Minutes

Seniors Reference Group Meeting

Lakeside Room Oran Park Library 72 Central Ave Oran Park

> 4 April 2024 2 – 4pm









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MEETING COMMENCED AT 2PM

PRESENT

Maria Campton, Lisa Grimson, , Linda Hobman Cr McLean, Christine Crooks, Keith Maddock, Aaron Galway and Val Moskvitch

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY

Val delivered the Acknowledgement of Country.

APOLOGIES AND LEAVES OF ABSENCES

Denise Tsoukalas, Christine Crooks 24 May to 5 August

DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Nil

CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES

Previous meeting minutes moved the motion Val to pass and Cr. McLean seconded the motion.

BUSINESS ARISING

N/A

1. <u>REPORT TITLE</u>

Volunteer Expo & Volunteer Thank you dinner

Information was presented to the group about opportunities to support these projects. **Action Items:**

Task	Responsibility
Promote Volunteer Expo throughout networks	All
Represent SRG at the volunteers expo	All
RSVP – Volunteers thank you dinner	

2. <u>REPORT TITLE</u>

Seniors Bush Dance

Planning and delivery presented to the group. **Action Items:**

Task	Responsibility
Venue confirmed Julia Reserve	All
Cost agreed to \$15	All
Scope Catering	All
Scope Entertainment	All
Event Support	All



To view the Seniors Festival program please visit below link: 2024 Seniors Festival Program

3. <u>REPORT TITLE</u>

Café Connect

Update presented to the group.

To view the Café Connect Program please visit below link: CAFÉ CONNECT 2024

Action Items:

Task							Responsibility
	Café Co	onne	ct booklets	promotio	on and dist	ribution	All
-			promote community	Senior	Festival	programs	All

Seniors Festival – Evaluation

Group provided feedback and discussed actions to be addressed.

Comedy Show

Task		Responsibility
-	Contact Civic Centre re: Catering	Lisa

4. <u>REPORT TITLE</u>

GENERAL BUSINESS

Group were advised of the award nominations put forward for Seniors projects. Including: Seniors Fashion Show & High Tea – Local Government Professionals Award and the Zest Awards under community development categories.

Cr McLean advised of the motion put forward to the National General Assembly to advocate for Seniors programs.

Motion Category – Community services

Motion Title - Funding for seniors programs Motion Wording -

This National General Assembly calls on the Australian Government to: Ordinary Council ORDINARY COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON | 9 April 2024 63 O R D 0 1.

Recognise the essential role councils play in delivering seniors programs which both benefit local communities and save the Australian and State Governments significant health care costs; and

2. Support the capacity of councils to develop and deliver seniors programs which enhance health and wellbeing outcomes for older Australians, by increasing the funding provided for such programs and ensuring that the funding opportunities enable the longevity and sustainability of program delivery.

MEETING CLOSED AT 4PM.





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