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Aspley Branch, January Newsletter

Next Branch meeting 28 January 2024

Aspley Hornets Football Club, 50 Graham Road, Carseldine Ph: 3263 5522. Carpark opens at 9.00 am and **doors open for the meeting at 9.15 am so we recommend you do not arrive early. Cost is now \$10**, which includes a lucky door prize draw. **Please have the correct money if possible. We can now also accept card payment.** Both Card and Cash are acceptable, and there is no plan to become card only.

Welcome back everyone for another year. In order to run the branch meetings effectively, more volunteers are required to help out. Please talk to the president if you can assist.

January Speaker: NSA Digital Literacy

February Speaker: Tom Law, Health and Wellness.

March Speaker: Richard Kinnon, Outback Pioneers.

UPCOMING EVENTS

14 January. Executive Meeting.

21 January. Crepe Café 11:30.

28 January. Branch meeting.

4 February. Sausage sizzle

11 February. Executive Meeting

25 February. Branch meeting

4th March. City Cat to North Shore Café.

For information on whether an event is cancelled due to severe weather or other unforeseen circumstances we suggest members use their own discretion or contact a Committee Member for information

Please register your email address. If events or meetings change for any reason email is the only contact method that will be used to tell you. Your email will only be used for club purposes and will not be forwarded onto to any other group to use. Please email aspleynationalseniors@gmail.com with your details.

Committee

If you are interested in helping to manage the club, please come along to an executive meeting which is held on the second Tuesday of each month.

We are now meeting at Committee members houses. Please contact the president for the details.



Welcome back everyone for another year. The newsletter is looking a little sparse, please forward any suggestions, articles or funnies through to the aspleynationalseniors@gmail.com account.



COMING UP

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NSA Aspley 2025 Meeting Dates

Month	Com- mittee	Branch
January		
2025	14	28
February	11	25
March	11	25
April	8	22
May	13	27
June	10	24

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ONLINE ARTICLES FROM NATIONAL SENIORS AUSTRALIA

<https://nationalseniors.com.au/news/>

What a year it's been! <https://nationalseniors.com.au/news/featured-news/what-a-year-its-been>

A backward step on protections. <https://nationalseniors.com.au/news/featured-news/a-backward-step-on-protections>

Actuaries report urges super tax reform. <https://nationalseniors.com.au/news/latest-news/actuaries-report-urges-super-tax-reform>

Do you need a driving refresher course? <https://nationalseniors.com.au/news/latest-news/do-you-need-a-driving-refresher-course>

Homes are for sharing. <https://nationalseniors.com.au/news/latest-news/homes-are-for-sharing>

Billion-dollar travel bonus. <https://nationalseniors.com.au/news/finance/billion-dollar-travel-bonus>

EXCURSIONS*

Trips for 2025:

- Tuesday 4th March. **CITY CAT.** Day time trip down the river to a North Shore café for lunch. More details to come.
- Thurs 27th March 2025 Bus to Currumbin Rock Pools \$55 with Chermside NSA.

ENTERTAINMENT *

19 th February 2025. 1 pm. "Sister Act". QPAC \$70 with Seniors Card

* Regrettably we are unable to provide refunds on bus trips or concert tickets. It is the responsibility of the purchaser to pass on or resell their tickets, should they be unable to attend".

NSA PICNIC IN THE PARK

4th February, 2025. Best Priced sausage sizzle in Pine Rivers, \$5 sausage sizzle at Pine Rivers Park, Morning Tea to share from 10:30.

MEMBER WELFARE

If you are aware of members who are sick or need some help please let our Welfare Officer Lorelle Doxey 0418 880 925 know.

Volunteers required for assisting at the Branch meetings. In order to run the branch meetings effectively, more volunteers are required to help out. Please talk to the president if you can assist.

From the Editor. Looking for news letter material, serious and funny.

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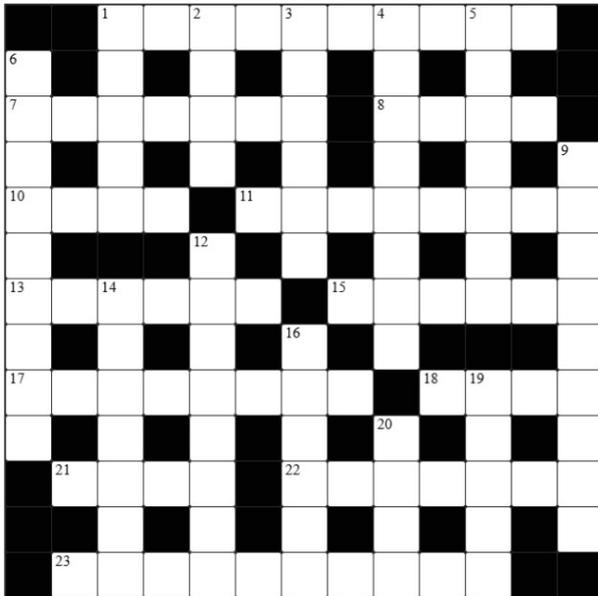
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Daily Quick Crossword: 22 December 2024



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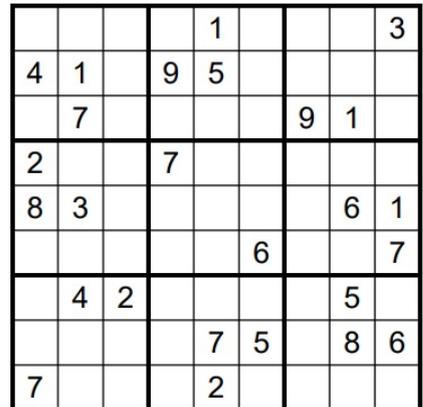
1. Antibiotic
7. Honest
8. Asian prince
10. Piece of work
11. Exceed in importance
13. Response
15. Fetches
17. Fearless
18. Bluish-white metal
21. Retail outlet
22. Staying power
23. Circuitous

DOWN

1. French capital
2. Almost
3. Material for violin strings
4. Tepid
5. European language
6. Antipodean country
9. Doctor
12. Boy who never grew up
14. Louis Armstrong nickname
16. Afternoon nap
19. Half-wit
20. Ring of light

NOTES:

A free daily online crossword that's not too difficult- just right for solving in your coffee break. <http://bestforpuzzles.com>.



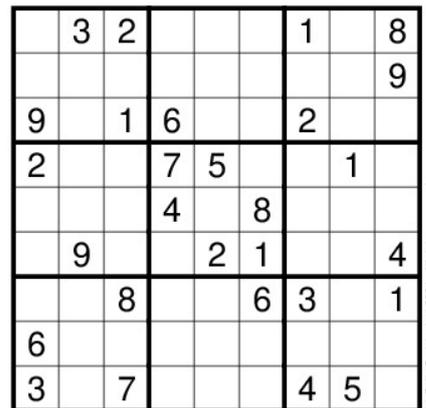
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Australia at Auckland Zoo



- STICK INSECT
- RAINBOWFISH
- RED TAIL BLACK
- HUNTSMAN
- CAPTAIN
- GOLIATH
- OUTBACK
- REDBACK
- ZEBRA FINCH
- SPIDER
- LACE MONITOR
- AUSSIE
- WALKABOUT
- EMU
- WATER DRAGON
- BROLGA



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