

E Newsletter January 2013



It is early enough in the year for all of us to still be attending to the possibly rash New Year's resolutions that we made. I wish you well sticking to them and hope that 2013 treats you kindly.

Office details for January 2013: The U3A office will be open for business <u>part time only</u> as from Monday 14th January between <u>9:00am and 12 noon</u>. You will be able to either go into the office or call on 3236 3055. The office has been "closed" since December 14th though our generous volunteers have gone in regularly to deal with the mail and the phone messages, and have been kept very busy. Term 1 classes start on <u>Tuesday January 29th</u>

Paying on Line: Greg Taylor has not had a holiday. The website now provides the facility of secure payments of fees online by credit card. Go to our web page on <u>u3abrisbane.org.au</u> for all the information that you will need.

Tutors Meeting: All tutors have been invited by letter from our President Ian Lipke to a gettogether on Wednesday 16th January at 9:00am for 9:15am. It would be of great benefit to the smooth running of U3A if Tutors could come along and meet with members of the Management Committee, the Tutor Liaison officer, Marilyn Wagland and others from the office who will assist Tutors during the year. Contact Marilyn on tutors@u3abrisbane.org.au. There will be a good morning tea for you. We all look forward to meeting up with everyone.

Art and Book Groups: Rosemarie Schucraft is one of our many Tutors who holds classes in a venue outside of 97 Creek St and has sent me information of both classes at their end of year get together. Rosemarie is also a guide at the Art Gallery.



This is the Art Group at the end of the year party at the QAG where they discussed what they would need for the 2013 classes. They then went on a tour of the APT7 exhibition at GoMA. Rosemarie is the lady in the front right.



This is the Book group at the cafe at GoMA where they discussed the books they would read for 2013. Many of you will recognise June Morris (front left), a very long term volunteer in the office at 97 Creek St.

U3A meets in many locations around Brisbane and there are classes for all tastes.

<u>Social Committee activities:</u> Bookings will be open for the bus trip to Queensland Institute of Medical Research on 18th February and the Port of Brisbane Trip on Wednesday 20th March on Monday 14th January. There is a maximum number of 30 for the trip to QIMR.

Have a really great year at U3A

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