



# Bella Vista Waters and The Lakes

## Community Newsletter

August-September 2013

### You are welcome to join us at:

#### MAH-JONG GROUP

Are you interested in learning how to play Mah-jong? We meet every second Tuesday.

**Date:** 13<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup> August, 10<sup>th</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup> September

**Time:** 11 am to 3 pm

**Venue:** Bella Vista Waters Sales & Info Office

**Contact:** Margaret on 9629 3036 or Bev on 9634 7187

#### FRIDAY HAPPY HOUR

Come for a relaxing drink, chat & bite to eat on the 1st Friday of each month

**August:** 2<sup>nd</sup> August. 6.00 pm to 8.00 pm

**Venue:** Business lounge area, The Coffee Club, Corner of Norwest Boulevard & Blookhollow Avenue. Look for the BVW Happy Hour sign. The Coffee Club have a \$5 drinks deal until 7 pm (beers, wines & spirits).

#### SPECIAL FRIDAY HAPPY HOUR

**September:** 6<sup>th</sup> September 6.00 pm to 8.00 pm

**Venue:** Island2Island Beverage Company, Unit1, 11 Packard Avenue Castle Hill. Cost: \$10 donation at the door. Join us for a special night of whiskey tasting, cocktails, wine & nibbles. Non-alcoholic drinks also provided.

**RSVP:** to assist with catering, please let Tuula know if you are coming by Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> September.

#### MUMS' GROUP – TEDDY'S PICNIC

Spring is a great time to get together in the park, meet other mums and children. Bring your child's favourite Teddy Bear (or toy) for a special picnic. Please also bring food to share.

**Date:** Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> September

**Time:** 10.00am

**Venue:** Hill Top Park (aka Rowanbrae Reserve)

**RSVP & Contact:** Barbara on 0410 438 466

#### KNIT FOR CHARITY

**Date:** Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> August

Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> September

**Time:** 2.30 pm

**Venue:** Bella Vista Waters Sales & Information Office

Come along, knit & have afternoon tea. You can also donate wool (colourful 8 ply acrylic) or money to purchase wool. Don't know how to knit? Let the ladies teach you how. Supports Wrap with Love charity project.

**Contact:** Mary on 0438 614 177

Welcome to our spring newsletter. **Are you on our email mailing list?** We send out occasional community updates and event reminders. Please contact Tuula today so we can keep in touch – contact details are on page 2.

#### ARE YOU ENJOYING THE BENEFITS OF BEING A COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION MEMBER?

We invite you to become a member of Bella Vista Waters Community Association so you can enjoy the benefits for a whole year, while supporting our community. Your support will enable us to keep organising events, producing newsletters and more. Current Business Partners are listed on our website. To join, please visit [www.bvwca.com.au](http://www.bvwca.com.au). Please contact Tuula if you have any questions, suggestions or feedback.



#### DRINKS, COMMUNITY INFORMATION NIGHT & BVWCA AGM

You are invited to join us for some drinks and light food, find out the latest happenings in Bella Vista

Waters, meet people, find out more about the Community Association and join is our brief AGM. You are also able to join the Association on the night, get your Loyalty Card and start enjoying the benefits. Why not come along, get involved as **your community needs you**. Drinks & supper provided.

**Date:** Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> August at 7.00 pm

**Venue:** Bella Vista Waters Sales & Information Office

**RSVP:** To assist with catering, please let us know if you are coming by Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> August.

#### HUNTER VALLEY COACH TOUR

Join us for a great day out in the beautiful Hunter Valley. Travel by luxury coach, enjoy local wine, cheese, chocolate and produce, including a visit to Hunter Valley Gardens Village. For adults only (18 years and over).

**Date:** Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> September

**Departs:** 7.30 am, return by approximately 7.30 pm

**Cost:** \$45 per person, includes coach, morning tea & tours. Lunch is not included. You can bring your own or purchase at Hunter Valley Gardens Village.

**Bookings:** Book & pay (cash only) at Bella Vista Waters Sales & Information Office by Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> September.

Office is open Monday to Wednesday 10 am to 4 pm.

Tickets on sale from 1<sup>st</sup> September. If you are unable to visit the sales office during the day, please contact Tuula.



#### BELLA VISTA WATERS COMMUNITY FESTIVAL

Will be held on 27<sup>th</sup> October. There will be more information in our October-November newsletter & website.

## Regular Activities

### BELLA VISTA WATERS MEN'S GROUP

**Date:** Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> August  
Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> September

**Time:** 10.00am

**Venue:** Café McKels, Shop 14, CircaRetail, 1 Circa Boulevard, Bella Vista

**Enquiries:** phone Barry Pareezer on 0409 916 380 or Denis on 0411 550 864

### FRIDAY COFFEE CLUB

*Meets 2<sup>nd</sup> Friday of each month. Come along & enjoy local coffee shops with new friends.*

**Time:** 10.00 am

9<sup>th</sup> August at Kitchen Inc, T1 Building, 14 Lexington Drive, Bella Vista

13<sup>th</sup> September at Café McKels, Shop 14 Circa Retail, 1 Circa Boulevard, Bella Vista

### LUNCHEON LADIES

*Meets 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of each month. Meet with the girls for fun, friendship & local restaurant experiences.*

21<sup>st</sup> August at 12.00pm: The Coffee Club, Corner Norwest Boulevard & Brookhollow Avenue, Baulkham Hills

18<sup>th</sup> September at 12.00pm: Anais – Taste of Persia, 1/11-13 Brookhollow Avenue, Baulkham Hills

**RSVP:** please phone Margaret on 9629 3036 or Suzanne on 8824 3091 **2 days prior.**

### PAINTING CLASSES WITH PEGGY

**Date:** Fridays

**Time:** 9.30am to 12.30pm

**Venue:** Bella Vista Waters Sales & Information Office

**Bookings & Enquiries:** Call Peggy McGovern on 0417 190 200

**Cost:** \$20 per class

*No experience necessary. Come along and see what hidden talents you might have.*

### GROUP FITNESS TRAINING

*The next five week block of IN2Life NIGHT OPS Group Training starts Monday 12<sup>th</sup> August. It's \$50 for one session a week and \$100 for two session a week (only \$10/session!) So if you want to lose weight and have fun with other Bella Vista Water residents, why not come along and join us!*

**When:** Mondays & Wednesdays from 7.15pm to 8.15pm

**Winter Venue:** Norwest Lake off Maitland Pl (off Solent Circuit, near Lakeside Restaurants)

## LOCAL NEWS



Our Christmas in July Dinner was greatly enjoyed by all at Bella Vista Hotel. Knit for Charity ladies donated two blankets for the raffle, which raised \$155 for our Community Association. Thank you to Thai Waterfront and Miss Confetti for donating the lucky door prizes. You can find both businesses on our website.



There was a lot to do and see at our Powerhouse Discovery Centre outing in the July school holidays. You can get behind the scenes of Australia's largest and most diverse museum at the Discovery Centre at Castle Hill and see some of the many objects rarely on display.

## WHAT'S NEW AROUND TOWN:

Did you know about Anais – Taste of Persia, a new restaurant at 1/11-13 Brookhollow Avenue? They are a new Loyalty Card Partner with BVWCA, offering a 20% discount off your bill.

Suzi's Jewellery & Accessories has moved to Suite 111B, 32 Lexington Drive, Bella Vista. Check it out, girls!

**MORE EVENT PHOTOS:** Our website: [www.bvwca.com.au](http://www.bvwca.com.au) – check out our photo gallery, news & event information. Like us on Facebook: [www.facebook.com/bvwca](http://www.facebook.com/bvwca)

## DO YOU HAVE FURNITURE OR HOUSEHOLD GOODS YOU NO LONGER NEED?

Please call Providential Assist (new name for Helping Hand) on 0412 084 509. Providential Assist is a local charity organisation, bringing emergency relief to those in need.



Do you have news or announcements you'd like to share? Contact us and we'll put it in the newsletter.

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