

GREENWAYS GAZETTE

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Dear Residents,

Spring has Sprung!- As the chill of winter begins to fade, we welcome the longer, sunnier days of **Spring!** It's the perfect time to get outdoors, enjoy the garden, and soak up some much needed vitamin D. We hope this new season brings fresh energy and joy to everyone in our community.

Free Online Learning- Looking to pick up new skills or brush up on your tech knowledge? Visit <https://beconnected.esafety.gov.au> for a free online learning resource designed especially for older Australians. From using smartphones to staying safe online, there's something for everyone!

Defibrillator Relocated- For everyone's safety, please note that the **defibrillator is now located in the apartment hallway at the Unit 29 end.** We encourage all residents to familiarise themselves with its location; you never know when it might help save a life.

Upcoming Bingo Event- Mark your calendars! On **Wednesday, 18th September at 1:30 PM, Seaford Dental** will be hosting a **FREE Bingo Event** in our restaurant. Expect a fun-filled afternoon with a **professional caller** and a variety of exciting **prizes**. All are welcome so come along and join the fun!

Father's Day BBQ - In honour of Father's Day, you are invited to a **FREE BBQ** hosted by Lee and Darren on the **10th of September**. **BYO drinks. BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL.**

Power Saving Bonus - Help is On the Way- Great news for pensioners! We've arranged for an **Electorate Officer** to visit our village on **Wednesday, 24th September from 10:00 AM to 12:00 noon**. They'll assist residents in applying for the **\$100 Power Saving Bonus**. Be sure to bring the required documents (ID, energy bill, etc.) to make the process smooth. **BOOK NOW.**

Please note the **office will be closed on Friday, 26th September in observance of Grand Final Day**. We hope you enjoy the long weekend and the footy!

Dining & Catering- Mark your calendars: **Thursday 11th** - Birthday roast pork & birthday cake.

Tuesday 23rd - Fish (whiting) with chips + salad. Apple pie.

Don't forget to claim your free meal provision for September and October!

Garden & Maintenance Updates -

Grease trap emptied in restaurant. Grounds maintenance is ongoing, with a current focus on weeding to maintain the aesthetic and safety of the landscape. Clotheslines have been re-strung and are now fully operational. Small trees and plants that were removed during renovations have been successfully relocated to other areas.

Housekeeping - Please do not dump household items in the bin areas.

Recently we have found doonas, blankets, numerous pots and other items in the bin area near the maintenance shed.

Events & Activities-

Congratulations to our **footy tip winners**, with **Ron Parton** taking **first** place followed by **equal seconds Steve** (builder) & **Damien** (Plumber)!

2nd - RSL Lunch
5th - Morning Melodies
10th - FREE BBQ in honour of Father's Day. BYO drinks.
11th - Monthly Birthday Roast
17th - Residents' Outing to Caldermeade Farm, includes lunch, tea/coffee & tour
17th - Seafood van
18th - FREE Bingo Event
23rd - Restaurant open
24th - Bunnings trip, Power Saving Bonus Help and Entertainer
27th - Grand Final Day

Please refer to the calendar for full event details.

Health & Wellbeing- FALLS PENDANT

A MEPACS waterproof **pendant** with a built-in **fall's detection sensor** is now available for \$140. It is worn around your neck like the current pendant. While it is designed to detect 'falls; it may not detect every type of incident & as such you are still encouraged, where possible, to press the pendant.

AGM- You are warmly invited to attend the upcoming **Annual General Meeting (AGM) on Monday 22nd September @ 2.00pm** in the restaurant. This is your opportunity to stay informed about community developments and help shape the future of our community. Your presence is valuable. The **AGM** is not just a formality; it's a key part of how we work together to maintain and improve the place we all call home. A **new committee will be elected** and **nomination forms are now available** from our office.

A Quick Trip Away- I'll be heading overseas for a couple of weeks but will be back in time for our **Annual General Meeting (AGM)**.

Warmest regards, Cherie, Sandra, Cath, Lou, Darren, Aaden, Lee, Sharon and Jules.

President's Report

As we move through August and into September, it's becoming clear that everyone is getting the hang of where events are held. While the walk to the dining room may be a little longer, we've still had great attendance, and it's wonderful to see the community coming together.

Looking ahead, some future events, such as our Cup Day celebration in November, may have limited seating due to space. *Fashions on the Field* and the event will be a BYO affair, so please bring your own plates, cutlery, etc. The bar will be open, and we'll be running sweeps with \$2 per horse.

Unfortunately, Trivia Night has been postponed. A new date will be announced soon.

Upcoming Dates to Remember:

- Next Committee Meetings: 8th September and 13th October
- AGM: 22nd September
- Alicia O'Brien (catered event): 24th September. Please book in!

With the footy season now wrapped up, we hope your team made it into the Top 8! The AFL finals will be broadcast on the TV in the dining room, so bring your own drinks, enjoy the bar, and get ready for Sweeps.

Go Cats!

Jan



Birthday roast lunches are on the 2nd THURSDAY of each month.

11th September

We have **2** milestone birthdays this month.

7th - Pauline

8th - Sandra

10th - Doug

12th - Suzanne

13th - Patricia and Miriam

19th - Bruce

24th - Cherie

28th - Sheila

Everyone welcome

Bring family &/or friends.

FREE if it's your birthday!

MOVIES

11th September
'THE SALT PATH'

Drama.

A couple lose their home and later discover the husband has been diagnosed with a terminal illness as they embark on a year long coastal trek.

Rated M.

25th September
'THE CORRESPONDENT'

Based on a true story.

Award-winning journalist Peter Greste reports on the Arab Spring uprising, becoming entangled in a deadly game of rivalries.

Imprisoned for 7 years despite his innocence, he survives on wits alone before release in 2015.

Rated M.

The Green Door Op Shop



Trading Hours

Mondays 3.00pm to 4.00pm

Thursdays 11.00am to
12.00pm

Residents Sundays

**BBQ every Sunday
except**

**Reddy Roast last
Sunday of the month**

Rotunda (outside
recreation room).

Library

Closed during renovations

Stamps

Patricia would like to thank everyone for the stamps and has asked that everyone keep up the donations.

MEPACS Alarm Check

Please remember to check your alarms on the 5th of every month...AND please wear your pendant.

It could save your life!

After hours emergency

Call 0492 870 723

Dianne wishes to pass on a big thank you from **Lisa's Lacies**. There has been a great response to the request for bra donations, and Lisa's Lacies are most appreciative of our efforts.

**Donations are still
most welcome!**

Risk Management

The committee meets bi-monthly on the **2nd Wednesday**. The next meeting will be held on **8th October**. Please let the Risk Management Committee know if you have any non-urgent safety concerns in your common areas. Our aim is to keep our village safe for everyone.

Village Security

Sometimes we may see something in the Village that doesn't look quite right, an uninvited person or someone who makes you feel uncomfortable, please call the police:

- 000 (emergency)
- 131 444 (non-urgent)

Rotunda near unit 75

Please make bookings
directly with
Rod










RESTAURANT

Thursday 11th


Roast birthday lunch

Tuesday 23rd

Fish (whiting) with chips
and salad

DATE	DAY	ACTIVITY	AREA	TIME	COST
2 nd	Tuesday	Frankston RSL lunch. Please book ASAP.	Bus	11.45am	\$3.50
4 th	Thursday	Bus Carrum Downs shops. 	Bus	9.30am	\$3.50
4 th	Thursday	Bingo 	Restaurant	1.30pm	\$1 per book
5 th	Friday	Morning Melodies- Two Grands, Four Hands. FULLY BOOKED.	Bus Ticket	9.30am	\$3.50 \$22.00
8 th	Monday	Committee Meeting	Restaurant	1.30pm	
10 th	Wednesday	FREE BBQ in honour of Fathers Day , at the Bowling Green Clubhouse. Hosted by Darren & Lee. BYO: Drinks. BOOK NOW.	Bowling Green	12.00pm	FREE
11 th	Thursday	Bus Carrum Downs shops. 	Bus	9.30am	\$3.50
11 th	Thursday	BIRTHDAY ROAST. All welcome. 2 courses \$18.50. Book by 8 th . 	Restaurant	12.00pm	FREE on your birthday
11 th	Thursday	MOVIE: 'THE SALT PATH' . Drama. A couple lose their home and later discover the husband has been diagnosed with a terminal illness as they embark on a year-long coastal trek. Rated M. 	Restaurant	2.00pm	\$1.50 ice-cream
17 th	Wednesday	Residents Outing to Caldermeade Farm including lunch	Bus Lunch & tour	10.30am	\$10 \$45
17 th	Wednesday	Craft Group - Bring along whatever you are working on,EG:sewing, embroidery, quilting/patchworkers.	Restaurant	10.00am	
17 th	Wednesday	Seafood Van.	Car Park	11.30am	
18 th	Thursday	Bus Karingal 	Bus	9.30am	\$4.50
18 th	Thursday	FREE Bingo Event hosted by Seaford Dental. BOOK NOW. 	Restaurant	1.30pm	FREE
22 nd	Monday	AGM - All welcome	Restaurant	2.00pm	
23 rd	Tuesday	Restaurant open for lunch.Fish (whiting) with chips & salad. Apple pie. 2 courses \$18.50. Book by 19th.	Restaurant	12.00pm	\$18.50 for 2 courses
24 th	Wednesday	Bunnings Drop off 9am. Pick up 10-10.15am 	Bus	8.45am	\$3.50
24 th	Wednesday	Power Saving Bonus - Help is on the way	Restaurant	10am-12pm	Free
24 th	Wednesday	Entertainer A refined afternoon tea will be served, with exceptional entertainment provided by the talented Alicia O'Brien.	Restaurant	2.00pm	\$15.00
25 th	Thursday	Bus Carrum Downs shops. 	Bus	9.30am	\$3.50



25 th	Thursday	'THE CORRESPONDENT' Based on a true story. Award-winning journalist Peter Greste reports on the Arab Spring uprising, becoming entangled in a deadly game of rivalries. Imprisoned for 7 years despite his innocence, he survives on wits alone before release in 2015. Rated M.	Restaurant 	2.00pm	\$1.50 Ice-cream
26 th	Friday	PUBLIC HOLIDAY OFFICE CLOSED			
27 th	Saturday	GRAND FINAL on TV in restaurant			
October 2025 Upcoming Events					
13 th		Committee Meeting			
15 th		Residents outing			
18 th		OPEN DAY			
22 nd		Seniors Month - Entertainer performing followed by afternoon tea			

Greenways Weekly Activities				
Rummikub + Scabble	Monday	Restaurant	2pm	Free
Tai Chi	Tuesday	Restaurant	9.10am	\$5.00
Drop In	Tuesday	Restaurant	2pm	\$1.00
Card Games	Tuesday	Restaurant	7pm	Free
Exercise Class	Thursday	Restaurant	9.10am	\$5.00
Indoor Bowls	Cancelled during renovations			
Happy Hour	Friday	Restaurant	4.30 pm	\$2.00 Wine + BYO Beer
Lawn Bowls	Weekends	Bowling Green	1.30 pm	Free
Mahjong	Saturday	Restaurant	9.50am	Free
Greenways Village - Services				
Doctor Wynn Zaw	Wednesdays Weekly	Consult Room	9am-1pm	Bulk Billed. Book at our office
Pathology Jenny or Vic	Thursdays Weekly	In home	From 9.00am	Bulk Billed. Book at our office
Prescriptions Direct Chemist	Mon, Wed, Thurs & Fri	Unit 29		Collection/drop off at office
Beauty Therapist Mishelle	Tuesdays Fortnightly	Consult Room	By Appointment	Call Mishelle
Hairdresser Jan	Thursdays Weekly	Consult Room	By Appointment	Call Jan





FRANKSTON AGED CARE COMMUNITY EXPO



Wednesday
17th Sept 2025
10 am - 1 pm



Frankston RSL
183 Cranbourne Rd, Frankston



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for the first 100 people
thanks to Sai Home &
Community Care

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