August 2023 - Newsletter

Three Sisters Social Group

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Committee

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Dear Friends

Our AGM will be held on 8 August at the Grandview Hotel. A link to the relevant AGM documents has been sent to members. Please download these before you attend the meeting.

This AGM seeks the approval of members for two special considerations.

The first is to amend the constitution to change the composition of the committee. The current articles in the constitution require 3 ordinary committee members in addition to the executive positions. It is not always possible to fill these positions.

The resolution seeks to change this requirement to require at least, but not limited to, one ordinary committee member. This will reflect the actual operating practices of the committee and will result in greater operational efficiencies and flexible arrangements.

Secondly, we seek the approval for the awarding of Life Membership of the Three Sisters Social Group to Maurice Cooper, OAM.

Maurice has been a long-time member of the Three Sisters. He is a staunch supporter of our group and the local LGBTQI community and a noted member of the Blue Mountains Community.

Maurice played a pivotal role in establishing the AIDS Memorial in Medlow Bath Park in 1992 and was a huge supporter of our efforts to successfully restore the memorial in 2022.

Maurice has also been instrumental in ensuring the success of our annual costume ball held on the, now, Kings Birthday weekend. Maurice has always corralled a motley and lively group to attend the ball which has contributed to its success over a very long time.

I heartily commend Maurice to the membership and recommend he be awarded our highest award, that of Life Membership of the Three Sisters Social Group.

See you at our Annual General Meeting.

Terry

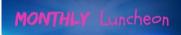


UPCOMING EVENTS



7pm Tuesday
8 August 2023
The Grandview Hotel
Wentworth Falls
Members Free
\$50 Non Members
Reservations: by Friday 4
August.

bookings@threesisterssocial.asn.au



The Grandview Hotel
Wentworth Falls.
1230pm Tuesday
22 August 2023
A choice of main course and
dessert
Price: \$37

Reservations: by the Sunday evening prior

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Annual General Meeting





7pm 8 August 2023 The Grandview Hotel Wentworth Falls It is that time of the year again when your membership becomes due and we hold our Annual General Meeting.

One of the items of business at the AGM is to elect the new committee.

Your committee is responsible for organising the activities of the group, including the Ball, the Disco, the AIDS Memorial, luncheons and dinners.

We welcome new committee members.

Feel free to talk to any of the current committee members if you would like more information.

Memberships





New members are warmly welcome \$25 and \$20

Membership Renewals are now due Pay by 30 July to participate in the Annual General Meeting and receive a

complimentary dinner

Membership can be deposited to our Bendigo Bank account: BSB 633 000, account number 193 701 778. Please use your surname as the reference on your deposit \$25

Concession

The membership year starts from 1 July. Membership for the coming year is \$25 or \$20 concession.

Memberships can be paid to our Bendigo Bank account: BSB 633 000, account number 193 701 778. Please use your surname as the reference on your deposit.

Renewals must be received by Friday 4 August to enable you to attend the AGM and get your free meal.

New Members

If you would like to become a member, please complete the membership form on our website. https://www.threesisterssocial.asn.au/membership/ Fees can be paid through our bank account Bendigo Bank account: BSB 633 000, account number 193 701 778.

Membership of the Three Sisters Social Group entitles you to a meal at the AGM, which will be held at Grand View Hotel, Wentworth Falls on 8 August from 7pm.

It also allows you to become a committee member.

Applications must be received by Friday 4 August so you may attend the AGM and get your free meal. The committee is not able to approve your membership prior to the meeting, so you will not be able to vote.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The Annual General Meeting of the Three Sisters Social Group Inc. will be held at **Grand View Hotel**, Great Western Highway, Wentworth Falls on **Tuesday 8 August 2023** at **7pm.**

Please download the agenda and other papers for the AGM at <u>AGM</u>
<u>Documents</u>

Nominations for the committee: Only financial members of the Group are eligible to vote or to be elected as an Office-bearer or Committee member. There may be some positions for which no nominations have been received. These will be opened for nominations from the floor at the AGM and members may nominate for these positions.

Proxies: If you are unable to attend the meeting you may appoint a proxy using the form on Page 4 of the <u>AGM Documents</u>

Proxies must be **received** by the Secretary prior to the meeting at <u>secretary@threesisterssocial.asn.au</u>

Dinner: Dinner will be held following the Annual General Meeting. There will be no cost to financial and Honorary Life Members. Please advise us if you will be attending by Friday, 4 August, 2023 on bookings@threesisterssocial.asn.au

Christmas in July 2023

The Chalet, Medlow Bath

