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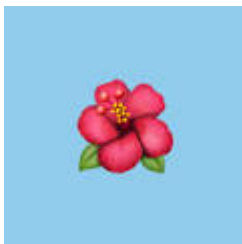
U3A Deniliquin Inc

Welcome to the October newsletter.

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Your committee is still working towards trying to get "back to normal" but we are still in recess, rest assured you will be advised when we are able to start our classes again. Please note Intereach is not yet open, but the committee is still working on possibilities for classes. Stay tuned.

I hope that everyone is keeping well and looking forward to the warmer weather, with the flowers starting to bloom and of course the sunshine. Take care everyone and stay safe.



A possible outdoor event may be happening in November where we could all get together in the Waring Gardens – stay tuned.

A couple of classes that will be continuing are both the Walking Group and Meditation (via Zoom).

Details as follows:



**The Walking Group led by Dorothy Reidy is still on, on Tuesdays and Thursdays.**

Meet at the Water Tower at Memorial Park at 8am – 9am with the warmer weather coming on.

Any member who is interested or wanting more information, please contact Dorothy on 0408806229.



Meditation classes will be held on Wednesdays from 1pm – 1.40pm. via Zoom. You must have access to the internet to participate. The classes **commence on Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> October**, please contact Irene Duffy on 0407240189 or by way of email to irenerduffy@gmail.com for information on how to sign up. Irene requires your email address for ID to send you the Zoom link to participate.

Irene has advised that the classes have been well received as people become more familiar with the technology.

Thank you Irene.

## **The Senior – Newspaper**

U3A President Laurene has asked that the following information be shared with all members in relation to The Senior – Newspaper.

Dear Presidents, Committee Members & Members all,

You are all aware of support the mutual support The Senior newspaper provide both monetary, in the past towards the cost of two Annual Conferences, and advertisin. In turn our promotion on U3A Network NSW website of The Senior.

We have received the following coment from The Senior which we share with U3As in the spirit of maintaining that collaboration.

2020 has been a challenging year, up to the current COVID situation and the uncertainty of what may lie ahead.

Through this period there have been many changes in the newspaper sector, with the suspension and shutdown of many community newspapers and established magazines. The Senior has continued to print and distribute its monthly newspapers, and through COVID shutdowns and restrictions we have redirected newspapers from Seniors groups and clubs to other distribution outlets where seniors are still able to access a monthly copy.

This has meant that some of our regular readers would not be able to pick up their monthly copy and might think that The Senior has ceased printing, which is not the case. We are contacting U3A – NSW to request a broadcast goes out to members on behalf of The Senior, with options to pick up the next issue of The Senior.

In 20-21, all sponsorship has been put on hold as the greater business works its way through all the changes that have occurred in the workforce, job keeper and shorter working week. While The Senior cannot commit to any financial support this year we can offer U3A NSW editorial support to promote its 20-21 state campaigns.

The attachments provide subscription details and publication deadlines.

The Senior in bringing the above to our notice provides a reminder of the opportunity for U3As to provide editorial, and as such publicity for your U3A, of their activities and particularly the measures employed to combat Covid-19 restrictions in the continuation of member services.

Geoffrey James – Secretary

U3A Network NSW Inc

President Alison and our Events Co-Ordinator Helen are always available to have a chat if you want to keep in touch.

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Please feel free to email me with any comments or suggestions that you would like included in the newsletter that you might like to share with other people especially during these trying times of COVID.

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Publicity Officer

