



Weekly Bulletin

Friday 12 October 2018

CLOSES FRIDAY 19 OCT!

**Tuesday – 30 Oct – 8.00 am departure
Birkenhead Point, Drummoyne.**

Booking for this shopping trip will be closing next Friday. As a bonus, we have secured '**Visitors Passports**' from Birkenhead Point management for everyone who attends. These passports offer extra discounts at participating stores.

On the day we will be travelling with Monaro Coaches, and again will leave from the carpark opposite the Burns Club in Kett Street, Kambah, this time at 8.00 am. Unlike last year, we will not stop for dinner when returning home ensuring that our arrival will not be too late.

Cost for the day is \$55.00 – please book and pay at the Club's office by **Friday 19 Oct.**

As Sydney's largest brand outlet, Birkenhead Point is one of the only destinations in Sydney where you can shop at over 140 premium brand outlets whilst enjoying the spectacular river views. So, if you need a break or have 'shopped till you have dropped', you can relax by the water!

'POP UP' PLANT SALE

Saturday – 13 October 8.30 am - 12.30 pm

Locally grown herbs, succulents, natives, small plants and bulbs will be on sale in the hall at very reasonable prices on Saturday morning. Great for backyard or balcony! Why not come early and have a sausage sandwich as well! There will also be a 'Casual' Café with tables outside on the newly paved area. A great spot to stop awhile and enjoy the view!

AGM – Meet your New Committee....

Over 40 members attended Monday's Annual General Meeting which reviewed the past year and elected the new Management Committee.

The new Management Committee is:

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| President: | Louise Josephs |
| Vice President: | Beverley Crocker |
| Secretary: | Robert Peresan |
| Asst Secretary: | Anne Meade |
| Treasurer: | Janelle Burns |
| Asst Treasurer: | Robert Kelly |

Committee Members:

Michael Bungey, Pat Dahl, Arthur Dickens, Sandra Hyde, Magda Sexton and Norm Swanwick.

Thank you to outgoing members Jill Cookson, Michael Knight and Laurie Towers for their collective contributions to the Management Committee and a warm welcome to the new members.

And a new name for the new space!

'**Gumnut Cottage**' is the name chosen and was submitted by one of the Club's founding members, Carlene Lockyer: '*May's (Gibbs) first book published in December 1916 was written about inquisitive Gumnut Babies in the Australian bush (capital?). As the building was used for children who are inquisitive and now will be used by older people who are also inquisitive and still want to learn, I thought the name was appropriate.*'

Thank you to the members who took the time to submit the variety of names for the Childcare Centre.

Anne Meade / Asst Secretary

ACRYLIC ART WORKSHOP

Saturday 3 Nov - 10.00 am–1.00 pm

The Club is offering a new activity – a beginners' acrylic art workshop with local artist, Maria Polmeer. No previous drawing or painting experience is necessary. You will learn about colour mixing and produce a work of art to take home and enjoy. All art supplies are included in the cost of \$55.00 for the 3-hour workshop from 10.00 am to 1.00 pm. See notice board for further details. Come along and have fun! Booking and payment by Friday 26 October at the office - open Monday to Friday 9.30 am to 2.30 pm or phone 6293 4004.

Highlights of the Coming Week

Thursday – 18 October - 9.30 am

Shutterbugs Camera Group

Once again, we will gather around the table and discuss all things photographic, drawing on members experience and various camera skills. Our project for this month is "Clouds" and in November, our final project for the year will be "Water". Don't forget to look at our current display in the Parkview Hall where our favourite "Winter" shots are on show. If you are interested, whether a beginner or advanced, why not come along to our meeting and enjoy our friendly discussion group. Don't forget to bring your camera.

Norm Swanwick

Saturday – 20 Sept – 1.30 pm

55 Film Group – 'Hunt for the Wilderpeople'

The 2016 New Zealand adventure comedy-drama *Hunt for the Wilderpeople* was written and directed by Taika Waititi. Sam Neill and Julian Dennison play "Uncle" Hector and Ricky Baker, a father figure and son; the characters are grounded, the dialogue is witty and the scenery spectacular. Notice is on the board so that we have enough customary ice-creams!

Janelle Burns

Timetable

Saturday 13 Oct – Sunday 21 Oct

| Day / Date | Time | Activity |
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| Sat 13 Oct | 8.30am | Pop Up Plant Sale |
| Mon 15 Oct | 9.30 am | Bolivia |
| | 1.30 pm | Table Tennis |
| | 2.00 pm | Bridge |
| | 4.00 pm | Seated Yoga |
| | 5.15 pm | Yoga |
| Tues 16 Oct | 8.10 am | Men's Active Exercise |
| | 9.00 am | Women's Active Ex |
| | 1.00 pm | Mah-jong |
| Wed 17 Oct | 10.00 am | Carpet Bowls |
| | 10.00 am | Ten Pin Bowling |
| | 12.10 am | Seated Stretch |
| | 1.15 pm | K-nit 'n' K-natter |
| Thurs 18 Oct | 9.30 am | 500 Cards |
| | 9.30 am | Shutterbugs |
| | 1.00 pm | Mah-jong |
| | 1.00 pm | Backgammon |
| | 1.30 pm | Reading Group |
| | 3.45 pm | Bridge |
| | 3.45 pm | Yoga |
| Fri 19 Oct | 9.00 am | <i>Cycling Group *note 'Summer' starting time!</i> |
| | 9.15 am | Tai Chi |
| | 10.30 am | Gentle Exercise |
| | 11.30 am | Zumba Gold |
| | 12.15 pm | Learning Circle |
| | 2.00 pm | Carpet Bowls |
| | 4.15pm | Uke 55 |
| Sat 20 Oct | 1.30 pm | 55 Film Group |
| Sun 21 Oct | 9.30 am | Walking Group |



| Day / Date | Time | Event / Excursion |
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| Thurs 18 Oct | 10.00 am | Senior Screening |
| Sun 28 Oct | 2.00 pm | Trivia Sunday |
| Tues 30 Oct | 8.00 am | Birkenhead Point |
| Tues 6 Nov | 1.00 pm | Melb Cup – High Tea |