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Deadline for August 2017 Newsletter - 6th August

From the Committee

Membership fees are due on 1st July 2017 which will take your membership to 30th June 2018.

Fees are still \$25 per annum which has not increased since our formation and is one of the lowest of all U3A'S.

We are having a meeting on Thursday June 22nd at the RSL hall 10.00 am.

We will have an EFTPOS facility available at the meeting.

You must be financial to participate in any of our groups.

Our guest speaker will be Andrew Thomas a professional photographer. Andrew has published a book on the National Parks of the United States of which there are 59. Andrew and his partner Debbie have visited all of them and compiled a beautiful photographic record in the form of a book. Andrew will explain the numerous trips to compile the book and show a selection of his magnificent photos. This is a must see.

RSVP BY 16TH June. Light refreshments will be served at the conclusion.

We are currently looking at introducing new short courses and expressions of interest will be available at the meeting.

Our AGM is held in September please give some thought to joining the committee and take part in the running of your U3A.

Seniors event is on again in October with free travel from the 8th-15th. We are planning an event, full details of which will be released closer to the date.

Now that winter is upon us it is very easy to hibernate and isolate ourselves. It is most important to get social contact during these cold winter months. Our venues are warm and dry and the friendship especially warm. Maybe do a couple of extra things like see a movie or do a short course, go dancing, do Yoga, play Scrabble or Mahjong,

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Photography

Ulrich Babst is our photographer, when he snaps your photo it may be included in the newsletter or appear on the Web Site, if you do not want this please advise Ulrich or hide until he leaves.

COMMITTEE

PresidentDoug McCallum

Vice President..... Geoff Parsons

SecretaryBill Morrison

Treasurer Andrew Cossenias

Members.....Helen Cossenias, Sue Cleveland, Adele Morrison, Paul Ford, Earl Ingleby

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play table tennis, cards or go walking. Look through the groups available and see the range of things to keep you occupied over winter. Not all of us can move to warmer climates for the duration but we can keep warm with the company of others and the friendship of other members.

There are now 56 country and 50 metropolitan U3A'S in Victoria with total membership 35,543 so we must be doing something right. Accommodation is the single most pressing problem for most U3A'S with many not having offices or premises of their own.

Activities Australia is very keen on establishing choirs and believe the benefits are very worthwhile for all participants. If you are interested in forming a choir, U3A have an agreement with Activities Australia and we may be eligible for grant money to help.

Do you have a special interest, hobby or skill that can be shared with other members? It does not have to be something ongoing it could be a once off or short course.

Expressions of interest will be sought at the Meeting June 22nd for a short course on Interpreting your dreams. Everyone has dreams and their meanings are sometimes a mystery Russell has been studying their meanings for decades.
Times and dates will be worked out once we have numbers.

If you wish to offer an activity please contact Bill to organise venue etc.

Change of time and venue Ballroom Dancing.

As from June 20th the Ballroom Dancing group will relocate to the Creswick Town Hall.

Time will change to 11.00 am -1.00 pm. The Town Hall has a very nice floor and the time is a bit more civilised.

Why not put this on your list for next term and give it a try.

They are a very happy lot and the exercise will do you good.



U3A Name Tags: Members are asked to wear their Name Tags to all U3A activities. To help facilitate members getting to know one another and a proof of financial membership. In the interests of safety please fill in the I.C.E (In Case of Emergency) form supplied.

U3A Committee Meetings: Are held on the 4th Thursday of each month from 3.30 p.m. – 5.00 p.m. sharp ! At the Creswick Neighbourhood Centre. Members are welcome to attend.

Newsletter Contributions: Are always very welcome. We would love to share in the travels of members who have been lucky (or wise) enough to travel during the winter months, Photos welcome. Send to P.O. Box or Email.

Code Red: On "Code Red" Days, all U3A activities are cancelled.
In the case of a U3A General Meeting contact U3A by mobile or Email.

Payment of Fees by Direct Deposit:

We are pleased to see members are using this convenient method of payment. The Bendigo Bank staff will assist you if needed. Just fill in a payment form which will go directly into the U3A Creswick Bank Account. Make sure **your NAME** is in the reference panel.

Deposit directly to: Bendigo Bank BSB 633 000 Account No. 137 271 003

Important Notice to All Members of "U3A Creswick & District Inc."

The New Policies and Procedures set out by U3A NETWORK require each member to fill in a new Membership Form, supplying accurate (legible) information required for GRANTS, U3A NETWORK, etc.

All New and Renewing Members are required to complete this Form. returning it with their Fees (\$25 - 1st July 2017 - 30th June 2018)



I heard a nice story about a group of boys who went to school together

They decided to have a reunion every 10 years and they needed to decide on a venue

In the year they all turned 30 they decided to go to the Ocean View Restaurant because it was all you could eat for \$30

For their 40th year they decided to go to the Ocean View Restaurant because the waitresses were pretty

At 50th they decided in the Ocean View Restaurant because it had a good wine list

In their 60th year they went to the Ocean View Restaurant because it had nice views

When they turned 70th they went to the Ocean View Restaurant because it had ramps to accommodate wheelchairs

In their 80th year they decided to go to the Ocean View Restaurant - although they had not been there before they had heard good things about it

Important- Please read and keep for reference.

“Creswick & District U3A Inc.”

Creswick & District U3A do not have an office at this time.

Contact is made by- Mobile phone- 0459 981 066

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Committee members and Tutors are happy to receive your enquiries.

Membership Fees.

\$ 5. 00 Administration Fee (once only) is paid by all New Members.

\$25.00 Annual Membership Fee is for the period from 1st July- 30th June each year.

\$15.00 Half year – From 1st January each year.

\$10.00 Associate Member. (Being a current full member of another U3A.)

A General Meeting is held in June each year for Renewal of Membership Fees.

Fees and other monies can be paid at the meeting or by-

Direct Deposit at the Bendigo Bank BSB 633 000 Account Number 137 271 003

By Post- P.O. Box 434. CRESWICK 3363 or paid to a Committee Member.

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New Members are accepted and new Name Tags are ordered at Committee Meetings.

NAME TAGS are requested to be worn at all U3A activities.

Please fill in your emergency medical details on the I.C.E (In Case of Emergency.) card.

Bring your name tag with you. Some members leave Name Tags in the Glove Box for easy access.

NEWSLETTER is distributed by –

Email. Printed in colour. Also available on the website-www.creswicku3a.com

if you have an Email address, all updates/information will be forwarded to your Email as received.

POST. Printed in black and white. Please allow a week for postal delivery.

You may have a friend who has Email access, happy to pass on any distributed information to you.

Or we can link you up with a member who has Email access.

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Class Co Ordinator- Sue Cleveland. 0407 825 628 sue.cleveland@bigpond.com

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Webmaster- Earl Ingleby. 0447 617 570 earl@earlssite.com

Office Bearers - President: Doug McCallum. Vice President: Geoff Parsons.

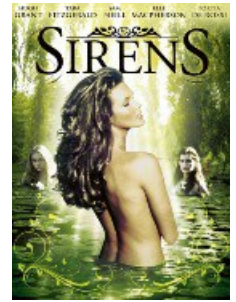
Secretary: Bill Morrison. Treasurer: Andrew Cossen.

U3A Creswick Exploring World Cinema program for May June, July 2017

Sirens: July 6th

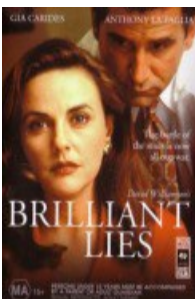
The film, set between the wars, is seen mostly through the eyes of a shy Anglican clergyman named Anthony Campion (Hugh Grant), who has been asked by his bishop to look in on Norman Lindsay during a visit to Australia. The painter is rumored to have painted a blasphemous portrait, and the bishop hopes perhaps a word to the wise will prevent a scandal.

Campion and his wife Estella (Tara Fitzgerald) arrive at the painter's sprawling estate to find a warm welcome, a guest cottage of their own, and a very gradual seduction process under way.



The Discreet Charm of the Bourgeoisie: July 13th

is a 1972 surrealist film directed by Luis Buñuel[1] and written by Jean-Claude Carrière in collaboration with the director.[2] The film was made in France and is mainly in French, with some dialogue in Spanish. The narrative concerns a group of upper middle class people attempting - despite continual interruptions - to dine together. The film received the Academy Award for Best Foreign Language Film and a nomination for Best Original Screenplay.

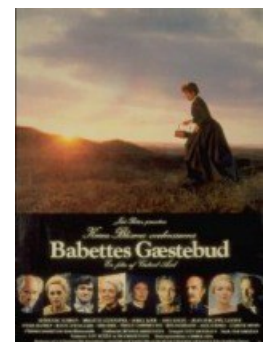


BRILLIANT LIES: August 3rd

is a 1996 Australian drama film produced by Bayside Pictures and Beyond Films. It stars Gia Carides and Anthony LaPaglia. It was directed by Richard Franklin and produced by Sue Farrelly, Kim McKillop and Richard Franklin. It was written by Peter Fitzpatrick and Richard Franklin, based on a play by David Williamson. Nerida Tyson-Chew composed the music score, the second time she had composed for a film directed by Richard Franklin (after Hotel Sorrento). The film was an adaptation of David Williamson's play of the same name, published by Currency Press in 1993. The theme song is included on Kate Ceberano's 1996 album Blue Box.

BARBETTS FEAST: August 10th

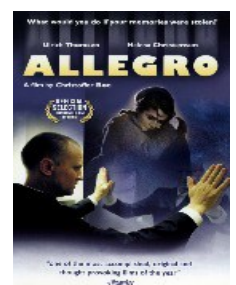
(Danish: Babettes gæstebud) is a 1987 Danish drama film directed by Gabriel Axel. The film's screenplay was written by Axel based on the story by Isak Dinesen (Karen Blixen). Produced by Just Betzer, Bo Christensen, and Benni Korzen with funding from the Danish Film Institute, Babettes Feast was the first Danish cinema film of a Blixen story. It was also the first Danish film to win the Academy Award for Best Foreign Language Film. The film premiered in the Un Certain Regard section of the 1987 Cannes Film Festival.



THE INTERVIEW: September 7th

The Interview is a 1998 Australian thriller film from writer-director Craig Monahan, and is the first of two films directed by Monahan. Almost the entire film takes place in a police interrogation room, with some short flashback sequences, and the cast consists primarily of three key actors—Hugo Weaving, Tony Martin, and Aaron Jeffery.

ALLEGRO: September 14th is a 2005 Danish film directed by Christoffer Boe, who also wrote the screenplay together with Mikael Wulff. It is Christoffer Boe's second film as a director. It features Ulrich Thomsen and former model Helena Christensen. *I know very little about this film, I can find no evidence that it was released in Australia as a movie, It was however released as a DVD. All I can say is that I loved the music, the strange love story and the great film work, Well worth seeing!*



Creswick Neighbourhood House 1st and 2nd Thursday each month



DATES TO REMEMBER

June 2017

22nd Meeting at the RSL—Guest Speaker plus refreshments

July 2017

1st - Leisurely Lunch - The Wallace Hotel, Wallace

6th - Exploring World Cinema

13th - Exploring World Cinema

August 2017

3rd - Exploring World Cinema

5th - Talbot Provedore (new owners), Talbot

10th - Exploring World Cinema



September 2017

2nd - Leisurely Lunch - Five Flags Hotel, Campbell Creek Castlemaine

7th - Exploring World Cinema

14th - Exploring World Cinema

October 2017

1st - 31st - Seniors Festival

5th - Exploring World Cinema

7th - Leisurely Lunch - Ripples on the Res Maryborough

12th - Exploring World Cinema

November 2017

2th - Exploring World Cinema

4th - Leisurely Lunch - Quoin Hill Winery by request.

9th - Exploring World Cinema

December 2017

2nd - Xmas BBQ

7th - Exploring World Cinema

14th - Exploring World Cinema



Leisurely Lunch venues may occasionally change due to

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Established in 2009

Office use only.

Receipt.....

Membership.

Number.....

Application for Membership or Renewal of Membership.

Administration Fee - \$ 5.00 (New Member only)

Membership Fee - \$ 25.00 (Annual)

*Associate Member-. \$ 10.00 (Annual)

(* being a current Full Member of another U3A)

Annual Membership is for the period from **1st JULY – 30th JUNE EACH YEAR.**

Surname First Name

Addresspost code.....

Email address..... P.O.Box

Preferred mailing address

Home phone..... Mobile

Emergency contact details

Would you like your Newsletter sent by post ? or Email?

The following information is required to support funding applications.

Please circle your age bracket: 50-55 56-63 64-70 71-75 76-80 81-90 91+

Previous Employment / Skills.....

How did you learn about U3A ?

What type of activity are you interested in ?

..... suggestions for future activities?

Would you like to offer a subject as a future activity?

() I give my permission to use any photograph/image, in which I may appear, for the newsletter , advertising and/or publicity purposes. or

() I decline my permission to use my photograph/image for any purpose without my consent.

I apply for membership of U3A Creswick & District Inc. and agree to abide by the Rules, Policies and Procedures of U3A Creswick & District Inc. for the time my membership is current.

(Manual is available in Hard Copy or on the Website - www.creswicku3a.com)

SIGNED: DATE

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