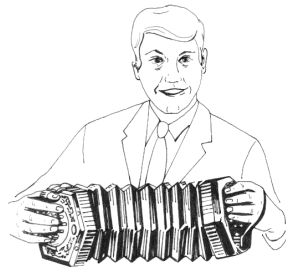


Kanandah Kapers

JANUARY
2021

NEWS

Well the old year has past by and a new year awaits us. In December we had our Annual Christmas Parties. We missed having family there as our guests, but we still had an enjoyable time anyway. The Christmas fare was top notch and the Stringy Bark



Band in the garden put on a great show. They performed at all 3 Parties and were even rained on at the Douro Lodge party, but returned to play when it cleared. We thank them for being so flexible to perform under such difficult circumstances. We were delighted that Santa visited our Parties too—we must have been good this year. I wonder who was in the Santa suit? (Answer on back page).

Our Christmas decorations around Kanandah looked great and we even have some new decorations and lights for the courtyard garden. Douro Lodge and Mortimer residents just missed out on a lights trip due to virus restrictions, but thankfully the hostel got to go out and from all reports they had a wonderful time both nights.



Fortunately we were able to have a mini version of the Christmas Markets. It was very useful time to do some Christmas shopping as it is difficult to shop otherwise. Thankyou to Donna and those that provided items for the market stalls.

In January we will be celebrating all things Australian. We will be making some Mini-Pavlovas and also having an Aussie BBQ with Pavlova for dessert. Please let Donna or Phil know if you are interested in attending the Aussie BBQ Lunch.



**Wishing everyone a very
Happy New Year!**



LIBRARY BOOKS



Old library books need to be collected and given to the front office the day before the library van visits. The virus can survive on books for 3 days, so new books will wait in the front office till the following Monday before being distributed to you.

WATTLE CAFÉ & CANTEEN

Café open 5 days Sun-Thurs 10am to 3pm, but closed public holidays.

If Café is unattended please see the Kitchen.

The Café will now stock most common items from the Canteen.



SHOPPING



The preferred method to for shopping is to contact your family and they can drop the goods into the front office, then staff will deliver it to you. If unable to do this you can fill out a Shopping form available in a green folder at the front foyer office by 3pm Tuesday.

***Note:** To reduce risk of infection volunteers will shop only in 3 places (Woolworths, Big W and Blooms Chemist).*

Supplies may be limited in store, so if not available, volunteers could buy an alternative item if you add this to your description on the form.



HAIRDRESSER

We have hairdressers available for Hairdressing each week, to cut, set and blow dry hair. See program for days.

PODIATRIST will continue to visit every second week.



ZOOM—to contact family

Zoom is a service available for you to see and speak to your family on a screen. If interested please see Donna, Jacqui or Phil.



CHURCH

Most Church Services are temporarily out of action. While not a complete replacement, "Songs of Praise" is on the ABC at 11.30am on Sundays. Please ask staff to put this on the TV in activity spaces if you are interested. Online church services are available also (see program for times).

SPECIAL EVENTS THIS MONTH

(see monthly programs for dates and times)

MEN's AFTERNOON

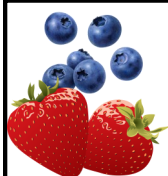


A chance for the men to get together for snacks, drinks and a chat.

LADIES AFTERNOON TEA



Ladies get-together, with cuppas, snacks and company.



MAKING MINI PAVLOVAS

Be creative and make your own small sized pavlova—you choose what toppings to use from the variety available.

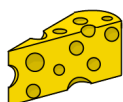


MORTIMER LADIES WELCOME TO 2021 CELEBRATIONS

Ladies get-together, with party hats, balloons, streamers, party food and games.



CHEESE TASTING AND DRINKS IN THE GARDEN



Drinks and a few types of Cheese to taste. Vote for your favourite cheese and enjoy a relaxing afternoon in the garden.

BIRTHDAY PARTY AND HAPPY HOUR

Celebrate the Birthdays for this month with Snacks, drinks and your favourite music.



AUSSIE BBQ LUNCH & PAVLOVA

We will be having an Aussie BBQ Lunch, with Pavlova for dessert, in the lead up to Australia Day.



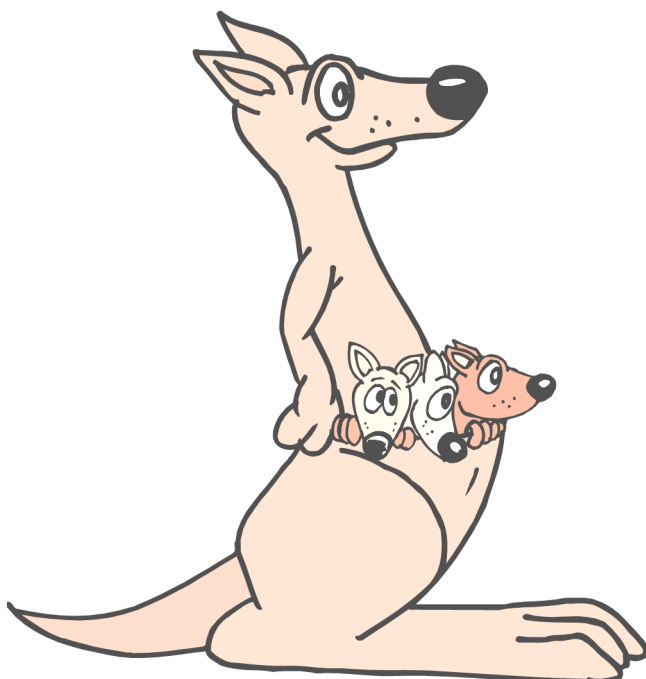
Let Donna or Phil know if you are interested in attending.

Costs—about \$12.



AUSTRALIAN FINDAWORD

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Inside the Santa suit was ... Santa of course!