



# Weekly Bulletin

Friday 9 November 2018

## Highlights of the Coming Week

**Thursday 15 November – 9.30 am**

### **ShutterBugs Camera Group**

Our last meeting for the year will be held next Thursday 15 November starting at 9.30am. Our project for this month is “Water” and our water prints will be on display in the Parkview Hall during the remainder of November. We will also be discussing our next year’s programme including what subjects we will adopt for our monthly projects. Our first project for next year will be “Your Choice 2018”, any subject you like provided it was taken during 2018. We will also be discussing the possibility of putting together a photo essay of our new club building. If you are interested in joining us, whether a beginner or advanced, why not come along to our meeting and enjoy our friendly discussion group. - Norm Swanwick

**Saturday – 17 Nov – 1.30 pm**

### **55 Film Group – ‘Joyeux Noel’**

The last film for the year, *Joyeux Noel* (*Merry Christmas*), based on true events known as the Christmas Truce of 1914, is the tale of what happened that historic night and how it changed the lives of soldiers from France, Germany and England. French Director Christian Carion wrote the script after several years of researching records of that time. Considering the recent WW1 celebrations and the coming Christmas season, this is a profoundly touching and uplifting movie. Notice is on the board so that we have enough customary ice creams!

*Janelle Burns*



## ‘Honour Their Spirit’ - Australian War Memorial

The 62,000 Poppies display is open from 9am to 10pm daily and will finish on **November 11**. So, if you have not seen them, do not delay! They look spectacular both during the day and at night and form part of the Memorial’s five-week *Honour Their Spirit* commemorative program marking the centenary of the Armistice. And 500 of them were knitted by our ever-clicking K-nit n K-natter Group!

You can also commemorate this anniversary by ordering a bunch of poppies on line (5 for \$20) from 12 November with all proceeds going to Legacy.

For more information: [www.awm.org.au](http://www.awm.org.au)



## Review **Melbourne Cup ‘High Tea’**

The ‘Race that Stops the Nation’ was celebrated in fine style this week – yellow and purple were the feature colours and the hall was a bright fusion of colour. Rivalling the fashions on the field, our members made a great effort in ‘frocking up’ for the occasion. Sweeps provided a passionate focus for the race with the few rounds of bingo, lucky door and best dressed man and woman prizes adding to the afternoon’s entertainment. With good food, good company and the odd successful sweep, it was all over as quickly as the race!

A very big thank you to Norm, our commentator for the day, to all who helped make the day a success but especially to the tireless ladies who barely left the kitchen!



## Looking Ahead

**Tuesday – 20 Nov – 9.00 am**

### **'Cook and the Pacific' Exhibition – NLA**

The Club has again reserved the Viking's Club Community 24-seater bus for a visit to National Library's *Cook and the Pacific* Exhibition, leaving from the Vikings Club Erindale at 9.15 am (where there is ample safe parking). We have arranged a private tour at 10.00 am followed by morning tea (at own expense) at the Bookplate Cafe.

There is an option to have lunch together at the Vikings Club's Bistro on our return.

*Cook and the Pacific follows James Cook's three remarkable Pacific voyages and the exhibition takes visitors on a journey to the Pacific 250 years ago; Tahiti, New Zealand, the east coast of Australia, Hawaii and even Siberia.*

Cost is \$5.00 - please book and pay at the Club's office by **Friday 16 November**.

*Beverley Crocker*

## Activity Spotlight - Table Tennis

There is small group of dedicated table tennis players who meet each Monday at 1.30 pm to hit the little orange ball in the hope of winning a point! Even if not successful we have lots of fun. If you would like to join us why not come along – all welcome, experienced or new players. Bats & balls provided.

*Anne Meade*

## Around Town

**Wed – 21 Nov – 9.30 am–11.30 am**

### **Older Persons ACT Legal Service Launch & Pop Up Stall – COTA Hughes**

Gordon Ramsay MLA Attorney-General & Minister for Seniors & Veterans will officially launch the new Older Persons Legal Service. The launch will be followed by afternoon tea. There will also be a range of Pop Up Stalls with information on work undertaken in ACT for older Canberrans.

RSVP: [opals@legalaidact.org.au](mailto:opals@legalaidact.org.au) or phone: 6243 3436

## PLEASE NOTE: ALL Exercise Classes

All classes held by Jackie Yow from **Thursday 1 November – Wednesday 14 November** have been cancelled.

Please refer to notice on board.

## **Timetable**

**Saturday 12 Nov – Sunday 17 Nov**

<i>Day / Date</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Activity</i>
Mon 12 Nov	9.30 am	Bolivia
	9.45 am	iPad SIG
	1.30 pm	Table Tennis
	2.00 pm	Bridge
	4.00 pm	Seated Yoga
	5.15 pm	Yoga
Tues 13 Nov	1.00 pm	Mah-jong
Wed 14 Nov	10.00 am	Carpet Bowls
	10.00 am	Ten Pin Bowling
	1.15 pm	K-nit 'n' K-natter
Thurs 15 Nov	9.30 am	500 Cards
	9.30 am	Shutterbugs
	1.00 pm	Mah-jong
	3.45 pm	Bridge
	3.45 pm	Yoga
Fri 16 Nov	9.00 am	Cycling Group
	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
Sat 17 Nov	1.30 pm	55 Film Group
Sun 18 Nov	9.20 am	Walking Group



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Tues 20 Nov	9.15 am	Cook and the Pacific

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