

September 2018



WATCH GAZETTE

WATCH COUNCIL NEWS

Watch Council are excited to invite you to our
30 year celebration
on **Wednesday 14th November**
at the **Mulgrave Campus**
3pm and 6pm.

*
* Please refer to the invitation attached

We look forward to seeing you all there

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Our Annual General Meeting has been set for

Date: 17th October, 2018

Time: 7pm

We hope our families and friends will come
along to support Bernadette and Watch's
Committee of Management

CEO MESSAGE



The end of another year is fast approaching and it is shaping up to be a very busy time ahead, for the last three months.

We anticipate that by the end of December, all of our current participants will have transitioned to the NDIS and we have a few that are starting with the 12 month review process. Just a reminder, staff are available to support you either at your first planning meeting or your first review meeting.

It is a pleasure to welcome two new participants to WATCH and we wish them a long and happy association with us all.

Please take note of two upcoming events mentioned in the newsletter, it would be lovely to see all our family and friends at both functions.

DATES TO REMEMBER

Friday September 28th	Public Holiday
Wednesday Oct 17th	AGM
Monday November 5th and 6th	Annual leave & Public Holiday
Friday December 21st	Last day of 2018

Welcome

It is with great delight that we welcome Julie and Tim who have commenced fulltime at Watch. Julie at Mulgrave Campus and Tim at Springvale Campus.

We wish you both all the very best.



NIGHT LIFE



RESPIRE

Respite on a Saturday is continuing to be a success on a weekly basis.

We are now offering 4 alternating groups respite between 11am –4pm every Saturday.

Participants in this program access the community in a more social setting which helps promote community and social inclusion and improve areas of social skills and friendship whilst also giving families a well deserved break.

SENIORS

Seniors are getting out and about and taking advantage of the lovely Spring weather. We have been visiting beautiful parks around Melbourne and enjoying a picnic lunch with our group. Wednesday's are full of fun in the seniors house also. We have been singing the house down with karaokewe have been discovering lots of talent with singing and dancing !



SPRINGVALE CAMPUS

We would like to say "welcome to Tim", a young energetic man who joined our group in July. Tim has settled in very well and is fast making new friends.

With the summer timetable not too far away, we are happy to say we are introducing a new activity -Geocaching. Geocaching is a global game of hide and seek, using your phone or tablet to find containers located in parks or bushland. This is going to be an adventure with loads of fun and investigating.

MULGRAVE CAMPUS

At Mulgrave we are preparing for changeover of timetable from the Winter to the Summer timetable. Over the next couple of weeks the participants are preparing to make their choices by looking at program posters and choosing the right ones for them. Some different programs are on offer this Summer:- Myuna Farm, Fit and Active and Fun Photography plus many of the favourite's!

The Summer timetable will begin on the 7th November.

Mirjana's Literacy Piece

Today is Wednesday 12th September 2018
On Monday I went to Werrie Manthon
I was there with Suzie and Sernia
It was a very good day out with my friends
I saw a beautiful garden and very pretty
roses. And I went to see the grotto it was
made amazing with lots of Panna shells
with a swirling patterns in the roof of the
grotto it had wooden chairs around the grotto
And the ground had bones on the ground
shaped of diamonds. it was wonderful
experience. I also saw a Saddle in a
Horse, shed And I went to see a vegetable
garden with Suzie and I saw a old washhouse
carriage in a room. and I went to a
Beautiful little house.
it was a wonderful experience I have
seen that I really enjoyed. Something
I would normally not see.

THANK YOU

Thanks to our wonderful friends at **Wheeler's Hill Rotary**

(Especially Gerard Marcus and Judy Hasnat for helping to organise)

who have once again dedicated their precious time to plant our back garden beds
with a sensory vegetable garden (donated by Pinewood Nursery)

We really do appreciate all you do for us here at Watch and are sincerely grateful.

*Thank
You*



WATCH INC.

30 YEAR

CELEBRATION

WATCH's Parents/Carers/Friends are
welcome to come and enjoy, share and
celebrate .

Wednesday 14th

November, 2018

3pm-6pm

At Watch-Mulgrave

⇒ DJ and Dancing (3-5pm)

⇒ Photos and Slide Show

⇒ Speakers (5-6pm)

BRING YOUR DANCING SHOES!

RSVP: 95623796

narelle@watchinc.com.au