The Meridian

Woden Senior Citizens Newsletter

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The New Year has just begun and we are already experiencing a few problems.

The new air conditioning system <u>must</u> be used according to the manufacturer's instructions. Doors and or windows <u>must</u> be left open whilst the air conditioner is in operation. Our air conditioning system cools fresh air coming through the vents in the ceiling, this air must be allowed to escape through the open doors and or windows. If the air is unable to escape, condensation and other air born bacteria will be allowed to build up, the club would therefore be an unhealthy environment. Further to this our warranty on this expensive asset would be breached and become worthless. Whilst the club is unattended the air conditioning system <u>must</u> be turned off at the main switch. Please do not alter air conditioning setting unless you have been shown the correct procedure. Please ask Pat Cummins, or one of the club members who have been shown how to run the system for assistance.

If you have not been shown how to use the air conditioning system, don't touch.

The dishwasher is another piece of equipment that is not been used correctly. Cups/mugs should have lipstick or other marks removed before being rinsed and placed on the rack upside down ready for the dishwasher. Do not put plates and saucers on the bottom of the rack with cups piled on top. It would be helpful if club members could wash, dry and put away their own saucers. Turning the dishwasher off is most important, if you don't know how to use the dishwasher leave it to those who do.

Our club is run for the benefit of its members, it is not a profit making venture. Everything that happens in the club is a result of our members efforts. These benefits are enjoyed by all of us. The \$1 activity fee is very reasonable and is only possible because of the efforts of the volunteers.

We are holding our annual fete on April 24 1999, Jean Craven is the coordinator. This is a good time for you to clear out your cupboards, garages and sheds, new and old goods would be greatly appreciated. Fruit for jam making and ingredients for cakes can be donated by those who can't cook to those who can. If you have any brilliant ideas for money making (for the club) please let Jean know, or get in touch with me.

Myra Hickey is going to run a craft stall at the Kambah Markets on the 6th March, she needs donations and helpers, any takers? A raffle will be run at the same time, tickets for the raffle will be on sale at the club. We are also going to apply for a stall at Fishwick Markets, but it may take 6 months to get a vacancy.

A fan is to be purchased for the men's toilet, Santo will install it. Ray has sprayed the new garden for weeds, we will be having another working bee later in the year when the weather becomes cooler. Mr W Thomas is going to install the wall protector in the new room.

Kay Fullagar celebrated her 90th birthday with 40 club members on Tuesday 12th of January. Kay had a lovely day, Happy Birthday Kay.

Barbara Sutcliffe is out of hospital and on the mend.

Obituary

Jack Lazarus (bridge) and Pat Walsh (bowls) have sadly passed away, our thoughts are with their families.