

ACTIVITIES, OUTINGS & SPEAKERS

Unless otherwise stated, all lunches are:- 12 for 12.30pm.

For Outings information call Linda (6293 1113)

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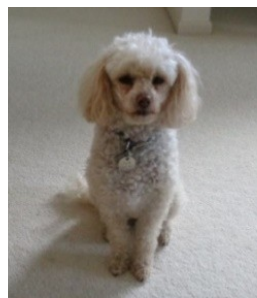
UNABLE TO ATTEND THE MEETING:- call Louise – 6231 4869

21 September	Friendship Lunch - Deakin Club - \$40
11 October	Lake cruise and lunch – cruise \$15
28 October	6 day Linga Longa tour (organised by Conder-Lanyon)
15 November	Morning tea at Oak Vale Gardens at 10.30am
11 December	Christmas Party – Chisholm Club - \$22
SPEAKERS	
September	Kate Lehmensich – “My Health Report”
October	Kurt Barnett – honeysmith
November	John Jervis – early convict stockade at Goulburn
January	Dr Brad Tucker – Australian Space Agency
February	Jan Morgan - Volunteer from the Arboretum
March	TBA
April	Peter Gorton – motor cars of the future
May	Tim Mather - Climbing Mt. Kilimanjaro
June	Stephen Munro - Peopling Of Australia



ELLA'S AMAZING FACTS:

- *A group of cockroaches is called a consortium of cockroaches.
- *You burn 7% more calories walking on hard earth compared to pavement.
- *Pink has been shown to have a calming effect; the paler the pink the more calming it is, but pinks closer to red have the opposite effect.



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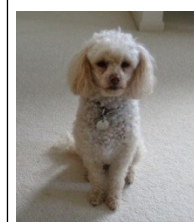
Meet on the 3rd Tuesday of each month

Town Centre Sports Club,

Athllon Drive, Tuggeranong - 10am start.

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Hello Everyone, I know that some of you are ill, I want you all to know that we are thinking of you. Please let us know if there is anything we can do to help you in any way. Best wishes for a speedy recovery.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Margaret Anderson, Michael Brown and Cec Hill.



Guest Speaker. The guest speaker for the August meeting was Chris Franks. Chris has spent 35 years as a volunteer in the international aid and development sector. Her talk posed the question “International Aid, or Look After Ourselves? Why not do both”.

She outlined the reasons for international aid and the benefits that it provided for both the recipients and the providers. She provided a range of statistics showing how much Australia donated compared with other countries, and how the funds were distributed. Not surprisingly, most of the funds go to the Indo Pacific region.

She summarised her talk by saying:



“ - We spend over 99% of our budget on Australian health care education, defence, infrastructure, drought & bushfire relief and more but still have major long term problems that are complex and require us to work hard and smart to fix them - spending every last cent of the budget is very unlikely to make any impact on solving them in the short term.

- A tiny share of our budget does make a huge impact overseas and brings benefit to Australia in greater proportions so Yes - We can definitely

do both!”

Chris is shown above delivering her talk.

A vote of thanks was given by John Payne.

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After 3 years of providing guest speakers, our friend Tessa Kenehan has decided to take a well-earned break. She has done a wonderful job and provided a wide range of speakers that have been interesting and humorous. I am sure that we are all grateful for the entertainment she has provided. Thanks Tessa.

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John Payne has offered to fill the position of Speaker Seeker, an offer that the committee has gratefully accepted. You can see the details of the speakers that have been arranged by Tessa and John on the Greenway Probus Web Site.

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Monica Cannon from LDK, the company that is developing the new aged care facility across the road from the Town Centre Club, has been invited to give a short talk at the September meeting. The committee saw this as an opportunity to gain new members from the future residents of the facility.

