



## ASPLEY VIEW CLUB – VIEW POINT

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*A valued part of The Smith Family and sponsor of the Learning for Life Program.*

*We acknowledge the Turrbal people on whose land we gather.*

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**Next Meeting: 23 July**

### VIEW PLEDGE

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



### GRACE

O Lord, giver of all good, We thank thee for our daily food.  
May VIEW Club friends and VIEW Club ways help to serve Thee all our days.



**OUR VISION:** A world where every child has the opportunity to change their future.  
*The Smith Family*



### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Welcome to our June meeting where our focus today will be gaining a greater understanding of the importance of the LfL Program and the amazing impact it has on the lives of not just children but their families and wider community as well. It is indeed heartening to see that many of these students choose to 'Give back' in one way or another as you will see today.

I would also like to take this opportunity to thank Judy, our Zone Councillor, for her contribution and ongoing support. We are most grateful! I'm sure we'll gain greater insights and knowledge about our VIEW organisation and The Smith Family, from her presentation today.

The small seashells on the tables today are symbols of strength, hope and uniqueness – qualities we value in everyone and especially our LfL students.

*No two seashells are the same; but then, to be invariable would be a shame.  
To be unique is a gift you see, to be you is the best way to be.  
Shay 2015*



**Please welcome our Guest Speaker today – Judy Dittman  
QAO1 Zone Councillor.**

Judy came from an educational background prior to joining VIEW. She ran her own National Learning and Development Consulting Company Dittman Consulting Australia (DCA Pty. Ltd) for over 20 years, specialising in Instructional Design and establishing and monitoring Registered Training Organisations (RTO'S) for large Australian Companies. Judy joined VIEW 11 years ago and she has

always been on the Committee holding positions of Treasurer and President of Arana VIEW Club. She is currently the Zone Councillor for QAO1. She is passionate about the difference VIEW and The Smith Family make in the lives of socially disadvantaged children and their families.

**LUNCHEON – 28 MAY - A BIRTHDAY  
CELEBRATION OF 31 YEARS FOR ASPLEY VIEW  
AND 65 YEARS OF VIEW.**



Thanks to our  
Guest Speaker,  
Ross from NEST



Celebrating 10  
Years as VIEW  
members. ➡



Four of our valued Past  
Presidents

**WHAT'S ON AT ASPLEY VIEW AND QAO1 CLUBS**

Thanks to our Hostesses today: Dawn Smith,  
Margaret Sparkes & Ros Francis.

<b>Aspley VIEW Club Luncheon</b> Wednesday 23 July.	Guest Speakers: Loan Chow, YHC Lawyers & Jennie McIntosh from K M Smith Funerals. Theme: "Christmas in July". Dress colours: Blue/Silver/Red.
Wednesday 13 August.	Join us for a visit to the Samford Historical Museum, 21 Station St, Samford Village. 10am - \$5 Entry. Following the visit join us for lunch at the Samford Hotel.
<b>Redcliffe Peninsula VIEW,</b> Tuesday 15 July.	Soup & Fashion Parade. Clontarf CWA Hall, Woody Point, 10.30am start, \$30. RSVP 8 July to Jenni 0410531951.
<b>Brendale Evening VIEW Club</b> Thursday 24 July.	Fashion Parade and Cent Auction. Featuring "Nanny Lou's Lane Boutique". 1.15pm for 2pm, \$30, Aspley Hornets Football Club. RSVP by 17 July, Lynne, 0417524054.
<b>National Convention, Brisbane Convention Centre. 5-7 September.</b>	Book online now. <a href="http://www.thesmithfamily.com.au/view-clubs/events/national/convention">www.thesmithfamily.com.au/view-clubs/events/national/convention</a> 2025. Registrations close 12 noon on Friday 15 August.

**ASPLEY VIEW CLUB HOUSEKEEPING**

**REMINDER:** If you are unable to attend the monthly luncheon please telephone, (leaving a clear message), to LESLEY - 33501110, or email @ [Lmteso@hotmail.com](mailto:Lmteso@hotmail.com) before 12 noon on the Wednesday prior to our meeting. This needs to be done each month and failure to do so will incur the \$40 lunch fee.

We have an EFTPOS facility available to take lunch payments which can also be used for outings and event payments. We hope this new option will make it easier for all our members.

- EFT payment details: Payee (ANZ Bank) BSB: 014209 Account No: 205004259 Ref: Your Name
- Club postal address is: The Secretary, Aspley VIEW Club, PO Box 2158, Chermside, 4032.

**Happy Birthday** to our **JUNE LfL** students: **Ashleigh** (11 years)  
**Leonardo** (8 years) & **Lincoln** (8 years).

**2025 LUNCHEON MEETINGS**

23 July	22 October
27 August	26 November
24 September	

**WEBSITE:** <http://view.org.au> - for Club and National news.

**FACEBOOK & INSTAGRAM PAGES:** Aspley VIEW Club

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if you are able to help!



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*"Every child deserves a chance – not just to survive, but to thrive.  
By lifting up the most vulnerable among us, we build a future that is fairer, stronger, and  
filled with hope."*