

U3A BALLINA/BYRON INC



NEWSLETTER Term 3 2017

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From the President:

Dear Fellow Members,

I hope that you have all enjoyed the U3A activities in which you have participated during the Second Term of 2017. I also hope that you have not found the recent onset of "Winter's first blast" too confronting (not to mention the rain!).

Unfortunately, our Mother's Day wrapping at Ballina Fair this year did not prove as successful as in 2016, donations this year being well under half of the previous year. Still, I would like to take this opportunity to again thank Ballina Fair Management for allowing our U3A the opportunity to take part in such activities.

Our Social Committee continues to provide a varied program of events for your delectation and delight, and I ask you to support these. My thanks to Ann, Viv and the other Committee members for their efforts.

At the request of our colleagues at U3A Northern Rivers, our organisation will be conducting a Trivia Afternoon at Lismore on Tuesday 21 November.

I trust that you will continue to enjoy your involvement with U3A Ballina/Byron in Term Three.

Regards, *Warren*.

Warren Hastings Harris, President

TERM DATES 2017

Term 3 18 July - 22 Sep

Term 4 9 Oct - 8 Dec*

*Tutors may elect to continue classes after this date

Trivia Fripp Oval

1pm-4pm

5 July; 27 Sept

Trivia Ballina Golf Club

4 December

Check the notice board for updates to the social calendar

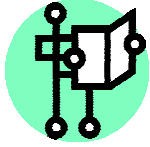
TRIVIA TIME: Which Commonwealth country celebrates its National Day, St. George's Caye Day, on the 10th. of September?

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New Classes:

We have a tutor keen to teach German. Please leave your name at the office if interested.

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A special meeting will be held on Thursday 27th July 2017 at 11:30 to vote on changes to our Constitution. The changes are necessary due to changes in the Associations Act. Please see the attached list of changes. As this meeting will be over the lunch period tea, coffee and sandwiches will be provided. Please let the office know if you are attending by Monday 24th July.

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Social activities

* Sunday 2 July 2017 ~ Bus trip to Lanbruk's Gunyah(Junction Hill near Grafton)

As well as being a museum of farm and home implements of a bygone era, this is also an active olive and organically farmed beef concern. There is a shop selling olive products and local crafts including products from alpacas, sheep, and birds.

After a generous morning tea with homemade sponge cake and jam, and local coffee, we head to Grafton where we visit the historic Regional Gallery, or you can enjoy free time to explore or shop or ? Possible pub stop at Maclean on the way home. Pick up will be at Tamar St. bus bay at 8.30am

Cost of \$55 per person includes coach, olive tasting, full morning tea and entry to the museum and shop.

Payment required by asap, please at U3A office located at Fripp Oval 10-12am weekdays. (Phone 6681 4450)

For further information contact Ann on 6681 6612 or Viv on 6686 7561.

* Monday 11 December ~ our end-of-year/Christmas luncheon will be held at the Ballina Island Motor Inn - same place as last year - at 12 noon.

* Wednesday 6 September ~ bus trip to tropical fruit world, Murwillumbah

The Social Activities Committee of Australians in Retirement is organising this trip. Cost is \$72.

Includes coach travel, morning tea, Plantation Safari, lunch and tropical fruit tasting.

Enquiries to: Maureen Rose – 6684 2201 Jenny & Geoff Moore – 6681 3270



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From the Mullum Mob...

Enquiries 66807350



July 18 music - Bizet	Aug 22 - art - Diana Hughes
July 25 - mediaeval art - Liz Dowling	Aug 29 - orchids - Ken Woods
Aug 1 - poetry	Sept 5 - poetry
Aug 8 - sound therapy - Anna Parker	Sept 12 - guest speaker - TBA
Aug 15 - music - Westlake	Sept 19 - music - book review



The drama class dramatising



The bush walkers, a-walking - or whale watching - or catching breath

My apologies to Heather Munro, whom I misnamed in the recent Advocate column!

The social group socialising on the Brunswick River



Trivia Answer: Belize
(formerly “British Honduras”).

CLASSES Term 3 2017

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Shorter Flatter Walks 8.30am -10am From various starting points as per the walks list available in the Office	Walking 8.30am from Fripp, or as on walks list	Intermediate Egyptian Raqs Sharqi 8.45am – 10am Fripp Oval	Hatha Yoga 7.30am – 8.45am Fripp Oval	Walking 9am -11.30 am from Fripp, or as on walks list
Cards 9.45am -12.15pm Fortnightly Fripp Oval	Yoga & Core Pilates 9.15am -10.30am Fripp Oval FULL	Beginners Egyptian (Raqs Sharqi) Belly Dance 10am -11am Fripp Oval FULL	Tai Chi Qigong (Regulars + Beginners) 10am -11.30am Fripp Oval FULL	Photography 9am -11am 20 weeks – 1 year Fripp Oval
Art Appreciation 9.30am – 11.30am Fortnightly Fripp Oval	Poetry 10am -12 noon, 1 st Tuesday Ex-Services Club Mullumbimby	Philosophy 10.15am -11.30am Fripp Oval Outer Office	Crochet, Knitting and Company 1pm - 3pm Fripp Oval	Rhythmic Tappers 9.30am – 10.45 am (Beginners 10.45am – 11.30 am) Ballina Sailing Club
Lost Empires 11am -12.30pm Ballina Golf & Sports Club	Invited Guest Speakers 10am -12 noon, 2 nd & 5 th Tuesdays Ex-Services Club Mullumbimby	Weights for Women 11.15am -12.15 pm Fripp Oval FULL	Australian Stock Market Investment 3pm – 4.30 pm Fripp Oval	Jewellery & Beading 10.30am -12.30pm 2 nd and 4 th Friday of the month Fripp Oval
Mah Jong 12.30pm - 4pm Fripp Oval	Music Appreciation 10am -12 noon, 3 rd Tuesday Ex-Services Club Mullumbimby	Exploring books 10.30am -12 noon 1 st Wed of month Fripp Oval	Fabric Art/Mixed Media 1.30pm - 4pm Community Hall, North Creek Road 3 rd and 4 th Thurs of Month FULL	Craft and Chat 11.30am -1.30pm Fripp Oval
Scrabble 12.30pm - 4pm Fripp Oval	Art Appreciation 10am -12 noon, 4 th Tuesday Ex-Services Club Mullumbimby	French Transition 10am -12 noon Tutor's home FULL	Dealer's Choice (Social Poker) 1pm - 4pm Tutor's home	Canasta/Samba 12.30pm - 4pm Fripp Oval
Canasta 12.30pm - 4pm Fripp Oval	Italian 10am -12 noon Ballina RSL FULL	Movie Appreciation Ballina/Byron Bay on-going at variable times. FULL		Photography Interest Group Meets monthly. Contact the Office for details.
	Cryptic Crosswords – Beginners 10.45am -12 noon Fripp Oval Main Hall	Creative Writing 12.30pm – 2.30pm Fortnightly Fripp Oval		
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	Table Tennis 12.30pm - 2.30pm Fripp Oval FULL	Computers and Technology – Individual Tuition 1hr sessions, check with the Office for other days		
	Scottish Country Dancing (beginners & continuing) 4pm – 6pm Presbyterian Church Hall			

MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

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Committee Meetings held 1st Thursday of each month – Venue to be advised

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