

Brighton Branch Meetings

Our Monthly Branch Meetings are held at the Lighthouse Community Church, corner Jetty Road and The Crescent, Brighton on the beach side of the railway line. The meeting starts at 10am, so arrive from 9.30am. Door entry is \$5, and this includes morning tea and a chance to win a door entry prize.

Payment of your annual subscription can be made at the Branch meetings. Payment by Visa or MasterCard Credit or Debit Card is available for subscriptions and Door Entry.



Branch Meeting Tuesday 17 May

May is History Month and Coralie Creevey will speak on Australian History through Australian Art. Coralie has a passion for Art and her PowerPoint presentation will showcase paintings representing historical occasions in Australia.



Lunch

After each Branch meeting there is a lunch for members who wish to attend. On the 17 May the lunch will be at the Broadway Hotel, Broadway, Glenelg.

If you wish to go to lunch, put your name down on the sheet on the back table.

Covid-19

The restrictions have eased with QR or manual Check In not now required for our meetings.

Mask wearing is not compulsory but as it is an effective way to limit the spread of Covid-19, you can continue to wear masks at our meetings if you wish to do so.

Some organisations are imposing restrictions on non-vaccinated people, but this involves checking their vaccination status. National Seniors HQ have not imposed this requirement on the Branches. However, we strongly recommend that all our members be fully vaccinated unless you have been granted an exemption.

Catering 17 May

Lleyan Adams, Catering Coordinator will directly contact members who have indicated that they can assist with Morning Tea. If you would like to be on the Morning Tea roster, speak with Lleyan or phone her on 0422 288 151.

The Walking Group meet 9.30am every Tuesday except when there is a Branch Meeting. On that week the group meet on the following day. On **Wednesday 18 May** meet 9.30am at near end of **Adelphi Tce, Glenelg North opposite Brooklyn Ave.** Walk around **Patawalonga** to Veloce Café at Marina Pier, Glenelg. Coffee & return.

The contacts are Barbara Hansen 8295 4965 and Dawn May 8296 5031.

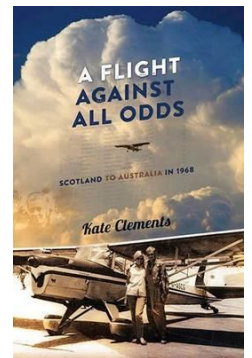
Upcoming Activities

- **Thursday 26 May - Historic guided tour of North Terrace** by David Jarman. This is a free tour. Start at 10am at top of Adelaide Railway entrance ramp. Tea break at Art Gallery Café. Take tram back to city centre for shopping or Casino for Lunch. Put your name down on the booking sheet, so we know how many people are attending.
- **Tuesday 21 June – Branch Meeting-** Richard from Ricko Entertainment will sing some of the favourite songs we may remember from times past. Richard was very popular at our October meeting last year and he has been invited back to showcase another range of musical memories. Get your friends to come along and sing along.



- **Thursday 30 June – Luncheon cruise around West Lakes.** Cruise lasts 2 hours, with boarding from 11.20am. The cruise leaves at noon from 141 Brebner Drive, West Lakes. Park at the Lakes Resort Hotel and walk down the path on the right side of the hotel towards the lake. Cost is \$45, includes 2 course lunch. Main courses are battered Barramundi or Crumbed Chicken Breast. Dessert, tea, and coffee included. Advise your main course when booking. Friends are welcome to attend as the cruise can take 60 people.

- **Tuesday 19 July – The Brighton Branch Annual General Meeting** will be held as part of our monthly meeting. At that meeting the Committee for 2022/23 will be elected. Currently all Committee Members have indicated that they will again stand for election. If any member wishes to be considered for election to the Committee, there is a nomination form to be completed, and copies will be available at the May and June Branch Meetings.
- **Tuesday 19 July – Speaker at Branch Meeting.** After the AGM, our speaker is Kate Clements who will tell us about her epic 1968 journey from Scotland to Australia in a single engine aircraft. Kate has written a book “A Flight Against All Odds” detailing her journey and copies will be available for purchase at \$20.



As is usual at our July Branch Meeting, we will have a special Birthday Cake to share at Morning Tea.

- **Wednesday 27 July Anniversary Birthday lunch** at Marion Hotel. 849 Marion Road, Mitchell Park. Start at noon. Booking made for 30 people. Put your name down on the booking sheet at the back of the church. Pay on the day of the luncheon due to your choice of meal.
- **Thursday 22 September – Advance notice.** Bus tour to Hindmarsh Island, Victor Harbor and surrounds. The cost is being calculated and bookings will open at the June Branch Meeting. Put the date in your diary.
- **Wednesday 30 November – Advance notice – Christmas lunch** at Club Marion.

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