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MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Let me first wish all of you the very best for 2023!

Our Christmas Lunch was a success, with over 150 meals served. None of this could have happened without the tireless efforts of our volunteer staff, who cooked, served, washed up and collected rubbish. Thank you all for your continued support and effort.

We held our annual Children's Christmas party in the main hall, just prior to the main luncheon for adultsl. As usual, the children had a fun morning, with statue dancing performed by Sabrina Fenwick, face painting and balloon twisting and a bunch of other games. Santa Claus, who was looking very trim, surprised the children with gifts. A prepacked lunch, organised by Brett Benjamin, was made up for each child. This was a big hit.

A separate membership table was run by Karina Klass and Valeri Conier, and we were very pleased at the number of renewals that came through o the day. In our enthusiasm for the day, we also had two lucky draws which were sold out. Music on the day was provided by KlassWorks Duo and friends. What a great end to our regular 2022 lunches, with everyone up and dancing, especially to the Jinkli Nona which was the final song for the event.

As you may already know, we are not hosting a lunch in January 2023. However, we will be back in the swing of things on Sunday, 12 February 2023. Entertainment will be by Bobby Beins as well as duo, 2Can, (Harvey Fitzgerald and Larry Jaswan).

On Saturday, 25 March 2023, we will be celebrating our 34th annual Anniversary Dance and music will be provided by 'Hold The Line'. Tickets will be on sale very soon.

Best wishes. Kay Klass - President







WINNERS

Winners must be present to claim prizes.

Lucky Numbers - 2 draws

Members' Draw

\$25 - Lorna Rodrigues

& Simone de Souza

\$15 - Margaret Chowdhurie

& Francesca Scully

\$10 - Brenda Parasuraman & Phillip de Mello \$30 - Sandra Balfour

Jackpot \$90





SUNDAY LUNCH DRESS IN ANYTHING RED!

Calendar of Events

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AEAWA OUTREACH PROGRAMME

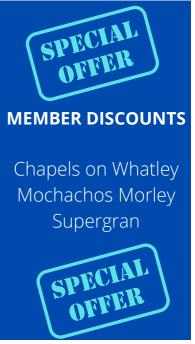
Would you, or anyone else you know, like to have a team member from the Association call you for a friendly visit?

Would you like to catch up for a cup of coffee and a 'chin wag'? Please know that we are here for you, you are not alone. Our Outreach Programme members are ever ready and will arrange to meet at your home or somewhere close to you.

Contacts:

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WHAT MATTERS MOST

It's not how long we held each others hand
What matters is how well we loved each other
It's not how far we traveled on our way
Or what we found to say
It's not the spring you see, but all the shades of green

It's not how long I held you in my arms
What matters is how sweet the years together
It's not how many summer times we had to give to fall
The early morning smiles we tearfully recall
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~ Kenny Rankin

It is important that we acknowledge the passing of our members, family and friends. To assist in this regard, we humbly request you to please pass on relevant details to any of the committee members, so that we can publish details in the newsletter.

PROJECT REMINISCING

Do you have any stories from the old days? Would you love to share them with us? Please - we really want to hear what you have to share.

What next:

Simply write your story. It doesn't have to be long - just interesting. If you have someone who can type it up for you that would be great, but not necessary. After we gather up these wonderful pieces of history, we hope to print them into a booklet to be shared to all our members.

Just one A4 page per story.



We warmly welcome all guests to the club, and encourage members to bring friends and family along to our monthly gatherings.

Let's build a vibrant community ~ free of hate and full of love for one another!

We kindly request all guests to sign the **Visitor Book** upon arrival, so that we may acknowledge and welcome them during the proceedings of the day.

Members' Affairs

Fees for membership are very affordable. Your membership subscriptions are key to keeping the association alive.

MEMBER FEES (2023)

Joining fee of \$20

Family - \$28 per annum (\$75.60 - 3 years) Single - \$19 per annum (\$51.30 - 3 years) Seniors - \$15 per annum (\$40.50 - 3 years)

We encourage membership renewals by 31st December each calendar year. Renewals may be made by:

- Direct deposit
 Australian Eurasian Association of WA Inc.

 BSB 306042 ACCOUNT: 082 1395
- Post

Download the application form on our website www.eurasianwa.com.au

We warmly welcome new members to our club. Joining is easy. Simply complete a membership application form, available from any committee member, or download from our website: www.eurasianwa.com.au

NEW MEMBER

Please extend a very warm welcome to the following new member of the association:

Anthony Martin

















PRIVACY

Photos and videos of members and friends of the association are regularly posted in the newsletter, on Facebook and the Website. Please do let us know if you do not wish to be included so that we may remove your photos accordingly.



























We are excited to be celebrating the Club's 34th Anniversary with a Lunch Dance event, on Saturday, 25th March 2023.

The venue is the main hall, at the Royal Australian Airforce Association Club in Bull Creek.

Ticket sales have commenced!

Please get in touch with any of the committee members to secure your seats.

At \$40 members (\$50 non-members), you will be enjoy a delicious sit down meal of:

- Roast Pork and vegetables; or
- Fish and vegetables
- Dessert a selection of Asian kuehs

Your table will be provided with:

- a bottle of white wine
- a bottle of red wine
- a jug of lemon, lime & bitters.
 *Spirits will be available for you to purchase at club prices.

Entertainment

For live entertainment, we have engaged an upcoming band, "Hold The Line", who will be playing many of your favourites. Be prepared to dance your feet off!







SUNDAY LUNCH ENTERTAINMENT













Our AEAWA monthly Sunday lunches are not to be missed! First off the mark for 2023, will be a double act. Solo artist, Bobby Beins and duo, 2Can will be entertaining you throughout the day.



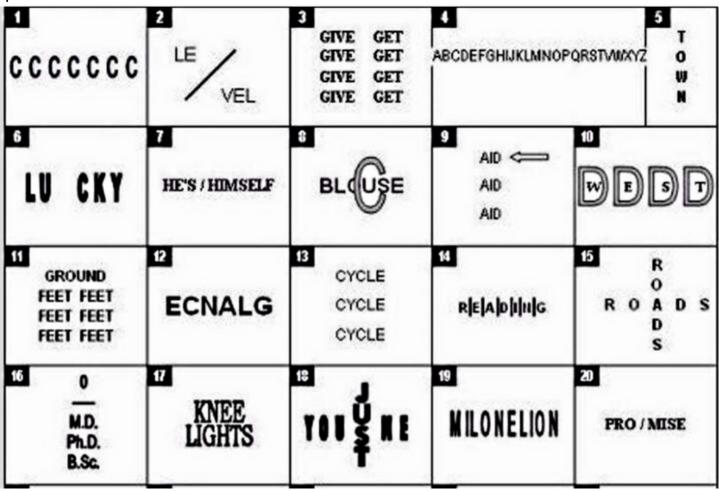
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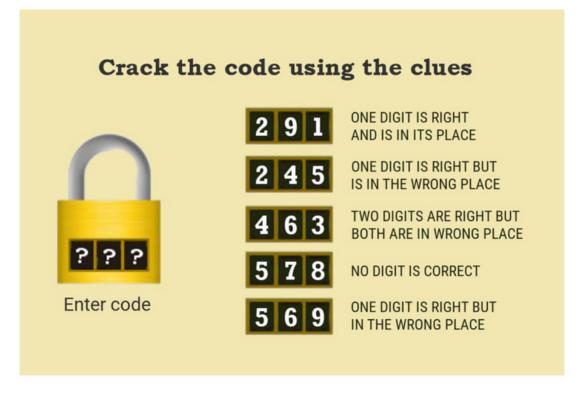
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We're not the West Australian, but our readers are sincere folk wanting to support local talent and businesses.

For more information about our rates and available space, please contact *Karina Klass on* 0405 520 064 or email at *eurasianwa@gmail.com*

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Kiat Te (Author) & Alan Jupp (Editor)



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TRADITIONAL HIGH TEA





Transport yourself back to the days of old, during British colonisation, high tea in the French quarter of Shanghai in the 1920s - 30s, or Singapore High Tea at the Raffles Hotel.

Even in the grand hotels of India, or in the port of Melaka in Malaysia - all have a culture steeped in British history ever evolving and manifesting into the Eurasian heritage we see today.

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