



# SHERBROOKE U3A Inc.

## NEWSLETTER 20 OCTOBER 2020

Upwey Seniors Community Centre: 6 Mahony Street - in car park behind Upwey Shops. PO Box 1153 Upwey, 3158  
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### TENTATIVE DATES FOR 2021

Term 1:

Mon 8 Feb – Fri 26 Mar

Term 2:

Mon 26 Apr – Fri 18 Jun

Term 3:

Mon 19 Jul – Fri 10 Sep

Term 4:

Mon 11 Oct – Fri 10 Dec

**AGM: If possible  
28<sup>th</sup> JAN 2021**

### CURRENT COMMITTEE

President:

Judith Patrick

Vice President: Diana  
Little

Acting Secretary: Judith  
Patrick

Minute Secretary: Anna  
Lane

Treasurer:

Barbara Yawney

Classes:

Jean Pettitt-Brown

Fred Alder

Linda Rogers

### CURRENT CONTACTS:

Judith Patrick

9754 3507

Barbara Yawney  
0431 700 906

*HOW GOOD HAS IT BEEN to still be a member, even with many services suspended during our challenging year of 2020.*

*HOW GOOD OF NETWORK who used the time to set up many valuable workshops on UMAS and ZOOM which are helping all the U3A's in Victoria. They continue to make us strong and many of us are eagerly waiting a return to "face-to-face" togetherness in our chosen times.*

*HOW GOOD IT HAS BEEN in the depths of Corona to know that like seeds beneath a winter's cold, warmth will come in a rush of Spring and there we are again.*

*HOW GOOD to create all the next online time connecting many to classes. HOW GOOD is Zoom for all who need it.*

*HOW GOOD the thanks we give to all of you and how glad we are that you are still Corona Safe allowing a return to more normal Corona time.*

*HOW GOOD we are nearly there, and there to Barb Yawney is .....  
"It will be like the best Spring of all as we are able to see our friends and family, get a haircut, sit in a restaurant, travel, - as restrictions are gradually eased."*



*Zoom is still slowly gathering momentum among the members. If any Tutor is interested in conducting a class please contact Barb. 0431 700 906.*

*How good the time  
Suspended thou It be  
Free of Corona Grime  
Uniting You and Me*

Judith

## GOOD TIMES



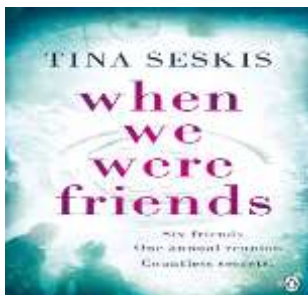
## WHERE ARE YOU?



## BE KIND – BE MINE



## SPREAD THE SWEET STUFF



## Committee meeting

The Committee met recently and agreed to delay the AGM until January 28<sup>th</sup> 2021 (tentative date). The AGM hopefully will take place at Upwey Hall with a *bring a plate lunch*. Formal notice will be sent out closer to the date. We need a strong and vibrant Committee for 2021 so PLEASE, PLEASE offer to volunteer whatever help you can. Too few are doing too many jobs and we do not want to close down any activities.

This meeting also agreed that because 2021 was interrupted by Covid-19 from the end of Term 1, the 2021 membership fee structure would be tentatively set at \$15.00 per for 2020 members (both full and associate) for 2021, and new members for 2021 will be required to pay \$40. Please note that these rates are tentative, because we needed a rate structure for planning purposes. The final fee structure will be decided by members at the AGM.

Thanks to Linda Rogers for helping with chores and we wish her much happiness in her move to Queensland. You will be missed.

We intend to look into more online classes for senior citizens including working in partnership with our local library on the Social Seniors Program. (More details on the Eastern Regional libraries website).

We would love to hear from anyone who would like to lead/tutor a class. It is such a worthwhile time sharing and caring with friendly people who often stay friends all the time.

A new class on Fridays “Photos with Words” (some of life’s stories) with Marian Robertson as Tutor will start asap.

“Singing for Fun” will be trialed on Monday afternoons 2:30pm to 4.00pm. Sing each other’s favorite songs. Jan Wood will be playing the piano and guiding your vocals

In 2021 Anna Lane will be taking 2 one-hour “Linedancing” classes per week. One for Advanced dancers and the other for no longer beginners. We are currently looking for some happy foot tappers to offer a “Beginner’s Linedancing” class to all the eager-eyed, foot ready members wanting to have a go. PLEASE PLEASE

Maybe we can organize an online class.

We have received some information from Yarra Ranges Council on preparing the Hall for re-entry. It is quite involved and we will shortly be able to provide you with more information on the use of Upwey Hall and other venues we lease for classes. It does seem clear that all being good in the Corona World we will be up and running next year.

MORE NEWS SHORTLY

Miss you. Keep Safe. - Judith & Committee



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YOU WILL JUST HAVE TO BE PATIENT.

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For Your Diary

# For Your Diary

The U3A dates are tentative only

January	Australia Day	Tuesday 26
	Sherbrooke U3A AGM	Thursday 28
	School Term 1 begins	Thursday 28 (for students)
February	U3A Term 1 begins	Monday 8
March	Labour Day	Monday 8
	U3A Term 1 ends	Friday 26
April	School Term 1 ends	Thursday 1
	Good Friday	Friday 2
	Daylight Saving ends	Sunday 4
	Easter Tuesday	Tuesday 6
	School Term 2 begins	Monday 19
	Anzac Day	Sunday 25
	U3A Term 2 begins	Monday 26
May	Mothers' Day	Sunday 9
June	Queen's Birthday	Monday 14
	U3A Term 2 ends	Friday 18
	School Term 2 ends	Friday 25
July	School Term 3 begins	Monday 12
	U3A Term 3 begins	Monday 19
August		
September	U3A Term 3 ends	Friday 10
	School Term 3 ends	Friday 17
	Fathers' Day	Sunday 5
October	Grand Final Holiday (tentative)	Friday 1
	Daylight Saving begins	Sunday 3
	School Term 4 begins	Monday 4
	U3A Term 4 begins	Monday 11
November	Melbourne Cup	Tuesday 2
	Remembrance Day	Wednesday 11
December	U3A Term 4 ends	Friday 10
	School Term 4 ends	Friday 17
	Christmas Day	Saturday 25
	New Year's Eve	Friday 31+