

Myrtleford MAGPIE



MYRTLEFORD & DISTRICT NEWSLETTER
UNIVERSITY OF THE THIRD AGE

Welcome to the November 2020 edition of *Myrtleford Magpie* – #28

From the President

We are heartened that the COVID-19 restrictions are being relaxed somewhat and as a result we are looking forward to getting our U3A up and running as you and all other members would like.

At this stage we still cannot use the Myrtleford Senior Citizens Centre but as soon as we can, the committee will advertise planned activities for the rest of the year.

In other news, the U3A is going ahead and organising a free lunch on Wednesday 25 November at Club Savoy, for all of our members. The invitation has already been emailed or hand-delivered to you and is included in this newsletter as well. We hope you are all able to attend and enjoy a catch up.

The other date to remember is the AGM for our U3A. We have scheduled it for **Thursday 3 December at 10.00am**. We do not have a venue as yet but hopefully that will be resolved in a week or two. We are also hoping to welcome a speaker to the AGM. Included with this newsletter is a nomination form for serving on the committee, if you are interested. The aim of the U3A committee is to have regular turnover of the committee members to ensure that fresh ideas are constantly considered and to make

sure that the U3A committee is always open to new people. In addition to general committee member positions, the positions of President and Treasurer will become vacant this year. Next year, the position of Vice President and Secretary will become vacant and all of these executive positions will hopefully rotate every two years.

Thank you for your patience this year.
Stay well and safe.

Nino Mautone
(President, U3A Myrtleford and District Inc.)

Limited program on offer at the moment

Monday - Tai Chi in Cundy Park at 10.00am

Tuesday – Mosaic Trail – meet at Apex park at 9.30
(please note earlier time)

Wednesday – Tribal bellydancing 9.30-10.30 in studio
above Buffalo Farm Equipment

Thursday – Coffee in the Park (opposite the Piazza)
every week at 10.30am

Our book – For A Better Life

As reported in the last newsletter we have been overwhelmed with the success of our book. We have managed to make some money from the proceeds

Our book – For A Better Life (cont)

and are now looking at how best to use that money for the benefit of members and the local community.

The committee has tossed around a few ideas, but we would like to hear from you, the members; your thoughts on what you think would be a good idea to allocate the money to.

So far, the committee has talked about having something permanent in the community that reminds us all of the book and tying together the story of Italian migration into the Myrtleford community.

If you have any ideas, please do not be constrained by the initial thoughts and please let Jan Mock, Secretary, know: Email u3amyrtleford@gmail.com or call on 0401 064 030.

Signs for U3A

Have you seen our new signs? One is on the approach to Myrtleford from Wangaratta and the other on the wall of the Myrtleford Senior Citizens Centre, adjacent to the main entry.



Lunch for all of our members



U3A MYRTLEFORD AND DISTRICT
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Dear fellow member,

After what has been a difficult year the Committee invites you to a special lunch, at no cost to you.

We would love you to join all other members at Club Savoy, Myrtleford at 12 midday on Wednesday 25th of November 2020.

Please register your attendance by Thursday 18th November via email to: ytaba36@hotmail.com with your name and phone number.

(We need to provide Club Savoy with a list of all attendees' details on entry, due to current regulations. Unfortunately, late registrations will not be accepted.)

If unable to email, you may register by phone to Yvonne Tabalotny on 0468482971

Please advise of any dietary or other requirements when you register your attendance.

We look forward to seeing you on the day.



Drinks are at own cost

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