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Maroondah Message



A merry christmas and Happy New
Year to all our members

Tokar Estate gave us an excellent lunch this year. Below some of our members enjoying the good company and christmas fare.



Our January meeting will be our annual barbeque at Lilydale Lake on the SECOND monday, as the first Monday is a public holiday. Further details on page 2.

DATES TO REMEMBER

Thursday January 6th at 9.00am - Walk at Warrandyte
Monday January 10th at 12.00noon - Annual Barbeque at Lilydale Lake
Wednesday January 12th at 7pm - Dinner at Da Ricardo's
Thursday January 20th at 9.00am -Walk along Mullum Mullum Creek
Thursday January 27th at 2.00pm - Coffee group at Myers
Saturday January 29th at 10.00am - Breakfast at the Club Ringwood

December Eats

Wednesday January 12th at 7.00pm Dinner
at 'Da Ricardo's'

122, Bayswater Rd., Croydon Sth.

Fully Licenced and byo wine

Bookings - Rita on 9876 1206 or at the January
Barbeque



Monday January 10th at 12.00noon

we will be having our annual

Barbeque at Lilydale Lake.

Park in the main carpark and

look out for the

blue balloons.

B.Y.O. everything



The coffee group will meet
again this month.

When: 2.00pm

Where: Myer Eastland

No need to book just come
along for coffee and a chat

Survey

Thanks to all who have completed
the survey. The results will be
analysed in the New Year.

If you have not already completed
the survey;

we urge you to make a special
effort to do so before this time. The
more opinions, the better equipped
the committee will be to plan the
future direction of the Club.

Walking home with a hangover one Sunday morning, a man discovered that he'd lost his hat. He decided that the easiest way to replace it was to steal one from the local church cloakroom. Once inside, he heard the priest quoting the ten commandments. Afterwards, he said to the priest' Father , you saved me from a crime tonight. I was going to steal a hat, but after hearing your sermon, I decided not to."

"Wonderful" said the minister. "Which bit changed your mind "

"Well" said the man "when you got to the part about not committing adultery, I remembered where I'd left my hat".



Don't forget to call a committee member if you require any
transport or assistance.

If anyone knows of a member who is unwell please let us know, so
that we can send our best wishes. Just contact a ciommittee member or President
Helen on 9876 4058

A little Irish laughter

Paddy takes his goldfish to the vet.
 "I think it's got epilepsy" he tells the vet.
 The vet takes a look and says "It seems calm enough to me".
 Paddy says, "I haven't taken it out of the bowl yet".

Paddy sees a letter among the mail on his doormat.
 It says on the envelope "DO NOT BEND".
 He spends an hour figuring out how he can pick it up!

Paddy shouting frantically into the phone
 "My wife is pregnant and her contractions are only two minutes apart!"
 "Is this her first child?" asks the Doctor.
 "No", shouts Paddy, "this is her husband!"

An old Irish farmer's dog goes missing he's inconsolable.
 His wife says "Why don't you put an advert in the paper?"
 He does, but two weeks later the dog is still missing.
 "What did you put in the paper?" his wife asks.
 "Here boy" he replies.

Walking Group

This month the walks will be commencing at **9.00am.**
 in anticipation of warmer weather. A coffee stop is
 included in each walk

Thursday January 6th - This will be at Warrandyte.

This is a pleasant fairly easy walk along the river.
 Meet at the carpark at the bottom of Stiggant road. Mel. Ref. 23
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We head along the river trail as far as the 'Stonehouse' before
 returning to the carpark, stopping along the way for morning tea
 at a choice of coffee shop.

**Thursday January 20th - This is along Mullum Mullum
 Creek**

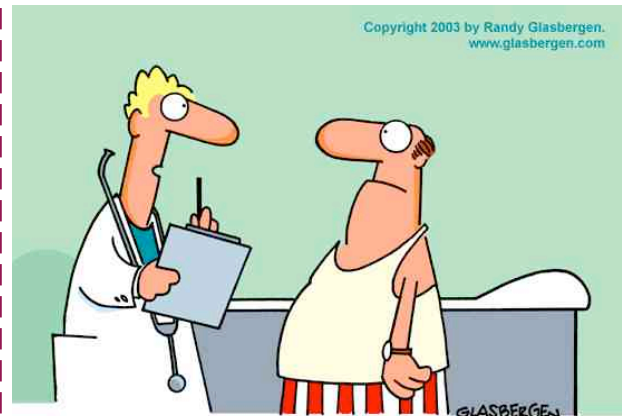
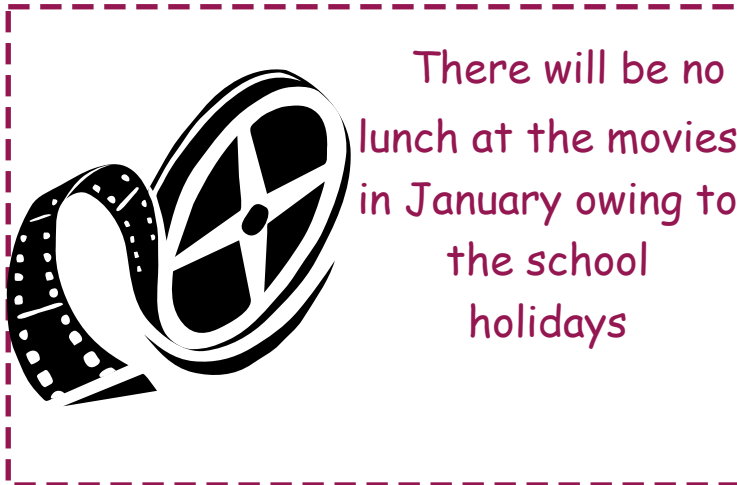
Meet in the car park at the rear of Sofia's restaurant.

We walk along the creek to the Orchid Thai for morning tea before returning to Sofia's.

Short version:- Meet the rest of the group as they cross Oban rd. [approx 20mins later than the walk starting
 time.]

Judith will not be supervising but can be contacted on 9726 5494 for more details





“What fits your busy schedule better, exercising one hour a day or being dead 24 hours a day?”

A very self-important year 12 student attending a recent football game took it upon himself to explain to a senior citizen sitting next to him why it was impossible for the older generation to understand his generation:

'You grew up in a different world, actually an almost primitive one,' the student said loud enough for many of those nearby to hear. 'The young people of today are much more advanced than people your age. We grew up with television, jet planes, space travel, man walking on the moon and the internet. We have cell phones, nuclear energy, electric and hydrogen cars, computers, automated manufacturing, amazing technologies' and paused to take another drink of beer.

The senior took advantage of the break in the student's litany and said, 'You're right, son. We didn't have those things when we were young... so we invented them. Now, you arrogant little sh**, what are YOU doing for the next generation?'

The applause was resounding...

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