

"THE VILLAGE MATTERS"

THE PARKS VILLAGE RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION INFORMATION BULLETIN

DATES TO REMEMBER FOR APRIL

- *** Wednesday, 6th. and 20th. at 7.00 pm. - "Bingo" Sessions.
- *** Thursday, 7th. - Start of New Rubbish Bin System.
- *** Friday, 8th. at 6.00 pm. - Monthly Dinner.
- *** Saturday, 9th. at 7.30 pm. - "The Life of Melba" Concert.
- *** Monday, 11th. - Bus/Boat Trip to Port Adelaide etc.
- *** Friday, 15th. - Regency Park Lunch No.1.
- *** Saturday, 16th. at 8.30 am. - "Bottle Drive".
- *** Friday, 22nd. - Regency Park Lunch No.2.
- *** Monday, 25th. at 9.00 am. - ANZAC Day Service in Village.
- *** Thursday, 28th. at 7.00 pm. - Residents' Committee Meeting.

PERSONAL MILESTONES

Hearty congratulations to the following Residents!

- *** Brian Taylor on his 70th. Birthday!
- *** Colleen Cracknell on her 71st. Birthday!
- *** Brian Cracknell on his 71st. Birthday!
- *** Jack Salisbury on his 84th. Birthday!
- *** Ruth Wood on her 90th. Birthday!

IF YOU ARE AWARE OF A SPECIAL MILESTONE FOR ANY RESIDENT(S), PLEASE LET ME KNOW THE DETAILS.

**THE COMMITTEE WISHES ALL RESIDENTS
A VERY HAPPY AND SAFE EASTER!**

L I Q U O R L I C E N C E U P D A T E

I am delighted to report that we have been granted an Interim Liquor Licence from Monday, 14th. March 2005. This means that we can get back to "normal" for "Happy Hours" and Monthly Dinners - alcohol can be purchased legally. A "Call Over" Meeting before the Commissioner, has been set for Friday, 8th. April 2005, to continue the Application Process.

N E W E S T A T E C O - O R D I N A T O R

A very warm welcome is extended on behalf of ALL Residents and the Committee to **Carolynne Young**, our new Estate Co-ordinator! We trust that your time with us Carolynne will be both enjoyable and long term. It was great to have Julie Coombes back with us for a while too!

P R I V A C Y S C R E E N O I L I N G

Thank-you to John Marshall and his Team for the great work they have done in oiling so many screens!

BOWLS VERSUS "THE ELMS"

On a miserably cold and very wet Friday night, we hosted the return visit of "The Elms" Bowlers. A start was made on the match, but it was called-off, because the weather deteriorated even further. Our Sister Village took the honours and went home with the very lavish trophy donated by Gordon Pickard. The result was decided on the scores from the four encounters during the season. Congratulations to our Bowls Planning Group for hosting our Visitors so graciously. What a delightful supper!

THE WISDOM OF WORDS!

The greatest mistake you can make in life is to be continually fearing you will make one!

IT IS NOT A WEAKNESS TO MAKE A MISTAKE, OR TO ADMIT TO MAKING ONE!

STOP PRESS**MARCH "BOTTLE DRIVE"**

We raised **\$110.25**, what a great effort! Many thanks to **ALL** Residents involved.

**MONTHLY DINNER
FRIDAY, 8th APRIL**

Our Friday Night Dinner for April will consist of lasagne and salad, dessert and tea/coffee. The cost will be **\$5.00 per person**. **Dinner will commence at 6.00 pm.**, after the usual "Happy Hour". To assist with catering and seating arrangements, Residents are asked to register their attendance with **Jane Phillips (Unit 81)**, prior to the dinner. Tickets can be purchased from **Jane** or **at the "Happy Hours" prior to the Dinner. Please purchase your ticket(s) by Monday, 4th April.**

RESIDENTS' INFORMATION

The Residents' Association Committee wishes to encourage **ALL Residents** to regularly visit the Residents' Information Centre/Meeting Room, opposite the Hairdresser. It is important that Residents check the Monthly Planners and peruse the displayed Notices and General Information, to keep up-to-date with Village Activities. We also wish to improve two-way communication between Residents and the Committee and we believe this area will help to facilitate the process. **Please communicate with us, about any issues that may affect our Village.**

FORTHCOMING ACTIVITIES**"THE LIFE OF MELBA" - Saturday, 9th April at 7.30 pm:-**

Jillian Chatterton, Adelaide's leading Soprano will perform as Dame Nellie Melba, in this very amusing and highly entertaining evening. Jillian will be supported by John Hall (Accomp-anist) and David Burvill-Holmes (Flautist). Supper will be provided - cucumber sandwiches, "Peach Melba" and champagne. Please contact **Ian Mauger (Unit 14)**, for bookings and ticket purchases. The Ticket cost is **\$10.00 per person**. Ticket sales will close on **Thursday, 7th April**.

Do not miss this wonderful musical performance in our own Village! You will have no travel or parking hassles!

FIRST BUS TRIP FOR 2005 - MONDAY, 11th APRIL

The first Bus Trip for 2005 includes a Port River Cruise and Lunch whilst on board. The all inclusive cost is **\$38.00 per person**. Bookings should be made with **Wendy Grindle (Unit 18)**. Please note there are only 48 seats available.

**LUNCHESES AT THE "GRADUATES
RESTAURANT", REGENCY PARK**

Bookings have been made for the following dates:- **15th and 22nd April.**
16th and 23rd September.

Please contact **Wendy Grindle (Unit 18)** to reserve your place(s) and to nominate your chosen date(s). The Lunches will cost **\$19.50 per head**. Each booking is for forty (40) people, with the "first in best dressed" rule applying.

THANK-YOU TO JOE DE PLEE!

Special thanks for doing such an excellent job making the four Stage Blocks for the Community Centre Hall. **Well done Joe!**

SAFETY WARNING!!!

If Residents use the Emergency Button to exit the Main Door in the Foyer of the Community Centre, please do not stand between the glass doors as they close, because you may be hit, or become jammed between the two doors. When you exit, walk beyond the line of the closing doors, before stopping.

Laurie Phillips,
Chairperson,
The Parks Village Residents' Association.
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