




Melville Friendship Club offers a range of interesting activities* every weekday in Willagee. It's a great way to get together regularly, maintain friendships and make new friends.

Contact the Friendship Club by phone on 9319 0900 or email: friendshipclub@melvillecares.org.au.

***Activities subject to change.**

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
2 Darryn Dodd Concert 11:30am Fathers Day Celebration	3 Can you pick the famous people Fun Quiz Day with Valma	4 Noodle, ball and table games. Chair aerobics with Arlete	5 Celebrate Spring What do you enjoy most about the changing seasons	6 Wheelin and Dealin Concert 1pm
9 It happened in September Fun Facts. Enjoy a coffee to celebrate Mel's birthday	10 Scenic drive to Wirleless Hill to enjoy wildflower season	11 BBQ in the garden Herb planting with Monica	12 Scenic drive to Wireless Hill to enjoy wildflower season	13 Celebrate National Women's Friendship Month
16 Scenic drive to Wireless Hill to enjoy wildflower season	17 Games day Chair Aerobics Battle of the tables - winner takes all	18 Wayne Pride 11.30am Celebrate Moon season	19 Who am I September Birthdays	20 International Peace Day 21 September
23 Kings Birthday Public Holiday	24 AFL final's week Royal Show Reminiscing	25 AFL Finals week Bus outing Visit to Piney Lakes park to enjoy the change of season	26 AFL Finals Week Royal Show Reminiscing	27 AFL Grand Final
30 Oktoberfest				



September Birthdays

3rd Glenice
4th Mel
8th Betty
13th Beryl
13th Maria
23rd Boydie
27th Delys
28th Beryl



What happened in September - Fun Facts

1st September, 1914 Passenger Pigeons became extinct. 'Martha', the last passenger pigeon died in captivity in the Cincinnati Zoo.

1st September, 1952 The Novel 'The Old Man and the Sea' by 'Ernest Hemingway' was firstly published.

2nd September, 1666 The 'Great Fire of London', broke out from a baker's house in ;Pudding Lane;. By the time it was over four days later, much of the medieval city was destroyed.

4th September, 1937 'Dawn Fraser', an Australian freestyle champion swimmer was born. She won eight Olympic medals, and held 39 records.

5th September, 1698 Russian Tsar, 'Peter the Great', imposed a tax on people with beards. Once the tax was paid, the person was granted a token which stated; 'the beard tax has been paid' and 'the beard is a superfluous burden'.

9th September, 2015 'Queen Elizabeth' became the longest reigning British monarch.

11th September, 1773 'Benjamin Franklin' wrote: "There never was a good war or bad peace".

15th September, 1937 'Dawn Fraser', an Australian freestyle champion swimmer was born. She won eight Olympic medals, and held 39 records 1890 'Agatha Christie' was born. Even after her death in 1976 she is still one of the world's top selling authors. She is known for her detective novels based on Hercule Poirot and Miss Marple.

21st September, 1937 'Dawn Fraser', an Australian freestyle champion swimmer was born. She won eight Olympic medals, and held 39 records 1937 The 'Hobbit' by J.R.R Tolkien was firstly published. The book remains popular and is recognized as a classic in children's literature.

26th September, 1824 'The Tomato', previously regarded as unhealthy and dangerous to eat, is proven to be harmless. 'Colonel Robert Johnson' ate a basketful of tomatoes in public and felt great.

Coffee with Mel, our Monday Volunteer

On Monday 9th September Mel would like to invite you to join her at The Little Olive Leaf Café. To help celebrate her birthday. Mel will bring a few special Italian biscuits and you are welcome to purchase a coffee of your choice.



Darryn Dodd Concerts and Father's Day Celebration - 2nd September

History of Father Day in Australia

Father's Day event was held in 1910 with the goal of honouring Fathers and fatherhood as a whole. From there, Father's Day grew slowly, and it was finally recognised officially in Australia in 1958. Father's Day was founded to celebrate the role of Fathers and thank them for their hard work and dedication.

From all of us at the friendship Club we would like to acknowledge and celebrate all Fathers, Grandfathers and Great Grandfathers.



Celebrate Women's Friendship Month

National Women's Friendship Day was created by women, for women. The Kappa Delta Sorority created this very special day in 1999.

A quote for today:

"A real friend is someone who walks in when the rest of the world walks out."
Walter Winchell

