



NEWSLETTER

April/May 2024

This Newsletter is designed to celebrate Buderim, the Buderim War Memorial Community Association and all of its affiliates.

To stay up-to-date with all BWMCA activities you can follow us on Facebook:

www.facebook.com/buderimwarmemorialcommunityassociation

If you have anything you would like to contribute to our newsletter or 'What's On in Buderim', please don't hesitate to email the Editor at admin@bwmca.com.au by the 24th of the month.

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BUDERIM WAR MEMORIAL
COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION

President's Message

Welcome to our April Newsletter.

Hello Everyone,

The Buderim community turned out in record numbers to commemorate Anzac Day this year with a huge crowd at the Dawn Service in the Village Park. The parade down Burnett St also saw large numbers, particularly young people and children who then joined other members of the community and community groups at the Main Service in the Pine Forest at Buderim Mountain State School.

We must again express our deep appreciation to the members of our Anzac Day Sub-committee, chaired by Brett Green, for conducting the services with all the dignity and sincerity that we have come to expect from this small band of dedicated and talented veterans and non-veterans. We are very proud of what they do, and we know it is profoundly respected by the community. We also thank Roxanne Young and all the volunteers who provided homemade treats and helped out at the morning tea which followed the main service, well done.

Last month we appealed to our members and members of the public to attend a meeting to discuss ways in which the community might celebrate the Centenary of our Hall which occurs in November of this year.

We were overwhelmed and delighted to welcome 40+ people to the meeting. We greatly appreciate their interest and their contribution to the workshop session so ably conducted by our secretary Ian McKaskill.

We have collated all the ideas and suggestions and distributed a summary to all those attendees. We are now in the process of forming a sub-committee to create a programme of events fitting to the occasion. Please feel free to volunteer if you would like to be involved.

On a lighter note, our next event is the Dogs' Day Out to be held in the Buderim Village Park on Sunday 16th June. More details will be available in the weeks ahead. Mark the date in your diary and even if you don't have a dog, come along and wag your tail.

That's all for now,

Errol Richardson
President



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Editor's Message

Welcome to the April edition.

Thank you so much to everyone who has contributed this month.

If you have any content you would like to submit for future newsletters, please ensure that you submit it by the 24th of every month.

Please check our website for Upcoming Events and if you would like anything added to this, please email admin@bwmca.com.au with the content and images to be uploaded.

Thanks

Roxie Young – Newsletter Editor



What's Happening at the Old Post Office

Hello,

We hope that you had a lovely Easter break and ANZAC day.

We have another fantastic Mother's Day raffle – only \$5 a ticket. This is filled with many wonderful gifts that generous volunteers and Buderim Businesses have kindly donated. We have a Sun Hair, Tote bag, Vouchers from Little Fig Cafe, Somewhere On Buderim, Magnesium House and Simplee Sweet On Buderim, Rosè wine, Glass House Reed, Candle, stunning Crystal Earrings, Crystal Necklace, and Chocolates just to name a few.



We still have a few copies of Ross Eason's new book, 'Four Five Five Six – The Buderim Region' available. This limited edition hardcover coffee table book is filled with wonderful photos and stories – a real treasure trove of Buderim's history.

We are still trialling the JP service on a Friday – they will be at the OPO most Fridays from 10 am to 12 noon. Please call the OPO on 5477 0944 to check if they are on that day. The weather has not been kind so far for this trial.

We also have Cr Ted Hungerford coming in to the OPO on the last Friday of every month to meet the Community – so if you have anything you would like to raise or discuss please feel free to come in 10 am to 12 noon – his next date is the 31st May.

Did you know that we had a total of 573 visitors to the OPO during the month of March? Thank you to our hardworking volunteers for all assistance during the month.

Don't forget, the OPO is open from 10 AM to 3 PM, Monday to Friday.

Until next time, take care.

Roxie on behalf of Steven
 OPO-Coordinator
 E: opomanager@bwmca.com.au
 P: 5477 0944



Get well soon
 We are still missing you



Drop your old working mobile into the box at the OPO - help support DV Victims

Membership & Affiliate Membership Update

Thank you to all our members who have paid the annual subscription for 2024.

We have had a great renewal uptake from our Affiliates & Membership – thank you so much for your support. We currently have 80 members and 227 Life Members a total of 307 members and 53 Affiliate Groups.

Just a reminder, that to advertise in our newsletter we ask that Affiliate membership payments be received by 31st March.

We have had 2 new individual/family memberships and a new Affiliate Group The Vietnam Charity Group – join the BWMCA. Welcome and thank you for your support.

If you have any queries please email: admin@bwmca.com.au or (07) 5477 0945



TIME TO RENEW

"Welcome To Buderim"

A Community Service provided by the Buderim War Memorial Community Association.

- Meet other residents
- Find out more about your neighbourhood and Community
- Meet with our Affiliate group leaders and learn about our local groups from Hobbies to Art, Crafts, Music, Sports, Gardening and many more

If you would like to join us for our next gathering, drop in to the Old Post Office Community Centre @ 50 Burnett Street, Buderim, phone: (07) 5477 0944 or email admin@bwmca.com.au to register.

Save the date

21st June @ 5.00 pm

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BWMCA PRESENTS
DOGS' DAY OUT
FESTIVAL FOR DOGS & OWNERS
16th June 2024 - 11 am to 3 pm
Park

Rescue
Clowns
bit

Save The Date

Justice of the Peace Service

The JP Service at the Old Post Office which operates each week from Monday to Thursday 10.00am to 1.00pm and Friday 10am to 12pm is part of a state-wide network called "JPs in the Community" provided by the Department of Justice and the Attorney General.

March had 288 people attend the JP Service. Thank you to our volunteers helping these customers during the most horrendous weather conditions throughout the month.

Our Buderim JPs are proud to be part of this very significant volunteer network.

Outside of these hours at the OPO please call 1300 301 147 or www.qld.gov.au/findjp to find a local JP.

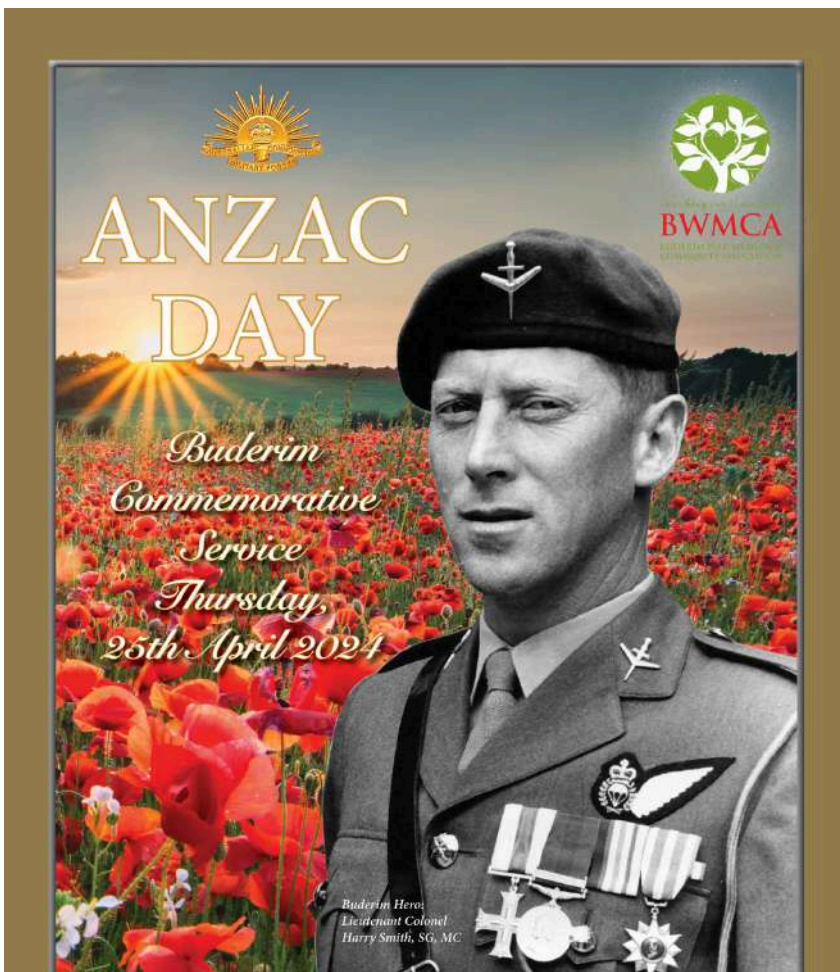


ANZAC DAY - Thank You



The BWMCA would like to thank the ANZAC Sub-Committee for another successful event.

Chair - Brett Green
Secretary - Ruth Wade
Member - Peter Hall
Member - Drew Wall
Member - Drew Miller
Member - Geoffrey Hole
Member - Peter Sergeant



Thank you to the Buderim Muscle for setting up and pack down Dougal Pitt, Col Parker, Roy Angus, Jerry Lynch, Mike Kelly, Ron Peick & John Wolfert.

Thank you to the Morning Tea helpers with yummy home baked tasty treats and also helping on the day.

We had donations from the Buderim Tavern (Rum & biscuits), Simplee Sweet on Buderim for cupcakes & biscuits, Woolworth Metro Buderim and Itzy's IGA.

Thank you!



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BWMCA: WAR MEMORIAL HALL



If your community organisation would like to use the hall, please email admin@bwmca.com.au and Roxie will be in touch regarding possible openings, hourly rates and any other associated costs.



BWMCA Hall Update

HALL MAINTENANCE APRIL 2024

- Lawn area west – grass suffered badly due to wet conditions at Lions Easter Fair. The impacted area was levelled and caution taped off until dry.
- Water pressure cleaning of west steps, pavers and pathway to Craft Cottage completed. Yellow safety non-slip pain caution step edge applied.
- Hall air conditioning main intake grills cleaned of lint buildup.
- Ant/inspect treatment applied to CWA room, kitchen and hall by Col.
- Base speakers wiring completed.
- Hall timber slider windows. Some maintenance to improve sliding function commenced. Quite an interesting ancient mechanism... small solid brass base rollers.

CWA Room

Upstairs - Buderim War Memorial Hall - 1 Main St, Buderim



CWA ROOM HIRE

PRICE PER HR EXCLUDING GST

Affiliate Member (No Bond)	\$19.50
Regular (\$100 bond required)	\$22.00
Casual (\$100 bond required)	\$25.00

Regular Hire - More than 10 hires per year (over 12 months)

Cleaning - Fee charged where applicable depending on the type of hire.

Air Conditioned, 40 x Chairs, 9 x Tables, Retractable Projector Screen, Kitchenette - Seating capacity 40, Car parking at the rear. A locker for equipment can be made available.

BOOKINGS

07 5477 0945 - admin@bwmca.com.au

www.bwmca.com.au



PROPERTY PORTFOLIO MAINTENANCE UPDATE

OPO (OLD POST OFFICE)

- Entrance to OPO cleaned weekly from bugs, cobwebs etc

WISE COTTAGE

- Kitchen – The 3 new cupboard doors and 2 existing doors have been painted with quality matching gloss paint. Quite a good finish. Will continue this application around the island bench and 3 remaining cupboard doors.
- Wall above kitchen bench where old water urns were removed has been prepared for painting

BWMCA: WAR MEMORIAL HALL – Recurring Weekly Events



Monday

Hall: 9am - 12.00pm - Tai Chi
Hall: 7pm - 8pm - Lights Off Dance On

Thursday

Garden: 12.00m - 1.00pm - Outdoor Exercise

Tuesday

Hall: 7.00am - 10.00am - Independent Movement
Hall: 10.30am - 11.30am - Zumba With Tianna
CWA Room: 12.30pm - 3.30pm - Mahjong
CWA Room: 6.00pm - 8.00pm - Chess

Friday

CWA Room: 9.00am - 12.00 pm - Art/Painting

Wednesday

Hall: 7.15pm - 8.15pm - Zumba with Nicola
CWA Room: 11.15am - 12.15pm- Over 50's Fitness

Saturday

CWA Room: 9.00am - 12.00pm - Ballet Fox

Sunday

Buderim War Memorial Hall & CWA Room Events For May

Fri - 3rd Vietnam Dinner 7.30 to 9.30pm	Wed - 8th Sconetime @ 10am	Fri - 10th Garden Club Monthly Meeting	Sat - 18th Bytes Performance 100 Things	Thur - 23rd Bytes Performance Oklahoma	Fri - 24th Bytes Performance Oklahoma
Sat - 25th Bytes Performance Oklahoma	Sun - 26th Bytes Performance Oklahoma	Fri - 31st Bytes Performance Oklahoma			

Visit www.bwmca.com.au - upcoming events or email admin@bwmca.com.au for further information on any of these events or the regular weekly classes

What's On In Buderim

SUNSHINE COAST CHORAL SOCIETY
presents
Magnificent Melodies in May
accompanied by a
Chamber Ensemble

Soprano - Ashleigh Maclaine
Conductor - Donna Langford
Accompanist - Izack Senbruns

where:
 Stella Maris
 Primary School

when:
 Sunday 5th May
 2 pm

Tickets: \$ 38 Concession: \$ 30
 Group bookings of 10 or more: \$25 per person
 Trybooking: www.suncoastchoral.org.au/performances

WALK FOR ENDO

9AM
SUNDAY 19 MAY 2024
BUDERIM VILLAGE PARK

Join us for a 5km historic walk through Buderim followed by live music, sausage sizzle and family fun in the park.

Help raise funds and awareness for locals living with pelvic pain conditions like Endometriosis.
 \$15 per adult - Includes a t-shirt.
 Kids & Dogs FREE!

This event has been made possible by a grant from the Buderim Foundation.

GWQ SC – supporting the education of women and girls for 33 years.

Graduate Women Qld (GWQ)
Sunshine Coast Branch
May Breakfast
Saturday May 11 2024
Headland Golf Club – Golf Links Road, Buderim.

GUEST SPEAKER:

DR SUSAN DAVIS OAM



Dr Sue Davis is an independent curator, teacher, writer and researcher with an extensive career in schools and universities. Sue is the initiator of the 'Wild/Flower Women' suite of projects and exhibitions, which have become the focus for her post-academic life since 2020. These projects focus on building awareness and understanding of Queensland's native wildflowers, women's contributions to protecting the environment, and the role of art and creativity for wellbeing and sustainable futures.

Sue was awarded the Fryer Fellowship for 2018. In 2023 she was successful in securing Arts Queensland 'Touring Queensland' funding, to support the touring exhibition of 'Wildflowering by Design'. Her wildflowering story was also featured on Gardening Australia.

The title of Dr Davis's address will be:

The Way of the Wild/Flower

DETAILS

Times: 7.45 am for 8.15 am start
 Costs: \$35 hot and cold breakfast.

Easy parking – no stairs to enter.

Dietary requirements catered for – just email when booking.

Bookings and pre-payment are essential.

RSVP by Saturday May 4 to:

Pam Wighton (Treasurer)

treasurer.gwqsc@gmail.com

Phone: 0429 133 998

PAYMENT

Via internet banking BSB 484 799,
 Account No. 101599911, Account
 name Graduate Women Qld Inc.
 Sunshine Coast.

Please put your name in the details section for recognition.

Please include names of attendees and guests and any dietary requirements.



Buderim Historical Society
Pioneer Cottage
Mother's Day Fundraising Raffle

This year we are holding a Mother's Day raffle to raise funds for maintenance of Pioneer Cottage and Vise House gardens. We have some lovely prizes, so we urge you to take a ticket and perhaps encourage some of your friends to buy one.

1st Prize: A beautiful floral painting by Robyn Stynes (on display in the Parlour)

2nd Prize: Whisky decanter, tumblers and a bottle of Glenlivet Whisky

3rd Prize: Montana's \$50 Breakfast voucher

Tickets are for sale at **\$2 each** or **3 for \$5 (6 for \$10)** at Pioneer Cottage front desk during opening hours 11am – 3pm Monday to Saturday, until Thursday 9 May 2024.

The raffle will be drawn on **Friday 10 May 2024** in time for Mother's Day.

BHS Social Marketing Group



GWQ SC - a dynamic organisation for women graduates on the Sunshine Coast, who meet for friendship and fellowship, and also provide financial support for women and girls who are furthering their education.

www.graduatwomen.org.au

What's On In Buderim

You are invited to
Sconetime Buderim



Sconetime Buderim

Sconetime Buderim is a Cool Collaboration with 4556 Chamber of Commerce, Buderim Ginger, The Ginger Factory, Simplee Sweet on Buderim, Montville Coffee, Buderim Mountain State School, Manawee Garden Centre & Your Sunshine Coast Foodie.

Sconetime Buderim
Wednesday 10 am 7th February 2024
<https://www.trybooking.com/CNJVS>

Sconetime Buderim
Wednesday 10am 8th May 2024
<https://www.trybooking.com/CNJVV>

Sconetime Buderim
Wednesday 10am 7th August 2024
<https://www.trybooking.com/CNJVX>

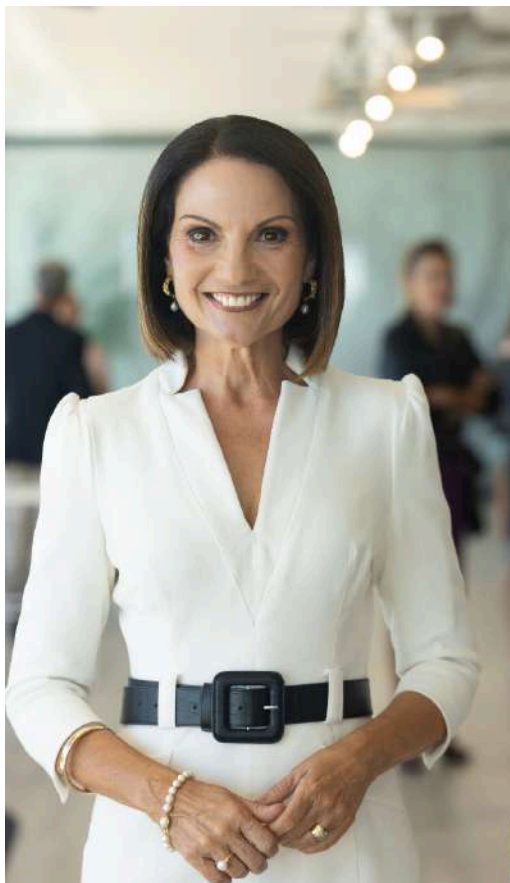
Sconetime Buderim
Wednesday 10am 13th November 2024
<https://www.trybooking.com/CNJWA>

**Buy tickets for You, Mum, Dad, Nan, Pop, Senior Neighbour!
Just \$8.00 per person!**

**Buderim Memorial Hall
1 Main Street, Buderim
RSVP Martin SUNSHINE COAST FOODIE 0473 902 261**

find out More on Sconetime ...
www.sconetime.com.au

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What to Expect From The New Era of Council

An Evening Discussion With Mayor Natoli & Local Business

Date: Monday 20th May 2024
Venue: Buderim Tavern private function room
Time: 5.30pm to 7.00pm
Cost: *\$20 for members & \$25 for non-members
(includes finger food & bar open to purchase drinks)
*booking site fee applies

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4556chamber.com.au/upcoming_events/

What's On In Buderim

existence ... being

an exhibition of fibre art



Grand opening and meet the artists Saturday 18th May 2.00pm Buderim Craft Cottage

The Buderim Fibre Art and Surface Design group are showcasing the biennial exhibition title "existence". The group have explored the concept of "being" expressed in the medium and techniques of fibre art. Members have been encouraged to produce large hanging textile works and 3D sculptural interpretations of "being".

Proudly presented as part of Sunshine Coast Council's Healthy Sunshine Coast program. Come join Zumba on Tuesdays 10:30am. Zumba is for all ages and abilities. No skills or experience is required. Participants are taught basic, easy-to-learn movements to follow and dance along to at their own pace. Zumba has many benefits; it targets a variety of muscle groups at once so you burn calories while having fun.

\$5 for pensioners/health care card holders & \$10 for everyone else.

You can pay cash on the day or book online here:
<https://www.trybooking.com/CFSCA>

More details here: <https://sunshine-coast-council.trumba.com/healthy-sunshine-coast/Zumba-with-Tianna/E165949962>

Contact:
 Tianna Balmer
 0421 833 971
zumbawithtianna@gmail.com

When:
 Tuesday at 10.30am every week

Where:
 Buderim War Memorial Hall
 1 Main Street, Buderim

Book:
 No booking required, just turn up.

Web:
<https://www.trybooking.com/CFSCA>

The Buderim Craft Cottage is staging a major exhibition. The Fibre Art Group is showcasing their biennial exhibition titled "existence". The theme explores life from an individual perspective. Many of the artists are experienced in a broad range of techniques and the result of each one's personal relationship to the topic is providing a very-thought provoking and unusual exhibition. This is not to be missed.



May 18th – 26th, daily
 10am–4pm
 free entry and parking.

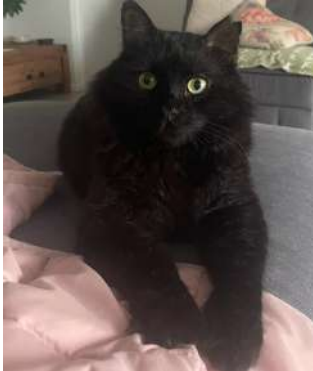
5 Main Street, Buderim.
buderimcraftcottage.com.au



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4 PAWS ANIMAL RESCUE INC

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You & Me
TOGETHER FOREVER

MEET CASPER

Introducing Casper the 7 yr old, domestic long hair, friendly furbaby who is seeking his new forever home.

Unfortunately his family is moving interstate very soon and they are unable to take Casper with them therefore he finds himself needing a new owner that will offer him love and a quiet place. In return, he will offer companionship.

Casper is a gentle soul that is no trouble at all which is how his current owner has described him.

Although he does have a love for all things boxes! Desexed, microchipped and vaccinated, Casper has been given a clean bill of health.

Can you open your door to Casper?

Please visit our website to complete an adoption application. www.4pawsanimalrescue.org.au

4 Paws Animal Rescue is a dedicated not for profit organisation that offers sanctuary to homeless cats and dogs. 100% run by volunteers, our mission is to give these animals a second chance at a happy life.

Most of our animals come from Council pounds, some are surrendered or abandoned, others are saved from cruel living conditions.

4 Paws Animal Rescue cannot survive without generous donations, our wonderful volunteers and our foster families who take in animals, giving them unconditional love, training, nursing and rehabilitation so that they are ready for adoption.

On a separate note, please think about where your beautiful fur babies come from as this is the face of backyard breeding. Thankfully a responsible family member has handed both these gorgeous girls into 4 Paws Animal Rescue. After their surgeries, vaccinations and X Rays, all we would like is for these two ladies to find a loving and caring home. Can you provide that?



4 Paws Animal Rescue

 NEW HOME

 NEW LIFE

Julie Penlington - President
PO Box 94, Maroochydore 4557
4paws@4pawsanimalrescue.org.au
www.4pawsanimalrescue.org.au

Affiliate Reports

ARTS NATIONAL SUNSHINE COAST (Formerly ADFAS)

Don't miss Dr Anne Anderson when she visits The Sunshine Coast. She will present "William Morris and the Arts & Crafts Movement" on Sunday 26 May 2024 as part of Art National Sunshine Coast Arts Talks Series for 2024.



Writer, painter, designer, printer and political activist, William Morris, through his Arts and Craft movement, instigated a revolt against mass-produced, poorly designed and badly made products that were swamping middle-class Victorian homes.

Under Morris's ethos, everyday items were elevated to works of art. Ideally, objects would be designed and made by the same craftsman, with careful attention being paid to techniques and materials, as they had been in the Medieval period. The Movement led to a revival of the Guild system and the reintroduction of craft skills and traditions.



Dr Anne Anderson was a senior lecturer on the Fine Arts Valuation degree courses at Southampton Solent University from 1993-2007. She specialised in the Aesthetic Movement, Arts and Crafts, Art Nouveau and Modernism.

Anne is currently Hon Associate Professor at Exeter University, a tutor for the Victoria and Albert Learning Academy, and Ceramics Consultant for Russell-Cotes Art Gallery and Museum. She has published books on Art Deco teapots, the Pre-Raphaelites, Edward Burne-Jones, and Art Nouveau architecture.

To attend our Arts Talk - Contact our Membership Secretary - Merle O'Rourke,

Email: orourke.merlej@gmail.com
Phone: 0419 795 625

Venue - Uni SC Lecture Theatre K1, entry via Stringybark Road - Free parking.

NOTE: Pre-booking is required for each Art Talk for both Members and Visitors

Arts Talks are free to members. Visitors are welcome for \$25.00 per arts talk, Student \$10.00. Wine and refreshments are available following each arts talk.

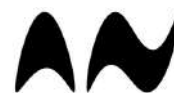
It's easy to join us - contact our Membership Secretary - Merle O'Rourke
Email: orourke.merlej@gmail.com
Phone: 0419 795 625

Membership costs \$150.00 per year for nine arts talks, from March - November.

Find out more - see our 2024 program of art talks

Website:
<https://www.artsnational.au/societies/sunshine-coast/>

Check out our Facebook Page for details of Arts Talks coming up
<https://www.facebook.com/ArtsNationalSunshineCoast>



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***** AUDITIONS, AUDITIONS, AUDITIONS *****
A SEASON OF ONE ACT PLAYS
ALL WELCOME

WHEN: TUESDAY 7th MAY, 2024 AT 7.30 P.M.

BATS THEATRE COMPANY INC. ARE CALLING FOR AUDITIONS FOR THEIR FORTHCOMING PRODUCTION 'A SEASON OF ONE ACT PLAYS, COMEDY AND DRAMA'. A VARIETY OF MALE AND FEMALE ROLES. THE PLAYS ARE AS FOLLOWS:

WHOSE GO IS IT?

COMEDY BY BRUCE OLIVE, TO BE DIRECTED BY KATHY HICKSON

ONE MALE, FOUR FEMALES, AND ONE FEMALE NON SPEAKING ROLE, (CAN BE DOUBLED UP FROM THE OTHER PLAYS)

PLAYED TO REFLECT MATURE AGE.

FOR ENQUIRIES, PLEASE PHONE KATHY ON 0400 446 197

DOLLY DAZZLERS

COMEDY BY BRUCE OLIVE, TO BE DIRECTED BY ALEX MELONI

TWO MALES AND THREE FEMALES OF VARIOUS AGES, RANGING FROM YOUNG ADULT TO MATURE.

FOR ENQUIRIES, PLEASE PHONE ALEX ON 0403 771 641

CAN'T YOU SEE THE ANGELS

DRAMA WRITTEN AND TO BE DIRECTED BY ALICE REA

TWO FEMALES, AGES 20 TO 60

FOR ENQUIRIES, PLEASE PHONE ALICE ON 0427 856 680

WHERE: BUDERIM WAR MEMORIAL HALL, CORNER MAIN AND CHURCH STREETS,
BUDERIM

WHEN: TUESDAY 7TH MAY, 2024 at 7.30 P.M.

PERFORMANCES: FRIDAY 19TH JULY TO SATURDAY 27TH JULY 2024

Affiliate Reports

BUDERIM CRAFT COTTAGE

Easter Fair

After weeks of cloudy skies and rain, the sun finally appeared for the recent Easter Fair and so did the crowds!

The kitchen, hosted by the Painting Group, served many morning teas and lunches, and the Cottage saw many new people, including parents with young children, and regulars come through the doors to view the art and craft.

It was a terrific day, and thanks go to all volunteers who contributed to making it a success.

Coming Events

Fibre Art & Surface Design Exhibition "Existence"

Saturday 18 May – Sunday 26 May

This will be part of the Sunshine Coast Art Trail on 18-20 May

A beautiful display of artistic pieces in the Atrium Gallery at Buderim Craft Cottage, 5 Main Street Buderim.

Not to be missed!

For more information visit www.buderimcraftcottage.com.au

Beautiful quilting items at the Easter Fair



All hands on deck in the Craft Cottage Kitchen



Checking out the photography at the Easter Fair



Pottery personalities at the Craft Cottage



Jenny Williams - President
president@buderimcraftcottage.com.au
www.buderimcraftcottage.com.au

Affiliate Reports

BUDERIM FOUNDATION

The Foundation held two special events this month: a breakfast function with an inspirational speaker and a special Birthday Happy Hour.

Breakfast Function

Julian Burton OAM was our guest speaker at a breakfast function at the Headland Golf Club. A survivor of the 2002 Bali bombings, Julian spoke of his recovery and the actions he took as a consequence of his experience. The topic of his presentation was "Being grateful is a choice" and he stressed the importance of gratitude, good moral values, generosity and personal relationships for a meaningful life.

In 2003, he established the Jullian Burton Burns Trust to provide burn management services and support for individuals affected by burns. The Trust raised over \$20 million for vital national programs during its 15 years of operation. In 2018, Julian and his wife Kay established the Burton Foundation to continue their philanthropic work, focussing on community projects and causes in South Australia.

Local Member Brent Mickelberg generously donated a hamper for one of the raffle prizes

Birthday Happy Hour

The Buderim Foundation is celebrating its 20th birthday this year and to mark the occasion in an appropriate way, the April Happy Hour was held at the same place as the first ever Happy Hour – the house of Judy Wild and Raelene Boyle. Almost 100 Ambassadors and supporters gathered to enjoy drinks and nibbles with friends while taking in the beautiful views from the balcony.

Chair Rod McKinnon spoke about the Foundation before Allen Hertel presented Alistair Cook, former Foundation Sponsor, with a certificate and gifts for his long-term support. The special birthday cake was cut by Marg Thursby and Simon Whittle, both of whom had been on the original working party that established the Foundation.

Special raffle prizes were donated by The Little Bar Cart, IGA Buderim and Dan Smith – The Agency.

Patrick Plumb, Julian Burton & Erik Metanomski



Julian Burton

Didi Killen, Natasha Read & Graham Tamblyn



Cassie Grentell, Jocelyn Walker, Natasha Read & Marty Green



Paula Richardson, Lesley Johnston, Bernadette & John Meckan & Errol Richardson



Marg Thursby & Simon Whittle



Sandra Jeffries, Rod McKinnon, Alistair Cook, Judy Wild & Simon Whittle



Rod McKinnon – Chair
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Affiliate Reports

BUDERIM LOCAL AMBULANCE COMMITTEE (LAC)

Buderim Local Ambulance Committee's CPR Awareness Programme: Empowering Young Lifesavers at Buderim Mountain State School

The Buderim Local Ambulance Committee's sub-committee of Queensland Ambulance Peer Trainers recently orchestrated a highly impactful CPR awareness programme aimed at enlightening Year 5 students at Buderim Mountain State School about crucial life-saving techniques. The programme, centred on cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) and the use of defibrillators, was met with great enthusiasm and engagement, underscoring the community's dedication to fostering safety and preparedness among its youngest members.

Throughout the programme, 151 eager young students participated in hands-on activities meticulously crafted to impart the fundamentals of CPR. The initiative not only imparted essential skills but also underscored the importance of swift and informed responses in emergency situations.

Feedback from the event was overwhelmingly positive. Educators observed that students were not only attentive but also displayed a keen interest in mastering CPR techniques. Their engagement was so profound that several educators are now championing the inclusion of the CPR awareness programme as a regular component of the school curriculum. Such an endorsement underscores the programme's efficacy and its potential impact on student safety and community health.

This initiative is a testament to the potency of community-based health education and the role of schools in moulding a safety-conscious generation. As the programme draws to a close, the favourable reception from both students and teachers alike indicates a broader implementation in the future, aimed at equipping more children with the skills they need to potentially save lives.

The success of the CPR awareness programme at Buderim Mountain State School stands as a beacon of community engagement and educational excellence. It serves as a model for other schools and communities striving to enrich their emergency response training and awareness among young people, ensuring that the next generation is not only educated but also prepared to act in times of need.



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BUDERIM LIBRARY

Our recent book sale was a great success. We raised \$2,600, which will be used to purchase new books for our library. The Easter raffle was won by Cathy.



Non Fiction

If you are interested in joining our library, please come in and see one of our volunteers. Membership fees are \$30 or \$25 pensioner.

The next book sale will be Saturday 30th November. We are taking donations of FICTION ONLY this time.

Our opening hours are Monday to Friday 9:30 – 2:30pm, Saturday 9:00 – 12:00pm.

If you have any donations please drop them into the library.

Our book buyers have been very busy purchasing some of the latest editions, so come into the library and have a browse.



Fiction



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BUDERIM MALE CHOIR



The Buderim Male Choir is continuing a trial which sees the choir retaining its identity but operating as part of the Buderim Men's Shed. Rehearsals are conducted at the Buderim Shed in Kuluin each Monday afternoon and several Buderim Shed men have taken up the opportunity to extend their Shed involvement to singing as part of the choir.

The Shed connection has also opened up the opportunity to participate in the inaugural ShedMusic Festival at Coolum on 13 July. It's an initiative of the Coolum Men's Shed and designed to showcase the musical talents of men from Sheds all over the Sunshine Coast region and beyond, with a particular focus on the health and well-being benefits derived from making music with others.

Meanwhile, planning for the choir's 50th anniversary celebrations is underway. A celebratory concert is scheduled for the afternoon of 13 October at the Buderim War Memorial Hall to mark this significant milestone. Dates and venues for other concerts are yet to be finalised.



The Buderim Male Choir in the big green shed at Maroochydore where they provided entertainment for Bunnings' Easter Fair.

We'd love to hear from any former members who'd like to participate in this year's anniversary events. We'd love to hear also from anyone who thinks they might like to join the choir. Apart from the requirement to be an adult male, the only other prerequisite is the love of singing. We maintain that there's no such thing as a non-singer and that the benefits of singing in a group extend far beyond the development of one's musical abilities.




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BUDERIM-PALMWOODS HERITAGE TRAMWAY INC




Who we are
Buderim-Palmwoods Heritage Tramway Inc is a non-profit organisation founded in 2003.

Our mission
To establish a permanent display in Buderim Village, to showcase the precious "Krauss" locomotive, central to the history of Buderim and indeed the wider story of the region.



Artist's Impression



Bring history to life

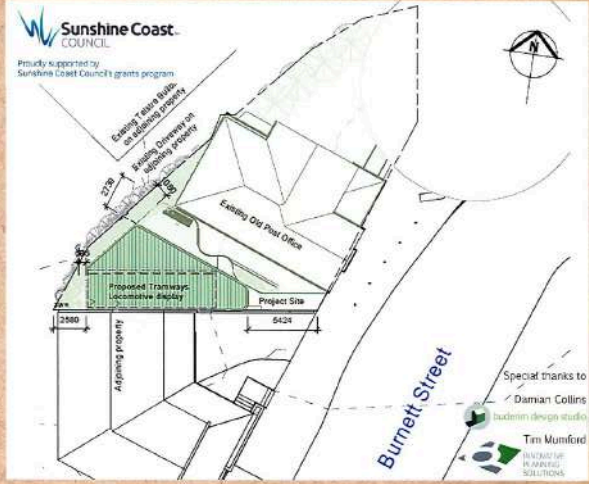
Our organisation is seeking urgent financial support, to fund a building that the community can be proud of ...

The building in central Buderim will house one of Buderim's treasured icons ... the original, restored Krauss locomotive.

Your help is vital

Between 1915 & 1935 the Krauss helped shape Buderim's history. After decades of hard work by our volunteers, the Krauss is almost back home, but we need your help!

Your donation will help fund the final step and keep important history alive!



Sunshine Coast COUNCIL
Proudly supported by Sunshine Coast Council's grants program

Existing Tallow Works Building
Water Driveway on adjoining property

Existing Old Post Office


Proposed Tramway Locomotive Facility

Project Site



Adjoining property

Burnett Street

Special thanks to
Damian Collins
buderim design studio
Toni Mumford
BUDERIM HERITAGE SOLUTIONS



History comes alive!

The Krauss locomotive is an important historical artefact. You can help bring it back home to Buderim.

Donation Appeal

Your generosity now will help ensure that future generations can continue to delight in Buderim's rich history.



A Buderim Night of
Burlesque

FEATURING: SCARLETT TINKABELLE ~ THE KITTY KATS
WITH SPECIAL GUESTS THE MPAC SHOWGIRLS & MC CARLIE WACKER

BUDERIM WAR MEMORIAL HALL, 1 MAIN STREET, BUDERIM

SATURDAY, 22 JUNE 2024

TICKETS \$50 ADULTS 18 + EVENT

DOORS OPEN 6PM - SHOWTIME 7PM - CLOSE 10PM

TABLE SEATING BYO FOOD (TABLES OF 8) LICENSED BAR (NO BYO DRINKS)

RAISING FUNDS TO BRING THE KRAUSS LOCO HOME
DON'T FORGET YOUR FEATHER BOAS AND DANCING SHOES

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Scan me and Book your tickets online



or go to
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Buderim - Palmwoods Heritage Tramway Inc.,

Is holding an extremely popular show, not-to-be missed!

A Buderim Night of Burlesque

22 June 2024

Get ready for a night of dazzling entertainment like no other!

Round up your friends, and book your seats or table.

This show is strictly one night only and will sell out!

So, book early to avoid disappointment!

See Poster for details.



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GRADUATE WOMEN QLD SUNSHINE COAST

Social Morning Tea

More than 40 members enjoyed a social morning tea at the Twin Waters Golf Club on Saturday 13 April. Bev Hinz, standing in for President Wendy Ashley-Cooper, welcomed new members Nijole Simkus and Jude Seaboyer. Everyone enjoyed some scones and other treats while catching up with old and new friends.

Next Event - Breakfast Meeting

The next breakfast meeting will be held at the Headland Golf Club on Saturday 11 May. Special guest speaker will be Dr Sue Davis OAM, a curator, teacher, writer and researcher with expertise in wildflowers. The title of Dr Davis's presentation will be: The Way of the Wild/Flower. More details about the breakfast are included elsewhere in the newsletter.

Quilt Raffle

Raffle tickets for the exquisite quilt donated by Sylvia Hovey are still available. Tickets are \$2.00 each and are available from Bev Hinz on 0427 947 668, bev.hinz1948@gmail.com or info@graduatewomen.org.au.

The raffle will be drawn at the Branch's Bursary Brunch on Saturday 13 July.

The Sunshine Coast Branch of Graduate Women Queensland is a dynamic organisation for women graduates on the Sunshine Coast. The Branch focuses on the values of friendship, mutual support and intellectual stimulation between members. It also provides financial support for women and girls furthering their education. Membership is open to any woman who is a graduate of any university in any country. Please contact the Membership Co-ordinator on info@graduatewomen.org.au or visit GWQSC on Facebook for more information.



Jenny Hughes & Sally Chandler



Sylvia Hovey's quilt



Pam Wighton, Jan Jarman, Ela Malisz, Emilia White & Gerry Boeyen

Jude Seaboyer, Jenny Hughes, Sally Chandler, Coral Usher, Joan Horgan & Sandra Jeffries



Janet Sweatman, Joan Horgan & Sally Chandler

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BUDERIM VIEW CLUB

About

Buderim VIEW Club was formed in 1993.

Currently, the Club sponsors eight Smith Family 'Learning for Life' students and is actively involved in fundraising activities to raise donations for The Smith Family programs.

We are always open to new members, so please get in touch today and come and see what it's all about.

Our function room is at the very centrally located Buderim Tavern. At our luncheon meetings we always have interesting guest speakers. New members are very welcome. Attending our club's events will help raise funds for educating students of underprivileged families.

On the third Wednesday each month we have a social activity/outing.

The Smith Family is a national charity helping young Australians in need to get the most out of their education, so they can create better futures for themselves.

The next monthly meeting & lunch will be held on Wednesday 1st May & 3rd June 2024.

- Name: Buderim VIEW Club
- Charity: The Smith Family
- Venue: Buderim Tavern
- Date: 1st Wednesday of each month
- Time: 11 am for 11:30 am start
- Cost: \$30 - Lunch and hire of Function Room
- RSVP: Gail gai3@optusnet.com.au or phone 5476 7163 by the previous Saturday

Attending our club's events will help raise funds for The Smith Family, helping with education of students from disadvantaged families.

Presently our Buderim VIEW Club supports 8 school children.

Website: <https://www.thesmithfamily.com.au/view-clubs/find-a-club/qld/buderim-view-club>



Jenny thanks the guest speaker Noel Stallard, who is a "Bush Poet"



L to R: Vice President Gail presented the 30 year badge to President Antionette



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HEADLAND-BUDERIM CROQUET CLUB

What a month! It rained and it rained and it rained. Many of us took a bit of time off from play, but a few hardy souls braved the rain and played on. Here are four of them heading back to the clubhouse to dry off after a particularly heavy downpour. Fortunately, our courts drain well, and no permanent damage was done.



This month we had a family come-and-try. For the first time our son John, his partner and two teenage boys decided to give it a go. They all had a great afternoon, and everyone ran at least one hoop. One of the boys is now investigating joining a Brisbane club. As he said, it's a perfect sport if you want to get out in the fresh air, learn strategic skills and seriously compete. And there's no risk of head injuries.

Our free come-and-try leaflets are now on display at the Old Post office, so grab one and give it a go. Or you can contact me on 04211 93828 to make a booking.

If you would like to see a video of top-level players fighting it out during the 2024 Queensland Golf Croquet Finals at Caloundra recently just google "Qld golf croquet 2024 finals". We're now looking forward to hosting the best of the best at the Australian Golf Croquet Nationals to be held on the Sunshine Coast in August/September.

Croquet is a wonderful sport which can be played at any age or fitness level. Now is the perfect time to take up our offer of a free come-and-try. Call one of our friendly coaches - John Tusler (0410 552713) or Helen Rillie (0429 433339) to book in for your free session. Our members can't wait to welcome you!

Contact Sherry Tusler more information or visit our website.



Planning a group event?

Looking for something different and fun for all?

How about giving croquet a go!

Book our courts at Syd Lingard Drive Buderim for a two-hour session and we will supply all equipment and experienced players to show you the ropes.

Cost: \$15 per player. (spectators are free)

To find out more, contact Sherry at hbcroquetclub.secretary@gmail.com



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ORIANA ARTS INC

MAMMA MIA! THIRD TIME'S A CHARM

Oriana Choir is just two weeks away from realising a dream that has been on hold for nigh on five years.

Back in the good old pre-Covid days, the Oriana music team conceived the idea of presenting a concert of classic songs by ABBA and Queen, and plans were put in motion to make that dream a reality. But, alas, our 'best-laid plans' were brought to naught. Twice! Knockdown by lockdown, and ongoing pandemic angst. And for a while, it felt as if the dream had faded away into the mist of memories that weren't to be.

But now, that's all behind us, and as the ancient saying goes, Third Time's a Charm! Dancing Queen: A Tribute To ABBA And Queen, is finally happening! Showtime is just two weeks off.

It's been a long time coming, but the time in between has been well spent. Rehearsals since the beginning of the year have been intensive and, at times, intense. But, if the energy generated during last night's rehearsal is any indication, the final result will be worth every bit of effort that the Choir has put into making this show happen; and for our audiences, it will have been worth the wait.

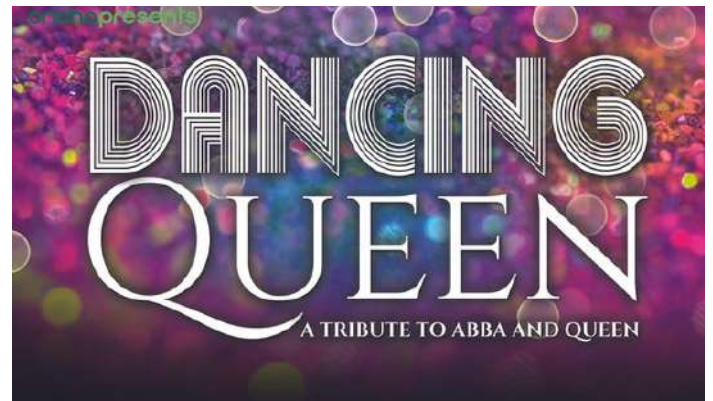
As we were running through the opening number, the sheer joy of the music, and of performing it, were so powerful that I simply couldn't get the smile off my face. And I thought to myself, "If it feels this good in a rehearsal two weeks out, how amazing will it be for our audiences?" When they pick up on the joy we get from making this wonderful music come to life, their enjoyment is pretty much guaranteed!

Rehearsing these marvellous songs over the past weeks has brought home, yet again, their true timelessness. Both ABBA and Queen had the gift of being able to write songs that had a universal appeal. Though presented to the world as 'pop' music, there was much wisdom and truth contained in many of their lyrics. They sang about love, in all its aspects – romance, love unrequited, love lost; about the very human need for connection and acceptance; and about how life is transitory, and how important it is to treasure every moment because nothing lasts.

But through it all, the music is undeniably fun! It's music that makes one feel good!

Dancing Queen will touch your emotions in many ways. There'll be laughter, there'll be tears, there'll be any number of "YES!" moments. And the joy of this music will be delivered to you undiluted, with all of the passion that Oriana brings to all its endeavours. This is a show that will stay with you long after the final note has faded away.

Don't miss it. You'll love it!



Performances:

- Saturday, May 11th, 1:30pm & 7:30pm
Stella Maris Performance Centre, Maroochydore
- Saturday May 18th, 1:30pm & 7:30pm
The J, Noosa Junction

For bookings and information,
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ROTARY CLUB OF BUDERIM

Supporting Youth, particularly in relation to education, is just one of the seven 'areas of focus' of Rotary International. Buderim Rotary has a proud history of applying this focus to the benefit of our local Youth.

With the deplorable Australian literacy statistics being the subject of much media attention recently, our Club is proudly sponsoring two 'Story Dogs' at our local schools. These dog teams are a fantastic way to encourage primary school-age children to enjoy and embrace reading, to halt the cycle of low self-esteem and employment issues which statistically go hand-in-hand with illiteracy. Teachers are lauding the efficacy of the Story Dog program as they see the benefits to their students who have been struggling with reading.

This month we return to the Nambour Showgrounds to support the RYDA program. RYDA features a highly engaging and memorable one-day workshop that seeks to improve students' understanding of road safety. The workshop sessions and practical demonstrations are designed to be held in small groups and highlight the consequences of irresponsible driving for both drivers and passengers.

The next few weeks will see us supporting Buderim Gardens by cooking up some snags at their Open Day and Craft Fair. Whilst we enjoy doing this each year, some of us lament the easy access to the wonderful, homemade cakes available at the fair (we try to leave enough for them to sell)! It is an enjoyable day for us, and we love being able to help Buderim Gardens.

Like most volunteer organizations, we struggle to build our membership to enable us to continue, and build on, the work we do for our local community. As current members we are well aware of the wonderful camaraderie, and sense of satisfaction we obtain from knowing that we make a difference in our community, however, the challenge is always enticing others to test these waters. Dispelling the long-held beliefs such as 'Rotary is mainly for men', or 'You have to go to every meeting', is challenging.



RYDA 2024 Team



Buderim Gardens BBQ

President Clive & Suzie from Story Dogs



Very simply: the Rotary Club of Buderim is a group of men and women who share a desire to make a positive difference in the community, form lasting friendships, and have fun. We have a lunch meeting with a Guest Speaker each Friday at the Buderim tavern Function Room which members can attend if able to do so, and after the meeting we head down to Mint to enjoy a coffee and chat. Locally we are involved in Buderim Australia Day Picnic in The Park, Jazz in The Park, Buderim Christmas Carols, Buderim Gardens Craft Fair, MNC Breaky for the Homeless, BMSS Brekky Club, as well as our support for local youth as mentioned above.

So, if you are interested in being involved in so many of our wonderful local community events, why not go to our website: www.rotaryclubofbuderim.com to find out more?

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SUNSHINE COAST CHAMBER MUSICAL FESTIVAL

ELENA KATZ-CHERNIN & ANNA-TAMARA CISLOWSKA

Described by Limelight magazine as a “true dream team”, Elena Kats-Chernin – as one of Australia’s most internationally recognised contemporary composers – and ARIA award-winning pianist and ABC presenter Tamara-Anna Cislovska return with 4 Hands, 1 Piano. Promising chart-topping favourites and new tunes from Kats-Chernin’s prolific hand – inspired by family and fantasy, from Sydney to Paris, via the Silk Road – these two leading ladies of classical music are truly not to be missed.

With nearly 14 million streams on Spotify in 2023 alone, the duo have performed throughout Australia at major venues and art festivals to high acclaim. Come and enjoy the sheer delight and energy of Kats-Chernin’s soul-stirring music, as well as the warm and spontaneous on-and-off-stage rapport (and cheeky humour) of these two leading women of the Australian art scene.

Repertoire

Dance of the Paper Umbrellas
 Sunshine Tango
 Human Waves (excerpts)
 Butterflying
 Sandgate Sonata (first movement)
 Trade (from Ancient Letters)
 Unsent Love Letters
 Marcato
 Eliza Aria
 Re-Inventions (first movement)
 Scherzino

Bookings:

<https://www.trybooking.com/events/landing/1194695?>

Full Program:

<https://www.sccmf.com.au/program2024>



4 Hands 1 Piano



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SUNSHINE COAST CHORAL SOCIETY

The Sunshine Coast Choral Society is delighted to be welcoming operatic soprano Ashleigh Maclaine as guest soloist in our upcoming concert, "Magnificent Melodies in May", which will take place on Sunday 5th May.

Ashleigh graduated from the University of Queensland with a Bachelor of Music (Performance) in 2010, and from the Queensland Conservatorium with a Master of Music Studies (Operatic Performance) in 2013. She began working with Opera Queensland in 2012 as a member of the chorus and a principal artist. Ashleigh has appeared as the principal soprano in many seasons with Underground Opera Company, and has featured as soprano soloist for many choral and orchestral concerts. In 2016 she travelled abroad and became a member of Theater für Niedersachsen and Opera Mobile. Upon her return to Australia in 2020, Ashleigh has continued her work with Opera Queensland and Underground Opera Company, and appeared as soprano soloist at the Rangebow Festival in 2023.

The Choral Society is entering the final stretch of preparations for their upcoming concert. Under the baton of Conductor Donna Langford, the ensemble has curated a captivating program featuring John Rutter's renowned Magnificat. John Rutter, a distinguished English composer, conductor, and arranger, is celebrated for his rich harmonies, drawing inspiration from a wide array of musical genres ranging from early music by Bach to the melodies of The Beatles.

Complementing this grand composition is Gabriel Fauré's ethereal Cantique de Jean Racine, along with a selection of delightful surprises. The repertoire promises to captivate audiences, inviting them to tap their toes, hum along to familiar melodies. Our sixty-plus voice choir will be accompanied by accompanist Izack Senbruns and an orchestral ensemble of seventeen players especially gathered for this performance.



Ashleigh Maclaine

This is a concert not to be missed, so note Sunday 5th May at 2pm in your social calendar, and we look forward to seeing you at Stella Maris Primary School Hall, Maroochydore.

For booking information, please see our flyer in this newsletter. Tickets will also be available at the door.

For further information about the choir and to stay up to date with Choral Society performances, visit our website: www.suncoastchoral.org.au follow us on Facebook or Instagram or phone our President Andrew on 0427 768 067 or Secretary Christine on (07) 54785546.



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PAWS FOR A CAUSE LIMITED TICKETS

There are less than 20 tickets left for our annual Paws for a Cause Long Lunch!

Join us on 18 May at the Bloomhill Wellness Centre, Buderim for a finely catered 3-course long lunch including drinks in the gardens. The day will also feature raffles, live and silent auctions with wonderful prizes and a chance to meet dogs and kittens available for adoption.

All proceeds will help us care for rescue cats and dogs while they wait at SCARS for their forever homes.

Join us for Paws for a Cause by visiting Eventbrite on <https://bit.ly/SCARSP4AC24>

Sunshine Coast Animal Refuge Society (SCARS) is a local not for profit animal rescue with an onsite Shelter and a significant foster based rescue program.

SCARS has been operating on the Sunshine Coast since 1979 and rescues and rehomes approximately 1000 cats and dogs every year. Most of our animals come from the local council pound with others being surrendered by residents on the coast experiencing homelessness and financial hardship.

SCARS is not government funded so relies heavily on the support of our community...our SCARS family. If you are wanting to support SCARS and the valuable work we do for abandoned animals, please consider fostering, adopting, volunteering or donating.

Sunshine Coast Animal Refuge

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Over 40 years of finding forever homes
for Sunshine Coast cats and dogs



MONTY

Meet Monty and Rusty, an adorable pair of best friends. Sadly, bonded pairs of cats and dogs are often difficult to find a forever home for...hopefully 8 year old Kelpie x Rusty and 5 year old Great Dane x Monty will be the exception! Monty is the goofball of the pair whilst Rusty is like the mature older brother. Both boys walk well on lead and appear to have good basic obedience. Rusty loves pats and cuddles and Monty is always up for a ball game.

These boys are inseparable, after finding themselves at the local council pound. At least they have each other, we won't separate them. So please help us find their forever home. They are onsite at the Shelter so please pop out to meet them, we are open Tuesday to Sunday (excluding public holidays) 10-5pm.

RUSTY



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SUNSHINE COAST QUOTA CLUB



Thank you to all who made our Fashion Parade with Quota Club of Caloundra such a huge success! With over 100 people in attendance, we're excited to announce we raised over \$1,600 for these admirable organisations!

Showcasing fashions from Onyx Poppy Boutique and raising funds for SunnyKids and Orange Sky Australia, it was a lovely way to spend a Saturday. Thank you to Riley and Katie for coming along to share more about the incredible work of SunnyKids - it's always fantastic to hear how our efforts are making a difference in the community.

Thank you to Caloundra Power Boat Club for hosting us and for the delicious morning tea. Special shout out to the models - many of which are from our two Quota clubs - don't they all look great!

Our members have a busy month coming up, some of us will be attending the Gympie Quota Changeover luncheon; we will be wrapping Mother's day gifts at Noosa Civic for SunnyKids, and attending the Volunteers Morning tea for SunnyKids.

If you are interested in finding out more about Quota please do not hesitate to contact Lyn Moore (email: sunshinecoastquota@gmail.com)



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TAOIST TAI CHI SOCIETY

Buderim and Sunshine Coast residents have felt the benefits of Taoist Tai Chi classes at the War Memorial Hall for over a decade. Here is what two participants have to say:

Tai Chi boosts health and relieves pain

- “Since starting Taoist Tai Chi I have noticed my mind is sharper from the process of learning something new, my back is strengthening and giving me less pain and my balance has improved so much I have noticed it at work and in my surfing. I wish I had started years ago instead of close to retirement.” (Mal in Buderim)
- “Since beginning Taoist Tai Chi classes in March 2023 I have noticed that my pain, stiffness, and tenderness especially in my spine have improved to the point where I no longer need pain medication. The most notable improvement has been my flexibility. My hip has improved as indicated by the fact that I no longer wake with pain during the night, and I can straighten my right leg for the first time in years. My confidence has increased with my mobility.” (Karen in Ninderry).



A new beginner course are available, please phone or email for the time.

The sessions are suitable for all ages, and designed for brand new beginners to experience Taoist Tai Chi and its many health and meditation benefits. Your first session is obligation-free.

Pre-registration is essential email sunshinecoast@taoisttaichi.org or phone 1800 108 801.

The Society also offers sessions in Caloundra, Eumundi, Maroochydore and Nambour. Visit www.taoisttaichi.org for more information.

The ancient art of tai chi involves a sequence of slow continuous movements which improve balance, flexibility, and well-being. Tai chi works as a moving meditation that helps body and mind to become supple and strong. The Harvard Medical School has stated that ‘tai chi is one of the best exercises you can ever do’.

These sessions are offered by the Taoist Tai Chi Society, a not-for-profit, charitable and volunteer organisation founded by Master Moy Lin Shin. The Society has over 50 years’ experience in making tai chi available in 25 countries around the world.



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WELSH SOCIETY OF THE SUNSHINE COAST

Thanks to Roxxie Young and the BWMCA we will have a window display at the Old Post Office in Buderim from July 5 - 12. We will display some Welsh artefacts and advertise our annual Festival of Music and Singing.

We are delighted that this year our Festival will be held at the Buderim War Memorial Hall on July 21. The concert starts at 2 pm, and the doors open at 1.15 pm. Patrons will be encouraged to book using Trybooking. Flyers and other means of advertising will be used to promote our Festival.

We are grateful that the BWMCA has allowed us to book and use the hall. In turn, we as affiliates can contribute to the BWMCA.

Our Festival has evolved from the Welsh traditions of the Gymanfa Ganu and Noson Lawen.

The Gymanfa Ganu or Community Singing is a celebration of Hymn Singing. This was once immensely popular in Welsh chapels. We will invite the audience to join in the singing of a couple of popular hymns, also the Welsh National Anthem and 'We are Australian'.

A 'Noson Lawen' is literally a 'Fun Night' run in a concert format. The emphasis is on entertainment.

We have performers who are excellent entertainers in Kim Kirkman, Scott Gaedtke and Elisabeth Gaedtke.

Elisabeth Gaedtke



A feature of our Festival has been the free 'Welsh afternoon tea' where we offer traditional Welsh delicacies of 'Pice ar y Maen' (Welsh cakes) and Bara Brith (Speckled Bread) with other cakes and biscuits.



For those who follow Rugby there is great anticipation and excitement with the British Lions and Wales touring this year. The closest game to us is when the Queensland Reds host Wales at Suncorp Stadium on the night of July 19.



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Kim Kirkman



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Community Groups

- 4 Paws Animal Rescue – Kate Buckley, (07) 54 771 718
- Buderim Scouts – Nicole Long, 0449 944 074
- Buderim Library Association – Pam Wicks, 5445 3779
- Buderim VIEW Club – Antionette O'Connor 0438 199 674
- Coastal Caring Clowns – Dr Robin Redknapp, 0458 773 387
- E.J Foote Sanctuary – Geoffrey Hole, 0415 265 534
- Sunshine Coast Animal Refuge (SCARS) – Penny Brischke 0438 003 521
- Sunshine FM 104.9 – Mary Glover 5450 1049
- Sunshine Coast Dementia Alliance – Jacinta Roberts, 5353 5275

Community Support

- Buderim Foundation – Susi Du Toit 0474 220 895
- Buderim Private Hospital Auxiliary – Gail Mackenzie 0406 537 290

Religion – Churches

- St Mark's Anglican Church – Ven Dr Lucy Morris, 5445 2060
- Uniting Church, Buderim – Patricia Williams

Education

- Buderim Community Kindergarten– Hayley Chesham, 0468 940 711
- Immanuel Lutheran College – Louise Ford 5477 3419, 0409 757 440
- Sunshine Coast Grammar School –Mark Henricks, 5445 4444

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Cultural & Interest Groups

- 3bCreative – Anne Grant, 0400 570 880
- ArtsNational Sunshine Coast formerly ADFAS– Dawne H. Clarke, 0400 366 616
- BATS Theatre Company – Alice Rea, 0427 856 680
- Buderim Concert Band – James Moir, 0419 669 678
- Buderim Contract Bridge – Sandi Owen 0416 081 576
- Buderim Craft Cottage – Jenny Williams, 0421 645 404
- Buderim Garden Club – John Lyon, 0448 714 561
- Buderim Historical Society – Kevin Briggs, 0488 021 894 **Pioneer Cottage** – 07 5450 1966
- Buderim Male Choir – Allan Herring, 0428 115 535
- Buderim–Palmwoods Heritage Tramway – Helene Cronin, 5476 9509
- Friends of Maroochy Bushland Botanical Gardens – Lynn Vlismas, 0408 466 808
- Graduate Women Qld Sunshine Coast – Wendy Ashley–Cooper, 0429 700 610
- Moving Forward Sunshine Coast Community Form Inc – Abby Begeta, 0413 618 725
- Oriana Arts – Melissa Innes, 0419 258 027
- Sunshine Coast Choral Society – Andrew Burns, 0427 768 067
- Sunshine Coast Quota Club – Lyn Moore, 0400 086 336
- Sunshine Statesmen Barbershop Chorus – Merv Elliot, 5445 2907
- SCart to Sunshine Coast Art Group (SCArt)– Cath Aronsten, 0422 732 837
- Sunshine Coast Welsh Society – Emyrs Jones, 0408 778 743
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- Vietnam Charity Group – Lynda Dyer, 0418 960 366

Ambulance Committee

- Buderim Local Ambulance Committee – Don Culley, 5445 1871 or Secretary Hayley Mailman 0499 181 901

Social Service Clubs & Organisations

- Lions Club Buderim- Brian McBride, 0419 367 656
- Order of St John of Jerusalem Knights Hospitaller – Garry Cant, 0412 989 811
- Probus Club of Buderim Inc – Con McCosker, 0474 731 360
- Probus Club of Buderim Mountain – Nev Winter, 0408 813 921
- Magnolia Health Inc (Endometriosis) – Alice Paine, 0466 329 327
- Rotary Club of Buderim – Joan Jackson, 0408 644 906

Sport & Recreation

- Buderim Billiards and Snooker Club – Jeff Pickering, 0439 669 717
- USC Cricket Club formerly Buderim Cricket Club – Noel Ward, 0407 769 739
- Buderim Firebirds Netball – Emma Lendrum, 0411 090 340
- Buderim Bowls Club – Darren Colburn, 0400 733 737
- Headland-Buderim Croquet – Sherry Tusler 0421 193 828
- Suncoast Chess Club – Chris Koloszar, 0449 914 747
- SC Square Dance Centre – Nev McLachlan, 0417 729 263 or Bev 0427 135 442
- Taost Tai chi Society – Simon Matters, 1800 108 801

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If you have anything you would like to contribute to our newsletter or 'What's On In Buderim', do not hesitate to email the Editor at admin@bwmca.com.au by the 24th of the month please.



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