

# Friendship C L U B



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.

Г	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
			May Day Garden activities. Afternoon drive to Point Walter	2 Morning activities, group games. Afternoon drive & ice cream	<b>3</b> High Tea Lunch "Space Day" Mysteries of the Cosmos
6	Toni Italiano Concert 1pm or activities in the library/garden	7 Games Day in the large hall	8 Kyra Bee Concert 1PM or activities in the library or hall	9 Picnic Lunch at Piney Lakes Morning group, games	10 Tribute to Nurses. International Nurses day 12 May
13	High Tea Lunch Mother's Day "Tribute to those that mother"	14 Visit to the local Op Shop or Games in the hall	<b>15</b> Winter garden. Outdoor activities	16 Visit to a local garden Centre or games, activities, quizzes at Centre	17 Darryn Dodd Concert 11am or activities in the library/garden
20	Country and Western Day National Volunteer week	21 Country and Western Day BBQ National Volunteer week	22 Country and Western Day National Volunteer week	23 Wheelin and Dealin Concert 1PM or activities in the library National Volunteer week	24 Country and Western Day BBQ National Volunteer week
27	Visit to Kings Park Fashion. Option to stay at hall for activities	28 Paul Robinson Concert 1pm or activities in the library/garden	<b>29</b> Exploring  Mountains Conquest  of Mt Everest	<b>30</b> Table games, Bingo, Quizzes, Music	31 Morning Tea in the garden. Music, Bocce, Walking Group



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### **International Nurses Day 12 May**

Today we acknowledge the amazing contribution our nurses have made over the past centuries.

Sister Vivian Bullwinkel of the Australian Army Nursing service was posted to hospital duty in Singapore during world War Two. In 1942, after the Japanese captured Singapore, Vivian was among 300 people evacuated from the city by boat. Despite being captured and injured, Vivian dedicated herself as a leader in nursing and humanitarian after the war.

#### **Lucy Osburn (1836 – 1891)**

Lucy Osburn is described by many as the founder of nursing in Australia. In 1868 she was sent to found Nightingale Nursing. Lucy was a superintendent of the Sydney Infirmary and dispensary and was considered to be highly practical and campaigned to introduce nursing training to Australia.

# National Volunteer Week 20 - 26 May

Volunteer week is a celebration of the diverse passions and talents everyone brings to volunteering. The 2024 theme is "Something for everyone" highlighting there is a place for everyone in the world of volunteering.

Melville Cares Friendship Club staff and clients would like to recognise the enormous contribution our wonderful volunteers provide each week.

# Thank You.

## **Toni Italiano 6 May 1PM**

Perth singer and guitarist Toni Italiano performs for all ages and loves to get the audience tapping their feet, clapping their hands, dancing in their seats or up on the dance floor.

With songs from the 60s to 80s, Roger Miller to the Beatles, Tom Jones, Neil Diamond, Elvis Presley, the Monkees, as well as a song or two in Italian, Tony is are guaranteed to take you on a trip down memory lane.





