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NOTICEBOARD September 2022

President's Message

In the bookcase, in the kitchen, of Chittick lace are three interesting books, graciously donated by Bernie Higgins, about Nagambie's history. They are:

- The Four R's
- Nagambie Waterways the way they were
- The Way We Were

Thank you Bernie.

These books are available to take home to read, along with any other books in the bookcase. Please bring them back so that other people can borrow them.

Reports from Groups

Gardening Matters

After a long hiatus, 9 members met at the U3A Meeting rooms on 17 August to discuss future activities and share information. Diane offered her apologies for not being able to continue to lead the group due to personal reasons, but would be open to speaking on particular topics and opening her garden for a visit. The Group thanked Diane for her dedication and expertise to the group and wished her well for the future. Details of the 21st September meeting in Nagambie will be emailed, texted or posted to members. Look forward to seeing everyone again soon, especially as the weather improves.

Jessica's Corral

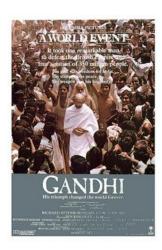
Jessica's Corral will not resume this Semester. Jessica hopes to start up singing sessions again in February 2023. Any queries please contact me Jenny Moran 0437022301.

Potted History

The weather is becoming better and the sun is peeking its glowing face from behind the clouds. Time for us to also peek out from our hibernation and continue our explorations of our district. September 22nd will see us meet in the Chittick Place car park at 9.30am before heading off to Tyaak, Strath Creek, Flowerdale, Yea and then homewards.

Thursday Matinee

The film for our next screening on September 15 will be *Gandhi* which is a 1982 period biographical film based on the life of Mahatma Gandhi, the leader of nonviolent, non-cooperative Indian independence movement against the British Empire during the 20th century. A co-production between India and United Kingdom, it is directed and produced by Richard Attenborough from a screenplay written by John Briley. It stars Ben Kingsley (Academy Award for Best Actor 1982) in the title role. The film covers Gandhi's life from a defining moment in 1893, as he is thrown off from a South African train for being in a whites-only compartment, and concludes with his assassination and funeral in 1948.



Travellers

Last month's excursion to ArtVo at Docklands proved to be a fascinating and fun trip. The photos say it all! An extra highlight was lunching unexpectedly by candlelight as the restaurant's dishwasher tripped the fuse. Very romantic!

September 22 Excursion - Light: Works from Tate's Collection

This will be a trip to ACMI at Federation Square where there is an amazing exhibition called: Light: Works from Tate's Collection.

"Works are drawn rom the Tate's prestigious collection, celebrates ground breaking moments from over 200 years of art history, and the artists who harnessed this elemental force through painting, photography, sculpture, drawing, installation and the moving image'. Sounds quite a feast for the senses!

Cost: \$27.00 Please contact Anne or Marnie



October 27th Excursion - Ziebell's Homestead



Cost: \$35.00 for bus, \$7.50 (cash only on the day) for Morning Tea. Contact Anne or Marnie to book your seat.

Westgarthtown is an historic dairy farming settlement sixteen kilometres north of Melbourne established in 1850 by German and Wendish immigrants. Although now located within the residential suburbs of Thomastown and Lalor in the City of Whittlesea, many of Westgarthtown's outstanding bluestone heritage buildings and structures still survive. These include Ziebell's Farmhouse (c.1850-51), Victoria's oldest German immigrant building; a picturesque Lutheran Cemetery (1850); and Australia's oldest operating Lutheran Church (1856).

November 24th Excursion

A magical mystery tour involving an iconic Melbourne building!

ArtVo Excursion – July 2022





Carole as a
butterfly,
ready to flit off
to the next flower.
Heather, Carole,
Nariel and Chris
riding the waves!



Let there be light! Anne, Nariel, Chris, Carole and Heather

Walk & Wonder

Some pictures of our walk along Lambing Gully Rd. We wondered about many interesting things as we wandered.







All notices for the next Noticeboard need to be emailed to U3A ($\underline{seymu3a@gmail.com}$) \underline{and} Heather ($\underline{123hbee@gmail.com}$) on or before

September 23

If you have any photographs of any activities, or busy groups, please email them to U3A **and** Heather.

Noticeboard will be sent out on **September 28.**

"The best portion of a good man's life is his little nameless, unencumbered acts of kindness and of love." — Wordsworth



"It keeps me from looking at my phone every two seconds."