

WAVERLEY NEWS



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PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Term 2 started with the good news that some of the room capacity restrictions that we had been facing had been eased by the Monash City Council, and we were now able to accommodate larger numbers in all of our rooms. As a result of this, a number of classes that were meeting by Zoom in term 1, or not meeting at all, have returned to the Hub. It is just great to see so many more people meeting, chatting and socializing whenever I am at the Hub. We hope that someday soon we will be able to effectively use the kitchen again, and the tea and coffee service can resume. At that time we will, I think, feel as though we have returned to "normal." In the meantime, for those who are able, please register your attendance at the Hub, or at Notting Hill, by using your smart phone to read the QR code that has been placed by the council, in the areas that we use, as well as ensuring that you have your name marked off on the roll/Covid register.

At a recent meeting of representatives from other U3A's in our region, we talked about how the "year off" has affected our organizations. It was quite remarkable to hear what some U3A's have done to keep their members involved during the lockdown periods, and how some of them have bounced back quite rapidly. Others, unfortunately, have not been so lucky, and still have very limited program offerings running because of the restrictions placed on them by their landlords, or because they have lost tutoring members. We are very fortunate that we are able to recommence all classes where the members and tutor wish the class to return to face to face activities. We still have some classes running on Zoom or other electronic systems, and some of these may stay that way for a while yet.

Enjoy your next term at U3A Waverley.

Robert

Announcement – Knitting - Short Course for Term 2 Now opened for enrolment

Beginners and continuing intermediate students are all welcomed. The course commenced on Tuesday morning 20 April. The tutor Gina Anderson is happy for students to enrol asap and commence in May (the first class will commence on 20 April as scheduled).



This is an informal course, students choose what they wish to knit.

Term		Ends	Public Holidays
2	19 April	25 June	Queen's Birthday Monday 14 June
3	12 July	17 September	
4	4 October	26 November	Melbourne Cup Eve 1 November Melbourne Cup Day 2 November

Truths from Very Smart People of our Past

In life, its important to know when to stop arguing with people and simply let them be wrong.

Don't trust everything you see, even salt looks like sugar.

A smart person knows what to say. A wise person knows whether to say it or not.

Any fool can know. The point is to understand. **Albert Einstein**.

When the debate is lost, slander becomes the tool of the losers. **Socrates**





If you boil a funny bone, it becomes a laughing stock, that's humerus!



I am taking care of my procrastination issues. Just you wait and see!

"Doctor, there is a man in the waiting room who says he is invisible, What should I tell him?" asked the nurse.

"Tell him I can't see him today." said the doctor.

Notice: Frog Parking only, all others will be toad.

My wife says I never listen to her, or something like that.

I want to grow my own food, but can't find bacon seeds.

Notices from Church Bulletins

Miss Charlene Mason sang 'I will not pass this way again,' giving obvious pleasure to the congregation.

Ladies, don't forget the rummage sale. It's a chance to get rid of those things not worth keeping around the house. Bring your husbands.

The church will host an evening of fine dining, super entertainment and gracious hostility.

The ladies of the Church have cast off clothing of every kind. They may be seen in the basement on Friday afternoon.

Pot-luck supper Sunday at 5:00 pm- prayer and medication to follow.