past month we ceased sponsoring Daniel as he completes year 12 and we corresponded with Alice, Jenny and Tavila. We now sponsor a total of 8 students ranging from Prep. to Year 11.

Jean C., Learning for Life Co-ordinator

Delegates Report – Ruth R.

After reading some of the History archives on the VIEW website I thought I would include this lovely story about Dulcie Callaghan, a wonderful woman who will be remembered for her commitment to VIEW. She was almost 92 years of age, and a member of VIEW for fifty years when she passed.

<https://www.thesmithfamily.com.au/view-clubs/about-us/history>

In her own words from the History archives...

'VIEW has taken up the greater part of my life – it began as a necessity and gradually became a way of life when after the birth of my fourth child I needed to find some social activities to lift my spirits. I was told that a new women's club was being formed and the President was to be the Mayor of Canterbury, Enid Pate. I joined VIEW Club in September, 1960 and it provided me with a lifeline to happier times and I never looked back from then on. V.I.E.W. – Just four simple words, but implying a wealth of meaning for me. Warmth of friendship, interest in many phases of life I had never explored and the knowledge that in all our activities we are offering a helping hand to the not so fortunate.'



Your Delegate, Ruth R.

Welfare Report – Claire A./Mandy K.



We have been keeping in touch with members, particularly those who have been unwell. We 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

Happy November Birthday to:

Sandra B
Wendy S.
Marcia W.
Carol W.



MEETINGS AND VENUES 2023

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

PLEASE NOTE:

The meeting venue for 9th November is

The Rye Hotel, Blue Water Room, 2415 Point Nepean Road, Rye.

The 14th December meeting will be at the Rosebud Country Club, 207 Boneo Rd, Rosebud, followed by our Christmas Celebration Lunch. (see note above).

NEW VENUE FOR 2024

Eagle Ridge Golf Club, 215 Browns Rd, Boneo.

10am 10.30am	Thursday 8 th February	General Meeting
	Thursday 14 th March	Annual General Meeting
	Thursday 11 th April	General Meeting
	Thursday 9 th May	General Meeting and 5 th Birthday Party (Moved from March)
	Thursday 13 th June	General Meeting

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

CLUB MEMBER DATES & ACTIVITIES

Program Officers' Report – Laila D and Jane R

Well, here we are in November. October seems to have flown by!

The highlight of the month was the Garden Party. We were blessed by the weather gods with a perfect Spring Day. Jude's home and garden looked lovely, with an abundance of flowers, and the food just kept coming! The raffle prizes were amazing, and we think the day was a resounding success. Thank you to everyone who participated.

October also saw several of us get our Cultural fix visiting the Archibald Prize Exhibition in Mornington, followed by a long chatty lunch.

Girls Night Out enjoyed a delicious Chinese meal, Soirée at Ros's house and two Coffee outings were also enjoyed by those who attended.

Our walkers have battled some inclement weather but will be back at Rosebud on the 13th.

And our Knitters had a change of venue this month, but will be back at Laurie's for the final session of the year on the 22nd.

November also has us getting our Boogie on and testing out our new meeting venue at Eagle Ridge. Join us on Sunday the 26th from 1-5pm to enjoy the tunes of DeJaVue. Partners welcome to join in.
And on Monday the 27th, we will go for a wander around the Red Hill Lavender farm, followed by lunch at Johnny Ripe.

We hope you've all put December the 14th into your diaries for our Christmas Party – money and dietary requirements need to be in by the 30th of November.

And finally, a few save the dates to add to your 2024 diary:

Thursday January 11th, lunch at the Pig and Whistle, Main Ridge

Thursday February 8th, View AGM

Thursday Friday March 8th, VIEW Gala for International Women's Day

Thursday May 9th, SPV 5th Birthday Party

Sunday June 16th, Bunnings sausage sizzle fundraiser

Laila D and Jane R, Program Officers.

November 2023

- 9th Thursday...10am....General meeting, Blue Water Room, Rye Hotel.
Speaker – Michelle Lowe from Donkey Love Therapy
- 13th Monday...9am....Walking Group, Rosebud Pier
- 15th Wednesday...10.30am....Connect@Coffee, The Kitchen, 1917 Point Nepean Rd, Tootgarook
- 17th Friday ...10am....Book Club, Seawinds Hub, 11a Allambi Ave, Capel Sound
- 17th Friday...4-6pm....Soirée, Venue TBA
- 20th Monday...9am....Walking Group, McCrae Lighthouse
- 22nd Wednesday...1-3pm....Knitting Nancy's, Laurie's house, McCrae
- 23rd Thursday...6pm....Girls' Night Out, Venue TBA
- 26th Sunday...1-5pm...."Déjà vu", Peninsula Beer Garden, Eagle Ridge Golf Course, 215 Browns Rd, Boneo – partners welcome.
- 27th Monday...9am....Walking Group, Dromana Pier
- 27th Monday...12pm....Lunch at Johnny Ripe at the Red Hill Lavender Farm, 284 Main Creek Rd, Main Ridge

December 2023

- 4th Monday...9am.... Walking Group, Rye pier
- 6th Wednesday...1.30pm.... Connect@coffee, Indulge Café 2253 Point Nepean Rd, Rye
- 11th Monday...9am.... Walking Group, Rosebud Pier
- 14th. Thursday...10am.... General meeting, followed by Christmas Party, Rosebud Country Club 207 Boneo Rd, Rosebud
- 15th. Friday...10am.... Book Club, Seawinds Hub
- 15th. Friday...4-6pm.... Soirée/Christmas drinks, venue TBA
- 18th Monday...9am.... Walking Group, McCrae lighthouse

See weekly email with full address for events at members' homes.

Book Club 17th November

Book for discussion this month is 'Sarah's Key'.

Library Bags

My thanks to Mandy for looking after the bags while I was otherwise occupied. If you have finished bags, please return them to Mandy or myself. If you would like to help us by sewing bags for the schools supported by The Smith Family in Frankston, please let Mandy or myself know and we will organise material and the pattern for you. We appreciate all your support for this project.

Sue P



Sue G's Reviews

Hi Ladies. I love reading books both electronically and the old fashioned way. I also enjoy watching shows on Netflix and Binge. I am always on the look out for recommendations for both. Rosebud library is great. If you have Kobo electronic reader you can borrow through the library. I was thinking about starting a recommendations/suggestions list for the monthly newsletter. The type of books I personally enjoy are Murder Mystery with a bit of Romance. (not the 50 Shades type.) To give you an idea of my favourite authors they are Di Morrissey, Simon McCleave, Fiona McIntosh, Belinda Alexander, Annie Seaton, Dervla McTiernan to name just a few. Movies/mini series include Virgin River, Stateless, Pieces of Her, The Lincoln Lawyer, The Grand Hotel to again name a few. Ladies, you could just send me your recommendations and I could put them in the monthly newsletter. Is there interest?

Sue G

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 **November** meeting. **No trading table for December 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.

Replacement Badges

Should you have misplaced your name badge, please order your replacement through the Secretary, Robyn B. (robynbusch65@hotmail.com). You will need to pay \$15 into the club bank account in advance, to cover the cost.



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: <http://www.view.org.au/resources/publications/>.

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October Club Activities

October Meeting at Rye Hotel



Badge presentations to Julie D and Pat M

Birthday Girls

Sue G. Janet M. Sue T. Claire A. Vicki G. Faye A. Pat M. and Elaine W (absent)



Door Prize Winners

Laila D, Janet C. & Sue C.

Presentation by Ros Morton and Janet May on their experience in Fiji



The GARDEN PARTY

The hostess with the most-ess.
Thankyou Jude for another
fabulous Garden Party.





L-Raffle prize winners.



Special thanks to the Garden party organising committee for all their work putting on a most memorable day of delicious food, bubbles and good company...

Acknowledgements:

We wish to thank the following businesses which have provided products and services for our October Garden Party Raffle:



- A'mare Italian Restaurant, Blairgowrie
- Bakers Delight (Rosebud & Dromana)
- Members of our Club
- Peninsula Foot Clinic
- Rye Produce & Nursery
- Seasonal Stems Florist
- Waterfall Gully Nursery & Café



The generosity of Bendigo Community Banks Southern Peninsula for their donations to our Club's activities on the Southern Peninsula.

The support of the Rye Hotel in offering their facilities for our monthly meeting and lunch for September, October and November.

Copies of this Newsletter are kindly provided by the office of Sam Groth MP, State Member for Nepean.

SOUTHERN PENINSULA VIEW CLUB

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
6 November	7 MELBOURNE CUP DAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY	8	9 10am General Meeting Venue – Rye Hotel, Blue Water Room	10	11  Remembrance Day	12
13 9am Walking Group Rosebud Pier	14	15 10.30am Connect@Coffee The Kitchen, Tootgarook	16	17 10am Book Club Sea Winds Hub 4-6pm Soiree - Venue TBA	18	19
20 9am Walking Group McCrae Lighthouse	21	22 Knitting Nancy's Laurie's home	23 6pm Girls' Night Out Venue - TBA	24	25	26 1-5pm Eagle Ridge Lunch & live music plus Partners
27 9am Walking Group Dromana Pier 12pm Visit to Red Hill Lavendar Farm & Lunch at Johnny Ripe Cafe	28	29	30	1 December	2	3
4 9am Walking Group Rye Pier	5	6 1.30pm Connect@Coffee Indulge café, Rye	7	8	9	10
11 9am Walking Group Rosebud Pier	12	13	14 10am General Meeting Venue Rosebud Country Club followed by Christmas Lunch 	15 10am Book Club Sea Winds Hub 4-6pm Soiree /Xmas drinks. Venue TBA	16	17
18 9am Walking Group McCrae Lighthouse	19	20	21	22	23	24 CHRISTMAS EVE 

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