

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 – AUGUST 2025

As always, we have had a remarkably busy month both socially and with our FUNDRAISING. Our Three Club Luncheon on July 30 was an enormous success and thanks must go to the organising team, the contributors to our magnificent Trading Table and all those who attended from the three clubs. A special 'Thank You' to Christine Patmore, our National Delegate, for her attendance and words of wisdom on all things VIEW. The day not only was a significant fund raiser for the club and The Smith Family, but it was also a reflection of the sense of belonging that VIEW provides to ladies on The Peninsula. I am immensely proud of the clubs' efforts, and I could feel the true camaraderie and commitment that is personified in what it means to be a member of VIEW. If any member would like to extend her links with VIEW, I urge you to consider attending the National Conference in early September [In Brisbane]. Registrations close very soon so please see Faye for more details.

Program Team

I am impressed by the willingness of members to "help out or volunteer" with the planning of club events. To ensure our organisation is thorough and comprehensive, we have asked Sharon to be **-Secretary in Charge of PROGRAMS.** She will oversee the calendar of events/administration of events/bookings. A number of other members have volunteered to be the main contact for specific activities AND **these details will be seen in the monthly newsletter.** Hopefully, this change will provide the support to the two Program Officers- Maureen and Delwyn [on leave] and make for more streamlined planning.

Farewell Tricia Atkinson

Tricia was a foundation member of our club and was the epitome of what VIEW represents. She had a way about her that was warm, inviting, and inclusive. From the outset, Tricia volunteered to organise and run our Trading Table. This proved to be a staple for fund raising AND when she suggested to "have a go" at a GIANT TRADING TABLE EVENT last year, I said "yes" knowing Tricia would be there with her sleeves rolled up. She surrounded herself with a group of willing workers and inspired the members to bring along goods and on the flip side "buy" treasures to take home. Tricia always was one for a chat and even in the later stages of her illness, was a joy to be around. Our club will miss Tricia greatly but, I feel, we are so fortunate to have had her in our VIEW life... Thanks Tricia.

(The Club will be donating to The Smith Family in her honour).



**Mandy
President**

Raffle Prizes for 3 Club Luncheon

Thank you to all members who contributed to the raffle baskets at the Combined Luncheon – it was an amazing result, and it was only possible with your donations. A job well done!

I am now able to take donations for the Garden Party in October.

Sue G
Raffle Co-ordinator

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

We have received correspondence from Bor Mhu (Thaw) thanking us for our support over the years, see below. I have taken on one of Jeannette's students (Te Ao Marama) to even up the numbers of 5 LFL students each. I emailed Jenny, Lennox, Izayah and Paige encouraging them with their learning at school and wishing them and their families well. Writing to them each term, at Xmas and for birthdays keeps us well connected.

*"Dear Sponsor, I hope this letter finds you well. I am writing to express my deepest gratitude for your generous support and sponsorship through The Smith Family. Your assistance has made a significant difference in my education and personal growth, and I cannot thank you enough. Because of your support, I have been able to focus more on my studies and pursue my goals with greater confidence and determination. The resources and opportunities provided through your program have helped relieve financial pressure on my family and allowed me to access the tools I need to succeed. Your belief in students like me is truly inspiring. It's not just the financial help—it's the encouragement and the message that someone out there cares and believes in our potential. That means the world to me. Once again, thank you for your kindness and generosity. I am committed to making the most of this opportunity and giving back to others in the future, just as you have helped me. My favourite book is like you know it different to everyone else it scary and murder scene .Also Construction, Engineering, Renovation, Study, Science. My favourite game is Roblox, Block Blast
Student Name: Bor Mhu"*

Naomi G
LFL Coordinator

Talia, our new student, has been emailed to let her know to expect a birthday card and a gift voucher. Both these have been sent. Talia is 7 years old and is from Victoria. There has been no other correspondence. Te Ao Marama is moving to Naomi's group and I will bring his folder to the August meeting. Te Ao Marama is 16 years old and in year 10 and is also from Victoria. He likes rugby and would like to play for the All Blacks. Te Ao Marama also likes history and music and has improved with his writing.

Jeanette E
LFL Coordinator

Delegate's Report

VIEW Resolutions' Vote

The time has come to vote on the 3 Resolutions. As requested, you will receive my notes detailing the most important points in an email from our Secretary Faye B. At the August meeting I will present a short summary of the 3 resolutions and ask you to complete the voting slips on your tables. You can vote YES to all three if you wish.

I will collect your voting slips, collate them and notify our club members of the results.

Finally, I will send the tally in to National Council, but we won't know which of the 3 resolutions VIEW will focus on until early next year.

Your Delegate, Ruth R

Publicity Report

A unanimous vote of appreciation for the article in the Southern Peninsula News about our 3 Club Luncheon a Stella's in Dromana last week. Thank you, Brendan, for your support and Yanni great photo as always.

Copies will be available to our members at our meeting next week.

Pat M

Welfare Report

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 H and Mandy K



HAPPY AUGUST BIRTHDAY TO:



Gwenyth C
Tricia C
Lee O
Lynne P
Lorraine S
Lynette T

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 14 th August	General Meeting
Thursday 11 th September	General Meeting
Thursday 9 th October	General Meeting
Thursday 13 th November	General Meeting
Thursday 11 th December	General Meeting & Prepaid Christmas Lunch

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 August and September 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. We think you will find this new format easy to read.

<u>ACTIVITY & DATE</u>	<u>DETAILS</u>
BOOK CLUB Friday 5 th September	10am Seawinds Community Hub Allambi Ave, Capel Sound - \$4pp August book for discussion is “The Vanishing Half” by Brit Bennett Co-ordinator – Faye B. 0411 865 836
CONNECT @ COFFEE Tuesday 12 th August Monday 25 th August Monday 1 st September Tuesday 16 th September	10.30am Waterfall Gully Cafe , 87 Old Cape Schanck Rd, Rosebud 1.00pm Wildflower Café , 665-667 Pt. Nepean Rd, McCrae 10.30am Nordie Café , 1008 Mornington-Flinders Rd, Red Hill 1.00pm The Bakehouse Street Café , 2403 Point Nepean Rd, Rye Co-ordinator – Maureen G. 0408 576 559
CREATIVE ARTS AND WELLBEING Wednesday 6 th August Wednesday 13 th August Wednesday 20 th August Wednesday 27 th August Wednesday 3 rd September Wednesday 10 th September Wednesday 17 th September Wed 24th Sept – Not On – School holidays	1-3pm Seawinds Community Hub Allambi Ave, Capel Sound \$4pp Fabric Flower Brooch making Co-ordinator – Pat M. 0419 030 170
GENERAL MEETING SP VIEW CLUB Thursday 14 th August Thursday 11 th September	10am for 10.30am start At Eagle Ridge Golf Club Speaker: Andrea McCall – Shakespeare – Fake or Fabulous Speaker: Janice Hayes - History of Lighthouses Co-ordinator – Faye B. 0411 865 836
GIRLS NIGHT OUT Thursday 28 th August Thursday 25 th September	6pm at Jade Court Chinese Restaurant , 1179 Pt Nepean Rd, Rosebud 6pm at Owen’s Dumplings , 1A Jetty Rd, Rosebud Co-ordinator – Sharon M. 0414 230 429
MONDAY MOVIE Monday 18 th August Monday 8 th September	Rosebud cinema Movie and time to be advised Co-ordinator - Sharon M. 0414 230 429
MORNING MELODIES Tuesday 5 th August Tuesday 2 nd September	10am for 10.30am at Rye RSL. Will it be Elvis, Johnny Cash or Roy Orbison? \$10pp incl raffle tickets, tea coffee & biscuits. (Pay into club account). Must be pre-paid see sign-up sheet. Enjoy some toe tapping and sing along. Co-ordinator – Sharon M. 0414 230 429
PENINSULA BEER GARDEN Sunday 31 st August Sunday 28 th September	1-4pm Eagle Ridge Golf Club Partners welcome No sign-up sheet, just arrive. Drinks and snacks at bar prices.
SOIREE Friday 15 th August Friday 19 th September	4-6pm – All details in the Sunday evening email At Sue G’s home, Capel Sound At Jude R’s home, McCrae Co-ordinator – Vicki G. 0408 593 182

ACTIVITY & DATE

SAVE THE DATE BIG EVENTS

Wednesday 20th August

DETAILS

11am Return Ferry Trip to Queenscliff, \$18 - Half price foot traffic passengers, for Seniors & Carers (Must present valid seniors' card upon arrival). For additional \$10 All Seniors & Carer Cardholders can enjoy a delicious Devonshire Tea (scone, jam & cream, along with tea or coffee). See sign-up sheet.

Co-ordinator - Sharon M. 0414 230 429

Wednesday 27th August

1pm CAWB at Seawinds FABRIC FLOWER BROOCH

Fabrics and cottons provided.

Equipment needed:

Large sewing needles.

Knowledge of embroidery

stitches useful but not essential.

Co-ordinator – Pat M. 0419 030 170



Saturday 6th September

8.00am Bunnings Cake Stall (Details TBA) See sign-up sheet.

Co-ordinator – Faye B. 0411 865 836 & Ruth R. 0403 237 816

Friday 19th September

Hastings VIEW Club 7th Birthday Lunch at Tooradin Hotel (Details TBA)
See sign-up sheet.

Co-ordinator - Sharon M. 0414 230 429

Thursday 23rd October

Annual Garden Party (Details TBA)

Co-ordinator – Jude R. 0411 294 774 & Vicki G. 0408 593 182

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

Enjoy, from your Program Officers

Delwyn D and Maureen G (0408 576 559)

Sharon M. (0414 230 429)

TRADING TABLE



There will be a Trading Table at the 14th August General Meeting, so, bring along your as new/saleable items to the meeting. Remember to take your items home with you if they do not sell. **CASH ONLY PLEASE.**

*******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			

THE MONTH IN FOCUS

10th July Meeting



← **Guest Speakers:**
Samantha & Vanessa
from Bendigo Bank
with Maureen G.

June birthday girls:
Ruth R, Suzanne L &
Kay Mck. →



Buttons and Beads Workshop – Fabulous work ladies.



Connect@Coffee – Flock of Seagulls



Soiree at Jane R's home



Annual Three Club Luncheon – Southern Peninsula with Mornington and Hastings



The theme for our fundraising Trading Table this year was "Make, Bake and Grow".

Amazing lucky prizes on the day.



Yes, once again we have made the front page of the Southern Peninsula News.

Girls' Night Out – Moonah Links



ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS



We acknowledge with thanks the support of Sam Groth MP, State Member for Nepean for the Club's printing requirements.

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



SOUTHERN PENINSULA VIEW CLUB

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
11 AUGUST	12 10.30am C@C Waterfall Gully Café Rosebud	13 1pm-3pm CAWB Group \$4pp	14 10am General Meeting at Eagle Ridge	15 4-6pm Soiree - Sue G's home Capel Sound	16	17
18 Movie - Rosebud TBA	19	20 <u>11am</u> Ferry Trip to Queenscliff <u>1pm-3pm</u> CAWB Group \$4pp	21	22	23	24
25 1.00pm C@C Wildflower Café, Dromana	26	27 1pm-3pm CAWB Group \$4pp Fabric Flower Brooch Making	28 6.00pm Girls Night Out – Jade Court	29	30	31 1-4pm Live music Peninsula Beer Garden
1 SEPTEMBER 10.30am C@C Nordie Café, Red Hill	2 10am Morning Melodies at Rye RSL	3 1pm-3pm CAWB Group \$4pp	4	5 10am Book Club Seawinds Hub	6 8.00am-3pm Bunnings Rosebud Cake Stall	7
8 Movie - Rosebud TBA	9	10 1pm-3pm CAWB Group \$4pp	11 10am General Meeting at Eagle Ridge	12	13	14
15 Movie - Rosebud TBA	16 1.00pm C@C The Bakehouse St Café, Rye	17 1pm-3pm CAWB Group \$4pp	18	19 Hastings VIEW Club 7 th Birthday lunch <u>4-6pm</u> Soiree - Jude R's home McCrae	20	21
22	23	24 NO CAWB Group- School Holidays	25 6.00pm Girls Night Out at Owen's Dumplings, Rosebud	26	27	28 1-4pm Live music Peninsula Beer Garden

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