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2021 Activity Guide

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Term Dates for 2021

Term 1: Monday 8 February to Tuesday 22 June

Term 2: Monday 9 August to Tuesday 14 December

Venues

1. All tutorials and classes will be in the Hammond Centre, Christ Church, Henna Street, Warrnambool and/or streamed on zoom, as specified
2. 240 Lava Street, Warrnambool
3. Archie Graham Centre, 118 Timor Street, Warrnambool

Tutorial Streams

Overall coordinator: Peter Dexter, plsinoz@gmail.com, 0417431277

Venue: Hammond Centre and zoom

Time: All tutorials will be on Mondays, commencing 10.30 am and running until approximately 12.00 noon.

Science and Technology Stream

Convenor: Barrie Baker

All tutorials are hybrid (zoom plus face to face) except where indicated. Given current restrictions, the first month will likely be zoom only.



Hybrid tutorials involve tutors streaming either into or out of the tutorial room on zoom, and simultaneously presenting on the big screen in the room.

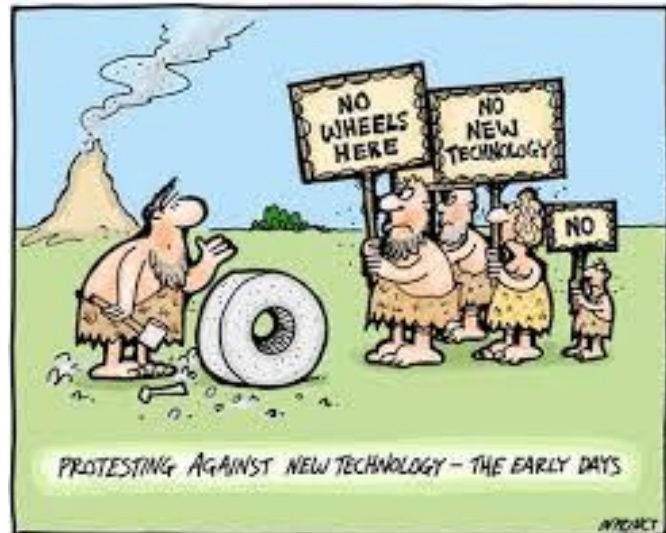
Tutorials, by both local and external expert presenters, will provide a broad range of fascinating information on local archaeology and coastal processes, weather and climate. The sustainability sessions will take on more of a class format, with interaction between tutor and audience.

Term 1

Date	Subject	Tutor
8 February	Moyjil (Point Richie) - a significant place	John Sherwood, Warrnambool
22 February	Sustainability	Bruce Key, Albury Wodonga
8 March	The sea breeze – the thread that binds wine, Hector and the Morning Glory	Debbie Abbs, Melbourne
22 March	What causes climate change	Dick Whitaker, Terrigal
29 March	The Victorian Coastal Monitoring Program	Chloe Leach, Melbourne
12 April	Sustainability	Bruce Key, Albury Wodonga
26 April	Limits in nature – the speed of light and terminal velocity in the atmosphere	Dick Whitaker, Terrigal
10 May	Estuaries – their past, present and future	John Sherwood, Warrnambool
24 May	Sustainability	Bruce Key, Albury Wodonga
7 June	Tornados in Australian capital cities	Dick Whitaker, Terrigal
21 June	Voyages of Discovery in Bass Strait	Dan Ierodionou, Deakin

Term 2

The tutorials will follow a similar approach to Term 1, with again both local and external tutors covering a broad range of subjects, from Antarctica to regional geology, to topics of a more global interest and impact. Again, the Sustainability tutorials will adopt an interactive class format.



Date	Subject	Tutor
9 August	Antarctica	John Sherwood, Warrnambool
23 August	How fast, how high, how long? The predicted limits of human athletics through mathematics	Dick Whitaker, Terrigal
6 September	Sustainability	Bruce Key, Wodonga
20 September	Weather and the Melbourne Cup	Dick Whitaker, Terrigal
4 October	Geology of western Victoria - 1	John Sherwood, Warrnambool
18 October	Sustainability	Bruce Key, Albury Wodonga
1 November	Undersea mapping	Dan Ierodiaconou, Warrnambool
15 November	Geology of western Victoria - 2	John Sherwood, Warrnambool
29 November	Sustainability	Bruce Key, Albury Wodonga
13 December	The seeds of change – 5 plants that changed the world	Gerry Engwerda. Albury Wodonga

Arts and Society Stream

Convenor: Peter Hankinson

All tutorials hybrid (zoom plus face to face) except where indicated.

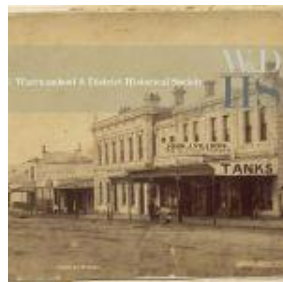


Tutorials in both terms will cover a broad range of local and international history, art, and international affairs. Tutors will include both local and external experts.

Term 1

Date	Subject	Tutor
15 February	The US under a new president and updates	Gerry Engwerda, Albury Wodonga
1 March	Botanic Gardens	John Sheeley, Warrnambool
15 March	The future of Europe	Gerry Engwerda, Albury Wodonga
19 April	Warrnambool Library	Librarian, Warrnambool
3 May	Electoral Systems (face to face only)	Fay Armstrong, Warrnambool
17 May	The Bayeux Tapestry (face to face only)	Robin Southey, Warrnambool
31 May	Conflict in East Asia (China, Japan, Taiwan and the disputed islands in the South China Sea).	Gerry Engwerda, Albury Wodonga
14 June	Warrnambool cheese and butter history	Barbara and Graeme McLeod, Warrnambool
28 June	The Arab World after the Arab Spring	Gerry Engwerda, Albury Wodonga

Term 2



Date	Subject	Tutor
16 August	Heritage dating	Chris How, Warrnambool
30 August	The evolution of the English language	Gerry Engwerda, Albury Wodonga
13 September	Friends of Botanic Gardens	Pat Varley, Warrnambool
27 September	History of soldier settlements	James Affleck, Warrnambool
11 October	A history of air travel	Gerry Engwerda, Albury Wodonga
25 October	Book presentation	Wendy Scarfe
8 November	Turkey – revisiting the Ottoman empire	Gerry Engwerda, Albury Wodonga
22 November	Neanderthal Man – our close cousin	Dick Whitaker, Terrigal
6 December	Australia and a vision for the future of the region	Gerry Engwerda, Albury Wodonga

Classes

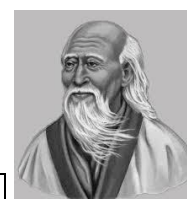
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 Venue: Hammond Centre and zoom

Term 1

Gardening classes. Zoom only, one Tuesday a month at 14.00

Subject	Dates	Tutor
Horticulture and gardening	9 February, 9 March, 6 April, 11 May	Donna Ellis, Brucknell

Meditation, relaxation and inner harmony, consecutive Mondays, Hammond Centre at 14.00



Subject	Dates	Tutor
6-8 classes as below	8 March to 19 April, excluding Easter Monday, 5 April	Paula Hillis, Warrnambool

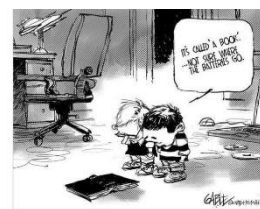
Bring a blanket and cushion if you wish. Timing and numbers subject to Covid-safe rules

Paula's interest is in Personal Development, including Meditation, Relaxation, Visualization, Conflict Resolution, improving self-confidence and setting and achieving personal goals. The group dynamic can be a powerful support for each participant.

Paula Hillis is a retired Special Education and Primary Teacher, Clinical Hypnotherapist and Counsellor.

Term 2

Book editing and publishing, consecutive Tuesdays, Hammond Centre at 14.30, commencing 10 August



Subject	Dates	Tutor
8 classes – book editing and publishing	Consecutive Tuesdays beginning 10 August for 8 weeks	Janet Blagg, Warrnambool

With 30 years as a professional book editor, Janet will address the business of making manuscripts the best they can be, whether for commercial publishing or not. Sessions will be structured to accommodate the individual needs of participants. With excursions into some interesting matters in language.

Small Group Activities

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Venue: As specified for each activity



Term 1 and Term 2

Activity	Dates	Location	Convenor
Mah-jong	Weekly, every Tuesday 10.00 to 12.00	Hammond Centre	Barbara Phipps, Warrnambool
Cryptic Crosswords	Second and fourth Mondays of each month, 14.00 to 16.00	240 Lava Street	Barbara Phipps, Warrnambool
Film appreciation	Second Tuesday of each month, 14.00 to 16.00	Archie Graham Centre	Peter Hankinson, Warrnambool
Music appreciation	Third Sunday of each month, 14.00 to 15.30	240 Lava Street	Peter Hankinson, Warrnambool
Vintage videos	First Sunday of each month, 14.00 to 16.00	240 Lava Street	Barbara Phipps, Warrnambool
Book Club	Third Thursday each month, 14.00 to 16.00	240 Lava Street	Barbara Phipps, Warrnambool

Music and Excursions

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Venue: As specified

Term 1 and Term 2



Live music

Most likely Term 2

Convenor: David Fallaw

Dates	Activity	Location	Performer
TBA	Piano recital	Christ Church	Anita Hoekstra
TBA	Concert	?	Philip Shaw and Tin Shed Singers, Warrnambool
TBA	Piano recital	Christ Church	David Fallaw, Warrnambool

Excursions

Convenor: Peter Dexter

Date	Location	Convenor
TBA	History Walk Warrnambool	Janet Macdonald, Warrnambool
TBA	F-Project Warrnambool	Barrie Baker, Warrnambool
TBA	CFA Warrnambool	Fay Armstrong, Warrnambool
TBA	Community Garden Warrnambool	Fay Armstrong, Warrnambool
TBA	Review and discussion visit to Deakin University	Barrie Baker, Warrnambool
TBA	Pioneer Board, Heritage Works Two sessions	Glenyce Phillpot, Warrnambool and Elizabeth O'Callaghan, Warrnambool
TBA	Guided visit to Budj Bim	Peter Dexter, Warrnambool