

Thursday 7th November 2024

Meetings are held at the Belmont Services and Bowls Club, 20 Narracott St, Carina on the 1st Thursday of each month except December and January. Next Meeting **Thurs. 6th February 2025. 09.00**

THIS MONTH'S BIRTHDAY CELEBRANTS

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| 1. Graham Owens | 2. Joy Honnery |
| 3. Martin Barber | 4. Diana Fitzpatrick |
| 5. Andrea Hislop | 6. Cheryl Hastings |
| 7. Margaret McClellan | 8. Ted Honnery |
| 9. Patricia Turner | 10. Janelle Hay |
| 11. Albert Budworth | 12. Janice Field |
| 13. Margaret Atkin | 14. Kevin McRae |
| 15. Bob Good | 16. Lynne McGee |

DECEMBER'S BIRTHDAY CELEBRANTS

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| 1. Brian McLachlan | 2. Eric Kenny |
| 3. Patricia Smith | 4. Margaret Clark |
| 5. Liz Freeman | 6. Noel West |

THIS MONTH'S GUEST SPEAKER

Caitlyn Delaney from the RACQ will deliver the "Years Ahead" presentation covering a range of topics.

BOOK & PAY TODAY

CHRISTMAS LUNCHEON. Thursday 28th November. 10.30am - 2.30pm. This final social event for the year will be held again at the Wynnum Golf Club, 76 Stradbroke Avenue, Wynnum. Still time to put your name on the booking list but payment is due today. **\$50** NSA members, **\$60** others. For table bookings and special dietary concerns please see June Fitzgerald today!

LORD MAYOR'S CHRISTMAS CONCERT

Twenty tickets have been received for the afternoon performance on Monday 2nd December. The tickets are available today for those who applied. See Noel West.

TOUR REPORT Forty-one members and friends enjoyed an excellent show at Twin Towns. We travelled with Town and Country Coaches for the first time, gladly reuniting with our former long time driver Peter Bessell. We encountered very heavy storm rain most of the way on the return journey.

PHONES Please put your phones on silent during the meeting.

OCTOBER CONCERT REPORT

A good attendance enjoyed the performances by the various members who took to the stage with songs, skits, poems, and anecdotes. Thanks to Gordon for organising the programme and bravo to Eddie for spending a lot of his time compiling the music and video segments of the production.

FIRST TOUR FOR 2025 !!!WOODFORD!!!

BOOK TODAY. PAY AT FEBRUARY MEETING. Tuesday 18th February. After morning tea at Kholo Botanic Gardens we take a scenic tour via a different portion of the Brisbane Valley before our lunch stop at Woodford, returning via scenic Mount Mee. There are plenty of places to purchase your lunch and be sure to visit the free museum and art gallery. **\$40** NSA members, **\$50** others. We need 45.

WELFARE Please give your thoughts to Michael Takacs who is experiencing some setbacks in a prolonged recovery of his medical problems. Also we wish a speedy recovery for Jan Field who fractured her wrist in a recent fall and Kay Wright's severe bout of bronchitis.

CHUCKLE CORNER I put my scale in the bathroom corner and that's where the little liar will stay until it apologises. — Do twins ever realise that one of them was unplanned? — My wife says I keep pushing her buttons but if that were true I'd have found the mute button by now. — Its not my age that bothers me—it's the side effects.

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