

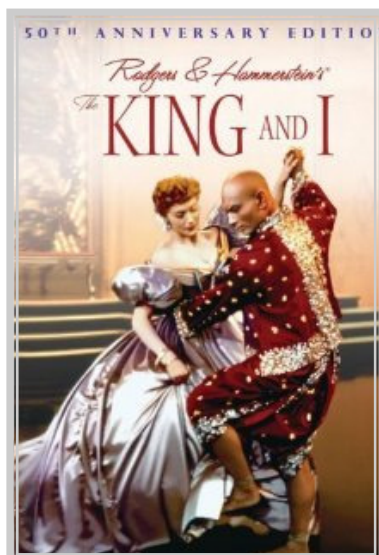
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Term 4

Classes are underway and other activities are well in hand. The Christmas Lunch has completely sold out, and it is promising to be a great day. Also, we have 50 tickets on sale for **"The King and I"**, coming in 2014.

The King and I



The King and I starring Lisa McCune and Teddy Tahu Rhodes. The musical's Australian Tour is commencing in Brisbane in April. 2014
When:
Wednesday May 14th
2014 at 1:30pm
Where:
QPAC Lyric Theatre
Cost: \$73.00

Tickets are available from the Office and you can call the office on 3236 3055 to book and pay.

Nour Davis Keynote Speaker Lectures:

Intercultural connection through music making in Central Australia



Dr Naomi Sunderland and Students, Euan Cumming (Melodica) & Rohin Power with Guitar

Naomi Sunderland, Euan Cumming, and Rohin Power presented stories and songs from the Queensland Conservatorium's annual student trips to Tennant Creek, NT. Each year a small group of music and other creative arts students travel to Tennant Creek to work on community led arts projects at the Winanjikari Music Centre within Barkly Regional Arts. This year the Conservatorium collaborated with QUT Music and Sound to also take a QUT third year student Rohin Power on the trip. The trips use a community service learning approach where students and community members can learn from one another and develop mutually beneficial relationships. Examples of activities undertaken during the trips include setting up music recording studios, recording music, live sound, lighting, filming for the annual Desert Harmony Festival, and song writing. The trips have generated many positive outcomes and offer a rare opportunity for students and staff to develop deeper understandings of Aboriginal culture and music. The project is led by Dr Brydie-Leigh Bartleet of the Queensland Conservatorium at Griffith University and supported by the federal Office for Learning and Teaching.

The next lecture will be on Friday Nov 8th with Colin Kennard speaking on *The Politics of Water* which is a very topical subject.

November 22: Lesley Podevin will speak on *Volunteering as a calling* a subject that affects all of us.

The final lecture for 2013 will be with Tino Pezzementi, *Research in UFO*. Intriguing... Nour is away so please call Helen Dubois on 3398 9668 if you wish to attend. State Library 10:00 am. We meet outside the doors.

Westside News with Caroline Bell

TUTORS AND STUDENTS REQUIRED FOR CLASSES AT PADDINGTON

Brisbane Senior Citizens Centre at Latrobe Terrace, Paddington, would like U3A to make use of available space in their building. There is a large hall, suitable for exercise or dancing classes and two smaller rooms, still of reasonable size. If you are a tutor who would be interested in conducting classes there, please let me know and I will provide further details.

In particular, we believe that computer, iPad or similar and language classes (especially French) would be popular. However, other subjects would be considered and it depends on demand in the area. If you are a prospective student with an interest in attending classes at this location, I should also like to hear from you as soon as possible, in order to establish the possible demand with a view to commencing classes in 2014.

Please contact me at mail@u3abrisbane.org.au

Northside News with Sally Pritchard

HAMILTON TOWN HALL.

iPad/iPhone Course. We had three wonderful sessions on the iPad / iPhone with Martyn Butler held at our latest venue, the Hamilton Town Hall. It was very well received and we were most fortunate to have Martyn present it. Even for those who know a fair bit about a subject, you always pick up at least one new bit of information. Continuing on in this space will be Stephen Baggeley presenting his Classical Music Introduction Program.

An extra room which is 12 meters by 5 meters has become available now in this venue, Thursdays from 10 to 1, and then into 2014. This space would be really good for a drawing or art class as it does have running water. A discussion group, language, fitness would be good. We would love to hear from a tutor who would consider using this space for a class.

ASHGROVE LIBRARY

We have two rooms here for use in 2014, Monday and Thursdays from 1pm to 4 pm. These rooms have computer facilities as well. Are there any tutors out there available to use this space?

Sally Pritchard spritchard8@me.com 0415 748 927

U3A Membership renewal:

It is that time again when it would be very helpful if you renewed your membership instead of waiting until January when Term 1 starts. Your payment makes your membership still current until the end of 2014.

You can either pay

- when you come into class during this term
- on line via our secure website
- call the office on 3236 3055 and pay on the phone
- send a cheque or money order to
U3A Brisbane 97 Creek St.

The office will be closed from December 13, 2013 until near the end of January.

Please help to make life easier for our wonderful office staff and for yourself.

Logan News with Jean Townsend

Logan Christmas Party

All U3A members in and around the Logan area are invited to our Christmas Party.



Come along and meet other members and experience the friendship that U3A offers at this time of the year. Feel free to invite partners and any friends who are interested in joining. Entertainment will be provided by several U3A groups. Having a go at English Country Dancing will also be part of the fun. Last year's party was memorable and this is likely to be even better. The hall is huge and air conditioned.

Members are asked to bring a small plate of food, however this is optional.
(Tutors are excluded from this request.)

Please tell your friends who do not have email access

WHEN: Wednesday 13th Nov. 10:00am to 1:00pm

WHERE: Logan City Community Centre
(behind the Art Gallery)

9-11 Jacaranda Ave Logan Central.

Plenty of parking is usually available but car pooling would be a good idea.

COST: A gold coin would be appreciated to cover costs.

Contact Jean Townsend 3801 1949

Lectures at Brisbane Square Library

Grace Coyle has arranged for POLICE LIAISON OFFICERS (PLO) to talk on REFUGEES in BRISBANE.

This fascinating talk will give us insights into:

- how Brisbane interacts with refugees and the wider diverse community through the work of the PLO's
- how we can deepen our understanding of refugees experiences
- a journey made by a young boy determined to survive from Sudan and eventually to Australia
- personal knowledge of earlier experiences of the South Pacific Islanders in Queensland

Come along to the Community Room on the ground floor of Brisbane Square Library (Ground floor near check out desk) on Friday the 15th November, 2013 from 1 to 3 pm to be part of a fascinating presentation.

There will be an opportunity to speak further with our Police Liaison Officers after the presentation, when they join us for refreshments after the meeting.

Please contact Grace Coyle on 3255 1126 or 0417 284 483 if you are intending to attend this lecture.

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