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## JUNE - JULY 2024 NINA - Newsletter

3RD EDITION

2024

### Latest news

Welcome to Winter, hasn't the weather turned cold very quickly.



The staff Mollie, Jackie, Vicki, Alex and myself are working tirelessly to implement a new software for our Client Management System and Transport.

The new software will be one system for the two systems we currently use. Initially the benefit of this is greatly for the staff and the services we provide to you with streamlining our processes at this stage. This will also enable staff to spend more time on implementing programs, volunteer recruitment and saving trees (paper) as things are going to be more electronic. As well as learning a new system, moving the information over, we are checking all the information is correct including My Aged Care referrals. Our go live date is Monday, 1st July 2024 and our goal is for a smooth transition, (you may all laugh but without dreams and hopes there is no room for success and improvements). What may happen is volunteers not having all the details, or information not coming across exactly or correctly and we don't have the correct My Aged Care Referrals. We are contacting clients directly if this is the case. During the month of July please be patient with us whilst we are getting to know a new system as in the end it will benefit 'you' the client. Watch this space as there is more to come in the future with the new system.

Clients could we please bare in mind that our drivers are volunteers who volunteer their time to provide transport, social support, bus/group assistance or deliver your meals to you. Please be courteous and kind, we understand that people and appointments can be delayed and traffic can play apart in getting to appointments on time. We endeavour to advise if there is going to be a delay. We are hoping the new system will also assist in this as well. If ever in doubt please feel free to contact the office......continued page 2



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Client updates

Part of the Community
Working with the Community









Book your individual transport or social group outings early. Don't leave it to the last minute, you may miss out.

During Volunteer Appreciation Week 2024 we took the Volunteers to Red Nectar, Helensburgh for lunch. We would like to acknowledge Dianne for 5 years service and Dennis for 20 years service with NINA. Keep an eye out next Newsletter for the photos and interviews.

Currently, (well all the time) we are recruiting volunteers to assist with our Management Committee for those interested in assisting in the governance of NINA. You do need to be available on the 2nd Wednesday of the month 9.30am to 11.30am in person or TEAMS-app and you don't need a first aid certificate. If you know anyone that would be interested please provide them with NINA's phone number.

We also have a variety of other tasks volunteers can do including bus driving (LR licence), individual transport, group / bus assistant, social support and administration. You do need a first aid certificate and licence if you are driving. There is something for everyone.

Don't forget to look at our group outings coming up: Lavender by the Bay restaurant at the Kirribilli Club and/or Christmas in July at Panorama House, always good to get out and enjoy meal, great company and at a great price.

Do you know which staff to speak to, sometimes it gets confusing.

Alex is our front desk, booking officer for everything (transport, social groups / outings) Vicki is our scheduler of transports

Jackie is our social coordinator

Mollie is our client intake officer and volunteer co-ordinator

Fiona is our manager.

Though we have specific jobs we all can help you with enquiries.

All the best - Fiona and the staff at NINA.



Sexual harassment & sexist behaviour will not be tolerated

### CAFE CLUB Thirroul June 2024

**DATE: Tues 4th June** 

10.30: Morning tea &

Quiz

10.30: Morning tea & Quiz with Mollie

**DATE: Tues 11th June** 

11.15: Celebrity Heads 11.15: Bingo

11:45 Reminiscing 11.45 Who said That

12.30: Lunch 12.30: Lunch

1:00: Free Ongoing Falls
Prevention Class 6/4 –30/7

1.00: Free Ongoing Falls
Prevention Class 6/4 –30/7

**DATE: Tues 18th June** 

10.30: Morning tea &

Quiz

11.15: 5 Second Rule

11:45 Chair Yoga with Hazel

12.30: Lunch

1:00: Free Ongoing Falls Prevention Class 6/4 –30/7

**DATE: Tues 25th June** 

**LUNCH OUTING** 

Pick ups from 10am. Meeting at Club at 12pm for lunch

**Helensburgh Hotel** 

**Transport \$6** 





If you would like to attend the Café Club programme on Tuesday please call the office on 4294 1900 by 1pm Monday to confirm your attendance.

Let us know if you have any special dietary needs or if you require transport to or from the program.

Thank you.

Please note program subject to change.

### CAFE CLUB Thirroul July 2024

**DATE: Tues 2nd July** 

10.30: Morning tea and Quiz

11.15: Reminiscing

11:45: Chair yoga with Hazel

12.30: Lunch

1:00: Free Ongoing Falls Prevention Class 6/4 -30/7

**DATE: Tues 16th July** 

10.30: Morning tea and

Quiz

11.15: Bananagrams

11.45: Chair Yoga with Hazel

12.30: Lunch

1.00: Free Ongoing Falls Prevention Class 6/4 –30/7

**DATE: Tues 30th July** 

10.30: Morning tea and

Quiz

11.15: Guess The Song

11.45: Chair Yoga with Hazel

12.30: Lunch

1.00: Free Ongoing Falls Prevention Class 6/4 -30/7

**DATE: Tues 9th July** 

10.30: Morning tea and

Quiz

11.15 Who said that!?

11:45: Chair yoga with Hazel

12.30: Lunch

1:00 Free Ongoing Falls
Prevention Class 6/4 –30/7

**DATE: Tues 23rd July** 

**LUNCH OUTING** 

Pick ups from 10 am. Meeting at Club at 12pm for lunch

**Bulli Workers** 

**\$6 Transport** 



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#### June 2024

Client Name:	Address:
	Phone Number:

	Phone Nur	nber:			
	Frozen Soup Range \$3.00	June 5	June 12	June 19	June 26
1	Pumpkin				
2	Pea & Ham				
3	Cream of Tomato				
4	Country Chicken & Vegetable				
5	Potato & Leek				
	Sub Total:				
	Frozen Petit Meal Range \$6.50				
6	Beef Rissoles with Gravy				
7	Homemade Beef Lasagne				
8	Beef & Bacon Casserole with potato and				
	broccoli				
9	Chicken & Veg Pie with potato mash, peas				
	& pumpkin				
10	Lemon Chicken with Jasmine Rice				
11	Chicken Parmigiana with Creamed Potato				
	& Beans				
12	Chicken & Cheese Pie with Creamed Potato				
	& Green Beans				
13	Chicken & Leek Casserole				
14	Cottage Pie (Beef mince) with roasted				
	pumpkin and green beans				
15	Roast Lamb & Mint Gravy, Potato, Beans				
16	Italian Pork Meatballs with Chunky Tomato				
	Sauce with Pasta & Peas				
17	Sweet & Sour Pork with Rice				
18	Tuna Pasta Bake				
19	Homemade Fish Cake with Chunky Tomato				
	Sauce with Roast Potato & Veg				
20	Crumbed Whiting with Roast Diced				
	Potatoes & Sliced Carrots				
	Sub Total:				
	Frozen Main Meal Range \$8.50		,		,
21	Beef Rissoles with Onion Gravy, Creamed				
	Potato, Beans & Julienne Carrots				
22	Beef Burgundy with Creamed Potato,				
	Broccoli & Whole Baby Carrots				
23	Beef Stroganoff with Pasta, Broccoli &				
	Orange Vegetable Mix				

	Frozen Main Meal Range \$8.50	June 5	June 12	June 19	June 26
24	Roast Chicken Maryland with gravy, Roast				
	Potatoes, Peas & Carrot				
25	Chicken & Spinach Casserole with Creamed				
	Potato, Peas & Whole Baby Carrots				
26	Deep Dish Chicken & Cheese Pie with				
	Creamed Potato, Green Beans & Carrots				
27	Shepherds Pie with Peas & Roast Pumpkin				
28	Lamb & Rosemary Pie with Breadcrumb				
	Top, Creamed Potato, Roast Zucchini & Carrots				
29	Roast Lamb with Mint Gravy				
30	Roast Pork with Apple Sauce & Gravy,				
	Roast Chat Potatoes, Beans & Roast				
	Pumpkin				
31	Curried Sausages with Mash Potato &				
	Vegetables				
32	Crumbed Fish served with Roast Diced				
	Potato, Cross cut Beans & Carrots				
33	Salmon Pasta Bake served with Beans, Carrots & Corn				
34	Curried Prawns with Rice & Vegetables				
	Sub Total:				
	Frozen Desserts \$3.00		-		
35	Chocolate Mud Cake & Custard				
36	Creamy Rice with Strawberry Compote				
37	Bread & Butter Pudding				
38	Tiramisu				
39	Apple Sultana Crumble & Custard				
40	Sticky Date Pudding				
41	Butterscotch Pudding & Custard				
42	Carrot Cake				
	Sub Total:				
	Total Cost				

If you require specific dietary requirements contact the office to obtain a copy of the Diet & Allergen Guide Meal delivery will be Wednesday each week.

Please advise if you are happy for a substitute if your first choice is not available? Yes No

Office use only	June 5	June 12	June 19	June 26
Packed				
Delivered				
CM				
Paid/Invoice				



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	Pumpkin					
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	Vegetables					
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Packed					
Delivered					
CM					
Paid/Invoice					

### CAFÉ CLUB Helensburgh June 2024

**DATE: 6th June** 

10.30: Morning tea with Quiz

11.15: Chair Yoga with Ellie

11.45: Who Said that ?

12.30: Lunch

1:00: Guess the Movie and

Song

**DATE: 13th June** 

**LUNCH OUTING** 

Pick ups from 10 am. Meeting at Club at 12pm for lunch

**Engadine Tavern** 

**Transport \$6** 

**DATE: 20th June** 

10.30: Morning tea with Quiz

11.15: Chair Yoga with Ellie

11.45: Who am I Disney Edition

12.30: Lunch

1:00: Dave and Dennis -

**Entertainment** 

**DATE: 27th June** 

10.30: Morning tea with Quiz

11.15: Chair Yoga with Ellie

11.45: 50/60s Stars Bingos

12.30: Lunch

1:00: Guess the Song





Let us know if you have any special dietary needs or if you require transport to or from the program.

Thank you.

### CAFÉ CLUB Helensburgh July 2024

**DATE 4th July** 

10.30: Morning tea and

Quiz

11.15: Chair Yoga with Ellie

11.45: Name the movie

monster

12.30: Lunch

1:00: Entertainment—Chimera

**DATE 18th July** 

10.30: Morning tea and Quiz

11.15: Chair Yoga with Ellie

11.45: Name the Musical

12.30: Lunch

1:00: 5 Second Rule

**DATE 11th July** 

**LUNCH OUTING** 

**Engadine Bowling Club** 

**Transport \$6** 

Pick ups from 10 am. Meeting at Club at 12pm for lunch

**DATE 25th July** 

10.30: Morning tea and Quiz

11.15: Chair Yoga with Ellie

11.45: Match the star to movie

12.30: Lunch

1:00: Bingo





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by 1pm Wednesday to confirm
your
attendance.

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## ITEMS FOR HIRE / BORROW - ALL THAT IS REQUIRED IS A DONATION

We have an abundance of walking sticks, wheelchairs & walkers that are available for NINA clients to use. Please contact the office on 0242941900 if you require an item.







As these are donated items NINA will take no responsibility for the condition of them and suitability for use.

#### <u>Leather Electric Recliner</u> For Sale



- Dark grey colour
- Excellent condition
- Electric remote control for footrest, reclines back and seat raises person into standing position
- Viewings welcome

Delivery within Helensburgh available and other locations upon agreement.

Call Carolyn 0402 616 942

## Group Outings June/July 2024

Thursday 6th June - Music & Tea - Wollongong Art Gallery Free concert featuring emerging artists.

Admin \$5, Transport \$6. Pick ups from 9:30 am

### Friday 7th June and 5th July - Memory Lane Café

A program designed for Carers and people suffering with dementia. Based in Thirroul, once a month. Please contact office for more details. Transport \$6

## Wednesday 12th June - Coffee Break - Woonona Hidden Garden

Plus 1 hour shop after in Thirroul. Transport \$6 Pick ups from 9am



#### Wednesday 19th June -Lavender by the Bay Restaurant at the Kirribilli Club Sydney

Seniors Lunch \$35 Transport \$15



## Thursday 4th July - Music & Tea - Wollongong Art Gallery Free concert featuring emerging artists.

Admin \$5, Transport \$6. Pick ups from 9:30 am

**Monday 15th July - Movies at NINA - Australia** On the brink of WW2, Lady Sarah Ashley (Nicole Kidman) arrives from Britan to Australia, to see a cattle ranch she inherited. She soon seeks help from Drover (Hugh Jackman). Admin Fee \$5, Transport \$6.



### Friday 19th July – Christmas in July at Panorama House

Lunch \$48, 3 courses, Transport \$6

Prices quoted are CHSP prices. All outings require bookings, book early as sometimes there are limited tickets. Payment for tickets is required on booking and is non refundable.

# **Shopping / Bunnings Trips**

Date	Destination
Tuesday 4th June	Bunnings Kirrawee \$6
Friday 7th June	Shellharbour Shopping \$12
Friday 14th June	Figtree Shopping \$12
Friday 21st June	Macarthur Shopping \$12
Friday 28th June	Engadine Shopping \$6
Tuesday 2nd July	Bunnings Bellambi \$6
Friday 5th July	Sylvania Shopping \$12
Friday 12th July	Dapto Shopping \$12
Friday 19th July	Warrawong Shopping \$12
Friday 26th July	Shellharbour Shopping \$12
Friday 2nd August	Figtree Shopping \$12



Shopping, Bunnings and Nursery trip pick ups start from 9am.

# CAFÉ CLUB

Café Club, was launched as a trial program in February 2003 when NINA decided to offer a fortnightly morning tea and activity social group in Helensburgh. Our clients were extremely enthusiastic about this opportunity to enjoy some Culture, Activity, Friendship and Exercise and the organisation applied for and received annual recurrent funding for a centre based day care program from the Commonwealth government.

The service is supervised by our Social co-ordinator Jaclyn and is now offered twice weekly, Café Club Thirroul on a Tuesday and Café Club Helensburgh on a Thursday, they are held at Club Thirroul and Helensburgh Tradies, respectively. Included in the cost is transport, lunch and a full day program including chair yoga (carried out by trained Yoga instructors), various entertainers, speakers, quizzes and you may see familiar faces or meet new people. You don't have to come every week and once a month the group goes for a lunch outing at various spots throughout the Illawarra. Come along and try Café Club in your area Thirroul or Helensburgh, first visit is free, ring the office to book in. The cost for Café Club is \$6 Transport (return), \$17 Social Support & \$13-\$17 Lunch.









A request from a client that we make mention of people that have left our services to a move into Residential care, or away with family or have passed away, as sometimes the message doesn't get around within the NINA community.

Please if this section or news brings some not so good feelings, please do not hesitate to give anyone in the office a call or speak with a friend or love one or ring Lifeline, Telephone number 131114.



#### MOVED INTO RESIDENTIAL CARE

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