

Southern Peninsula VIEW Club

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Sunset at the Jetty Road Pier after Girls' Night Out

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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 – NOVEMBER 2025

Garden Party.

Another great club success! Special “thank you” to all the members who worked tirelessly to create such a memorable day.....thanks to Jude R. for opening her home and hosting the event. To all the members who attended and contributed to the fund-raising raffles, your generosity is much appreciated. An event such as this draws together the expertise of our members and provides us with a perfect opportunity to build our friendships and support of each other. “BRING ON 2026”

VIEW 65th Anniversary Raffle

Once again, all VIEW members, friends and family have an opportunity to purchase tickets in the VIEW's 65th Blue Sapphire Online Raffle 2025. Raffle sales opened on Thursday 4 September 2025 and close on Wednesday 3 December 2025. All funds raised will go towards The Smith Family's *Learning for Life* program, creating opportunities for young Australians in need by providing long-term support for their participation in education. This online (only) raffle offers you a chance to win a broad range of stunning prizes with a combined value of \$15,324.00, so please support it, prizes range from two return flights to Denmark down to jewellery and vouchers. Please go to the VIEW website and follow the prompts. [Online Raffle 2025](#).

PS – I plan to win the flight to Denmark as I have heard there is a great train trip that travels over water!!!!

2026 Committee Nominations

All positions are open for nominations with multiple nominations calling for an election to be held at the AGM. Currently President, Assistant Secretary and Delegate are available for nomination. If you require any information about the role, please do not hesitate to contact Mandy.

Raffles

A BIG thank you to all those who contributed to our “POOL” of gifts. To Sue G and Robyn B. you have found your calling! Thank you for your mammoth effort. If you wish to donate things to the raffle, please bring them to the next meeting or arrange with Sue Green to drop them at her place in Capel Sound.

Tricia's Trading Table

We are having a Trading Table at both the NOVEMBER and DECEMBER meetings with the theme being ALL THINGS CHRISTMAS – Treats and Stocking fillers. All our crafty members may have some things hidden away so bring them along.



Christmas Meeting-Proposed Structure of the Day

When: Thursday Dec 11

Cost: \$55 per head- payment in club acc. -Sue P by Dec 3

Time 11.00am doors open

Meeting: 11.30am-12.00-Brief Club Meeting

Lunch: served 12.30pm

Raffles Drawn: 1.45pm

Entertainment Interlude 2.00pm -2.30pm

Finish: 3.00pm



**Mandy
President**

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 Description section of the payment advice.
(eg. **Rayner Membership**)

Payments made at meetings can be paid by cash or card .

2025 SOUTHERN PENINSULA VIEW CLUB MEMBERSHIP

New Members Only - Memberships

\$20.00 (Annual Membership), plus

\$20.00 (Joining fee)

Plus voluntary purchase of door prize tickets at Monthly Meetings

\$5.00 per meeting for 3 door prize tickets to raise money for special projects eg. Joy Spreader.

The Annual Membership of \$20.00 paid by all VIEW members is sent to VIEW Clubs Australia for registration.

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CLUB NEWS

Learning for Life Program –Naomi & Jeanette

I have sent emails through The Smith Family portal to Lennox 7, Paige 9, Jenny 14, Te Ao Marama 16 and Izayah 18. I expressed words of encouragement for their educational endeavours for the remainder of the term and school year. Xmas vouchers for them all have been arranged through Sue Purnell to head office so the students will receive them in time for Xmas.

**Naomi G
LFL Coordinator**

This month I have sent Christmas gift vouchers and Christmas cards to Nooh, Skye, Kriishnaa, Tavila and Talia. I have also sent birthday gift vouchers and cards to Kriishnaa for December and Skye for January. There has been no new correspondence .

Tavila is an 11-year-old boy from Queensland, is in grade 6 and has an extended family. Tavila likes eating, volleyball and maths. He would like to be a school teacher or policeman. He has improved in both Maths and English and now knows his tables thanks to his sponsors.

Jeanette E
LFL Coordinator

Delegate's Report – Ruth R.

These are the achievements of VIEW members across the country in the last year as reported to the Convention in Brisbane this year.

- -3 new clubs in 2025, 3 new clubs in 2024
- -The Governor General, Sam Mostyn AC is the new Patron of VIEW
- -sponsoring more than 1800 students on the Smith Family's Learning for Life program
- -raising more than \$306,000 for the Smith Family's Digital Learning Essentials Program
- -providing more than \$100,000 in gift vouchers to students
- -providing more than 70,000 hours in volunteering to the Smith Family.

And it's finally going to happen. The 2027 Convention is in Geelong, Victoria. Let's go...

Ruth R
Delegate

Welfare Report – Carole H./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. Contact Carole Hadley on 0448 310 301.

Carole and Mandy



Craft and Wellbeing Group

During the month of November on Wed. 12th, 19th, 26th we will be creating Christmas decorations. So come along **1-3pm** to the **Capel Sound Community Hub**, Room 9, 11 Allambi Ave, Capel Sound \$4pp, bring your Christmas pieces, try your hand and have some fun. Fabric Flowers & Buttons and Beads will be ongoing if you wish to finish off a project.

Pat M

BAUBLES BAUBLES BAUBLES

1. The Christmas Party Committee are asking for donations of the following
2. Christmas baubles -any size any colour
3. Clear glass jars/vases/things to create a display on or in
4. Chrissy ribbon or string
5. Miscellaneous stars/shapes/ suitable for creating a Chrissy table centrepiece/display

Please bring your donations to the meeting next week.

The team of Christmas ELVES will be making the TREASURES during craft on a Wednesday and at other times.....If you wish to help you are most welcome!



Mandy

HAPPY NOVEMBER BIRTHDAY TO:

Sandra B
Carol C
Louise P
Janet R
Toni S
Bernadette V
Marcia W
Carol W



MEETINGS AND VENUES 2025

The Southern Peninsula VIEW Club General Meetings are held on the **second Thursday of every month** (except January) at 10.00am for 10.30am. Our Monthly Meeting voluntary donation of \$5 provides 3 tickets for the door prizes and includes a contribution to The Smith Family.

Eagle Ridge Golf Club, 215 Browns Rd, Boneo.

A reminder that this is a cash-less venue, so bring your cards if buying coffee/drinks or lunch.

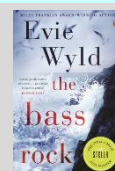
Thursday 13 th November	General Meeting
Thursday 11 th December	General Meeting & Prepaid Christmas Lunch
No meeting in January 2026	
Thursday 12 th February	General Meeting

Club Badges - please wear your badge to ALL club activities

CLUB MEMBER ACTIVITIES – PROGRAM OFFICERS’ REPORT

We hope you enjoy browsing through this wonderful selection of activities for November and December which has been put together by our Program Officers and Co-ordinators of specific events. Be sure to put your name on the respective lists if you plan to attend an activity or event.

ACTIVITY & DATE	DETAILS
BOOK CLUB Friday 7 th November Friday 5 th December	10am Capel Sound Community Hub , 11 Allambi Ave, Capel Sound \$4pp Book for November is The Bass Rock by Evie Wyld. Book for December and January members will read a book of choice and each will discuss book they have read. Co-ordinator – Faye B. 0411 865 836
BRUNCH BUDDIES Wednesday 19 th November Wednesday 3 rd December Wednesday 17 th December (Final 2025)	11am Blue Mini Café , 2 Colchester Rd, Rosebud Co-ordinator – Sue P 0419 400 449
CONNECT @ COFFEE Tuesday 11 th November Tuesday 25 th November Tuesday 9 th December (Final 2025)	10.30am Waterfall Gully Café , 87 Old Cape Schanck Rd, Rosebud 1.00pm Hobsons Café , 1489 Point Nepean Road, Rosebud 10.30am The Laneway Café , 167 Point Nepean Road, Dromana Co-ordinator – Maureen G. 0408 576 559
CREATIVE ARTS AND WELLBEING Wed. 12 th , 19 th , 26 th November Wed. 3 rd , 10 th , 17 th December (Final 2025)	1-3pm Capel Sound Community Hub , Room 9, 11 Allambi Ave, Capel Sound \$4pp Fabric Flowers & Buttons and Beads – Ongoing November will be creating Christmas decorations. Co-ordinator – Pat M. 0419 030 170
GARDEN GROUP Monday 10 th November Tuesday 16 th December	The next Gardening Club meeting will be at Orchard Cottage Roses, Main Ridge on the 10th November meeting there at 10.30am . Please contact Laurie to book a spot. 0407 944 304 (places are limited). Details TBC Convenor – Margaret K. gm.kogelman@bigpond.com or phone on 0419 527 258 if you are able to attend
GENERAL MEETING SP VIEW CLUB Thursday 13 th November Thursday 11 th December	At Eagle Ridge Golf Club 10am for 10.30am start Speaker: Jo Pearson, Milliner 11am for 11.30am start No Speaker – Christmas Lunch Co-ordinator – Faye B. 0411 865 836
GIRLS NIGHT OUT Thursday 27 th November	6pm at Rosebud Hotel , 1099 Point Nepean Road, Rosebud Co-ordinator – Sharon M. 0414 230 429



ACTIVITY & DATE	DETAILS
MONDAY MOVIE Monday 10 th November	Rosebud Cinema 10.30am Movie is "The Travellers". Co-ordinator - Sharon M. 0414 230 429
MORNING MELODIES Tuesday 18 th November Tuesday 2 nd December	10am for 10.30am at Rye RSL. Will it be Elvis, Johnny Cash or Roy Orbison? \$10pp incl raffle tickets, tea coffee & biscuits. Pay cash on the day. Co-ordinator – Sharon M. 0414 230 429
"MY STORY" Friday 21 st November (Final 2025)	1pm Room 9, Capel Sound Community Hub, 11 Allambi Ave, Capel Sound \$4pp. This popular group will resume in 2026. Co-ordinators – Carole H. 0448 310 301 & Naomi G. 0412 728 020
PENINSULA BEER GARDEN Sunday 30 th November	1-4pm Eagle Ridge Golf Club Partners welcome – Live Music No sign-up sheet, just arrive. Drinks and snacks at bar prices.
SOIREE Friday 21 st November Friday 19 th December	4-6pm – Bring along your preferred drink and a plate of nibbles to share. All details in the Sunday evening email At Sandra H's home, Tootgarook At Mandy K's home, Capel Sound Co-ordinator – Vicki G. 0408 593 182
WALKING GROUP Monday 10 th November Monday 17 th November Monday 24 th November Monday 1 st December Monday 8 th December Monday 15 th December (Final 2025)	9.30am Rye Pier Rosebud Pier McCrae Lighthouse Dromana Pier Rye Pier Rosebud Pier Co-ordinator – Jane R. 0481 969 040
SAVE THE DATE BIG EVENTS Friday 14 th November	11.00am Tyabb Packing House, Browse & Café Lunch (Details TBA at November meeting) Co-ordinator – Sharon M. 0414 230 429
Thursday 11 th December	<u>Christmas Party at Eagle Ridge</u> Please arrive 11am for 11.30am. We have a short General Meeting at 11.30am to 12noon. A delicious two course lunch will be served at 12.30pm-2pm. With the day concluding around 3pm. Cost is \$55 per person. Please pay into the club bank by 3rd December. Co-ordinator – Mandy K. 0405 942 599

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

Enjoy, from your Program Officers
Delwyn D, Maureen G (0408 576 559)
Sharon M. (0414 230 429)

TRICIA'S TRADING TABLE

Our 13th November trading table will have an **All Things Christmas theme**, and we would welcome baked goods and Christmas decorations and items.
For your last minute purchases, there will also be a Trading Table at the 11th December General Meeting, so, bring along your baked goods and Christmas decorations and items to the meeting. Remember to take your items home with you if they do not sell.



*******WE NEED YOUR HELP TO ASSIST ON THE TRADING TABLE*******

On the day of our General Meeting, if you would like to assist manning the Trading Table this year, please catch up with any committee member 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, Faye B. feefaye@bigpond.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, email address provider or emergency contact information, please forward the details to Faye. feefaye@bigpond.com or 0411 865 836

Southern Peninsula VIEW Webpage – Administered by Ruth R.

Our own webpage can be accessed on the VIEW Club web site. You can view the page on this link: <https://www.thesmithfamily.com.au/view-clubs/find-a-club/vic/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/>.

2025/2026 Committee Contact Numbers:

President:	Mandy Kiklis	0405 942 599	Program Officer:	Delwyn Davis	0408 161 614
Vice President:	Carole Hadley	0448 310 301	Program Officer:	Maureen Gough	0408 576 559
Secretary:	Faye Burnham	0411 865 836	Program Secretary:	Sharon Marsh	0414 230 429
Asst. Sec:	Sharon Marsh	0414 230 429	Publicity Officer:	Pat Michal	0419 030 170
Treasurer:	Sue Purnell	0419 400 449	Learning for Life:	Naomi Grant	0412 728 020
Asst Treasurer:	Bron Thomas	0402 119 219	Learning for Life:	Jeanette Elliott	0418 127 760
Delegate:	Ruth Rayner	0403 237 816			

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We acknowledge and thank the Community Bank Southern Peninsula for their community funding program to support our club activities on the Southern Peninsula .



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THE MONTH IN FOCUS

9th October Meeting



← Birthday Girls:
Claire A, Sue G, Coral McF, Sue T.



↑ Guest Speaker: Helen
Pearson from Beyond Blue
with Maureen G.



Door prizes: Margaret K,
Sue P & Naomi G. →

Mandy's new bell to call
the meeting to order.
←

October Seniors' Month:

Mandy K, Faye B & Lorna R.
Promoting SP VIEW Club at Capel
Sound Community Hub (formerly
Seawinds) on 16th October →



Girls' Night Out – Oh Ya Indian Restaurant



Soiree at Robyn B's.



Annual Garden Party at Jude R's.



Another fabulous fund-raising day at the Annual Garden Party.

←Thank you to the wonderful skilled organising committee for an amazing day.....Well done!



Jude modelling her raffle prize win..... one very happy lady.





Special thanks to Laila D for her Professional photography.



Our winners on the day, with Caroline S winning the best “Spring” themed look!



NOTE TO MEMBERS

THE DECEMBER NEWSLETTER WILL BE EMAILED TO ALL MEMBERS AROUND THE 14TH DECEMBER.

THERE WILL BE NO JANUARY NEWSETTER IN 2026.

SOUTHERN PENINSULA VIEW CLUB

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
10 NOVEMBER 9.30am Walking Group Rye 10.30am Garden Group 10.30am Movie – The Travellers	11 10.30am C@C Waterfall Gully Cafe	12 1pm-3pm CAWB Group Xmas deco. theme \$4pp	13 10am General Meeting at Eagle Ridge Speaker: Jo Pearson, Milliner & Trading Table All Things Xmas	14 11am Tyabb Packing House, Browse and Lunch	15	16
17 9.30am Walking Group Rosebud	18 10am for 10.30am Morning Melodies Rye RSL	19 11am Brunch Buddies at Blue Mini 1pm-3pm CAWB Group Xmas deco. theme \$4pp	20	21 1pm My Story Capel Sound Hub \$4pp Final for 2025 4pm-6pm Soiree at Sandra H's home Tootgarook	22	23
24 9.30am Walking Group McCrae	25 1pm C@C Hobsons Cafe	26 1pm-3pm CAWB Group Xmas deco. theme \$4pp	27 6pm-8pm GNO Rosebud Hotel	28	29	30 1pm-4pm Live music Peninsula Beer Garden
1 DECEMBER 9.30am Walking Group Dromana	2 10am for 10.30am Morning Melodies Rye RSL Final for 2025	3 11am Brunch Buddies at Blue Mini 1pm-3pm CAWB Group \$4pp	4 VIEW 65 th Anniversary Blue Sapphire Raffle draw (Have you bought your tickets?)	5 10am Book Club	6	7
8 9.30am Walking Group Rye	9 10.30am C@C The Laneway Café Final for 2025	10 1pm-3pm CAWB Group \$4pp	11 11am General Meeting & Xmas Party at Eagle Ridge & Trading Table	12	13	14
15 9.30am Walking Group Rosebud Final for 2025	16 11am-1pm Garden Group Venue TBA Final for 2025	17 11am Brunch Buddies at Blue Mini Final for 2025 1pm-3pm CAWB Group \$4pp Final for 2025	18	19 4pm-6pm Soiree at Mandy K's home Capel Sound	20	21
22	23	24	25 PUBLIC HOLIDAY XMAS DAY	26 PUBLIC HOLIDAY BOXING DAY	27	28
29	30	31	1 JANUARY PUBLIC HOLIDAY NEW YEAR'S DAY	2	3	4



VIEW Clubs of Australia

Nomination Form for Election to Club Committee

Yes, I am interested in nominating for the following position/positions:

(Please tick the following box/es to indicate which position/s you wish to nominate for)

<input type="checkbox"/> President	<input type="checkbox"/> Assistant Secretary	<input type="checkbox"/> Delegate
<input type="checkbox"/> Vice President	<input type="checkbox"/> Treasurer	<input type="checkbox"/> Publicity Officer
<input type="checkbox"/> Secretary	<input type="checkbox"/> Assistant Treasurer	<input type="checkbox"/> Program Officer (2)

*For **all nominations** for a position on the Club Committee, please complete details below.
The nominee, nominator and seconder all must be financial Club members.*

Name of VIEW Club: **SOUTHERN PENINSULA VIEW CLUB**

I,, accept nomination for the position/s marked above.

Nominee's Address:

Telephone: Home: () Mobile:

Email:

Signature of Nominee:

Nominated by:

Signature:

Nomination seconded by:

Signature:

Date of Nomination:

Thank you for your interest in nominating for a position on your Club Committee, it is very much appreciated.