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## NEWSLETTER JANUARY 2024

Happy New Year!! Hope you are all recovered from your many exertions during the holiday season. Too much food – Too much alcohol – Lots of very enjoyable family, friends etc.etc. I would like to wish all and sundry a very prosperous 2024 and beyond. Your committee is doing its very best to make sure your club is the very best way to have some fun whenever we all gather. BBQ's, dine outs, bus trip, tours, meetings. Let the fun begin!!

Kate Hopkins  
President



### BARBEQUES Margaret Whitfield

Welcome to 2024 and our first BBQ of the year Feb 2nd. Remember to put your names down today during the meeting. BBQ's this year will be BYO drinks but tea and coffee will still be available.

**HELP.** I am looking for a few people to organise the March BBQ as I will be on holiday. If you speak to me at the Feb BBQ I can give you the details.

Thankyou everyone Margaret



### DINE-OUTS Barb Emery & Barb Hornsby

We are starting the year off with a dine out at Bramble Bay Bowls Club, Woody Point. Friday 9th February from 11 am. There is plenty of off street parking in Georgina Street, as well as Victoria Avenue. New members please just turn up there is no need to make a booking. Looking forward to seeing you all. The two Barbs.

## RAFFLES

Bob & Lola Sebbens

### 2023 CHRISTMAS LUNCH RAFFLES

The winners of the Raffles were :

Di Bowles, Lyn Ross, John McIntyre and Michael Flannery. Other prizes were won by Shirley Clarke & Glennis Flannery

The hampers full of goodies were put together by Fay Davies

Thanks Fay for your work and thanks also to ticket sellers, Bob & Lola Sebbens. and a thank you to all who supported the raffle as tickets sold raised \$259 a great effort from everyone.

## GUEST SPEAKER

January

To be advised



## TRIPS & TOURS`

Les Dickens

3284 8812 / 0423 777 073

### February 16 2024 Bus Trip.

Australiana Day at Woongooroo Estate Winery. Spend a day celebrating all things Australiana like scrumptious damper and lamington morning tea, 'Aussie' Bush Poetry and gumboot throwing.

**Cost \$80** includes morning tea, lunch, wine tasting & entertainment.

Payable by January 19 meeting.

**Departs Redcliffe 8.45AM.**

### March 15 Bus Trip.

The Margaret Olley Art Centre at Murwillumbah celebrates the career, life and legacy of its namesake.

Browse through exhibitions of paintings and objects and see the recreation of areas of Olley's famous home studio, principally the Hat Factory and the Yellow Room.

Cost is \$75 and includes morning tea, entry and lunch payable at February meeting.

**Very early start of 7AM.**

**This is due to daylight saving in NSW.**

**Moreton Bay Expo  
Redcliffe Showgrounds**

Friday, 16 February 8:30am –4:00pm  
 Saturday, 17 February | 8:30am –4:00pm  
 Sunday 18 February 8:30am –4:00pm

**ENTERTAINMENT**

**Redcliffe Entertainment Centre**

**Good Morning Vietnam**

Friday 1st March 7.30pm

**The World of Musicals in Concert**

Monday, 15 April 7:30 PM

**The Mousetrap Theatre Company  
Pub Show**

First up for 2024 will be a weekend of interactive fun. Our ever-popular Pub Show is taking on a Celtic flavour this time around. Think Irish, Scottish and Welsh Music and a good old singalong. Performances:

March 8th and 9th at 7:30pm

March 10th at 5:00pm

At the John Naumann Hall

474 Deception Bay Rd, Deception Bay

info@mousetraptheatre.asn.au

**Lord Mayor’s City Hall Concerts (Free)  
every Tuesday 12 noon – 1:00pm**

**February**

**Tues - 6–** Beyond the Sea Tenori

**Tues 13** Murder at the Opera

**Tues - 20** Passioni Vocali

**Tues - 27** BobbyAlu & Foloi Lulia

**March 5** For the Love of Tony  
A Tribute to Tony Bennett

**MEMBERSHIP**

We welcome new members to our Branch: Monica Fichtenmayer. Horace Clark and Lorraine Wotherspoon. We hope you enjoy the friendship of our club.

**WELFARE**

Please notify Jenny Ryan 3204 9121 of any member you know who is ill or injured of a recent date

**Christmas Lunch Raffle**



**FEBRUARY CALENDAR**

**Friday**

2nd BBQ  
Crockatt Park

9th Dine out  
Bramble Bay Bowls Club

16th Australiana Day at  
Woongooroo Estate Winery

23rd General Meeting at RSL

**2023 2024 Redcliffe Branch Committee**

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