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## Caulfield's response to "Gardiner"

CAULFIELD Council has submitted its response to the Local Government Board regarding the Board's proposal to merge Caulfield and East Malvern.

At a Special Council Meeting on April 12, Council approved the new boundaries of Tooronga Rd, Wattletree Rd, Gardiner's Creek and Warrigal Rd.

Caulfield Mayor, Cr Nicholas Gold, said "Whilst Caulfield supports the proposed new boundaries, it is concerned that moves to have the Gascoigne Estate and other areas in East Malvern included in the City of Stonnington, will reduce the economies of scale forecast for Gardiner. If these changes

eventuate, the Government might as well amalgamate the whole of Malvern with Prahran," said Cr Gold.

Council also believes that annexation rather than amalgamation or merger should occur.

"In our submission, we draw on a similar comparison where a small area of Melbourne was transferred to Essendon without the need for changes to the Council or its administration," said Cr Gold. "We are ideally hoping for a similar outcome for Caulfield," he said.

As indicated in its original submission to the Board, Caulfield still retains an interest in the eastern boundary, particularly that area between Poath Rd

and Warrigal Rd and feels that this should become part of Caulfield in the second round of municipal reviews.

"Economic and community of interest arguments would strongly indicate the benefit of this boundary change," said Cr Gold. "Also, it would be logical and natural to extend the proposed eastern boundary of the new city," he said.

Although it agrees to the boundary changes, Council has concerns with the transitional arrangements and the proposed name 'Gardiner'.

"While the world celebrates South Africa's move to democracy, in Victoria, the State Government appears to be taking it

away," said Cr Gold.

Current Government proposals still indicate that community elected representation is to be removed for an undefined period and replaced by government appointed commissioners.

"Council is concerned that the resident's voice is in danger of suffering a major bout of laryngitis!" said Cr Gold.

At another level, Caulfield residents have been quick to challenge the new name and point out the advantages of keeping Caulfield.

"Having obtained the views of East Malvern residents as requested by the Board, the results indicate that 'Gardiner' is not popular in that area either," said Cr Gold.

The problem with the name 'Gardiner' is that many community facilities, including the Gardiner Railway Station, fall within the boundaries of the new City of Stonnington.

"Three quarters of the new

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City has historical links with the name Caulfield, including the internationally acclaimed Caulfield Racecourse," said Cr Gold. "With such a minor change to our municipality (an increase of only 18,000 residents), it hardly seems necessary to change the name, especially considering it could cost as much as \$250,000 to alter street signs, stationery, logos, publications and so on," he said.

## Farewell to the City of Caulfield Handicap?



Above: Winner of the 1994 City of Caulfield Handicap Chiliad, second Chemin De Fer and third Prince of Paradise.

MORE than 8000 people turned out to watch what could be the last City of Caulfield Handicap at the New Caulfield Racecourse on Saturday, April 23. Due to the Local Government Review and subsequent municipal name changes, next year the race could be known as the City of Gardiner Handicap! The Handicap was won by Chiliad, ridden by Michael Evans and owned by the Woodlands

Stud Syndicate, managed by JH and RW Ingham.

The Caulfield Handicap has been a tradition between the Victorian Amateur Turf Club (VATC) and Caulfield Council for 14 years. The Handicap was implemented to strengthen the good relationship held between the Council and the VATC.

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The Rotary Club of Caulfield-Rosstown invites residents and

friends to attend the Rotary Race Day at the New Caulfield Racecourse on Saturday, May 28.

With assistance from the VATC, Rotary is working to provide support to the Rotary Bone Marrow Institute at Parkville. Through this magnificent new facility, Victoria leads the nation in the fight against bone marrow disease, particularly in children.

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# Generalnews

## COUNCIL MEETINGS

### MEETING DATES FOR 1994

**CAULFIELD Council has appointed three special committees comprising all of the members of the Council.**

They are committees of:

<b>Town Planning</b> - Cr David Michelson (chairman)	<b>Policy &amp; Environment</b> - Cr James Barrett (chairman)
<b>Finance</b> - Cr Sandy Anderson (chairman)	

#### 1994

MAY	18	6.30pm	Council
	18	8pm	Town Planning
JUNE	7	8pm	Policy & Environment
	14	8pm	Finance
	21	6.30pm	Council
	21	8pm	Town Planning

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## Caulfield's 'Leisuredrome'

THE new combined swimming pool/recreation centre soon to commence construction in Moira Ave, Carnegie (the present Caulfield Memorial Swimming Pool site), will be called the 'Leisuredrome'.

To create a local connection and thus achieve a local identity, research was carried out on the nature of the site prior to its current use. It was found that the site was previously that of Victoria's second official aerodrome and was officially named the Glen Huntly Aerodrome in 1921.

The aerodrome theme links today's community with Caulfield's historical past. The formal name of the Centre will be the Caulfield Leisure Centre.

The Centre will hopefully be completed in time for the opening of the Caulfield Swimming season in November this year.

## Register your dog

OWNERS of unregistered dogs in Caulfield could be in for an unpleasant surprise, as Council officers are carrying out door-to-door checks on the registration of dogs in the City.

Animal control officers will check on properties with dogs and if unregistered pets are found, owners will be given the option of either registering the animal on the spot or paying a \$200 fine.

Considering it costs \$50 to register an unsterilised dog, \$18

for a sterilised dog and \$28 for VCA animals, a \$200 fine is an unattractive alternative.

Dog owners are strongly advised to register their dogs immediately. Where the owner is not home, they will receive a fine in the mail if an unregistered dog is found.

Dogs can be registered at the Council, cnr Glen Eira and Hawthorn Rds, Caulfield.

For further information, contact Council's animal control officer, on 524 3275.



## Engineering update...Engineering update

### Footpath upgrading program 1994

IN association with Council's ongoing program of footpath repair and replacement, the footpaths in Albert Rd, Furneaux Gve, Parkside St and Parnell St are all to be replaced as necessary.

The extent of the works will be marked on site and the appropriate quantities provided to contractors to enable quotes to be obtained.

These renewal works are expected to significantly improve the alignment of these footpaths, assisting pedestrian traffic in these areas. Works are due to commence this month.

### Balmoral Crt/Sidwell Ave easement drain

CAULFIELD Council is currently investigating the options for upgrading the existing easement drain bounded by Sidwell Ave, Sidwell Crt, Inkerman Rd, Balaclava Rd and Balmoral Crt.

This project is necessary due to problems associated with flooding of the properties within the vicinity of the drainage pipe. Council's engineering department investigated the capacity of the existing pipes and found that a larger size pipe was needed to accommodate the catchment area.

This project will be challenging for both the contractor and the engineering department because work will occur near trees, brick garages, buildings and tennis courts.

It is anticipated that this project will be carried out in two stages with the first stage to be completed this year as part of the 1993-94 Drainage Upgrading Program.

### Hotham St drainage

ALSO as part of its 1993-94 Drainage Upgrading Program, Council's engineering department recently completed a design to provide an underground stormwater drain in Hotham St from A'Beckett St to 94 Hotham St.

The purpose of carrying out this project is to improve the drainage in this area to eliminate any flooding and also provide direct connection of property drains to the proposed Council drain.

The project includes approximately 207 lineal metres of 300mm diameter to 375mm diameter fibre reinforced cement pipes which would be partly located within the footpath area. There will be new concrete footpath slabs in Hotham St where the new drain is to be installed.

Council is in the process of obtaining quotes from contractors and work is scheduled to commence this month or early next.

### Vehicle crossing location

NEW Vehicle crossings are installed to serve properties usually because of some redevelopment work, whether it be completely new buildings or simply construction of an

onsite parking area.

In many cases, the proposed location of the vehicle crossing is found to coincide with some other feature of the street such as street trees, drainage pits, electricity poles, fire hydrants or other features which may require modification or relocation to accommodate the vehicle crossing or may preclude the installation of a vehicle crossing altogether. Other factors that may influence the siting of a vehicle crossing are the closeness to street corners, other vehicle crossings and reserved parking areas.

In all cases, it is vitally important that proper investigation of the site of any proposed vehicle crossings is thoroughly undertaken at an early planning stage of any property redevelopment. Building or planning approval for a property development does not consider these ancillary issues and accordingly it can be found that new building development works progress only to find vehicle crossings and driveways cannot be located as per the approved building plan.

Failure to adequately check vehicle crossing locations and take heed of any possible obstructions can lead to delays in the approval process for vehicle crossing installations or costly modifications to street features or property entrance details which have to be carried out at cost to the property owner or developer.



## CITY HALL PHONE NUMBERS

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Town Planning	524 3374
Traffic Engineering	524 3324
Building	524 3201
Community Relations	524 3259



## Caulfield's Anzac tribute



Above: Caulfield Central Sub-Branch RSL members, (from l-r) Alan Coombs, Bill Morrison and Richard Reynolds at the City of Caulfield Anzac Day Service, April 24, 1994.

ABOUT 500 people, including RSL members, scouts, guides, Legacy members, families of lost soldiers, residents and on-lookers gathered in Caulfield Park for the traditional City of Caulfield Anzac Day Service on Sunday, April 24, 1994.

The Service was opened by Caulfield Mayor, Cr Nicholas Gold, who invited people to place their flowers of remembrance at the base of the cenotaph.

Mr Les Unwin, president of the Caulfield Central Sub-Branch

RSL spoke in memory of Caulfield's fallen soldiers.

People stood in silent tribute for two minutes while the Bugler played the *Last Post*.

The Service concluded with the singing of *Advance Australia Fair*.

## New look *Caulfield Contact*

HAVE you noticed *Caulfield Contact*'s new look?

Final year graphic design student at Monash University - Caulfield Campus, Belinda Sambevskas, 21 is responsible for the new look.

*Contact* staff approached Monash with the job of re-designing the newspaper early this year and were provided with 12 designs to choose from.

Council's chief executive officer and chief editor of *Contact*, Doug Aylen said all the designs were of a high standard, but Belinda's was the most suitable.

"We wanted to give *Contact* a new look without being too radical," said Mr Aylen. "I think our choice is ideal for the purpose of a community newspaper."



Above: Belinda Sambevskas.

"The decision to use our local university for the design was a good experience and one we really hadn't thought to use before. It gave students a chance to input their ideas into their own local newspaper," said Mr Aylen.

Once Belinda has completed this her final year, she hopes to work in the field of designing corporate id's, letterheads and logos.

## Self driven petition to stop Oakleigh merge

TWENTY percent of Murrumbidgee residents have signed a petition in an attempt to safeguard Murrumbidgee from the proposed take-over by the City of Oakleigh.

Their reaction is the result of a recent newspaper article which stated Oakleigh's proposal to extend its eastern boundary from Poath Rd to Murrumbidgee Rd, annexing 12,000 City of Caulfield residents in an attempt to save Oakleigh.

Murrumbidgee resident of 34 years, Mrs Wilma Minogue was the initiator of the petition. "When I heard about Oakleigh's proposed take-over of Murrumbidgee I knew I had to do something," she said.

"The people of Murrumbidgee have put a lot of work into their homes and are proud to belong to Caulfield. We have nothing to gain from Oakleigh - it has higher rates and completely different policies," she said.

"Through this amalgamation process, residents have had their rights taken away from them. We have always been Caulfield and that's the way we



Cr Veronika Martens.

want to stay," she added.

East ward Councillor, Veronika Martens tabled the bulky petition at the April Council meeting.

"It's a good feeling knowing that the residents of Murrumbidgee feel as strongly as Council does about keeping Murrumbidgee just as it is - part of Caulfield and part of a rich heritage," said Cr Martens. "What is even more pleasing is that the petition was 'self driven' by the residents. They are proud to live in Caulfield and that's the way it should stay."

## DID YOU KNOW?

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# Communitynews

## Youths wanted for exchange program



Above: Youth Exchange chairman, Lion Bob Sigmont congratulates Ian Pregnell, who successfully represented Carnegie Lions Club in Japan on a recent exchange visit.

THE Lions Club of Carnegie is seeking local youths to represent their community and Australia in several different countries during the forthcoming December/January school holidays.

This is a great opportunity for young people to experience life in a different country - to share in the family and community life of a different culture, and to increase their knowledge and

international understanding.

Selected candidates will need to pay the costs of travel to their country of choice, but Lions will arrange free accommodation with Lions approved families in that country.

Applicants must be at least 16 and less than 22 at the time of departure (early December).

They should have at least average academic ability and be able to speak to small groups about their local community and country.

Countries available in Lions Youth Exchange include USA,

Canada, Japan, Great Britain, Germany, The Netherlands, Austria, Switzerland, Brazil, Italy, Greece, France, Belgium, Hungary, Denmark, Sweden, Finland, Norway, Indonesia, Malaysia, South Africa and New Zealand.

Exchange programs are usually five or six weeks duration.

Lions Youth Exchange is not only open to school students but also to youths who have already entered the workforce.

Sons and daughters of Lions members can be selected but they will not be given any special consideration over youths from non-Lions families.

Youth exchange is much different from being a tourist staying in hotels. The youths actually live in their host's homes and become part of that family for the duration of their stay. It's a great way to learn about the country and its customs.

The Lions Club can sponsor more than one youth, however, successful applicants will be selected on their merits.

Costs of the program can be obtained by contacting Lion Bob Sigmont on 571 4634 during business hours. Be aware that costs quoted will not be just airfares, but will include all air travel ex Melbourne, insurance and administration, internal travel in destination country, group photograph, travel bag and wallet, name badge, visas where required, Australian departure tax and stopovers where applicable.

Applications must be submitted in writing (with references) to: **The Secretary, Lions Club of Carnegie, P O Box 192, Carnegie, 3163, by May 31, 1994.**

## Friendly ties strengthened



Above: From (l-r), Lindsay Mackay, David Biggs and Ian Robb.

TWO local students have recently returned home from an exciting eight day homestay visit to Ogaki, Japan.

The students, Lindsay Mackay, 13 and David Biggs, 14 were successfully chosen by the Caulfield Friendly Cities Advisory Committee interview panel which consisted of Caulfield Mayor, Cr Nicholas Gold, Cr Veronika Martens and a community member/representative of the Friendly Cities Committee. In addition, Ms Wakako Hayashi, a native Japanese speaker was engaged to test the students on their fluency and proficiency of the Japanese language.

Council's senior administration officer, Mr Ian Robb accompanied the students on the tour. Mr Robb has provided administrative support since the Ogaki/Caulfield relationship was struck six years ago. He has organised homestay accommodation and programs on most Ogaki visits to Caulfield.

The tour included visits to Ogaki Castle, the Museum, the Ogaki Hachiman Shrine, Kyoto, Hikone Castle, Police Station and the Municipal Hospital.


The students also attended the Ogaki Seiwa Junior High School. Activities included Cherry Blossom viewing at night, cooking a Japanese-style lunch, a Japanese conversation lesson, tea ceremony, flower arrangement and calligraphy.

David Biggs said the best part of the tour was meeting people. "Whenever we met a group of people, whether it be our homestay family, the Mayor or school groups, we had to introduce ourselves and speak of our country, in Japanese," said David. "It was challenging but fun."

This introduction exercise gives students a chance to develop language skills and confidence - the very basis for the Friendly Cities program.

"Ogaki is quite different to Caulfield - it has more buildings, is much busier, houses are closer to the road, there are many bicycle riders, many restaurants, but I noticed there weren't as many gardens."

"We all had a great time and if I get a later opportunity I would definitely go back," he said.



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## Caulfield's sporting heroes



Above: Caulfield Secondary College's sporting heroes. Back row (from l-r) Neville Morunga, Scott Handley, Aron Finch, Charles Weisz, Nevan Stonehouse. Front row (from l-r) Janine Wright, Shannon Tedeschi, Michael Prophyris and Bianca Henning.

CAULFIELD Secondary College has a number of students who have reached exceptional standards in their chosen sport.

**Bianca Henning**, 17 and currently studying VCE has competed both nationally and internationally in Foil Fencing. Bianca is ranked 12th in the Australian Women's Open Foil section, 1993.

**Charles Weisz**, 17 began his pole vaulting career just two years ago with a height of 2.55m. He has just been ranked fourth in Australia, losing third place on a count back.

**Shannon Tedeschi**, 17 is a member of the Melbourne Tigers Basketball Teams under 18a side. Shannon also plays men's A grade for Darasta and

Rising Suns and he is the top scorer for Darasta.

**Aron Finch**, 18 achieved second place at the 1994 Australian Taekwondo Championships, and, as a result, was selected to compete in the Malaysian Taekwondo Open as part of the Australian Team (light weight division). Aron began his Taekwondo career in 1984.

**Michael Prophyris**, belongs to the Victorian Junior Fours Lawn Bowls team.

**Nevan Stonehouse**, Jeff Castle and Neville Morunga,

play in the Victorian Rugby League under 17s section.

**Janine Wright**, plays in the Lacrosse under 16 State Team.

**Scott Handley**, plays in the under 19 volleyball State Team.

**John Tokurua**, plays in the under 21 Lacrosse State Team.

**Wade Bishop**, plays in the under 14 Rugby Union State Team.

**Che Johnston**, plays in the under 17 Lacrosse State Team.

**Leslie Balog**, plays in the under 16 volleyball State Team.

**Caulfield Contact** would like to hear from other local schools who have students who are outstanding at sport, art, academics etc. Call 524 3259.

## School displays acrostic poetry



CAULFIELD Primary School's 4/5/6 composite grade recently held an acrostic poetry exhibition at the Elsternwick Library. The students were asked to write acrostic poetry about their school and the fact that part of the school building is over 100 years old. Pictured are Joshua Webb, 10 and Veronica Volkov, 11.

## Joint winners for design award



Above: Caulfield Mayor, Cr Nicholas Gold congratulates Residential Design Award winners Bob Long (left) and Garry Sharp (right).

COMPETITION was tough for the 1993 City of Caulfield Residential Design Awards, where, for the first time, joint winners and commendations were awarded.

The selection criteria for this award takes into consideration: innovation, landscaping, design, attention to detail and ensuring that the development suits the streetscape.

Joint winners were Bob Long for his development at 3 Maroona Rd, Carnegie, builder: Knightsbridge Constructions Pty Ltd and Garry Sharp for his development at 11 Oak Cres, Caulfield North, builder: Bermal Pty Ltd.

Sharp Design, for its devel-



INTERNATIONAL Family Day will be celebrated in Caulfield with a traditional picnic on Sunday, May 15, 11am-3pm at the Caulfield Recreation Centre and Princes Park, both in Maple St, Caulfield South.

Whether your family is large, small, traditional, non-traditional, extended, single or nuclear, there will lots to please people of all ages and abilities.

There will be traditional picnic games and races as well as abseiling, Life games and areas for rollerblading and skateboarding. Join the parent hunt, experience the Street Youth Theatre or have a go something new. All activities are free - all you need to bring is your own

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opment at 2 Culma St, Glen Huntly and David Edelman, for his development at 274 Orrong Rd, North Caulfield, received commendations.

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## New insurance cover for cyclists

**BICYCLE** Victoria has identified 800 cyclists hospitalised each year in bicycle only crashes, who are not covered by the Transport Accident Commission (TAC) or WorkCover.

Bicycle Victoria have recently completed a report, *Cyclist Trauma 1994: The Facts*, showing that 80% of cyclists who are treated in a hospital have had an accident that does not involve a motor vehicle 'in the act of driving' and therefore cannot receive compensation from the TAC.

In response to this problem, Bicycle Victoria has secured a low cost insurance package for its members that provides income replacement, lump sum payouts on permanent disablement and other forms of assistance.

Mr Harry Barber, campaigns manager for Bicycle Victoria, said "The package also gives members a \$2 million third party and property cover so if they crash into a Rolls Royce, they won't go broke paying for the damage."

### Government inconsistency

In 1993, a court ruled that a cyclist who broke her collar bone when a driver opened his door into her path, was not covered by the TAC.

"If you are hit by a moving car you get walloping payouts from the TAC, but if the same driver opens their door in front of you, you could end up with nothing, until now," said Mr Barber.

In 1992, the State Government chopped 'cyclists on their way to work' out of WorkCover. Cyclists are now banding together to do the job that the Government won't do. Bicycle Victoria has researched the problem, developed the insurance package as a solution and is promoting it to the cycling public.

"Cyclists aren't getting a fair go. Over 30,000 people cycle to work everyday. By riding a bike they reduce traffic congestion, help stop pollution and get fit as well. They deserve the same protection as other road users," said Mr Barber. "Our insurance package gives immediate coverage to anyone who joins Bicycle Victoria. It will give peace of



**Above: Prominent local cyclist, Caulfield Mayor, Cr Nicholas Gold.**

mind to riders on their way to work or out on the bike path, and to parents whose kids are riding to school. You'd be a mug to cycle without it."

Keen cyclist and Mayor of Caulfield, Cr Nicholas Gold is just one of thousands of cyclists who can now have peace of mind while out cycling.

"For just \$35 a year, I can now be assured of round the clock cover," said Cr Gold. "So many cycling residents tell me that a major disincentive to riding a bike, is the risk of accident not covered by insurance; now that risk can be properly dealt with," said Cr Gold.

### Safer cycling

Even bike paths can be dangerous places. Many cyclists have crashes on poorly designed bike paths or when they crash into bollards. This insurance package covers members 24 hours a day, 365 days a year.

The good news is bicycle riding is getting safer all the time.

Deaths and injuries are down while the number of people riding is increasing. Cycling is still one of the safest activities around; it is no more hazardous to commute by bike than by car.

For more information, ring the Bicycle Victoria Hotline on 0055 31428.

**Bicycle Victoria is a non-profit community organisation that campaigns to get a better deal for cyclists on roads and on paths, and through initiatives like this insurance package. Bicycle Victoria also runs the Great Victorian Bike Ride and other recreational cycling events.**

## Help needed for Toy Library

CAULFIELD Community Toy Library, located next to Caulfield City Hall, is in need of volunteers to assist with the recording, counting in and booking out of toys during borrowing sessions. Help is particularly needed on Tuesdays 9.15am-12 noon. If anyone can help, please contact Christine

## Salvos need new recruits

**THE annual Salvation Army fundraising drive culminates on Doorknock Day, Sunday, May 22. But local goals will not be met unless volunteer doorknockers can be found.**

Local organiser, Jack Campbell, says that being a Red Shield Appeal volunteer collector is a worthwhile experience - it's also fun.

Volunteers are put into a team and a team leader will contact them prior to May 22.

On May 22, all volunteers meet at their local Red Shield Appeal collection centre where they will be given their collection badge and receipt book.

Volunteers then spend about two hours with their team leader, collecting in their allocated area.

"After that, it's back to the centre to hand in their money and have some refreshments," said Jack.

Jack warns donors to give only to collectors who wear a Red Shield Appeal badge, carry a Red Shield Appeal kit and issue receipts.

If anyone can spare a few hours on May 22 for the Doorknock, Jack Campbell would love to hear from you. Contact Jack on 523 9228.

## Share in the care of a disabled child

**RESPIRE** care is one way of enhancing the quality of life for families with disabled children. While their disabled child spends time with host carers, parents can take some time out for themselves or spend some time with their other children.

Interchange Southern urgently needs to find hosts for 35 children and adolescents with disabilities and special needs, who are currently waiting to be matched with carers for regular respite.

Hosts make a commitment to care for the child one weekend a month. Prior to caring for a child, they attend information sessions and also receive ongoing back-up and support from the Interchange Coordinator to ensure the child is cared for appropriately. Hosts can be married or single, with or without children of their own.

Contact Interchange Southern to find out how you can help. Telephone 532 0155.

## NMAA celebrates 30 years

CAULFIELD group of the Nursing Mothers' Association Australia (NMAA) recently celebrated its 30th birthday.

To celebrate this occasion, a dinner was held where Caulfield/Carnegie and Elsternwick group leaders and counsellors were presented with certificates of appreciation.

The Caulfield Group of NMAA is an active group, providing services to the community, mothers and families by way of feed and change tents at func-

tions, antenatal talks and school and kindergarten presentations. The Group holds regular coffee mornings, new mother afternoon teas and evening discussion groups on breast feeding and parenting topics.

On Wednesday, May 11, commencing 7.30pm the Group will hold its third breast feeding information night at the Glen Huntly Maternal and Child Health Centre, cnr Royal and Rosedale Aves, Glen Huntly. This evening is designed to inform and educate parents and pregnant women on how breast feeding works, the benefits and advantages, expectations for hospital and early days at home with a newborn. Basic reading material and supper is provided. The evening is free and partners are encouraged to attend.

For more information or to secure your place, call Tracey on 568 1058 or Rebecca on 571 4921.



## Caulfield U3A

will run its next bus tour on Thursday, June 2

### Ginger Bread Factory, Mornington

Morning tea at the Ginger Bread Factory - do your own icing!

Then to Studio City Morning to see King Graham and Bert

Newton in the beginning of television. BYO lunch.

For bookings and further information, contact U3A, Mon-Thurs, 10am-3pm, on 532 8462. U3A, 258 Hawthorn Rd, Caulfield South.

**Remember - you don't have to be a U3A member to join in!**

## WANTED.. WANTED.. WANTED..

**Theatre scripts written by young people for young people to be performed by Caulfield Youth Theatre. Please send to:**

Amber O'Shea, P O Box 42, Caulfield South 3162, by June 3, 1994. For further information, call Amber on 524 3321 (b/h) or 572 2150 (a/h).

**Golden Days Radio for senior citizens meet 10am at the RSL Club, Bentleigh on the 3rd Wednesday of each month. If you are over 50, come along. For further details, contact the Secretary on 557 8066.**



## Professor receives prestige award

PROFESSOR Paul Zimmet, director of the International Diabetes Institute and one of Australia's most eminent experts in diabetes, has been named as the recipient of the 1994 Eli Lilly Lecture.

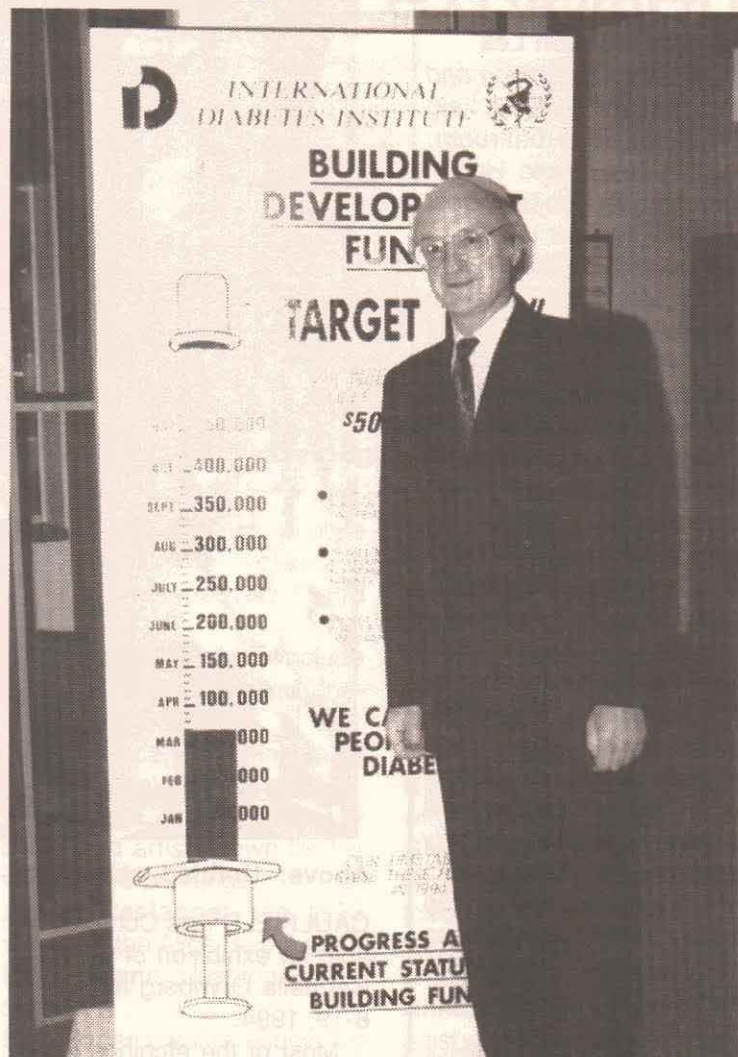
The Eli Lilly Lecture is regarded as one of the most prestigious awards in the field of diabetes worldwide, and is one of the highlights of the triennial International Diabetes Federation (IDF) Congress to be held in Kobe, Japan in November this year.

The Lilly Lecture is the only award at the Congress open to international competition, with others being regionally or country based.

Professor Zimmet, who received the Order of Australia (OAM) for his services to diabetes in the 1993 New Years Honours list, will address the Congress on the causes of diabetes (NIDDM), based on leading edge research he has carried out in collaboration with other colleagues in Melbourne and the US.

In his lecture, Professor Zimmet will describe pioneering new research discoveries which have contributed to a better understanding of the causes of NIDDM, as well as the insulin-dependent form.

"The modernisation, or Coca-Colonisation of lifestyles has directly contributed to what virtually amounts to a pandemic incidence of NIDDM among Australian aboriginals, as well as among Pacific Island nations and our Asian neighbours," he



Above: Professor Paul Zimmet stands by the International Diabetes Institute Fundraising Thermometer. The Institute needs to raise \$500,000 to extend its current facilities. The extensions will mean the Institute will be able to expand its Epidemiological Research Team and properly house some administration staff who are currently occupying rented units due to limited accommodation in the main building.

said.

With a research breakthrough in form of a new blood test developed with Monash University colleagues, Merrill Rowley

and Ian Mackay, Prof. Zimmet has provided new insights into early detection of insulin-dependent diabetes in both children and adults.

## Health briefs...Health briefs...Health briefs...

CAULFIELD Community Care Centre, 240 Kooyong Rd, Caulfield South, will run the following programs this month. Both programs will be offered during the day in addition to evenings throughout the year. For bookings and further information about any of the programs, contact the Dietitians, on 523 6666 (b/h).

**Supermarket Shop for Health** - Thursday 19 and 26, May, 1994, 10am-12pm.

This course is designed to teach skills in label reading and how to select healthy products at the supermarket. It is especially helpful for those with health problems involving diet, eg: diabetes, overweight, heart disease, hypertension etc. but also useful for people who would like more information about the food they buy, and improved confidence in shopping for health.

**Healthy Weight and Lifestyle** - 8 week program commencing

Friday, May 20, 10am-12pm.

This course is run by the Dietitians and Physiotherapists at the Centre. Information and assistance is provided to help participants make longterm changes to improve eating habits, control weight and increase fitness. Suitable for people of all ages and levels of fitness.

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CHADSTONE Community Health Centre Inc. will run the following programs this month. **Raising Responsible Children, a parenting group** - will run for five weeks commencing Tuesday, May 24, 1994, 10.30am-12.30pm at the Centre, 568 Neerim Rd, (cnr Poath Rd) Hughesdale.

The focus will be building on the strengths and assets of children and providing encouragement for parents.

Topics include:

- developing cooperation in the family;
- encouraging responsible

behaviour;

- discipline - what is effective and respectful;
- adolescence - exciting family challenges.

**Drink Driver Education Program** - May 16, 17 and 24, 8.45pm. Cost \$100, concession \$85.

The Drinking and Driving Choices program has proved popular with people wanting to have their licence restored.

Many participants have emphasised the program would benefit younger drivers or people thinking of obtaining a driver's licence. The program is fully accredited by the Department of Health and Community Services.

Drink Drive assessments are by appointment only. Cost \$125. Concessions are available.

Please note that boundaries apply.

For bookings and further details, contact the Duty Person on 568 2599.

## Keeping fit at 50!

KEEPING fit at and over 50 is easy in Caulfield if that's what you want to do.

Caulfield Council offers a wide range of activities to suit participants of varying needs and tastes. All classes are run by qualified instructors in safe, fun and social surroundings.

The range of activities include: gentle exercises to music, chair-based exercises, walking group, creative movement and dance, tai chi, yoga, tennis and prymeball.

**Exercise to music classes** consist of standing and floor-based exercises, stretch and relaxation. The classes are aimed to encourage a better sense of well being. Class times are:

Monday, 11am Carnegie  
Tuesday, 9.30am Caulfield Recreation Centre (BOOKED OUT)

Tuesday, 10.30am Caulfield Recreation Centre (NEW MEMBERS WELCOME)

Wednesday, 10.30 Caulfield Recreation Centre

Wednesday, 11am Carnegie

Thursday, 9.30am Caulfield Recreation Centre.

● Please note that due to popularity the Tuesday 9.30am class at Caulfield Recreation Centre is now booked out. Our new 10.30am class on Tuesdays is open to all new members and is a good opportunity to learn good exercise technique and make new friends.

**Chair-based exercise classes** are designed for the not so fit. Classes are a fun and safe way for people who may suffer from arthritis, heart conditions, or other complaints that may result in restricted movement, an opportunity to exercise. Join now to feel great and make new friends. Class times are:

Monday, 10am Carnegie

Wednesday, 10am, Carnegie.

**Walking group** is also an enjoyable way to stay healthy, social and feel great. The group, accompanied by an instructor, meet on Thursday mornings at Packer Park, Leila Rd, Carnegie.

For further information about these or other classes for the over 50s, contact Council's recreation officer for older adults, Cheryl Kennedy, on 524 3356.

Below: Participants in the chair-based class have fun.



## Fast breast cancer screening

ONE in 14 women will develop breast cancer, but medical science has yet to discover its cause and how to prevent it.

Regular breast x-rays help find breast cancers before they are big enough to feel as lumps. Early detection offers women more options for treatment and better outcomes.

Women over the age of 50 are invited to have a free, two-

yearly screening breast x-ray at the new Monash BreastScreen Centre in Elsternwick. BreastScreen is jointly funded by both state and federal governments.

To make an appointment, just phone 349 2755 or 008 808 745.

A doctor's referral is not necessary to have a free screening breast x-ray.



## Solitary sentinels Photographs

CAULFIELD Arts Complex will hold a photography exhibition titled *Solitary Sentinels* from June 8-19, 1994.

Here is a list of exhibiting photographers and a description of the work they do.

**Julie Baker - Inner Landscapes.** Currently looking at producing inner landscapes; metaphors for my inner landscapes.

**Richard Stork - False Idols and Truth.** Based on self portraits, this work explores the visage as a site for propaganda, both religious and moral.

**Toni Smart - This work is centered on the street and the tradition of the Street Photograph and the accidents and incidents of city living.**

**Jacqueline Watson - A wonder.** Innocence and beauty, ignorance and witchcraft, these contrasts fascinate me and are incorporated in the works through the opposition of photographic materials and fabric.

**John Gothorp - Getting Old and Already Soft.** I am attempting to create a dramatic representation of another world or dimensions.

**Kim Burt - Fifteen Minutes of Fame.** Exploration of multiple



Above: *Untitled*, mixed media, by Donna Lawrence.

imagery and repetitive patterns along with technical overlays.

**Donna Lawrence - Pornography and Art.** These works involve the sensual and the sexual, and the aims to invoke discussion about alternate sexuality.

**Bryan Dunn - Movement of the Body and Form.** Experimental work with the figure in the landscape and print manipulation.

**Paula Mathewson - Landscape Visions.** Landscape photography, both experimental and traditional in both color and black and white.

For further details about this exhibition, contact the Caulfield Arts Complex on 524 3287.

**Caulfield Arts Complex, cnr Glen Eira and Hawthorn Rds, Caulfield. For exhibition times and details, call 524 3287.**

## 7th annual short story competition...

A prize of \$500 will be awarded to the winner of this competition.

- Closing date for entry is Friday, September 2, 1994.
- Only previously unpublished stories, which have not been prize winners in other competitions to be submitted.
- Manuscripts will not be returned but copyright will remain with the author.
- Manuscripts must not have author's name on.
- The winner will be notified and then announced in the Fellowship of Australian Writers Magazine.

Judges for this competition are:

**Margaret Cook, Graeme Kinross-Smith, Georgia Richter (1993 winner).**

No correspondence will be entered into with regard to the result.

**To enter:**

No form is necessary. Just write your name, address and telephone number on a separate sheet. Send your sheet and story to:

**Caulfield Festival Short Story Competition, P O Box 500, Caulfield South, 3162.**

Further information can be obtained from Catherine Cooper, phone 524 3406.

Entries will be accepted between July 19 and September 2, 1994.

## National Trust activities

### Friends of Rippon Lea

THE following *Lunching and Listening* events will be held 12.30pm in the ballroom, Rippon Lea Historic Home, Hotham St, Rippon Lea. Cost \$12. Bookings (at least one week ahead) to Joan Hare 9-10am, Monday to Friday on 523 8839 or Lynette Dobson on 555 8382.

**May 26** - Joan Saxton, creator of the Joan Saxton Speakers' Agency "On and Off the Record" - adventures in public speaking.

**June 23** - Richard Heathcote, property manager of Rippon Lea will discuss its romantic history.

**Late Afternoons at Labassa** ON Sunday, May 29, Labassa, 2 Manor Gve, Caulfield North, 10.30am-4.30pm will be open and will include a display *Mostly Antiques* - lace, furniture etc. Rare, interesting and unique pieces collected by Labassa Friends. Entry, adults \$6, children/concession \$4, family \$16.

**Concert Series 1994**

**May 29, 5.30pm - Music for Lute, a Renaissance Consort** - Geoffrey Hall, Victoria Watts, Rebecca Willis, Kylie Lee and Louis Atkinson will play music of the 17th century. Cost \$14.50, concession \$9.50.

For bookings and further details, call Gina Louis at Cadence on (053) 686 556.

## Awakening in dreams



Above: *Untitled*, etching by Carmella Grynberg.

CAULFIELD Arts Complex will hold an exhibition of works by Carmella Grynberg from June 8-19, 1994.

Most of the etchings in this exhibition relate to the exploration of the connections between poetry and visual imagination.

Although not realistic in style, the etchings, because of their connection to words, also form a narrative.

## Saxophones and clarinets

CAULFIELD Arts Complex, in conjunction with The Clarinet and Saxophone Society of Victoria present A Potpourri of Music for Saxophone and Clarinets featuring Graeme Shilton, Alto Saxophone, Judy Neutze, Bb and Eb Clarinet/Basset Horn,

Catherine McCorkill, Bb Clarinet/Basset Horn, Andrew Mitchell, Bass Clarinet/Basset Horn and Brachi Tilles, piano. This concert will see the premiere of Paul Sarcich's commissioned work for Alto Saxophone and three Clarinets.

This exciting performance will be held on Sunday, June 5, 3pm at the Caulfield Arts Complex, cnr Glen Eira and Hawthorn Rds, Caulfield.

For information, bookings and tickets, call 524 3287.

## Choir's first performance

CAULFIELD City Choir will present its first concert for the season on Saturday, June 4, 8pm at the Caulfield Arts Complex.

This promises to be an exciting presentation by the Choir. It will include varied and popular choral works, with supporting artists and fine orchestral accompaniment.

It will also be the Choir's first performance under the direction of their newly appointed conductor, musical director John Ferguson and their popular accompanist, Joan Shewan.

Further information can be obtained from the Choir secretary, Raewyn Cross, on 822 5154 or treasurer John Dunham on 551 5401.

## Linking cultures

AS part of a cultural program combining the talents of artists and musicians from both the former Soviet Union and Australians by birth, a concert will take place on May 22 at the Caulfield Arts Complex. Jointly organised by the Melbourne-based Jewish arts organisation Bezalel Arts and the Association Shalom, representing Jewish emigres from the former USSR. The concert is titled *Three Times Three*.

The invited performers are

Mikhail Solovey, Ilia Lin, Boris Guslitzer, Tamara Vasilevitsky, Nehama Patkin, Tania de Jong and Brett Kaye. A number of these musicians have performed internationally and they will present a varied program ensuring instrumental and vocal highlights.

For bookings and further information, contact Bezalel Arts on 570 9378 (b/h), 885 6839 (a/h) or fax 885 6957. Association Shalom on 646 2757 (b/h), 578 8896 or 509 9540 (a/h).

## Have you recently moved to Caulfield?

If so, contact the Council's Community Relations department on 524 3259 for a copy of our

**New Resident Kit**

which includes the 1994 Resource Guide.





# Artsfocus

## Balance in Nature A Multi Media group exhibition



Above: *Evening, Northern Domes, Lake Mungo*, by Jeff Rigby.

CAULFIELD Arts Complex, in conjunction with the Natural Law Party will hold a multi media group exhibition titled *Balance In Nature*, from May 11-22, 1994.

This exhibition is a celebration of Contemporary Australian Art, exploring themes of nature, harmony and balance. Including 20 well known Australian artists whose work is represented in state and national collections, as well as in Australia and private collections overseas.

Artists exhibiting include:

**Jeff Rigby**, a leading NSW realist landscape painter.  
**Clive Atkinson**, a well known Koorie artist and designer.  
**Greg Allen**, who is known for his strong and colorful work and is winner of several prestigious awards including the 1992 Alice Bale Award for his watercolor

painting.

**Susan Langley**, whose style is vibrant, colorful, her work is mainly in pastels and watercolors.

**Greg Mallyon**, works include multi-media collages and landscapes.

**Jill Del-Mace**, is well known for her theatrical painting style.

**Milan Todd**, an internationally acclaimed artist known for his vibrant bird paintings.

**Alvaro Castagnet**, the 1993 winner of the Alice Bale Award.

**Peter Latone**, a leading bronze sculptor.

**Hwa Rogers**, works reflects her passion about nature and Mother Earth.

**Julie Chamberlain**, a Sydney fabric artist and quilt designer.

**Cherry Tennant**, a pastel artist focussing on images from nature.

**Tricia Robertson**, who uses abstract colors.

**Sharon Rhodes**, an exciting young Bendigo artist.

**John Barcham**, a calligrapher who also paints seascapes and landscapes.

**Kathy Done**, a NSW artist who uses abstract themes.

**Rosemarie Bos**, a prize winning wildlife artist.

**Giselle Cant**, whose work depicts North American Indian themes.

**Reto Camenzind**, simple, graceful contemplative forms.

**Annie Errey**, a popular Sydney artist who uses abstract themes.

This exhibition will officially open on Friday, May 13, 6.30-8.30pm at the Caulfield Arts Complex, cnr Glen Eira and Hawthorn Rds, Caulfield. Admission \$5, includes music and refreshments.

## Surface, by Jacki Straude



Above: *Table*, mixed media by Jacki Straude.

JACKI Straude will hold an exhibition at the Caulfield Arts Complex titled *Surface*, from June 7-19, 1994.

*The focus on tables has been an opportunity to literally allow all sorts of things to surface. Steel for me works as a soft*

*malleable medium that solidifies all sorts of things, past, present and dreamy.*

*For this exhibition however, I've also used stone, cement, timber, glass and other materials as more expansive elements.* - Jacki Straude.

## Where the river runs into the sea

SINCE her last show at the Caulfield Arts Complex in 1989, Joan Rodriguez has been living on the Murray River.

This latest exhibition, which will run from May 25 to June 5, also at the Caulfield Arts Complex, tells of her contact with the river dwellers who form a fragile society along its thousands of kilometres. It tells of isolation, endurance and timelessness,

not the usual tourists view.

Joan first studied art at East Sydney Technical College and later in the 1970s at the Prahran College under Pam Hallendal.

She was an early member of the Ferntree Gully Art's Society where she regularly exhibited before moving near the sea.

**Right: *The First Steps in the Dark Lady*, Joan Rodriguez, drawing.**

## Queen of cups

Exhibition by Daniella Alberti

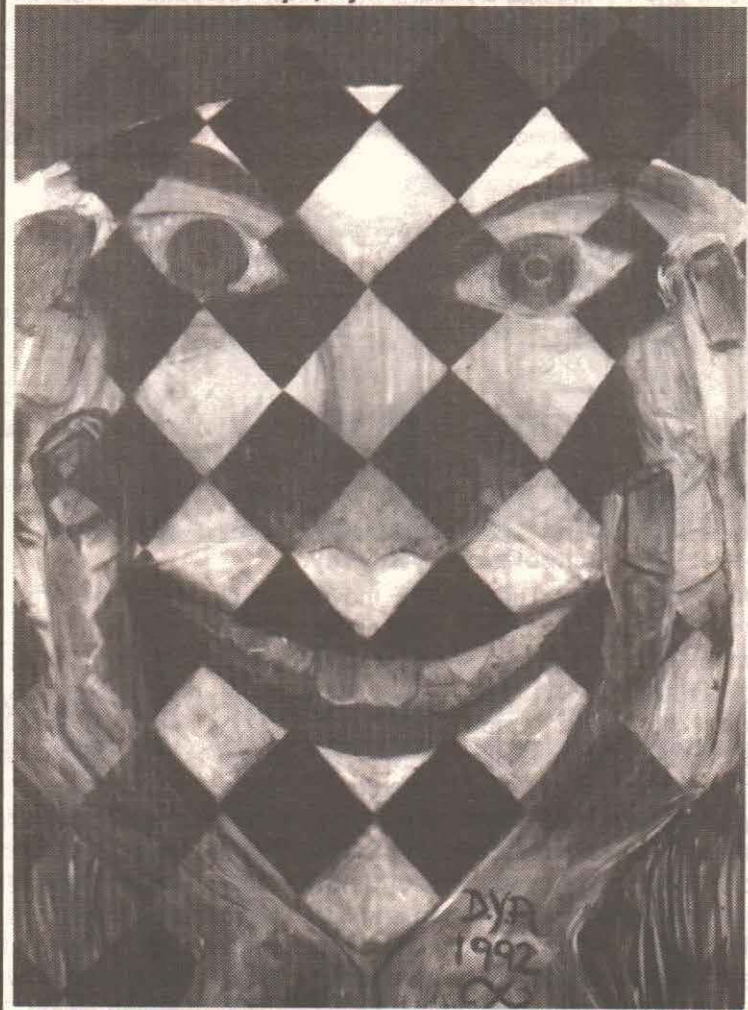
DANIELLA Alberti draws inspiration from many and varied sources. The most important of these include: the four elements, water, earth, air and fire, as well as the Tarot, religious symbology and life

figures.

Danielle invites the spectator to wander in to view her art and interpret it subjectively.

See this exciting exhibition at the Caulfield Arts Complex from May 25 to June 5, 1994.

Below: *Queen of Cups*, by Daniella Alberti.



## Parade of intimates

An exhibition of paintings and drawings by Sue Paton.



Above: Sue Paton will exhibit her works at the Caulfield Arts Complex from May 24 to June 5, 1994. Sue is a Melbourne artist who studied painting at the National Gallery Art School, RMIT. Her exhibition titled *Parade of Intimates*, will include paintings and drawings. Pictured is Sue with her painting titled *Chinese Table*.



## Arnold Mezdreis Paintings

ARNOLD Mezdreis will exhibit his paintings at the Caulfield Arts Complex from May 11-22, 1994.

Arnold was born in what he calls the *old country* and he believes he has always retained a certain affinity with its peculiarities and its past, especially now that it no longer has a daily influence on his life. His works based on his new home town, Melbourne, are drawn from his impressions of the city's charm and character.

Below: *Stable Street, Riga*, Arnold Mezdreis.





# Recreation & leisure



## Great things to do after school

**CAULFIELD** Recreation Centre offers fantastic activities for children to do after school. The Centre has a wide variety of programs catering for children aged 3-12.

present to offer assistance or coaching should it be required.

**Make Believe** - meets Mondays, 10.30am. This is for children aged two and a half to three and a half. It is a creative



Above: After school archery activity.

**Kidstuff** - meets Tuesdays, 4pm. Children are involved in a number of exciting activities such as trampolining, archery, sports, games and special events. Each week is different and great fun.

**Sports Club** - meets Fridays, 4.30pm. This is an ideal club for sports minded children who enjoy playing a variety of sports rather than just one or two specific ones. Sports offered include basketball, football, archery, orienteering, softball, cricket, gymnastics and more.

**Tramp Fun** - Fridays and Saturdays. For only \$3.20, bounce away for an hour on one of the Centre's in-ground trampolines. A supervisor is always

movement class which introduces children to the fundamentals of movement and posture in an imaginative and fun way.

**Basketball** - meets Saturdays. For just \$3 be coached by our resident basketball expert.

As well as these classes, the Centre also has jazz ballet for children aged five and over and gymnastics for children aged three and over. The gymnastic classes involve jumping, swinging, games, ball skills, obstacle courses and more.

To find out more information about these or any other programs, contact Bruce, Caroline, Steve or Maria on 524 3288.

## NETBALL TEAMS WANTED

Caulfield and District Netball Association (CDNA), which plays at the new Netball Complex, cnr North and Murrumbena Rds, Murrumbena, is seeking registrations for its forthcoming Saturday morning winter competition. Hurry! Registrations close soon. Please contact the Court Supervisor on 571 7083.

## ...SPORTS RESULTS...

### CAULFIELD & DISTRICT NETBALL ASSOC - WEDNESDAY NIGHT COMP.

TEAM	PENALTY	POINTS	%
<b>OPEN A</b>			
T-Birds	-	36	347.52
Bloods	-4/V	24	170.50
St Kilda/Sth Caulfield 1	-4V	16	95.15
2 Pot Screammers	-2C	12	64.16
Gems	-2C	4	41.52
N.F.I.	-6C/U	2	65.65
<b>OPEN B</b>			
Old Micheallians	-4U	24	161.90
Breakaway	-	24	122.22
Barracudas	-8C/V	20	147.85
Cannon Vets	-4C/V	12	81.87
St Kilda/Sth Caulfield 2	-	12	68.10
Zebras	-4M	4	71.26
<b>OPEN C</b>			
All Sorts	-	32	317.94
Jigsaw	-	24	213.46
Cocktails	-	16	92.94
Saints	-	8	40.45
Mixtures	-4V	4	45.07
Jewels	-16V/U/W	-12	30.28

## Entries double for local netball competition

IN only its second year, the Caulfield and District Netball Association Inc. (C&DNA) is delighted that close to 70 teams have joined the outdoor competition - almost doubling entries from the previous season.

Sixty five teams from the district have registered, including juniors through to open for the Saturday morning Winter and Wednesday evening Autumn competitions.

"We are thrilled that so many players are supporting our competition," said C&DNA honorary secretary, Janine Mayer. "Setting up a new competition takes a lot of hard work by many volunteers, so we believe the hard work is now starting to pay off."

The eight new outdoor courts, fully lit for night competition are conveniently located on the corner of Murrumbena and North Rds, Murrumbena.

All interested teams are

invited to contact the C&DNA regarding future day and night competitions. Phone 571 7083.

The Wednesday night Winter competition will commence in mid July.

## BOWLED OVER

**CAULFIELD South Bowls Club Inc.**, ladies section recently enjoyed a game of bowls and afternoon tea especially prepared by the men in appreciation of the work they had done throughout the year.

The invitation ladies fours, sponsored by the Caulfield South branch of the ANZ Bank, was won by Carnegie skipper, Lucy Cumin.

The April ladies triples, sponsored by LePine Funeral Services, was won by Caulfield South's Cath Bugden and team and runner-up Marg Watson of Alma.

Winter bowls have commenced on Wednesdays and Saturdays. Casual dress. Anyone interested should phone 596 2186.

New bowlers are welcome. Coaching available, phone 534 5510.

**ELSTERNWICK District Bowling Club** held its final Sunday bowls tournament on April 17. Winners were Geoff Cohen, Leon Goldman, Miriam Goldman and Ruth Eisner.

Solo luncheons will be held on May 12 and June 9, commencing 11am. Cost \$4.50 per head, includes lunch, afternoon tea and door prizes.

Solo will be held on May 14 and June 11, commencing 1pm. Cost \$2.50 per head, includes afternoon tea.

Indoor bowls will be held every Tuesday, commencing 1pm.

For further details, contact the Club on 528 1358.

## CONTACT DIARY CONT'D

### RECREATION

**Over 40s Dance Club Inc** hold a 60/40 dance every second and fourth Saturday of each month in the Uniting Church Hall, cnr North and Booran Rds, Ormond. Live band, cost \$6. For details phone 570 4564.

**Caulfield Over 50s Dance Group Inc.** holds weekly dances (mainly Old Time/New Vogue) in the Caulfield Arts Complex auditorium, City Hall on Mondays from 1-4pm. Tapes and live music alternate each week. Cost \$2, includes afternoon tea. Enquiries 578 5143.

**Senior Ladies Friendship Group** will meet on Thursday, May 12, 10am-12 noon, 185 Poath Rd, Hughesdale. Feeling lonely? Join with us for two hours of warm friendship. Morning tea and trading table, cost \$1. Also, a safety talk for drivers and pedestrians will be held at the May 26 meeting from 10am-12 noon at 99 Grange Rd, Glen Huntly. Morning tea, trading table, cost \$1. For enquiries contact Mavis on 579 2174 or Margaret on 596 6124.

**Early Planning for Retirement Group Caulfield Inc.** will hold the following activities for May and June:

**May 19 - Interest Meeting** - will be held 7.30pm, Gladys Machin Hall, Cedar St, Caulfield. Speaker, Ms Jan Doran who is legally blind will relate her experiences in coping with blindness. Visitors welcome. Visitors welcome. Supper served. Enquiries,

523 7051.

**May 25 - Travel Group** - will meet 7.45pm, Gladys Machin Hall, Cedar St, Caulfield. Len Dungan will show slides of Central and Northern Australia in the 1950s. Visitors welcome. Supper served. Enquiries, 571 3687.

**June 13 - Photography Group** - will meet 8pm, 1 St Georges Rd, Elsternwick. Subject - Exterior and interior of buildings. Visitors welcome. Supper served. Enquiries, 571 3687.

**June 14 - Walking Group** - will depart Caulfield City Hall, 9.30am. Walk will be around Dandenong Creek, Bayswater Park area. BYO food and drink. Visitors welcome. Enquiries, 528 5376.

**Golden Days Radio** have organised a Gold and Hole-in-One day on Sunday, May 15, commencing 12 noon at Packet Park, Leila Rd, Carnegie. Cost \$1 per person per game. Food and drink available. For further details, phone Florence Larsen on 569 6155.

**Princes' Table Tennis Centre**, 1068-1074 Dandenong Rd, Carnegie runs 30s Plus table tennis on Mondays and Thursdays, 10am-1pm. People with disabilities and new members welcome. For further details, contact Alex Joy, on 509 7132.

**Ormond Angling Club Inc.** meets every Wednesday, 8pm, 462-464 North Rd, Ormond. No joining fees. Trips arranged. Fishing - freshwater, estuary,

surf and bay. Interested visitors welcome. Videos, speakers and demonstrations are organised as needed. For enquiries, phone Peter Elliott on 578 9183.

### VOLUNTEERS

**Southern Citizen Advocacy** needs volunteers. Your ability to handle everyday matters would assist an adult with a disability to participate in community life. Short orientation program begins soon. For further details, contact Southern Citizen Advocacy on 576 0155.

**Do Care** needs volunteers to offer company and friendship to older people living in your area. If you are interested and have a spare hour a week, we would be pleased to hear from you. Orientation sessions are held monthly. Please phone 662 2044 for details.

**Foster Care South East** will hold training and information evenings for prospective foster parents on May 12, 19, 25 and June 2. For more information, phone Foster Care South East on 562 9966.

**Bethlehem Hospital Grief Line Service** seek volunteers to take part in the Bereavement Support Education Course. Twelve week education programs take place each year. Volunteers are trained to operate the 20 hour telephone counselling support service. For further details, contact the coordinator of Bereavement Services on 596 2853.







# Contactdiary

## CONTACT DIARY

Do you have an event coming up that you would like to publicise? This is the place to put it. Contact Diary is compiled monthly, so if you want to let the community know about your club, society or event, we'll be happy to include it on this page.

Let us know about your activities.

Contact Diary  
P O Box 42  
Caulfield South 3162



### CLASSES

**Caulfield Adult Literacy Group** has classes for those of you who missed out at school, or just need to go back over reading, writing, spelling or maths. Evening classes are available to take you back over the basic skills again. Cost \$10 per 10 weeks. Call Janeece on 532 8319 for details. Funded by ACFE.

### ENTERTAINMENT

**Music Lovers' Society** will present the 26th Ida Doubleday Bequest Recital on Saturday, May 28, 8pm at the Caulfield Arts Complex, cnr Glen Eira and Hawthorn Rds, Caulfield. The program will feature duo pianists Julie and Debbie Haskell, who will play works by Mozart, Ravel, Chua, Schubert and Faure. Cost, adults \$12, pensioner/student \$9, child (under 13) \$5, family tickets \$25. New members welcome. Enquiries, 571 0850.

### FETES & FAIRS

**Carnegie Primary School** will hold a car boot sale/mini fete on Saturday, May 14, 10am-2pm.

Site bookings \$10. Attractions include jumping castle, white elephant stall, cake stall, devonshire teas and sausage sizzle. Enquiries, 572 1403, 571 0215.

**Leibler Yavneh College** will hold a 'Monster Fete' on Sunday, May 29, 10am-4pm at Caulfield Park, cnr Balaclava and Hawthorn Rds, Caulfield. Stalls include: trash and treasure, plants, cakes, samples and seconds, books, gifts, new and used clothing, toys, groceries, arts and crafts. Attractions include: Thomas the Tank, 11am, Bart Simpson shows, 11.30am, Hayley's Puppet Show, 12 noon, Tony Bartuccio Dancers, 2pm, football clinic, basketball clinic, Karaoke, abseiling, giant slide, pony rides, animal farm. Refreshments available.

### MEETINGS

**Murrumbene Branch of the Country Women's Association of Victoria Inc** meet on every Tuesday, 10am-2pm at the Hughesdale Community Hall, cnr Poath and Kangaroo Rds, Hughesdale. Visitors wel-

come. Enquiries, 544 4480.

**Sole Parents Group** for parents who have had some time in the workforce, meets regularly in Caulfield to offer mutual support and to discuss topics of interest. For more details, phone 524 3311.

**Caulfield Bicycle Users Group** meets 8pm on the fourth Tuesday of every month at the Glen Huntly Neighbourhood House, 1213 Glen Huntly Rd, Glen Huntly. Also a family fun ride on the fourth Sunday of every month meets 9am at Caulfield Station (Railway Ave exit), for easy *Mystery Ride*. For further details, contact Ursula Fiek on 578 9805.

**Neighbourhood Watch Area C4**, (bounded by Alma Rd, Inkerman Rd, Kooyong Rd and Orrong Rd), hold bi-monthly meetings at 259 Alma Rd, North Caulfield. For enquiries, contact Merv Maple, on 527 7496.

**Neighbourhood Watch Area C9** will next meet on Wednesday, May 11 and June 8, 7.30pm in the committee room, Caulfield City Hall, cnr Glen Eira and Hawthorn Rds, Caulfield.

**Neighbourhood Watch Area C46** meet on the first Monday of each month, 7.30pm at the South Caulfield Primary School, cnr Poplar and Olive Sts, South Caulfield. Next meeting will be held on June 6. Everyone is welcome.

**Neighbourhood Watch Area C49** (bounded by Clarence St, College St, Begonia Rd, North Rd and Kooyong Rd) will hold its AGM on Tuesday, May 31, 7.30pm in the Uniting Church Hall, cnr Jupiter St and Kooyong Rd, Caulfield.

**Neighbourhood Watch Area C64** will hold its next day meeting on Monday, June 6, 2pm and its next night meeting on Monday, May 16, 7.30pm. Both meetings will be held at 40 MacGowan Ave, Glen Huntly. All residents welcome. Smoke free environment.

**Neighbourhood Watch Area C120** will hold its next meeting on Monday, June 6, 7.30pm, in the committee room, Caulfield

City Hall. Everyone welcome. **Neighbourhood Watch Area C69** will now hold their meetings on the second Monday of each month, 7.30pm at the Murrumbene Park Bowling Club. For further information, contact area coordinator Nicole Larsen on 569 6155.

**Neighbourhood Watch Area C70**, (bounded by Alma Rd, Balaclava Rd, Kooyong Rd and Hawthorn Rd) meets on the second Monday of each month, 7.30pm at St Stephen's Church Hall, Balaclava Rd, Caulfield. Next meeting will be on June 13.

**Neighbourhood Watch Area C71** will hold its next meeting on Monday, June 13, 8pm at 31 Prahran Gve, Elsternwick. For enquiries, contact Nola Baker on 523 9861.

**Neighbourhood Watch Area C82** will hold its next meeting on Monday, May 30, 7.30pm at the Church of Christ Hall, Bambra Rd, Caulfield South.

**Neighbourhood Watch Area C113/114** (bounded by Hotham St, Glen Huntly Rd, Orrong Rd and Inkerman Rd) meet on the last Tuesday of each month, 7.30pm in the *big room*, first floor behind the front building, Caulfield Grammar School. The next meeting will be held on May 31. Everyone is welcome. For details, phone 527 6927.

**Oaks Toastmasters** meet on the first and third Wednesday evening of each month to develop their communication skills. The atmosphere is friendly. Interested men and women welcome. For further information, please phone 853 6180.

**View Club - Caulfield Day Group** is a small friendly group needing members to enjoy lunch and speaker. Get togethers are held on the second Monday of each month. The group also helps the Smith Family. Venue handy for ladies in the Caulfield, Malvern, Armadale and East St Kilda areas. Phone Maggie for further details on 824 7831.

**Caulfield Branch of the Victorian Gas Association** will meet on Tuesday, May 24,

1.30pm in the committee room, Caulfield City Hall. The group will celebrate its birthday and there will be entertainment by Evelyn and Richard. Members please bring a plate. New members welcome. Annual subscription \$3. Enquiries M Murdoch, 557 2254.

**New Ormond Auxiliary for the Alfred Hospital** will meet on Monday, May 23, 10.30am in the Uniting Church Hall, cnr North and Booran Rds, Ormond. The Auxiliary is looking for new members to help raise money for equipment for the hospital. For details, phone Eveline Moir on 578 1721.

**Royal Children's Hospital Caulfield Auxiliary** will hold a card luncheon on Wednesday, May 18, commencing 11.30am in the Councillor's reception room, Caulfield City Hall. Donation \$6. For bookings, contact D Ford, 568 0215, J Patience, 528 6616, M Grace, 571 4235.

**Chadstone Branch of the Country Women's Association of Victoria** holds meetings on the first Monday of each month, 1pm in the Uniting Church Hall, Alma Rd, East Malvern. Craft days are held on the second Monday of each month, commencing 10am. New members welcome. Enquiries, 571 4753.

**Caulfield Self Help Group of the Arthritis Foundation of Victoria** will meet on Monday, May 23, 10.15am at 259 Kooyong Rd, Elsternwick. Visitors welcome. Enquiries, 570 4971.

### OPEN DAYS

**Shelford Anglican Girls' School**, 3 Hood Cres, Caulfield will hold an open day on Sunday, May 15, 11am-4pm. You will have the opportunity to meet students and staff, tour the school, including the new junior school and view some of the student's work. The new computer facilities will also be open. For enquiries, phone 528 5329.

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