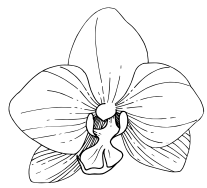


# Australian Eurasian Association of WA Inc.



# The Eurasian



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## MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

It seems like ages since our last newsletter. The reason for this is because we have had three successful events since then.

The AEAWA annual dinner, which is usually held at Bentley Pines training restaurant, was changed a few weeks prior, to Chapels On Whatley. This turned out for the best.

Wow! What a wonderful venue and such a delicious spread. We were warmly greeted by owners, Keith Archer and Glenn Bartels, who provided each guest with a welcoming glass of bubbly. This was followed by three courses of Eurasian fare and coffee/tea. If you have never been to Chapels on Whatley, please do yourself a favour!

Our monthly lunch, held on 11th June was a little quieter than usual, due to heavy rains. Despite the weather, we still had a good turnout of 130 visitors. We were spoilt with music provided by ex-Thunderbird members, Heather McKenzie, Richard Danker, Harvey Fitzgerald and Melissa Fitzgerald (daughter of Derrick Fitzgerald) accompanying on drums was Jason Fernandez and Dixie Ferdinands on lead guitar. What a lineup!

Our inaugural 'Til You Drop Line Dance Extravaganza saw over 150 guests flock to the Laguna Veneto Hall in Dianella. We have never experienced so many line dancers in one venue. Our heartfelt thanks to Wanda Heldt for making contact with so many line-dance schools, who all agreed to come together for 4 hours of non-stop line dancing ... 'Til You Drop!

We are pleased to bring back some of our favourite dishes for the monthly lunch of 9th July. Nasi Lemak, Mee Rebus, Tahu Goreng and Soup Kambing will be on offer.

Listening entertainment will be provided by one of our favourite singer/guitarists, Hans (Vernie) Solo. Alternating sets will be provided by the delightful, DJ DanceyPantz (Cheri), who will get you dancing off the calories from lunch.

See you there!

Thank you everyone.

Warm regards,

Kay Klass - President

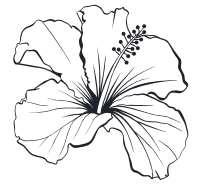


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## WINNERS

Winners must be present to claim prizes.



### Lucky Numbers - Draw 1

\$25 - Elley Ballard

\$15 - Brenda Parasuraman

\$10 - Wilfred Koh

### Lucky Numbers - Draw 2

\$25 - Valarie Richards

\$15 - Lizada Mikaere

\$10 - Bill Jackson



### Members' Draw

Carole Richards

Winner -\$40



## Calendar of Events

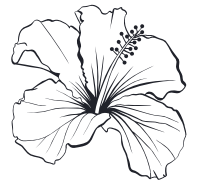
JUL 2023	9 - Sunday Lunch 16 - BINGO
AUG 2023	13 - Sunday Lunch (International day) 20 - Afternoon Tea Party
SEP 2023	10 - Sunday Lunch (Father's Day) 24 - BINGO
OCT 2023	8 - Sunday Lunch 29 - Swan River Soiree
NOV 2023	12 - Sunday Lunch (Remembrance) tba - MUSIC QUIZ
DEC 2023	5 - The Great Eurasian Escape 6 - The Great Eurasian Escape 10 - Sunday Lunch & Children's Christmas Party
JAN 2024	HOLIDAY TIME
FEB 2024	11 - Sunday Lunch
MAR 2024	10 - Sunday Lunch
APR 2024	21 - Annual General Meeting
MAY 2024	12 - Sunday Lunch



Please register your interest via SMS or EMAIL or PHONE or on Expression of Interest forms.



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## SUNDAY LUNCH ENTERTAINMENT

### JULY

9th July 2023  
**Hans' Solo Act**  
**DJ DanceyPantz**



### AUGUST

13th August 2023  
**2 The Max**



### SEPTEMBER

10th Sept 2023  
**Bobby Beins**



### OCTOBER

8th October 2023



### NOVEMBER

12th Nov 2023  
**tba**



### DECEMBER

10th Dec 2023  
**tba**



### JANUARY

Break time



### FEBRUARY

11th Feb 2024  
**tba**

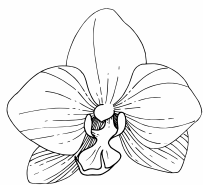


### MARCH

10th Mar 2024  
**tba**



We are ever grateful to our guest performers, who sacrifice many hours of their precious Sundays, to come and entertain us at the monthly Eurasian Sunday Lunches. They perform for us free of charge. Thank you, thank you, thank you.



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Come and enjoy two days, promising to be filled with lots of:

- fun
- music
- friendship

Escape from your daily routine at this lovely seaside venue.

Accommodation is selling fast, so book your spot soon!

**Venue:** St John of God, Safety Bay Retreat Centre  
47 Gloucester Avenue, Shoalwater

**\$310 per person**

## INCLUSIONS

- 2 nights accommodation
- Daily Continental Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner
- Morning tea and Afternoon tea
- Daily activities
- Bed linen and towels provided
- Single room, complete with private ensuite

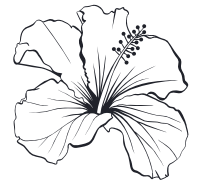
ONLINE REGISTRATION FORM:

<https://form.jotform.com/231090479491056>

EMAIL: [eurasianwa@gmail.com](mailto:eurasianwa@gmail.com) PHONE: 0405 520 064



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Get ready to shout "BINGO!" and win some amazing prizes at this fun-filled event.




**EYES DOWN**  
1:30PM

**SUNDAY, 16TH JULY**  
12:30PM - 5:30PM

**BYO NIBBLES**

**BAYSWATER BOWLING & RECREATION CLUB**

58 Murray Street, Bayswater  
0405 520 064



**Afternoon tea**

Sunday, 20th August 2023

3pm - 5pm

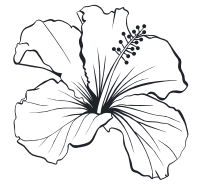
Notre Dame Parish Hall

\$25

Fundraising - AEAWA childrens' XMAS party  
Kay 0410478334 Brenda 0405636008



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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 ~ full of friendship and 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 - \$35 per annum (\$100 - 3 years)

Single - \$25 per annum (\$ 71 - 3 years)

Seniors - \$20 per annum (\$ 57 - 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](http://www.eurasianwa.com.au)**

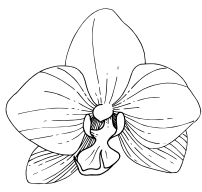
We warmly welcome new members to our club. Joining is easy.

Simply complete a membership application form, available from any committee member, or download from our website: [www.eurasianwa.com.au](http://www.eurasianwa.com.au)

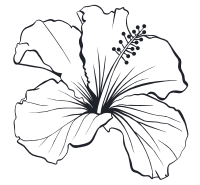
### NEW MEMBERS

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

- Gail Erickson



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## Sunday Lunches

**Cost:** Members - \$9  
 Members (80+) - \$5  
 Members (90+) - \$Free  
 All Guests - \$11

**Tickets:** First come, first served.  
 Lunch tickets cannot be issued in advance.

**Sweets:** Served after lunch

**When:** 2nd Sunday of every month, (except May)  
 (No lunch in January & April)

**Where:** Redcliffe Community Centre  
 33 Morgan Road, Redcliffe  
 (or via Grand Parade, Redcliffe)

**Doors:** 11am

**Time:** Lunch is served from 12 Noon

Mee Rebus



Tahu Goreng



Soup Kambing



Nasi Lemak



### Notes:

***To be fair, we would be grateful if you could please refrain from:***

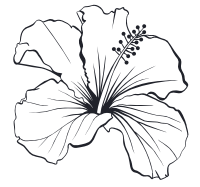
- Reserving seats;
- Purchasing lunch tickets before person arrives;
- Queueing before your ticket number is called;
- Purchasing more than one sweet package; and
- Bringing in outside food or drinks (alcohol/nibbles ok)

### ***Please also:***

- Display your membership card at the time of paying;
- Bring the correct change (whenever possible); and
- Fill in the Visitor Book, if you have brought a friend/s.



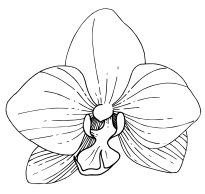
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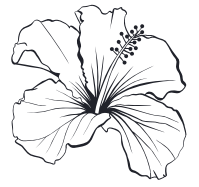
## PRIVACY

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.



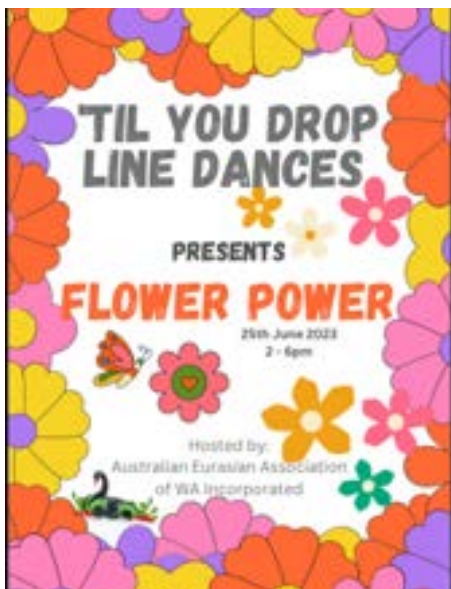


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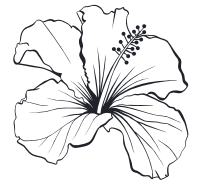


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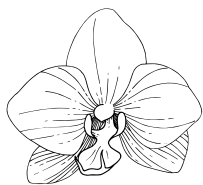
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YEAR	PRESIDENT	YEAR	PRESIDENT
1989 - 1990	John Theseira	2006 - 2007	Keith Westerhout
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1991 - 1992	Geoffrey Barker	2008 - 2009	Heather Fitzgerald
1992 - 1993	Noel Lopez	2009 - 2010	Heather Fitzgerald
1993 - 1994	Erwin Minjoot	2010 - 2011	Genevieve De Souza
1994 - 1995	Erwin Minjoot	2011 - 2012	Genevieve De Souza
1995 - 1996	John Theseira	2012 - 2013	Chad Beins
1996 - 1997	John Theseira	2013 - 2014	Chad Beins
1997 - 1998	Tony Hendricks	2014 - 2015	Chad Beins
1998 - 1999	Robert Harding	2015 - 2016	Chad Beins
1999 - 2000	Robert Harding	2016 - 2017	Carol Richards
2000 - 2001	Brian Leicester	2017 - 2018	Carol Richards
2001 - 2002	Brian Leicester	2018 - 2019	Carol Richards
2002 - 2003	Robert Harding	2019 - 2020	Carol Richards
2003 - 2004	Robert Harding	2020 - 2021	Kay Klass
2004 - 2005	Ernie Lopez	2021 - 2022	Kay Klass
2005 - 2006	Ernie Lopez	2022 - 2023	Kay Klass



Any ideas for improving our newsletters and communications?

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One day we will remember how lucky we were to have known their love, with wonder, not grief.

~ Elizabeth Postle

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen.

## IN MEMORIAM IAN WILKINS



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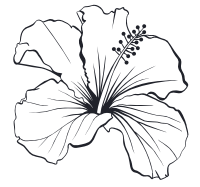
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## SAGE CENTRAL



A decade from now, promise yourself that you'll be able to say you selected your life, rather than just settling for it.



The cost of procrastination is the life you could have lived.



When I was young I used to admire rich people; now as I grow older, I admire kind people.



You know it is time to clean out your purse, when the car assumes there is a second passenger

Anything that costs you your peace, is too expensive.



The first step to a meaningful life is to stop chasing the meaningless.



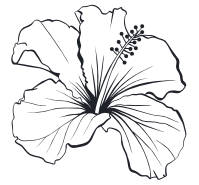
Stopping myself from buying unnecessary things is my second source of income.



Look around ... all that clutter used to be money.



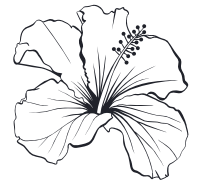
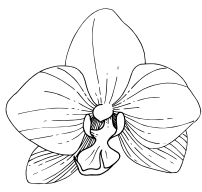
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Always laugh when you can ... it is cheap medicine.

~ Lord Byron





If you accidentally close a TAB, whilst browsing, CTRL+SHIFT+T reopens it !

If you can't think of what to get someone as a present, tell them you already bought it and ask them to guess what it is. Boom! Multiple ideas of things the person wants :)

Prevent your bathroom mirror from fogging up after a hot shower with car wax. Apply a small amount of car wax to the mirror, let it dry, then buff with a soft, dry cloth.

Do you have any HACKS you can share with us?  
Please send us the details  
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## ... a few LIFE HACKS ...

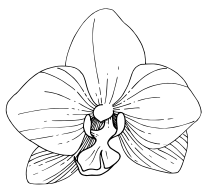
If you have many different online accounts, use ***namechk.com*** you can see every website where your username has been used

When you sign up for anything online, use the websites name as your middle name. That way, when you receive spam/advert emails, you will know who sold your info.

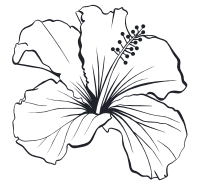
To convert Celcius to Farenheit, simply double the Celcius number and add 28

Use uncooked spaghetti as a lighter for candles that have burned down too low in the holder.

Ditch the time-consuming iron or handheld steamer to get wrinkles out of a shirt or slacks. Throw a few ice cubes or a wet washcloth in the dryer with your wrinkled clothes. As the ice melts and the water turns to steam, it will remove the wrinkles. This trick isn't as effective with heavier clothing but is a miracle for lighter fabrics. The best part is that you don't have to set the dryer for longer than 10 minutes for it to work



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## CHAPELS ON WHATLEY 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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