

**Nillumbik U3A**

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**NILLUMBIK**

UNIVERSITY OF THE THIRD AGE

# **Nillumbik Community Showcase Celebration**

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## About Nillumbik U3A

*We provide low-cost classes and activities which encourage continuing **social, creative, physical and intellectual** interaction for those who are fully or partially retired.*



- 800+ members engaging in 90 classes and events
- Classes range from one-off to weekly classes throughout the year
- 20+ venues from Eltham Lower to Hurstbridge and Panton Hill
- Members mainly from Eltham and surrounds, fewer from outer suburbs; many from outside Nillumbik, mainly Banyule
- Keen to get more members and venues in outer Nillumbik
- *Gibber Gabber* – newsletter going to 1500+ monthly

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### **Courses:**

- Northern Ladies Badminton Association
- Eltham Bowling Club
- North of the Yarra Quilters Guild
- Bunnings
- YPRL – Eltham Library

### **Venues:**

- Allwood Neighbourhood House
- Eltham Guides
- Wattle Glen Tennis Club
- Pantan Hill Tennis Club
- Living and Learning Nillumbik
- Sports teams at Eltham Central and Eltham Lower



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### **Other:**

- Eltham District Historical Society
- Eltham Little Theatre
- Bridges at Hurstbridge
- Lions Club of Eltham



### **Use of Old Eltham Courthouse:**

- Downsizing in Nillumbik
- Eltham Philosophy Group
- Oxfam
- Eltham Community Action Group
- Nillumbik Reconciliation Group
- Copperline
- Eltham Wine Guild



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### Donations:

- St Helena High School Music Students  
(*Jazz by the Green* with Eltham Bowling Club)
- Diamond Valley Community Support
- Cancer Council - Biggest morning tea
- Austin Hospital (Craft group)



## Nillumbik U3A – *Going forward*

- Continuing to grow every year
- Looking for new suitable venues throughout Nillumbik
- Looking for tutors in a range of classes
- Interested in working with other organisations
- Willing to advertise other organisations events in Gibber Gabber



If your organisation would like to work with us, please get in touch:

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